

Editorial Notes.

Robert Toombs, once one of the great men of the United States, died at his home in Georgia, last Tuesday.

The Oregonian, true to its promises, published the celebrated "Mitchell-Carrie letters" in fac simile last Thursday.

Secretary Lamar has opened his guns on the baronial land robbers of the West. The people are with him in the fight.

Firdinand Ward is now a pounder of iron. A short time ago he expounded finances. There is a wide distinction in these conditions.

The telegraph informs us that Tennyson has written a new book of poems. The man who has read and understood it has not yet been heard from.

A Mormon woman who committed perjury recently in a trial at Salt Lake, excused herself to an acquaintance on the ground that she "only lied to the Gentile's God and not to the Mormon God" in swearing falsely.

Gov. Moody has recently issued commissions to Wallis Nash, W. P. Keady, Thos. E. Cauthorn, W. S. Ladd, W. J. McConnell, J. K. Weatherford, J. T. Apperson, John Emmitt and J. H. Kunzie as members of the Board of Regents of the State Agricultural College at Corvallis.

Hon. John W. Daniel was elected United States Senator from Virginia last Wednesday, vice the celebrated Billy Mahone. He is a young man, being only 42 years of age. Mr. Daniel is of slight build, has a smooth but classic face and very black hair. He is said to be a man of good ability, and is quite popular with his party in the Old Dominion State.

The San Francisco Call of a recent date published an article based on reliable information, showing that there are in round numbers 253,000 Chinamen in California. Figures are furnished showing the number of the Chinese six companies. It has generally been supposed that the number in that State did not exceed 100,000. The large excess over this number creates considerable surprise.

It is evident that a good thing has been done by the new chief of the Indian Bureau in breaking up a ring of favored contractors and by securing proposals from outside parties, saving large sums to the Government. The saving on supplies under contracts thus secured for the current fiscal year is over \$250,000. This fact, at all events, carries its own certificate of practical economy.

It is said of ex-Vice-President Hamlin that during his long public career the venerable ex-Senator has been from Maine to Washington 100 times or more, has visited every State in the Union but Oregon, and has crossed the Atlantic and passed some time in Spain, and yet in all his travels he never rode on a train or a boat when an accident occurred. He always arrived at his destination on time.

Since the Kelly episode our diplomatic relations with Austria have been practically cut off. The Austrian Minister, who has not been in this country for some time, has been retired on the grounds that having been in the diplomatic service for forty-two years, he is disqualified for further service. This leaves the mission vacant, and the Austrian government has signified that it will remain so until the United States sees fit to appoint a minister to Austria.

How soon a man who is merely rich and nothing more is forgotten was shown in New York when William H. Vanderbilt's funeral occurred. In anticipation of a great crowd a large force of police had been retained, but so small was the popular interest in the event that the police outnumbered the sightseers. The contrast between this funeral and that of General Grant is more suggestive than a sermon. It shows that the American people worship and honor something better than money.

The pivotal idea of Democratic ascendancy is that the restoration of the party to power is at once a proof and a pledge of national union, based on mutual esteem and confidence, and inspired by the consciousness of common interest and a common destiny. The vigor and persistency with which this idea clings to the popular mind is very disturbing to many of our esteemed Republican contemporaries, some of whom betray symptoms of serious nervous derangement. Yet it is quite true that the war is over; that the North and South are one again; that the grand old party has been turned out to graze in infinite space, and that a Democratic President is doing what he can to repair the wrongs and correct the evils of twenty years of Republican wrong-doing.

The importance of one vote was never more forcibly illustrated than at the elections in Fayette county, Pa., last month, when Martin B. Pope, the Republican candidate for Poor Director, voted for his Democratic opponent, and thus elected him by a majority of one. At the election Pope told a number of bystanders that he hadn't cheek enough to vote for himself, and therefore voted for his opponent. His friends regarded this act as foolish, because the contest was close, and severely rebuked him. When the returns were counted it was ascertained that the Democratic candidate had been elected by a majority of one, having voted for himself, thus insured his election by his own vote. Pope went home, threw himself on the floor, and insisted on his wife beating his head with the rolling pin.

The Boston Herald claims to have discovered a living but forgotten ex-Vice-President in the person of David R. Atchison, of Missouri. In 1853 Mr. Atchison was chosen by the Senate to fill the place of Vice-President William R. King, who was not able to take his seat. He figured afterwards in the Kansas troubles and has been living in obscurity in Missouri since the war. There is another man of this species wandering about somewhere in Northern New York. His name is William Almon Wheeler. He was known as a Vice-President once, but he is so thoroughly forgotten now that his place of retirement is not even known.

Lower Siuslaw Items. FLORENCE, Dec. 12, 1885. Fine weather here. Wild ducks are scarce here this winter. The expected schooner had not yet arrived. Beef cattle on the outrage are in good condition. There has only been two heavy frosts here this winter. Mr. Gillmore, of Coos Bay, visited friends here this week. Thos. Sailey and John Burman took a trip to Gardiner this week. John Burman has packed 250 more barrels of salmon this week. Christmas is coming, and a dance and shooting match is talked of. Mr. D. Barrett has just finished a fine barn just across the bay from here. The news of having a new postoffice at Acme, don't seem to build up the town. Sailor Bill had his hand badly bitten while in the act of separating two dogs that were fighting several days ago. A considerable quantity of new lumber has been coming on the beach this week. The people here have picked up several hundred feet. It is the general supposition that the same comes from some wrecked vessel. Several days ago one of the steamers plying between San Francisco and Portland, passed a capsize schooner off Cape Mendocino, and in size it corresponded with the Jennie Stella, but there is no certainty about it. Cot.

Coyote Items. Rain, slush, mud. The mail will only come to the Crow office once a week after this instead of twice as heretofore. This week George Holland, his cousin Tony Holland, and Joe Gates started for the Grant's Pass mining camp. The mining excitement of Southern Oregon is causing the people of this section to have the gold fever. Last week a pack load of three, Dave Nealey, Will Sanders and Jim Nealey, started for the old Yank mining region. The Siuslaw Grange celebration was a grand success. I will give you the programme. The music was furnished by Mrs. Kirkland at the organ and Mr. Samuel Lucas with the violin: Music—Messenger of Love Waltz. Prayer—By Chaplain, Geo. Landreth. Music—Highland Schottische. Declaration of Principles—F. M. Nighswander. Music—Waltz. Dinner—Imagine everything that is good. Music—Rachel Rea. Speaking. Music—Young America Quadrilla. Speaking. Music—Persian Dance. Speaking. Music—Highland Flieg. Speaking. Music—Highland Schottische.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE—A good dinner can had at Baker's Hotel for 25 cents.

Notice. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT my wife, Elizabeth L. Scott, has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, and the public is hereby cautioned not to credit her on my account, as I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her after this date. W. W. SCOTT. Dated, December 18, 1885.

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Sheriff's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of a writ of execution duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane county by the clerk thereof and to me directed on to-wit, November 13, 1885, upon a judgment and decree of foreclosure rendered in said court, November 5th, 1885, in a suit then and there pending wherein the Board of Commissioners for the sale of School Lands and the Management of the Common School Fund was plaintiff, and Benjamin Cox and Jesse Cox defendants in favor of said plaintiff and against said Benjamin Cox defendant for the sum of \$1949.50 with interest thereon from date of judgment at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and \$200 attorney fee and costs and disbursements and for the foreclosure and sale of the mortgaged premises hereinafter described—said defendant Jesse Cox in said suit then and there pending recovered judgment against the said defendant Benjamin Cox for the sum of \$925 with interest thereon from date of judgment at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, \$50 attorney fee, costs and disbursements, and a decree for sale and foreclosure of the following described real property to-wit: The S 1/2 of the S E 1/4 of sec 25, and E 1/2 of S W 1/4, and W 1/2 of S E 1/4, and S W 1/4 of N E 1/4, and S E 1/4 of N W 1/4, of section 27 all in T 15 S, R 5 W, containing 320 acres in Lane county, Oregon. The proceeds of such sale to be applied: First—to the payment of the judgment of plaintiff herein and costs and disbursements and expenses of sale; and second—to the judgment of said defendant Jesse Cox.

Now therefore, to satisfy said judgments, attorney fees, costs and disbursements and accruing costs and expenses of sale, I will sell the above described mortgaged premises at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand at the Court House door in Eugene City, Lane county, Oregon, on Monday, December 21st, 1885, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day. J. R. CAMPBELL, Sheriff Lane County Oregon. Dated Nov 20, 1885.

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We are closing out this line, and as we have a large stock on hand will offer special inducements.

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NOTICE.—Mr. B. H. James having retired from business and being desirous of settling up, requests all those indebted by note or account to immediately call and make a settlement. He can be found at his office in the Court House, ready to receipt for all debts due him.

I. X. L. Store. Notice is hereby given that all those indebted to the I. X. L. Store are hereby notified to call and settle the same at once, or the accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. Fair warning to all in our motto. WARRHAUER BROS. Eugene, December 4, 1885.

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Also music goods, art goods, pictures, picture frames, work and hand baskets, satchels, hand purses, pocket purses, and in fact, everything you want.

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Come And See.

A large portion of these GOODS are on consignment and MUST be sold by Jan. 1.

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Having purchased the Bankrupt Stock of GROCERIES, ETC. at prices VERY LOW, formerly belonging to

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I now offer them for sale at

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Give me a call and price the Goods. J. L. PAGE.

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