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CORVALLIS, OR., SEPT. 13, 1889.

SULLIVAN wants to be a congressman. He ought to have a cabinet position as secretary of war.

A "JUMPING" crank has gone over the Niagara falls—and is still alive. And great was the fall thereof.

WONDER if an abstract company would be prohibited from making a copy of the public records of Benton county, if they desired to do so? Come to think about it such has been the case.

The wheat crop of Europe is forty-five per cent. less than the yield of last year, so it is learned from the official report of the Vienna grain congress, lately in session. Look out for a rise in the price of this staple article.

The republican national committee has canvassed the situation in the new states and concluded there is no need of a special session of the committee to help out the election there. The new states are safe for the party to which they owe their statehood.

The republicans of the new state of Washington have placed the following ticket in the field for their first state election which occurs on Tuesday, October 1: For congress, J. W. Wilson, of Spokane. For governor, E. P. Terry, of King. For lieutenant governor, C. E. Langton, of Okanogan. For secretary of state, Allen Weir, of Jefferson. For state treasurer, A. Lindsley, of Clarke. For auditor, T. M. Reed, of Thurston. For attorney general, W. C. Jones, of Spokane. For superintendent of public instruction, R. B. Bryon, of Chehalis. For commissioner of public lands, W. T. Forest, of Lewis. For supreme judges, R. O. Dunbar, of Klickitat; Theodore E. Stiles, of Pierce; John P. Hoyt, of King; T. J. Anders, of Walla Walla; Elmore Scott, of Garfield.

REDUCING THE SURPLUS.

Within the last month the United States treasury has poured \$14,000,000 of its surplus coin out in the purchase of bonds, while some of this amount was premium paid out for the bonds. It was not so high but that a larger saving in interest accrued from the purchase.

This is one of the sensible ways for reducing the surplus, and the administration are making the most of it. Of course no large amount of bonds can be called in at one time for that would tend to create an artificial value upon them, but whenever the treasury department finds that it can gather in some millions with gain to the government it is doing so. The country will not fail to observe the difference in the methods of the last and the present administration in this matter of the buying of bonds.

TO DEMAND KNOWLEDGE.

Patrons of every kind of business have a right to demand that business men use means convenient to such patrons to inform them of what is for sale. We have solicited advertisements enough to know that quite often business men would advertise largely, says a writer, if they were not too lazy mentally (and know it too) to work their advertising space and get the legitimate benefits. A hundred-dollar advertisement well attended to will make a difference of from \$1,000 to \$2,000 in the gross receipts of a concern doing say \$10,000 worth of business a year. In many places of 3,000 inhabitants there are merchants doing double this amount of business in the time. But with the average mercantile profit of twenty-five per cent a difference of only \$400 in the gross receipts, would return the \$100 to the advertiser's pocket. So that it is clearly only slightly a matter of dollars and cents paid the newspaper that raises a wall between two that should come together, but rather a mental laziness that clouds the brain of many otherwise capable business men, and instead of keeping even with the times, or a little ahead, they merely drift along, sometimes pretty close to the rear.

THE PUBLIC RECORDS.

T. C. Shaw, judge of Marion county, has issued the following order:
"In the matter of the examination of the public records of Marion county, and the making of copies of the same.

On this day it appearing to the court that there are copies of public records of Marion county, Oregon, being made in violation of section 279, page 499, Hill's Code, by persons not parties at interest on the matter sought to be examined; it is therefore ordered by the court, that the clerk and recorder of Marion county be directed to furnish copies of their respective records duly certified, to parties desiring the same, and that no parties be allowed to examine said records who are not parties at interest or properly appointed attorneys for the same, and, further, it is ordered that the custodian of the court house be required to notify the parties using the court room of the court as an office, to vacate the same."

In commenting on the above a Salem paper says:
"Now this raises a very fine point. County courts in other states have made attempts to prevent abstract companies from taking copies of the public records—but they have not yet made the thing stick, where the matter was contested. It is the opinion of the writer that the Marion county court has exceeded its authority—that an abstractor has as much right in the court house working on the public records, as the court or the officers have; though of course, no one has the right to establish his office in the court house, without the consent of the authorities. But as a matter of public policy alone, abstract companies should not be interfered with, so long as they pursue their work within the proper bounds. If they have been indiscreet in any way, they should be censured and warned to desist; but you can't keep them from making copies of the public records."

UNPARALLELED RECORD.

The Chicago Tribune says that the Pacific coast may well claim the distinction of being the lurid section of the United States in 1889. The entire losses by large conflagrations in this country since the first of January last amount to \$61,305,000, of which large sum California and Washington territory alone contribute \$30,300,000, or nearly one-half. The items in California are as follows: February 21, Guerneville, \$300,000; June 25, Benicia, \$225,000; July 2, Durango, \$300,000; July 7, Bakersfield, \$1,250,000; July 12, Fresno, \$200,000; August 20, Truckee, \$75,000; August 25, Port Costa, \$600,000.

Washington has five large fires to its credit, footing up \$27,350,000, as follows: April 19, Cheney, \$250,000; June 6, Seattle, \$15,000,000; June 22, Vancouver, \$100,000; July 5, Ellensburg, \$2,000,000; August 5, Spokane Falls, \$10,000,000.

Then comes the fire at the little town of Linkville in this state last Friday, which destroyed nearly \$200,000 worth of property.

In these fires the business interests of each of the twelve towns were substantially wiped out. Such a destruction as this is almost unparalleled in the record of fires in the country and opens up a most suggestive field for investigation for the insurance companies.—Telegram.

OVER NIAGARA FALLS.

Niagara, Sept. 7.—Steve Brodie, the bridge jumper, went over the Horseshoe falls this morning in a rubber suit. He was picked up below the falls in an unconscious condition, and taken to Clifton. He recovered consciousness not long after, and an examination showed that he is not seriously injured.

Brodie's leap was made just after day-break. He took the precaution to pad his body heavily with cotton fifty-two inches around the waist and seventy-five inches around the chest. Over this he placed a rubber suit, and the body was protected by two steel bands. He shot over the center of Horseshoe falls, and disappeared for two minutes, when he came to view and was rescued.

In describing the experience, Brodie says that after he entered the river he weakened and would have given anything in the world if he could have reached the shore. He attempted to reach the shore by using his paddles, when the swift current swept him back and turned his feet toward the brink of the cataract. When he saw that it was impossible to get out, he felt the same as a man that was to meet his

death. Just as he came to the brink of the falls, he became unconscious through fright.

PHILOMATH COLLEGE.

EDS. GAZETTE.—
As there is a mistaken idea as to school affairs at this place, it is proper that a statement of the facts in the case be presented to the public.

The present distraction grows out of a separation in the church, caused by an attempt of one party in the church to force upon the other party what was thought to be an unconstitutional measure. This disagreement gives rise to two parties, "Liberals," and "Radicals," the Liberals claiming to be the true church, by reason of the great number of ministers and laymen who hold that the general conference of the church is superior to the constitution of the church, while the other party claims the right to the original named "United Brethren in Christ," because they continue to hold the faith and constitution upon which the church was founded.

The present and only trouble is the right to the property belonging to the church. The general property is being held by the Liberals but the local property is held by the party which happens to have the majority or hold the keys. This creates great trouble. The courts will determine the tenure of property. A test case has been begun at Dayton, Ohio.

Of the 850 members of the church in the Oregon conference, 700 to 800 are opposed to the changing of the discipline contrary to the constitution. This conference has held Philomath college under its control since its founding. Its chosen representatives are an incorporated board of trustees who are the legal custodians of the property of the college. This board has had full control of the property and have not been disturbed in the exercise of the power delegated to them by the conference, until the 17th of July, when a Liberal bishop and three ministers and two lay delegates, who turned "Liberal" not long before their coming, came to Philomath and held, what they called, the Oregon annual conference. These parties assumed the right to expell, without cause or trial, a number of the legally constituted trustees and proceeded to fill the vacancies, thus created, with liberals. By this unjust legislation they secured a quorum and proceeded to transact business in the name of Philomath college. The former trustees, who held all the deeds, mortgages, bonds, and funds of the college refused to turn over said deeds, mortgages, bonds and funds to his regular successor who was duly elected in the regular annual meeting of the trustees in June, nearly a month before the setting of this newly constituted board. This new board have secured the property of the college, announced school for this year, to begin one week earlier than the time fixed by the board at the close of the last college year. Hence two schools have been announced.

With these facts before them, the old board is determined to press its claim for the management and control of Philomath college. To this end an injunction has been served upon those who have thus intruded upon the corporate rights of the trustees of Philomath college. The case will be tried in November.

School will open Sept. 18th, as directed by the board, and previously announced. The advanced students of last year will be present to enter on the first day. Let all the friends of the school extend this notice and thus correct the statement that the president of last year will not teach in Philomath this year.

Should the Liberals secure a counter injunction, we will not suffer any great inconvenience, as we have a suitable building rented for the year. So that in any event we will go forward with the regular courses in the several departments of Philomath college.

J. C. KEZZEL.

SULLIVAN FOR CONGRESS.

New York, Sept. 7.—The Sun this morning publishes a letter from John L. Sullivan, in which he announces his intention of running for congress on the democratic ticket. It is his ambition to represent a Boston district. He states that with such high ambition he trusts that he will in future make his life what it ought to be. Sullivan does not doubt his qualifications, as he says, in conclusion, that he will have no trouble in getting a hearing in congress or in making congressmen listen to what he says.

COUNTY COURT.

County court met at the court-house Sept. 2d, and was opened for the transaction of county business on Wednesday, Sept. 4th, and the following business was transacted:

The report of viewers of the proposed county road leading from a point on the Lobster road near Sam Rickard's house to a point on south side of the mountain at Lake creek bridge, was read first time and passed on to a second reading, and the following expense-bill was ordered paid:
C. L. Malone, \$3 00
E. J. Grier, 3 00
S. L. Rycraft, 3 30
A. L. Porter, 17 50
J. M. Tharp, 3 10
J. A. Caldren, 8 00
N. W. Wren, 3 00
Ordered that D. P. Blue be and he is hereby appointed supervisor of road district No. 55 to fill vacancy.
Ordered that J. D. Johnson be allowed to purchase 100 feet of bridge lumber and necessary spikes for district No. 16.

In the matter of the proposed county road leading from a point near Wells station to a point in the Albany and Buena Vista Co. road, ordered that the following cost-bill be allowed:
Jos. D. Johnson, \$6 40
R. M. Thompson, 6 20
F. O. Wood, 4 40
John D. Letcher, 11 20
Prior Scott, 6 60
John M. Risley, 4 20
J. O. Writsmann, 4 40
The following bills against the county were ordered paid:

Name.	For What.	Amt.
J. J. Peppin, bounty on cougar,		\$2 50
J. J. Peppin, road work,		100 00
Chas. Read, coyote bounties (2),		20 00
Chas. Read, 12 cords wood,		48 00
J. O. Smith, coyote bounties (3)		30 00
R. L. Feagles, bridge work,		65 00
Harris & McCulough, bridge lumber,		5 62
S. H. Horton, bridge lumber,		4 80
J. I. Fuller, bridge work,		23 00
Yaquina Republican, printing,		10 00
B. W. Wilson, clerk salary,		112 65
R. C. Kiger, bridge work,		10 00
E. Emerick, paupers,		66 00
L. P. Pond, pauper Green,		13 25
T. E. Cauthorn, paupers' supplies,		8 00
Lee Brown, coyote scalp,		10 00
Max Friendly, bridge lumber		58 89
J. J. Bryan, stationery,		23 34
J. J. Bryan, board examiners,		15 00
Minnie Bryan, board examiners,		15 00
John Sylvester, rent Pauper		8 00
D. Dyer, " " " "		2 00
S. L. Kline, supplies pauper,		6 00
Wm. Barker, work court-house		6 00
C. E. Miles, ex. physician insane,		5 00
C. H. Lee, " " " "		5 00
M. L. Pipes, pros. attorney,		5 00
J. P. Vincent, care Pauper Wells,		18 00
Creighton & Quiney, road-scraper,		10 50
J. A. Knight, coffin Pauper Griffith,		25 00
P. M. Zierolf & Co., supplies Pauper Griffith,		15 05
Michel & Hunter, supplies court-house,		2 50
CORVALLIS TIMES, printing,		16 00
Harris & McCulough, bridge lumber,		9 14
Leslie Lilly, janitor, August,		40 00
H. M. Stone, repairing bridges,		525 00
M. C. Miller, clean court-house,		10 00
F. A. Goodwin, repairing bridge,		125 00
Wm. Mackay, sheriff,		36 30
A. F. Hershner, pauper supplies,		2 00
Woodcock & Simpson, supplies,		33 94
M. L. Pipes, Adv. Del. taxes,		57 50
M. L. Pipes, pub. fin. ex. and notice,		11 50
C. H. Williams, commissioner salary,		21 20
S. A. Logan, " " " "		17 40

Ordered that D. Carlile be paid \$150 for J. P. fees in State vs. Ned Simmons.

Cost-bill in State vs. R. S. Harris allowed as follows:

M. L. Pipes, \$5 00
D. Carlile, 6 15
Wm. Mackay, 3 40
Daisy Estes, 1 50

The following bills were allowed for services as jurors at the September term of county court:

C. I. Smith, \$4 40
T. W. B. Smith, 4 00
W. S. Locke, 2 80
John Benson, 3 10
Jas. A. Stewart, 2 60
Jas. E. Barkley, 4 60

Ordered that the county judge have the court-house insured for \$50,000, and insure the furniture to the amount he shall deem necessary.

Comes now the school superintendent and presents the following named as applicants for free scholarship in the State Agricultural College: A. M. Gray, George Denman, Clarence Boehringer, Horace Lilly, Milton A. Wyatt, Homer Lilly and Miss May Warren. The court proceeded according to law to draw by lot, resulting in the selection of A. M. Gray and Milton A. Wyatt.

In the matter of the petition of county road, it is ordered that John Campbell, G. W. Howard and Robert Kyle be appointed viewers of proposed road and George Mercer surveyor, and that they meet at Horton's mill Sept. 17th, at the hour of 10 o'clock, or within five days thereafter, shall proceed to lay out said road.

In the matter of proposed county road leading from Lobster road near Sam Rickard's house to a point on south side of mountain near Lake creek bridge, it is ordered that plat be recorded, that said road be and is hereby declared a public highway and that an order issued to open said road.

SURPRISE PARTY.

About 7 p. m. last Tuesday evening a number of young people, fifteen in all, gathered at the residence of Mrs. Hitchens, preparatory to starting out for a drive in the country. The ladies of the party appeared to be as happy as canary birds on a

bright clear morning in June, when nature seemed its loveliest. Soon the driver shouted "all aboard." As the seating capacity of the vehicle was rather limited a few had to sit (and they did not object very seriously) on some other lady's or gentleman's lap. However the majority were deprived of this pleasure. Now all were bent on having a good time. Whether we had, will leave the reader to judge. The following were the party: Mrs. Nellie Keese, Miss Carl Hitchens, Miss Minnie Uren, Miss Maud Hoffman, Miss Sarah Jacobs, Miss Kate Thompson, Miss Mattie Burnett; B. W. Johnson, E. F. Beach, Ed. Crystal, Lake Dorris, James Smith, Lawrence Helm, H. J. Korthauer, W. H. Mahony. At precisely 8 p. m. we arrived at our destination, the farm house of Wm. Knotts. Here Mr. H. Keese and his sister Lizzie are also stopping. Miss Lizzie greeted us with open arms, and was very much surprised indeed, which we intended she should be. After Miss Keese had seated every one according to her own taste, the following programme was rendered: Miss Maud Hoffman, instrumental solo; Miss Carl Hitchens, vocal solo; Miss Sarah Jacobs, instrumental solo; Miss Maud Hoffman, recitation.

Mr. S. had found his way into the kitchen and row appeared in the room, where all were seated, with a whole apple pie; which was mashed as flat as a pancake by Miss B. who accidentally sat down on it, while on our way out to the farm. Mr. S. now began eating the mashed pie in real earnest with a large table spoon. Also upon this auspicious occasion some of K's best candy was distributed. Mr. K. never forgets to procure a supply before starting out on such an excursion. After the sweets, delicious refreshments were served, to which all did more than justice. On account of the lateness of the hour and Miss K. having sufficiently recovered from the surprise, that she was considered out of danger, the party wended their way homeward. On the way home the ladies made pets of Mr. C. and Mr. D. All were more than pleased with the excursion and each hoped that more such might take place.

A little green apple hung by on a bough, It dangled & bobbed in the breeze. A bald fiddler by came along, but somehow He failed to look up in the trees. Now, wasn't his heedlessness cruelly wrong— As naught so naughtily can be? This poem, you see, might have been twice as long Had he kept & looked up in that tree.

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