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Subscribers will bear in mind that this subscription price is invariably \$3.00, when not paid in advance.

KINDLY REMEMBRANCE.

The Albany Herald-Disseminator of last week contains the following:

Mr. A. P. Gaines, son of Gov. John P. Gaines, recently received through the hands of the Secretary of the State at Washington

and the Brazilian Minister, a communication and a photograph of a tombstone from the island of St. Catharines, off the coast of South America and a province of Brazil.

It appears some English engineers were engaged in surveying for a railroad across the island and came across the graves of Gov. Gaines' two daughters who died of yellow fever on the voyage to Oregon in 1850, and were buried on that island, and had the graves put in repair and photographed and a description sent to any relatives in this state.

In this manner this photograph and letter found their way to Mr. Gaines, at Seio.

The photograph shows the following inscription on the tombstone:

Sacred to the memory of the Daughters of Governor Gaines, of Oregon, who died of Yellow fever at St. Catharines, while on their way to Oregon in the U. S. Store ship Supply in 1850.

Ground cleared up and re-enclosed by the U. S. Steamers Metacomet and Powhatan, in 1859-1860.

Tombs repaired and ground cleared by English residents in Desterro, Santa Catharina, 1885.

The letter accompanying the photograph was signed by A. B. Alexander, chief engineer of surveyors on railroad work on the Island.

Fruit Raisers Attention.

The Economy fruit drier at Woodcock & Baldwin's, Corvallis, Or., utilizes the heat on a common cooking stove, which enables the drier to work successfully during the time when meals are being prepared for the family on the same stove, thus enabling the operator to dry rapidly and with no expense.

It will dry four or five bushels of apples per day and other fruits and vegetables in proportion. Every family should have one in order to save without expense the fruit which goes to waste, thus making a clear gain of all dried. The price is a mere nothing and within the reach of all.

Only twenty dollars for a machine complete and will do as good work as any of the high priced machines which cost ten times as much.

Oncoco.

This noted horse, owned by McKnight Bro.'s of Albany, was started in all the principal three year old races in Oregon in 1884, winning three out of four, and making a record of 2:41, which stands at the head of all three year old records on the North Pacific Coast, and trotting a fifth heat in the remarkable time of 2:44, the last half in 1:17, a 2:34 gait. Last Saturday he was shipped from this place to Washington county, where he will be trained, and from there taken to California and entered in the principal races in that state for this season. Oncoco is an Oregon raised horse. We expect to hear more of him in the future.

He had been "Sent."

Last Sunday a cranky individual from no one knows where, secured a prominent position near the Vincent House and in a voice of thunder said that "he had been sent to proclaim the gospel to all living creatures." The reception given him by the average Corvallis hoodlum did not warrant the crank in prolonging his street sermon to a larger duration than about one and one-half hours. He left next morning for parts unknown.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to return my most heart-felt thanks to the members of Ellworth Post, No. 19, G. A. R. and also to the citizens of Corvallis, for the many acts of kindness shown me during my recent illness.

R. F. KINSELY.

Corvallis, Oregon, July 23, 1885.

LOCAL NOTES.

Kree Kree. Smoke the Kree Kree. Kree Kree is the boss 5 cent cigar.

Kree Kree and La Lucas at Burnett & Emery's.

All goods at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Mrs. Dr. J. B. Lee went to the Bay Wednesday.

Chas. Kohn, of Portland, spent Sunday in Corvallis.

Oregon raised watermelons are in the Portland market.

Men's furnishing goods at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Big bargains throughout at Nolan's great semi-annual closing out sale.

Men and boy's shoes and boots at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Corsets, Kid gloves and parasols, at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Burnett & Emery are constantly adding to and improving their club rooms.

Remember Nolan's great semi-annual sale commences on Saturday July 26th.

Several citizens of Salem were passengers on the O. P. Last Saturday for Newport.

Miss Maggie Cosper, of Salem, is visiting in the city, the guest of Miss Hattie Hanna.

No better place in town to spend a pleasant hour in the evening than at Burnett & Emery's.

A new Ketchum wagon, three and one-half inch, for sale at a bargain at Woodcock & Baldwin's.

John J. D. Lee and family, of Dallas, were passengers on the O. P. Wednesday for the Bay.

Robinson's circus will exhibit in Corvallis Aug. 20th. Their "ad" will appear in this paper next week.

Choose your sewing machines at Will Bros., where they have ten or twelve different kinds to choose from.

A three and one-half inch steel White-water wagon, bran new, at Woodcock & Baldwin's for sale cheap.

There will be no preaching at the Congregational church next Sunday. Sunday school at the usual hour.

We are informed that it is expected the tunnel on the O. P. will be fully repaired by to-morrow, Saturday evening.

There are a few more satten dress patterns to be had at S. L. Kline's on the same terms as they were formerly given away.

Chris Wortman, of Portland, and one of the firm of the McMinnville bank, spent last Friday evening in Corvallis with friends.

S. L. Kline goes to San Francisco shortly to lay in a new fall stock. All summer goods will be sold at cost until the fall stock arrives.

Our farmer friends tell us that the price of hay is now lower than for many years. Good timothy hay is said to be worth from \$4.50 to \$5. per ton delivered.

A number of drunken tramps were locked up Monday night, and among the lot was a deaf and dumb individual, who piteously solicited alms from our citizens in the afternoon.

Harvesting is progressing nicely, and the whistle of the steam-thresher early and late is evidence of the fact that the farmer is taking advantage of the present auspicious weather for this work.

The register of the land office at Oregon city has notified the public that he has received official notice of the forfeiture of the Astoria land grant and that the same is open to pre-emption and homestead entries.

Messrs. T. J. Buford and C. C. Hogue were in Independence last Monday in the interests of the grand excursion to the Bay to-morrow, Saturday, Aug. 1st. Tuesday Mr. Buford went to Salem on the same business.

Hop men all over the state are somewhat discouraged at the latest San Francisco market reports which quotes hops at 2 1/2 cents per pound. This will not pay for the picking, and it is hinted that many yards will go untouched this season.

The "heated term" is upon us, and while the merchant and mechanic seek the seaside for recreation and rest, the sanctorum slave busies himself in fighting flies, mosquitoes, patent medicine men, life insurance agents and other Shoelites.

Mr. D. B. Curtis, late of California has purchased the Vincent House, and will on next Monday, Aug 3d, assume management of the same. Mr. Curtis has been engaged in this business before, and we doubt not will make an obliging and popular host.

H. E. Harris went to Eugene city Monday to be present at the corner stone laying of the new building to the State University. Monday evening, Messrs. R. M. Montgomery and John Lewis started for the same destination and on the same business.

One of the Iowa editors has this to say of our town and the treatment received while here: "We are marched to the wharf on the Willamette river, where we take a steamer provided by the people of Albany and Corvallis for the latter town. The ride on the river is a delightful one. It is high noon when we reach Corvallis, a sprightly little place of 2,000 people and we are here given another opportunity to feast on the good things of the land as guests of the hospitable people of Benton county. And of all the excellent spreads tendered the editors none can excel that at Corvallis in any particular. Large crops of oats and wheat are raised in this county, although the yield is not so large as in some other sections, and 300,000 bushels of the latter cereal are said to have been shipped last year on the Willamette River."

Ice cream at Bain's.

New sheet music at Will Bros.

Fresh oysters, all styles, at Bain's.

Fresh candy and taffy daily at Bain's.

"Burt's" fine shoes at Nolan's cash store.

Beys clothing at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Nobby Hate at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

E. A. Milner went to Newport on Wednesday's train.

Go and see the golden voiced Peerless Organs at Will Bros.

Will Bros. are having their store repainted on the inside and outside.

Prof. W. S. Walker, principal of the Brownsville school, was in Corvallis Wednesday.

Mr. Alberts, with Ladd & Bush of Salem, was in Corvallis last Saturday accompanied by his son.

C. H. Mattoon, formerly of this city, but now doing business at Toledo was in town yesterday morning.

D. C. Clark formerly a resident of this place, was in Corvallis a few days ago. He is just recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Messrs. M. P. Burnett, Meade Casper, T. A. Bell and Ed. Holgate have purchased a bicycle, and now spend their spare moments in riding the same.

The Colorado editors have returned home. While in the state they were shown every attention by Gov. Moody, and hospitably entertained by our people.

It is expected that a grand time will be had on the O. P. excursion to the Bay to-morrow. We are informed that the limited number of tickets, 200, have been mostly taken at this early day.

Miss Josie McKay has this week been initiated into the mysteries of the "art preservative," in the GAZETTE office.

Bob Johnson surprised his many friends last Monday morning by appearing with his shoes nicely polished. Since it is known that such a thing is of very seldom occurrence, it is a matter of much conjecture why it happened, and on this particular Monday morning.

Wm. Powers, an old resident of Linn county, when returning home last week from the Masonic cemetery near this place, where he had been attending the funeral of Mrs. Springer, his team ran away and disabled him very much.

Prof. J. M. Unger, of Eugene city, was in Corvallis Thursday. The Prof. is one of the best and most thorough teachers of book keeping in all its forms in the state, and informs us that he will probably take a class in our city some time in September.

The steamer City of Salem, which was sunk on Rock Island, above Oregon City, some time ago, was relaunched from the ways in South Portland last Saturday evening. The damage has been repaired and the vessel has also been improved in other respects. She will probably be placed on the upper Willamette route in a short time.

A little judicious advertising by the people of Newport and Yaquina City and an inducement of low fares by the O. P. R. R. would collect many people to Yaquina bay, where every kind of salt and fresh-water fish, crustaceans and bivalves that this coast produces can be had for the catching, and the sport of deep-sea fishing is unsurpassed.—Standard.

The O. P. train carried about 130 passengers over their road to the bay last Saturday. Among these from Corvallis who went for a few days rest and recreation we noticed Messrs N. R. Barber, M. Jacobs, Zeph Job and family, W. H. Mansfield, Chas. Monteith of Albany, Misses Bertha Neugess, Eda and Sarah Jacobs, Lena and Tilla Harris, Mrs. D. Carle and Mrs. C. H. Whitney.

A rich strike was made in the Grand Central mine, near Helma, a few days ago. Thus far it has shown up well, and the richness and width of the vein increases as the tunnel progresses. It is now over three feet wide and assays from \$75 to \$22,000 to the ton. The dump contains about fifty tons of ore, and the owners' purpose is to erect a mill just as soon as a road can be built for the transportation of machinery.

Mr. Brasfield and wife returned from the valley last Saturday, says the Post. He went to see what could be done towards inducing shipments of wheat over the O. P. R. R. to San Francisco, and thinks that with proper efforts shipments could be secured in abundance. The matter should be worked up at once, as grain shipments to the fullest capacity of the road this season, would advance the general interest more than anything else. Now is the time to work, making sure of "business" after harvest may be too late. Business is business.

Do you know any event in your neighborhood of interest to the people—does any one move in or out; any one get married or run away; get kicked by a mule, bit by a dog or snake—in short if anything out of the ordinary run takes place; and you have reason to believe that you know as much about it as any one else, take a postal card and let us know about it. It takes a good deal to make a newspaper, while you may think your item of trivial importance, a paper would be very dry reading indeed which contains nothing but sermons.

Thos Reade while driving to town last Saturday, accompanied by his wife, met with a painful accident. The team they were driving became frightened at a traction engine and ran away, throwing them both out and cutting an ugly gash in Mr. Reade's head, and severely injuring Mrs. Reade. They were taken into the residence of Haman Lewis at the edge of town where they remained until Sunday when they were taken home. On Wednesday their son Columbia Reade informed us that they were improving nicely.

May it all Prove True.

A man who "claims to know" as to a reporter of the Portland News, on Tuesday;

"The Oregon Pacific will be extended east from Corvallis at some future period, and work will probably begin this fall."

The objective point is Boise City, I. T. T. The road will cross the Cascades through Santiam Pass and extend through the Malheur country. A preliminary survey has been made, and the grade found to be an easy and practicable one. At Boise the Oregon Pacific will undoubtedly connect with the Chicago and Northwestern, and Oregon will have another transcontinental line. This latter company are now pushing their road rapidly west of Niobrara Nebraska, and will probably reach Camp Robinson, Wyoming, the present fall. By August, 1886, it is expected that the Chicago and Northwestern will be running its trains to Yaquina City, the western terminus. A line of steamers will also be placed on the line between Yaquina and San Francisco.

Swamp Lands.

The people of Grant and Klamath counties will be much interested in a recent decision by Secretary Lamar in a swamp land case from California; it ought to strike terror to the souls of the swamp land fiends of Oregon, says an exchange. After setting out the facts and citing the statutes on the subject, the secretary says: "A careful consideration of all the evidence shows that the said tract is subject to periodical overflows in the winter or spring months, but the overflow subsides so as not to render the land unfit for cultivation by reason of the overflow. The land, therefore, is not swamp and overflowed land within the meaning of the swamp land act, and the claim of the state must be rejected." This decision will cause to revert to the public domain nine tents of what has been gobbled in this state under the swamp land act.

Go to the Wilderness.

Ex-comptroller McQuinn left by the west side train last evening for McMinnville to join a party under the charge of J. D. Fenton, who has a contract for surveying the boundaries of the Siletz Indian Reservation, says the Oregonian of Tuesday. There are about 300 square miles in this reservation, but the limits have never been marked. Mr. Fenton's party will start in at the southwest corner of the reservation, just north of Cape Foulweather, and go around the reservation. They will probably be about a month in completing the work, and as they will be in the wildest wilds of the farthest west, they will probably have the finest hunting and fishing in the world.

New Firm.

Messrs. Barlow & Button are fitting up the old shop across the street and in front of Nolan's One Price Cash Store, where they will soon open a blacksmith and wagon makers shop. These gentlemen are well known in this community, and should receive encouragement in their enterprise. They will be ready for business the first of next week.

Officers Elected.

Monumental Hose Co. No. 2 at their regular meeting last Monday elected the following officers to serve for the ensuing year: T. J. Blair president, A. Emrick vice president, N. B. Avery financial secretary, S. E. Helknap treasurer, J. K. Scott foreman and J. H. Simpson assistant.

The Vincent House.

Having lately purchased this well known house, I will thoroughly renovate and reit the same. The table will be supplied with the best the market affords, and no pains will be spared to make it pleasant and comfortable for guests. No Chinese cooks employed.

Notice to the Ladies.

Fruits for canning, or preserving: Bartlett Pears..... 50cts. per bu. Green Gage and Sugar Plums 50 " " Assyrian Crab Apples..... 50 " " Leave your orders at BURNETT & EMERY'S.

Lost.

One part shepherd dog with one glass eye and ring around neck, named Mame. Any person giving information of same will be liberally rewarded by Kratz, Washburn & Co., Dixie, Oregon.

NOTICE.

All those wishing a copy of the "Illustrated History of Benton County" will please send their order to the undersigned, as I will not publish a book in excess of the number ordered.

Closing out Sale.

The closing out sale at C. H. Whitney's is attracting many buyers who are attracted by the very low prices—actual cost for goods. This is a genuine closing out sale and as the stock is a well selected one and first-class, the people should not fail to improve the opportunity.

Oregon Pacific Railroad.

Until further notice a train will leave Corvallis for Yaquina every Wednesday and Saturday at 10 a. m. Yaquina to Corvallis every Thursday and Monday at 8 a. m.

C. C. HOGUE, Comptroller.

LIST OF LETTERS.

Remaining unclaimed in the Postoffice at Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, Friday July 31, 1885. Persons calling for same will please say "advertised," giving date of advertisement:

Clark, Sallie. Denure, B. H. Damon, Mr. Gallagher, C. Sikeke, Frank. Scott, Jennie. Vegie, Florence. Vite, C. H. N. R. BARBER, P. M.

Philomath Items.

PHILOMATH, July 27, 1885.

Harvest progressing finely.

Jerry Barker, convalescing slowly.

Minnie Liggett, has been quite ill, but will soon be out again.

Ban Childers and family returned to town last week.

Bessie Boles engaged in teaching on Tumtum, is at home on a months vacation.

Philomath Lodge I. O. G. T. will hold a reunion in their hall on Saturday evening, Aug. 1st. All templars in good standing are cordially invited.

S. J. Jones of Salem, father of Prof. Jones and Mar tin Miller from Ohio, were here on a visit last week.

DIED.

MORRIS.—In this city, Monday, July 27th 1885, of consumption, Wm. Morris.

CALLOWAY.—At the family residence about seven miles north of Corvallis, Monday, July 27th, 1885, Mrs. Abigail J., wife of Richard Calloway, aged about 53 years.

The deceased with her husband who survives her, settled in this country many years ago, where they have ever since resided and made many warm friends. A large family of children and relatives and friends survive her who mourn her untimely departure. With the many friends of the family sympathize with Mr. Calloway and family at their severe loss.

That Wood.

Those parties who have threatened to surprise this office by bringing wood to pay their subscription to the GAZETTE will do so at once, or forever cease their threats, as it is desirous to get wood cut and put in the shed before harvest, and because parties who so carelessly threaten to deliver wood after harvest are always prevented from fulfilling their engagements by the early rains and their fall work. Another very important thing for those who deliver wood is to come to the office before unloading the same and learn where it should be unloaded, and after it is nicely corded, come again to the office and see that they are credited on the books for the value of the wood. There is a correct and proper way for persons to do business—those who deliver wood for subscription as well as any other person.

Machinery owners; I am prepared to furnish you with rubber and leather belting. Call on me for prices. S. L. KLINE.

The steamer Wilmington will make her first trip from San Francisco to Portland on the 31 of next month. The vessel will continue on the route between those two ports until further orders. It is stated however, that she will be withdrawn after the wheat shipping season and placed on her old route between San Francisco, Puget Sound and British Columbia. Portland papers think there will hardly be any occasion for this action, as it is thought the company can always secure sufficient trade to make the venture pay.

Yaquina Bay oysters are somewhat larger than those from Shoalwater bay, and are pronounced more palatable. Some eastern oysters have been transplanted on the bay, but it seems they are not thriving very well. The clams are also of first-class quality and excel the Puget sound production. Numerous other kinds of fish also abound, but as yet the business is not followed to any great extent. All the oyster claims on the bay are taken up and will be operated this fall. The fishermen of the bay will try and find a market in Portland for their production. A splendid market really exists here which Yaquina bay can secure by a slight exertion.

Daniel Holton, the Portland hotel proprietor last Monday filed an assignment in the office of the county clerk to John D. Dement, for the benefit of his creditors. His indebtedness amounts to \$23,940.32, divided among a score or more of creditors, mostly that city, but a few in San Francisco. His assets consist of the furniture in the Holton house and one or two smaller log-houses, the value of which, even at a sacrifice, is believed will settle all claims, as there is \$36,000 insurance on the property. The principal creditors are Melorum Crawford and F. N. Shurtleff, \$4500, and Charles Kohn of Portland and E. Sikes of San Francisco \$8000. Both these claims are secured by chattel mortgages on the furniture.

For Sale.

A farm consisting of 480 acres of land, suited for farming and stock raising, and situated in Lane county, Oregon, together with stock, such as horses, cattle, consisting of No. 1 milch cows, one, two and three year olds, a small band of fine graded sheep, and hogs; also farming implements, all that are necessary on the place, in good repair, seed and feed, all of which will be sold at a bargain. The quality of the soil is excellent; adapted to all kinds of cereals, hay, fruits and vegetables, and with plenty of out range for stock. For further information and price and terms of sale, inquire at the GAZETTE office.

Croup, whooping cough and bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. For sale at T. Graham's.

Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures consumption. For sale by T. Graham.

Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for Consumption, Loss of Appetite, Dizziness, and all symptoms of Dyspepsia. Price 10 and 75 cents per bottle. For sale at T. Graham's.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and Liver complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. For sale at T. Graham's.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. For sale by T. Graham.

That hacking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. For sale at T. Graham's.

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale at T. Graham's.

Catarrh Cured, health and sweet breath secured by Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy. Price 50 cents. Nasal injector free. For sale by T. Graham.

New This Week.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of J. H. Moore, late of Marion county Oregon, deceased, will on Friday, August 28th, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door in Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property belonging to said estate to wit:

The north east quarter of the north east quarter of section 14, township 10, south range 7 west of Willamette Meridian.

Said sale is in pursuance of an order issuing out of the county court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion, sitting in Probate said order being made and entered of record under date of September 20, 1884.

CHARLES B. MOORE, Administrator of Estate of J. H. Moore, deceased.

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FINE SHEEP.

Wm. Hartless has ten extra fine Oxford bucks for sale at reasonable prices.

CORVALLIS, OREGON.

Harvesting Outfits.

A full line of Overalls, Jumpers, Blouses, Socks and Buckskin Gloves

Just opened at

ONE NOLAN'S CASH PRICE NOLAN'S STORE.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon. June 22, 1885.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk, of Benton county, at Corvallis, Oregon, on Monday, Aug. 10th 1885, viz: Winfield S. Gibbs, homestead entry No. 3415, or S 1-2 of S E 1-4 and additional homestead entry No. 3505 for N E 2 of S E 1-4, all in Sec. 4, T. 13, S. R. 6 W.

He claims the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land viz: J. J. Hendersen, Lewis M. Hendersen, Joseph Gray and George Mercer, all of Philomath, Benton county, Oregon.

L. T. BARN, Register.

ASSIGNMENT NOTICE.

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