

THE EUGENE CITY GUARD.

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Judicial Consistency.

When a public officer knows that he is right he can afford to wait for a verdict. Perhaps no Judge of unimpeachable character was ever subjected to more adverse comment than Judge Cox. The less the average jurist knew about law the more freely will he criticize the course of the Judge in the trial of Guiteau. It was not at all necessary that the critic should say anything about the conduct of a trial. Nothing which this jurist did, met with approval. A signer might have inferred from the tone of the press that Judge Cox was an ignorant boob, who, by some accident, had got upon the bench, and was utterly incompetent to try the case. Whereas, he is a man of exalted character, a good lawyer and able judge. He has been trying the case in a way to remove all grounds for a new trial. The theory of the defense is that Guiteau is insane. Suppose that were a true theory? How can an insane man be punished? He is incapable of committing a contempt. But suppose he was simulating insanity? That was not a fact, or even a theory for the Judge to assume in advance. Guiteau could neither be gagged, whipped, nor sent to prison. The trial must, necessarily, proceed, and, for a time, the disorder must be borne with patience. At the moment when the case could not be prejudiced by restraint, Guiteau is ordered to the prisoner's dock, where Sickles sat during his trial. When Judge Cox gives his reasons for bearing so long and so patiently with Guiteau, they strike fair-minded people as sound reasons, such as a cautious and clear-headed Judge might well give. There has never been just such a trial in all the history of criminal jurisprudence in this country. The Judge has allowed an accused man, whose defense was insanity, to reveal himself in court before experts on the question of insanity, that they might the better understand the case. This latitude which could not have been restricted either by gags or imprisonment, for the time being, has resulted in breaking down the theory that Guiteau was insane and has contributed to the certainty of his conviction, as well as to the certainty that no errors will be found upon which to lay the foundation for a new trial.

The year 1884 is far in the future, yet the indications are that President Arthur is shaping his course to secure a renomination. He is surrounding himself with stalwarts of the most pronounced type, and as the office holders of the prevailing administration generally designate the complexion of its successor, the chances are that Arthur or some other stalwart will be successful. The mantle of Garfield has fallen upon Blaine and he is again an active candidate. But, as in the past, he will be doomed to disappointment as it is a matter of history that the popular candidates of the masses never attain the desired goal. Their prominence makes them targets for the shafts of their opponents, and some inferior man secures the coveted prize.

J. K. MERCER who murdered McDonald at Portland a few years ago and was sentenced to the penitentiary for fifteen years for the same, gives notice that he will make application for a pardon although his time has not one-fifth expired. We suppose that the pardon machine otherwise called Governor at the Capitol, will grant the application as he has done in scores of previous cases.

DURING 1880 sixty-three vessels cleared from the Columbia river for foreign ports; during 1881, one hundred and twenty-six vessels cleared from the Columbia for foreign ports. The value of foreign shipments for '80 (exclusive of lumber) was \$4,181,352. The value of the foreign shipments for '81 (exclusive of lumber) was \$7,414,516.

MR. EDMUNDS has introduced a bill for defraying the expenses incurred in consequence of the death of the late President of the United States. It authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to pay necessary and reasonable expenses incurred in behalf of the late President, provided the aggregate sum allowed and paid does not exceed one hundred thousand dollars.

The Weekly Standard issued a holiday number that was excellent in every respect.

A Change.

Certain sections of this State that have no railroad connections but are expecting to gain them through Villard can see no monopoly in the roads that are already built. It is but human nature for them to uphold the means by which they expect to secure connection with the outside world, but soon after they obtain possession of the coveted object they may find themselves in the grasp of an octopus that will slowly but surely tighten its grasp upon them. The situation in some parts of Eastern Oregon is thus described by the Weston Leader:

"A few months ago the people of this section of country were so solicitous to secure railway facilities for transportation that they took no account of anything else in this connection. Now the reaction has set in. The feeling against the O. R. & N. Co. is widespread and intense. Its movements are regarded with perhaps undue distrust. The impression that the exorbitant freight charges are levied to enable bold speculators to pay the interest on capital that has no existence but on paper, make the people clamorous for such legislation as will regulate fares and freights in Oregon as in other States. Those who were loud in proclaiming the benefits to be derived from the building of railroads in our midst, now lead the cry of 'broken promises, exorbitant rates, soulless corporations,' etc., etc. Gentlemen, possess yourselves in patience. The whole matter lies in your own hands. Angry invectives avail nothing and betrays weakness. Earnest endeavor is more effective than noisy demonstration. The time to work is close at hand. Be prepared to meet the issue quietly and there can be no doubt as to the result."

An Impolitic Appointment.

The appointment of D. P. Thompson to ask aid from Congress for the improvement of the lower Willamette and Columbia rivers was certainly unwise. David has the reputation of being found wherever money is to be made by jobbing, and his connection with the star route in the Northwest, will not assist him in his appointed work. The Washington correspondent of the Daily Standard thus arraigns the appointment:

"The action of the Board of Trade, of Portland, in raising \$3,000 to send Dave Thompson to Washington as a delegate to urge legislation for river appropriations, is very peculiar. The chief straw bidder and expediter in mail contracts on the Pacific Coast, as well as speculator in land surveying contracts for many years. He is known here only in such relations as can give no influence, in an honorable way, to the success of any measure before Congress; he can, by certain means, gain access to clerks in the departments, but his influence with committees and members of Congress will be nil. Add to these, that he cannot be recognized by one of our Senators, whose acts he has so brutally falsified, shows the action of the Board of Trade to be still more peculiar."

A WASHINGTON dispatch of late date says that it is understood that the defense in the Guiteau case will shortly introduce a new feature. The so-called cranks, numbering between 40 and 50, arrested here since Guiteau shot the President, were most of them sent to the St. Elizabeth insane asylum on physician certificates. The physician in each case, will, it is said, be subpoenaed for the purpose of comparing those cases with Guiteau's with an idea of demonstrating that if the commitments referred to were justly made, Guiteau must be likewise insane.

The value of real estate transactions in San Francisco for the week ending with last Saturday was \$128,689. The aggregate of considerations in similar transactions in Portland for the same time was \$215,490. The week was an exceptionally dull one in San Francisco the figures usually ranging between five hundred thousand and a million. In proportion to population and general values, however, the volume of real estate business in Portland is more than double that of San Francisco.

The last Sunday edition of the Oregonian was a number replete with valuable information and statistics concerning the commercial progress of Oregon.

The agitation of the Irish land question still continues.

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EX-GOVERNOR ROBINSON, of Kansas, a prominent temperance man, in reply to inquiries respecting the prohibitory law in that State, says that the prohibitory amendment to the State Constitution was a mistake and that drinking is more common now in Kansas than ever before. He quotes leading newspapers and letters to sustain his position; but the present Governor St. John, gives his testimony to just the reverse of this.

It is probable that that ex-Senator Sargent of California will be appointed Secretary of the Interior. He is a Stalwart which greatly improves his chances.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS. YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that all taxes remaining unpaid January, 19, 1882. Will be subject to the penalty provided by Statute - Sec. 64, page 762. Receipts will be furnished as follows: For Cottage Grove Precinct at Whipple & Bros For Coast Fork, J. T. Gilroy's For Lancaster, Long Tom, Richardson Precincts at... Wortman & Sons For above and all other precincts at this office. The County needs the money. PAY UP WHILE YOU HAVE IT! and SAVE COSTS. J. M. SHELLEY, Sheriff and Tax Collector.

Sale of Road Stock. PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE and the regulations of the McKenzie S. S. and Deschutes Wagon Road Co., and an order of the Directors of said Co., made on the 17th day of Nov., 1881, the following described shares of stock being delinquent for an assessment of \$18 per share, levied on Nov. 16, 1881, will be offered at public auction at the Court House door, in Eugene City, Oregon, on Wednesday, Jan. 1, 1882, at 1 o'clock P. M., to pay said assessment, to-wit: P. C. Renfrew, Certificate No. 13, 10 Shares. O. H. Renfrew, " " 23, 12 Shares. J. H. Belknap, " " 19, 11 Shares. J. K. Peters, " " 21, 1 Share. J. B. Underwood, " " 24, 14 Shares. Together with interest at 10 per cent. from Nov. 17, 1881, and the expense of this publication and sale. By order of Board of Directors. A. G. HOVEY, President. W. R. WALKER, Secretary. Dated at Eugene City, December 31, 1881.

Administrator's Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT under and by virtue of an order of sale made by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, at the January term, 1882, filed in the register of the estate of H. A. Stevens, deceased, the undersigned administrator of said estate, will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Court House door, in Eugene City, Lane County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 4th day of February, 1882, at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day the following described real estate, belonging to said estate, to-wit:

The undivided one-eighth (1/8) part of one hundred and sixty acres of land, the same being the North half of the North half of the donation land claim of Wm. M. Stevens and wife, Not. No. 3,224, claim No. 46, in T. 17 S. of R. 3 W.; also the W 1/2 of the donation land claim of B. R. Barton, Not. No. 7,191; also the donation land claim of Wm. McMeeken, Not. No. 7,412; also beginning at the N E corner of the donation land claim of Thomas Clark, Not. No. 7,414, running thence West 30.02 chains, thence South 10.00 chs., thence East 30.02 chs.; thence North 10.00 chs., to place of beginning; also beginning at the N E corner of the said donation claim of Wm. McMeeken, Not. No. 7,412, running thence South 24.00 chains, thence East 13.02 chs.; thence North 24.00 chs., thence West 13.02 chs. to place of beginning, all in in T 17 S of R 1 West, Lane County, Oregon, except the following described tract, sold and conveyed by said H. A. Stevens, in his lifetime, to James Campbell, to-wit:

Beginning at the S E corner of the donation land claim of J. M. Resting and wife, Not. No. 7,192, T 17 S of R 1 West, running thence South 13.26 chs, thence West 2.58 chs, thence North 13.26 chs, thence East 2.58 chs, to the place of beginning; also beginning at the N W corner of the donation land claim of B. R. Barton, Not. No. 7,191, running thence South 61.05 chs thence East 5.58 chs, thence North 65.00 chs, East 12.54, thence North 55.77 chs, thence West 16.82 chs, to the place of beginning.

The tract last hereinbefore described as belonging to said estate, containing 278 acres, after deducting the amount conveyed to James Campbell. The terms of sale to be as follows, to-wit: One-half down and the remainder on one and two years time secured by mortgage on said real property, bearing interest at ten per cent. per annum from date until paid. Dated, Jan. 5, 1881. J. M. THOMPSON, Administrator.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Miles T. Starr and S. Ashbury Starr, were appointed executors of the last will and testament of Noah A. Starr, deceased, and they have qualified as such executors. All persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the executors at Monroe, Beutou County, Oregon, or to Geo. B. Dorris, attorney, at Eugene City, Oregon, within six months from this date. MILES T. STARR, S. ASHBURY STARR, G. B. DORRIS, Attys. Executors. Dec. 17, 1881.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned administrator of the estate of Jacob Linn, deceased, has filed his account for final settlement, and the 1st Monday in January, 1882, is set for final hearing. H. C. HUSTON, Administrator. JOSHUA J. WALKER, Atty. for estate. Nov. 12, 1881.

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