

ALONG THE COAST.

Spokane Falls has twenty-five resident lawyers. John Foley committed suicide at Sprague, W. T. Montana is out of debt, with \$75,000 in her treasury. A man named J. D. Land was found dead in Santa Cruz, Cal. The new Territorial penitentiary at Walla Walla has been completed. A Chinaman committed suicide by hanging himself, near Rutherford, Cal. Arthur McKown, a laborer, committed suicide at Stockton, Cal., with a pistol. The Nevada Legislature has repealed the anti-treating law passed at the last session. Natural gas has been found at Salt Lake City and it is being utilized in a small way. The new public school house at Ellensburg, W. T., is finished. The cost was \$3,280. Indians on the Puyallup (W. T.) reservation are about to organize a K. of L. Assembly. An Italian vegetable peddler at Jackson, Cal., fell from his wagon and was fatally injured. The output of coal from the various mines on the Sound for 1886 aggregated 328,159 tons. Leslie Payne was killed by a rock falling on him while digging a well near Goldendale, W. T. Tacoma Knights of Labor urge Dr. McGlynn to bid defiance to Rome and stand by Henry George. John L. Dalith committed suicide by cutting his throat at San Francisco. He was partially demented. Two schooners, the Irma and George R. Higgins, laden with lumber, were wrecked at Whitesboro, Cal. Wm. Hayes was fatally stabbed by his son Daniel during a quarrel at their home in San Francisco. An epidemic of diphtheria prevails in Salt Lake City, and there have been many deaths from the disease. The Northern Pacific recently advanced the wages of its employes on the western division ten per cent. Two new cases of diphtheria were reported at the health office in San Francisco, and two deaths from the same. P. McGinty, while cleaning the ashpan of a locomotive at Bagdad, A. T., was run over and both legs were crushed. The formation of a board of trade is one of the enterprises that engages the attention of Ellensburg's prominent citizens. The trustees of the new insane asylum at Agnews, Cal., estimate that it will cost \$534,000 to put the establishment in working order. The Canadian Pacific will likely be asked for \$250,000 forfeit for not completing the extension to Vancouver, B. C., according to contract. There are seven militia companies now in Washington east of the mountains and a regiment will probably be organized during the summer. James Hubbard, aged about 63 years, committed suicide at Calico, Cal., by hanging. The cause was despondency over gambling losses. The mangled remains of W. G. Lake, formerly steward of the county hospital, were found at Boulder, Cal. He was run over and killed by a train. A stage upset in San Luis Obispo, Cal., in coming down the Ceusta grade near Templeton, throwing out the passengers and injuring them severely. The dwelling house of James McConville, near Tacoma, was burned. Mr. McConville is of the opinion that the house was first robbed and then fired. Thos. H. Harvey, who mysteriously disappeared from San Francisco recently, has turned up at Honolulu, having been strangled on board of a whaler. The canal that is being cut between lakes Washington and Union at Seattle, it is expected will be ready to admit of the passage of steamers by next July. Col. Samuel Keefer, proprietor of the Grandview hotel at Monrovia, Los Angeles county, Cal., went into a private room of the hotel and shot himself through the head. Chas. Russell, a Scotch painter, was found dead in a room in a San Francisco hotel. He had been drinking heavily and it is supposed that alcoholism was the cause of his death. A petition is being circulated in Sacramento among the members of the legislature recommending W. W. Foote for commissioner under the inter-state commerce railroad act. The striking carmen of San Francisco have formed a corporation of their omnibus line under the title of the Co-operative Omnibus company. The capital stock is \$10,000, divided into 2000 shares. Joe Gooddan, aged 5 years, son of S. H. Gooddan, was drowned in the Deer Lodge river, at Deer Lodge, Montana. He was playing on the ice with other small children and fell off the edge of the ice into the open water. Capt. John H. Willey, well known in shipping circles, died in San Francisco after a few weeks' illness, on board of the American ship Occidental, of which he was master. Deceased had followed the sea for fifty-five years. A Colton (Cal.) housewife sent some of her husband's clothing to a Chinese laundry-man. Unknown to her, in a

secret pocket, was \$400 in greenbacks. This the Chinaman took and refused to give up. Four of them are now in the county jail. A young man named Alexander Peterson was drowned near Sacramento, Cal. He was assisting in ferrying cattle across the river when the railing of the boat gave way and he was thrown into the river and drowned. The Mexican gunboat Democrat arrived at Guaymas, Mex., Jan 27, with Cajeme, the Yaqui chief, a prisoner. This ends the war between the Yaquis and the Mexicans, which existed two years. It is believed Cajeme named his own terms. Willie and Charlie, aged 13 and 16, sons of Adjutant General Holmes, of Victoria, were returning from a hunting expedition, when a half-cooked gun carried by Willie was discharged, the contents blowing the back of Charlie's head off, killing him instantly. The bark Diana, Capt. J. Meyer, 740 tons, lumber laden from Port Gamble, W. T. to Sydney, was wrecked on Starbuck Island, in the South Pacific, August 11th. The captain and crew were saved. Eleven of them left in a boat and were picked up and carried to Australia. At Moab, U. T., William Gibson was shot and killed by Jo Young, an Indian boy, who had been brought up among whites. A short time ago Gibson won a horse from Jo by gambling. The two met at a corral and quarreled, it is supposed about the horse, and the shooting followed. A freshet in Smith river carried the schooner Stranger and the steam tug Pelican from their moorings in the stream. The schooner was thrown upon the bank and the tug was swept against a rock and afterwards sank. Both vessels belonged to the Del Norte Commercial company. The people of Lopez island, W. T., will build two new churches in the spring. The necessary funds have already been raised, and most excellent grounds have been donated by the residents. One church is to be built for the Methodist Episcopal denomination and the other for the Presbyterian. During 1886 the Idaho mine to Grass Valley, Cal., made a gross yield of \$9,000,000, of which about \$4,000,000 have been paid in profit in regular monthly dividends extending over a period of eighteen years. This is equivalent to \$1,300 a share on the 3,100 shares of capital stock of a par value of \$100. William Mathers fell off the ice-fume at Prosser Creek, Cal. He was pushing ice with his ice-hook when he slipped and was precipitated over the railing, striking first on the roof of the ice-house and rebounded into the river. Two ribs were broken and he received some other cuts and bruises which proved fatal. Suit has been commenced by R. C. Pearson, of the Cliff House, San Francisco, against S. B. Peterson for \$5,000. The complaint alleges that through carelessness and negligence of the defendant the schooner Parallel, owned by him, blew up near the Cliff House, and that the explosion damaged the property of the plaintiff in the sum prayed for. There was a very clever escape from the county jail in San Bernardino, Cal. Two prisoners, Carr and Walker, confined for burglary, managed to climb on one of the tanks and cut their way through the timber into the assessor's office above. No tools were found and it is a mystery how they found the opportunity to do the work without discovery. The San Francisco Chamber of Commerce has recommended to the Legislature now in session the passage of "such amendments to the penal code as will attach the penalty of death to every attempt to destroy life or property, whether life may be endangered by the use of dynamite or other explosive; thus making an attempt to destroy or endanger life whether successful or not, as grave an offense as murder." The will of Peter Sather was filed for probate in Alameda county, Cal. It bequeaths to Anthony J. Drexel, of Philadelphia, and Benjamin Haxton, of New York, 100 United States bonds of the value of \$1,000 each, in trust for the daughter of deceased, Mary Emma Sather, during her life. The remainder of the estate is bequeathed to Edwin B. Mastick, of Alameda, and Jas. S. Hutchinson, of San Francisco, as joint trustees. This property is to be divided as nearly as possible between the children, Josephine F. and Mary E., in equal portions. To his widow he bequeaths \$100,000, and also a family allowance of \$6,000 a year. The estate is valued at \$1,000,000. It is reported at San Francisco that the directors of the Southern Pacific and share holders of the Oregon and California have come to an understanding regarding the terms for the transfer of the latter road to the Southern Pacific system. Whether any papers had been signed making the sale absolute he was not certain of, but believed the transaction will be satisfactorily concluded within the next few days. The completion of the California and Oregon to Ashland depends entirely upon this successful termination, and should they fail, the complete construction gang at work on the California railway will immediately be taken off and the completion of the road delayed for an indefinite period. About fifty-one and one-half miles of road yet remain to be constructed before connection can be made with the Oregon and California, the present end of the track being about twenty-five miles from the boundary line.

OREGON NEWS.

Everything of General Interest in a Condensed Form. Another bank is to be started in Albany. The postoffice at Evergreen, Grant county, has been discontinued. The total sales of Albany merchants during 1886 amounted to \$750,000. McMinnville merchants are making an effort to organize a board of trade. The antlers of about 250 elk were shipped from this place to England last year. Jack Brown, one of the old pioneers of Marion county, has been sent to the insane asylum. A tray containing rings valued at \$300 was stolen from the window of a Portland jewelry store. James McDougall, while ground sluicing in Blackwell district, picked up a nugget of gold worth \$150. Harney Scott, the 9-year-old stepson of Dr. K. A. J. Mackenzie, was drowned in Tanner creek, Portland. The Western Union is stringing a wire from Pendleton to Walla Walla through Adams, Centerville and Weston. The residence of Mrs. Kate Schultz, in Jacksonville was totally destroyed by fire, together with most of its contents. The names of Charles M. Dority, of Creswell, and John Patrick, of Day's creek, have been restored to the pension rolls. An increase of mail service to six times a week has been ordered from East Portland to Sandy, beginning February 1. The jack-rabbits which are over-running Baker county, are being killed and shipped by the car-loads to eastern markets. The voters of the Wallowa have petitioned the Legislature to cut them off from Union county and make them a separate county. Ellis Eastwood was arrested at Eugene City, for abducting a minor, Miss May Knight, upon a warrant sworn out by the girl's mother. The railroad bridge at Weston is 550 feet long, the one over Dry creek 500 feet, and the one over the Weston road, near Blue Mountain, 965 feet long. The Coos bay stage fell over the grade into the river at a point known as Cape Horn. The horses were killed and the wagon smashed to pieces. Orders have been received from Northern Pacific headquarters to commence the work of bridging the Columbia at a point between Pasco and Kennewick. At Summerville a boy named Williams, while riding a horse to water, was thrown, and his foot caught in the stirrup. In this position he was dragged three blocks. He survived the accident only a short time. Morrow county sued Umattilla for the sum of \$6,323.01. The trial came off in the circuit court at Pendleton and was decided in favor of Morrow. Umattilla appealed the case, and the supreme court a few days ago, reversed the decision of the circuit court. Walter A. Parker, a telegraph operator, has been sent to the asylum from Portland. Parker recently became a member of the Salvation Army, and the excitement of hymn singing and the continual effort at conversion was too much for him, and unseated his reason. While at a dance at Kennedy's place near Pocolontas, two men named Miller and Landreth became involved in a quarrel, both of course being drunk, which resulted in Miller being cut across the abdomen with a dirk-knife in such a manner it is thought he cannot possibly recover. Recently two hoodlums were arrested at Weston for vandalism in a school house. The school directors were in Weston a few days later, and when about to leave were followed by the boys who threatened them. After some trouble they fired at the boys, striking both of them. One named Sheppard was shot in the back, and will die. County Clerk Chapman (Marion) was engaged in looking over the papers which had been filed in the office during the past several years, and in the course of his search the following certificate was found: "February 12 1879 this is to certify that I Mary English is willen for Nancy English to get married I being hir mother. Mary English." Charles K. Ross, and one other of the four prisoners who escaped from jail in Portland, broke into the house of John Irvine, near The Dalles, while the family were absent, and while they were appropriating the clothes, money, etc., Mr. Irvine returned, seized a shotgun, and ordered Ross to halt, which he did, while the other fellow made good his escape. Mr. Irvine then kept his prisoner at bay in a fence corner while he sent a man to The Dalles for Marshal Schultz, who came and took him into custody and brought him to The Dalles, where he is now lodged in jail with Sheriff Herbert. The name of the man who with Ross was not learned, Ross refusing to give it, but virtually admitting that he was one of the escaped prisoners. A tramp app. to breakfast at a house on Michigan avenue. "Why don't you ask for work?" asked the householder roughly. "I never get time," said the tramp. "Why, what are you doing all day?" "Looking for breakfast," replied the tramp. -Detroit Free Press.

CONGRESSIONAL.

LATEST TELEGRAPHIC REPORT. A Synopsis of Measures introduced in the National Legislature. Senate. Hawley, from the select committee on the Centennial celebration of the adoption of the constitution, reported a joint resolution providing for the appointing of a joint committee of five Senators and eight Representatives to consider the expediency of holding, in 1892, an international exhibition of industries and productions of all countries. Passed. Gorman offered a preamble and resolution whose tones are very similar to those of the bill offered in the House by Belmont of New York. It authorizes the president to prohibit transit through the United States or Territorial waters of any engines, cars, vessels or goods proceeding from Canada. Dawes remarked that every day the grievance was more glaring and more inexcusable. Jones, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, reported two Senate bills granting right of way to the Spokane and Palouse and the Washington and Idaho Railroad companies through the Ceur d'Alene Indian reservation. Mitchell introduced a bill to place the name of Wm. Weist of Hood river, on the pensions roll; also to pay Herman Smith, of Harrisburg, \$3,678 for depredations by the Indians. The credentials of Charles B. Farwell, elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Gen. John A. Logan, and of Cushman H. Davis, of Minnesota, were presented and placed on file. On motion of Dolph, the Senate passed a resolution submitted by Mitchell early in the session, directing the Secretary of War, through the engineer bureau, to investigate salmon fisheries on the Columbia river, the manner in which they are carried on, and to report to the Senate to what extent traps, wheels or nets interfere with or obstruct navigation. House. In the bill favorably reported to the House from the Committee on Commerce, providing for the establishment of certain lighthouses there, is a provision for the establishment of post lights on Puget sound at such points as the lighthouse board may deem necessary. Hermann presented a memorial of the Oregon City board of trade praying for the appropriation of \$15,000 for the improvement of the Willamette between Portland and Oregon City. The House passed a bill giving a pension of \$12 a month to all indigent soldiers of any war the United States has ever engaged in. It also concurred in the Senate amendment to the Mexican pension bill, which now goes to the President for his approval. The bill grants a pension of \$8 per month to all surviving officers and enlisted men who served sixty days in the Mexican war, and also to the widows and orphans of officers and men. Hill, from the Committee on Territories, reported the Senate bill for the admission of the State of Washington. Hermann introduced the following bills to pay for depredations by Indians: Robert Smith, Douglas county, \$515; Jno. P. Walker, Jackson county, \$500; Dick J. Smith, Curry county, \$1,370; F. M. Vanderpool, Coos county, \$515. By Morrow—a resolution of the California legislature asking for the restoration of ex-Gov. Stoneman to the retired list of the army, with the rank of colonel. By Springer—Proposing a constitutional amendment changing the time for the assembling of Congress to the first Wednesday of January of each year. By Lawler—a resolution directing the Committee of Naval Affairs to inquire into the expediency of immediately appropriating \$50,000,000 to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Navy for the construction, equipment and armament of such few vessels of war as may be deemed necessary. Congressional Notes. The National Woman Suffrage Association has requested President Cleveland to veto the Edmunds polygamy bill. The Committee on Commerce has authorized Dolph to favorably report his bill to establish a sub-port of entry and port of call at Port Angeles, W. T. The electoral count bill, which was referred to the attorney-general for examination and report at Washington, has been returned to the President for his action. Senator Dolph has appeared before the attorney general to urge compliance with Marshal Kelly's requisition for money to carry on the United States courts in Oregon. The amount asked for was \$17,000. The Secretary of the Treasury has transmitted to Congress estimates of appropriations for defraying the expenses of collecting the revenue from customs for the next fiscal year. The estimates show in detail the number of employes in every district and their salaries, and makes the estimated total cost of collecting customs revenues \$9,540,873. With reference to the establishment of a free delivery system at Seattle, as provided in the new law, the first assistant postmaster-general says it is possible that the service cannot be extended to this and other cities until the first of next July, as there is now no appropriation for the extension. He transmitted estimates to Congress for the new service asking for an appropriation to carry the law into immediate effect.

MISCELLANEOUS.

At the annual sheep-shearing in Vermont the heaviest ram's fleece weighed twenty-eight pounds thirteen ounces, and the heaviest ewe's fleece twenty-nine pounds nine ounces. This, it is claimed, exceeds the record at any public shearing. -Boston Journal. A was-begone looking specimen of humanity, telling wonderful stories about being captured in the mountains of Syria 250 years ago, shedding six sets of teeth, etc., and claiming to be the veritable Wandering Jew, has been doing up Winston, N. C. -Charleston (S. C.) News. A man named Selig Voitejtnovetzky applied to a New York court the other day for the privilege of dropping the last twelve letters out of his name. He based his plea upon sanitary and economical reasons, and the court granted his prayer. His name is now Mr. Selig Voit, and he has our congratulations. -N. Y. Sun. A Providence Journal correspondent recalls that Nathaniel Hawthorne once attended a Bowdoin alumni banquet at which he was expected to speak. The presiding officer at the proper time arose and introduced him with some highly laudatory remarks, and then, turning around, found Hawthorne's chair vacant. That shy genius had slipped out of the room unobserved and was not seen again that evening. Toward the close of the reign of Queen Elizabeth, a blacksmith manufactured a padlock of iron, steel and brass, of eleven pieces and a pipe key, all of which only weighed one grain. He also made a chain of gold of forty-five links which he fastened to the lock and key and put around the neck of a flea, which drew the whole with perfect ease. The chain, key, lock and flea altogether weighed one grain and a half. -B. F. Eastman writes to the Portland (Me.) Advertiser that, on the 9th of June, 1816, as he remembers, the ground froze in the region of Portland to the depth of two inches, and summer birds died with the cold. There were frosts in every month of the year except August, and not one bushel of corn ripened. People with money went on horseback to Hallowell to buy the Virginia (or horsetooth) corn at two dollars a bushel. People without money went hungry all the next winter. The myth that a large sum of money had been offered by the English Government for 1,000,000 postage stamps is said to have arisen in the following way: An advertisement appeared in London, England, asking charitable people to send their stamps to a poor boy in Brighton, who wished to cover his walls with the portraits of her Majesty. When they should be paid for the lad's education was to be paid for by a wealthy lunatic. Thousands of stamps were sent, and then cleaned and sold. The police broke it up. -N. Y. Mail. A congress of philologists will assemble in Vienna to persuade the world to adopt a universal language. The scheme is by no means novel. 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