

EUGENE CITY GUARD. L. L. CAMPBELL - Proprietor. EUGENE CITY, OREGON. THE PACIFIC COAST. Great Anxiety Felt in San Francisco Over Overdue Ships.

A Report Current That Japanese Are on the Way From Yokohama to Take Striking Miners' Places.

George Francis Train is to start a newspaper at Tacoma. San Jose says the census-taking in that town has been a farce.

Portland lines will soon have a single depot, work having already begun on the structure. W. R. Bibby, ex-Deputy Superintendent of Public Schools at Fresno, convicted of forgery, has been sentenced to three years in San Quentin.

Alexander Baillan's book, "The Wonders of Alaska," has met with an unprecedented success in Portland, Port Townsend, Victoria, Seattle and Tacoma.

A report is now current in local circles that Densmore has engaged a number of Japanese to take the place of the striking colliers, and that they are now on their way to Vancouver from Yokohama.

News from Juneau, Alaska, says: Capital seems shy of our low-grade ore, as well as the richer rock. No one is making inquiry since the English and German syndicates have been bunched into investing in the Bear's Nest.

Joe Acton of the California Club says he is willing to meet any man that Parsons Davies may bring out, providing he will back his man with at least \$1,000. It is very probable that the California Club will match Acton and "The Stranger."

State Superintendent of Schools Ira G. Hoitt is authorized by the National Board of D. O. Mills & Co. of Sacramento to offer \$100 as a premium to be awarded to the party or parties submitting the best plan for a California educational exhibit at the great exposition of 1893 in Chicago.

The Board of Directors of the Modesto Irrigation district has purchased the Wheatland dam and all the water rights and claims of M. A. Wheaton upon the Tuolumne river for \$21,000. The payment is to be \$10,000 cash and \$11,000 in bonds of the district at 90 cents on the dollar.

The San Francisco Chronicle moved into its new building at the corner of Market, Kearny and Geary streets last week, and issued an edition of sixty pages, devoted largely to historical and biographical sketches connected with the progress of the city and State during the past quarter of a century.

Following snake story comes from Santa Rosa: A peculiar snake has been killed in Bennett valley near this city, weighing twenty pounds. This serpent attacked two children while picking berries, when a man named Morse came to the rescue and shot it. The snake measured 8 feet 4 inches, and was four inches through the body.

A monument is to be erected over the grave of Chief Seattle, after whom that city was named. The old Indian was buried at Port Madison, and a few days ago a delegation from the monument of once-powerful tribe called on A. A. Denny and Hillary Butler, pioneers, and asked them to buy a stone to mark his grave. Messrs. Denny and Butler at once ordered a marble shaft cost \$300, and it will be erected over the grave of the chief.

A report from Mariposa, Cal., says the Indians Wilson and Charlie, the supposed murderers of the Indian Bullock, were arrested the other morning near there by Sheriff Turner and about the killing. Bullock was a medicine man, and had been doctoring one of the chiefs, who had the grip. The chief died, and as it is the custom when the medicine men let the patients die to kill them, Charlie and Wilson took it upon themselves to kill Bullock.

The letter addressed to the Attorney-General by the Board of Directors of the California Club at San Francisco, in which the Directors endeavor to show that the question of the locality of the club's monthly boxing exhibitions can be better and more quickly settled by a civil suit for forfeiture of the club's charter brought on the part of the State, has not in the least influenced the Chief of Police. He stated the other day that he will surely arrest the participants in the Lalanche-Mitchell fight if they attempt to carry it out.

Assistant General Superintendent Pratt and J. H. Wallace, assistant superintendent of the track, have returned to San Francisco from an inspection of the Oregon line as far north as Ashland. All changes at present contemplated on this line have been completed, and the road is reported in better condition than ever. While the east and west-bound travel is light and the local agents of Eastern lines are doing but little business, the passenger travel on the Oregon line continues to be exceptionally heavy, and long and crowded trains are run.

EASTERN ITEMS. The People of Maine Becoming Tired of Prohibition. The Champlin Bridge Leaper Dives With Safety From the Suspension Bridge at Cincinnati.

Tobacco-raising has been tried in Georgia with great success. Georgia is said to have a crop of 30,000,000 of watermelons this year.

There is a shortage of \$17,000 in the funds of the Michigan State Soldiers' Home. The Congressional Record for the present session of Congress has reached 6,314 pages up to date.

A Louisiana grand jury has entered upon an investigation of lottery bribery in the Legislature. The Pennsylvania railroad will soon equip all of its 1,900 passenger cars with steam-heating fixtures.

Senator Everts has introduced a bill to appropriate \$20,000 with which to buy manuscripts of Jefferson. Numbers of Dakota settlers are crossing over into Manitoba, according to the reports of Canadian papers.

The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company will spend about \$400,000 in improving its Pittsburg facilities. A decision has been rendered by the Illinois Supreme Court affirming the constitutionality of the drainage law.

Sixteen sophomores at Bates College have been suspended for painting the steps of the residences of the faculty. In Cincinnati the price of coal is higher because the men who shove it and deliver it demand that ice water be furnished them.

The International Typographical Convention has passed a law prohibiting regular compositors from working more than six days in any one week. It is charged that the entire Bohemian colony, numbering about 8,000, in the Eleventh ward, New York City, has been overlooked by the census enumerators.

Postmaster-General Wanamaker has appointed a committee composed of the postmasters of various cities to receive designs of a letter box for private houses. Judge Sherwin of Iowa has decided that liquor sold in bottles may be drunk on the premises of agents for outside houses, being considered in "original packages."

The Michigan mine at Marquette, Mich., has been robbed of \$80,000 worth of ore by the employes. The miners are now required to change their clothing on the premises. New York fishermen argue from the Southern fish found in New York bay that a warm summer is impending. These fish rarely are found so far north as New York.

John H. Inman of steamship celebrity and a hundred other prominent citizens of New York publicly announce that enumerators did not take the census of their families.

Three leading lines of surface railroads in Brooklyn have petitioned for the right to substitute electric for horse power. Brooklyn is rapidly developing her rapid-transit facilities.

A rich deposit of copper ore, mixed with silver in paying quantities, has been found west of Drummond, Wis., near Eau Claire lake, one vein being traced a distance of three miles. The Greenbackers of Iowa, or what there is left of them, are going to hold a State convention and nominate a full State ticket. The convention is called for August 14 at Des Moines.

Meredith Stanley, the young champion bride-leaper, dived safely from the suspension bridge at Cincinnati, a distance of eighty-seven feet. He struck upon his head and shot far beneath the surface. The Pennsylvania Grand Lodge has issued an edict requiring all Masons who are members of the Egyptian Masonic Rite of Memphis to renounce their allegiance to the body within ninety days.

The Cherokee Commission has arrived at an agreement with the Potawatomi Indians, and the cost of the reservation will be 60 acres of land in the reservation after the several allotments. A party of glass-blowers, who were not allowed to land in New York, as they were found to be contract laborers, were returned to Liverpool at the expense of the Cunard line, which brought them over.

The majority of the people in Maine appear to have had enough of prohibition. A call for an independent prohibition convention has been issued, which will nominate a candidate for Governor. The site for the city postoffice of Washington selected by the Senate is the square on the south side of Pennsylvania avenue between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. The cost of the site is not to exceed \$800,000.

FOREIGN NEWS. St. Petersburg Forms Its Initial Temperance Society. M. Peschkoff Finishes His Long Ride on Horseback From Vladivostok to St. Petersburg.

Yellow fever is reported at Malaga, Spain. Electric cars are run successfully with storage batteries in Buda-Pesth.

The French Chamber of Deputies has placed a duty on foreign no. 45. It is denied that Portugal intends to cede to Germany any of her East African possessions.

Clerks in London have formed a union, and intend agitating for better pay and shorter hours. The national library in Paris is to be greatly enlarged. It now contains nearly 1,000,000 volumes.

It is now announced that Prince Murat is engaged to a middle-aged lady with a fortune of \$5,000,000. A club in Guatemala offers a premium of \$1,000 for the best hymn for the Central American nation.

England has agreed to surrender Heligoland to Germany in return for the German concessions in Africa. The French Chamber of Deputies has decided to preserve the exhibition building known as Machinery hall.

The Bishop of London is threatened with almost total blindness, and has gone to Wiesbaden to consult a specialist. Carrier pigeons have returned to Havana from the vessel carrying Eyraud to France. They report that he is well.

The prison population of England has fallen off so much of late years that out of 110 prisons fifty-seven have been closed. The first temperance society was established in St. Petersburg on May 1 at the instance and by the efforts of Madame Balzalkava.

One hundred and fifty immigrants from Newfoundland have reached Montreal on their way to the Canadian Northwest. A bill before the French Chamber proposes to inflict three months' imprisonment on masters who dismiss men because they belong to trade unions.

Senor Garcia, the new Brazilian Minister of Finance, has announced his intention to burn publicly one-half the 30,000,000 one-dollar notes illegally circulated. The English Government made \$801,564 last year by coining silver, and Mr. Goschen has created a special fund, to which this sum and further profits will be credited.

The French Government has finally granted Dr. F. Stevens of London permission to photograph documents in the national archives relating to American colonial history. The Empress Frederick's visit to Greece is being looked forward to with much interest by the population, as she has signified her intention of traveling all through Hellas.

At a recent meeting of a committee of the Royal Agricultural Society a plan was exhibited proving that a distinct step has been made in the cultivation of the deep blue primrose. The London Standard's Berlin correspondent is enabled to state that Germany has made no demand as yet in respect to Uganda, but awaits the return of Dr. Peters with his treaties.

All of the persons who were acquitted of complicity in the recent Panitzka trial at Sofia, Bulgaria, with the exception of Matheff, have been expelled from Bulgaria. The marriage of Mr. Stanley and Miss Dorothy Tennant is fixed definitely for July 12. Wedding presents flow in from all parts of England, often from people of whom neither Miss Tennant nor Mr. Stanley has ever heard.

The French Chamber does not seem inclined to vote money for the purchase of the works of living French painters, although M. Pronot notified the Deputies the other day that foreigners were carrying off most of the country's good pictures. The King of Sweden recently received a letter from a young farmer, who had been drafted for military service, begging his Majesty to release him and let him join his relatives in America, who had just sent him a passage ticket. The King did so.

The memoirs of the ex-Empress Eugenie will be first published after her death, and not in the immediate future, as has been stated recently by several Paris dailies. They will reach back to 1826. The ex-Empress works at the moment industriously daily whenever her health allows her to endure the exertion of writing.

The British census will be taken in 1891. The cost of the census in Great Britain in 1881 was \$12,000 for a population of 26,000,000. For England and Wales the cost per 1,000 of the population was \$4 18s 6d in 1861, rising to \$5 7s 7d in 1871 and to \$6 12s 6d in 1881. The number of enumerators was nearly 33,000, and in 1891 the number will not be far short of 40,000.

PORTLAND MARKET. AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Breaking Plow, Broadcast Seeders, Blading Twine, etc.

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Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Butter, Oregon fancy creamery, Choice dairy, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Bran, Hay, Ton, Baled, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Flour, Portland patent roller, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Lumber-Rough and Dressed, Board, Edged, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Grass Seeds, Timothy, Orchard Grass, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Veggies (Fresh), Asparagus, Beans, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Wool, Eastern Oregon, etc.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Apples, Bananas, Cherries, etc.

Fell Into a Den of Snakes. Prospectors in Winston county had a most exciting encounter with reptiles, the particulars of which have just become known.

South America's Early Progress. The civilization of Peru began about the same time as that of Mexico, about 500 years prior to the landing of Columbus.

Danger in Glasses. By wearing too strong near sighted glasses continuously the nearsightedness may be greatly increased and a diseased condition of the interior of the eye caused.

"Ephrum's" Incredible Meanness. Down in Washington county I heard of an old fellow, a venerable octogenarian, who had seen his molars depart one by one.

A Boy Will Show His Best. Schoolmasters of experience could, no doubt, tell of numerous cases of boys who have been distinguished at school for nothing at all.

Characteristics of the Profession. Actors are always on good terms with themselves professionally. They may be miserable performers, not only beneath criticism, but beneath censure.

Cincinnati Building Associations. The building association interest in this vicinity is at this time more than ever before in need of a central exchange.

How Stanley Punished a Traitor. One anecdote told by Mr. Stevens of the Egyptian officer who was convicted of having plotted to hand the expedition over to the Mahdi, is worth repeating.

Victor Hugo's Grandchildren. George Hugo, who was pointed out to me, is a fat little "dude" with an eagle glass, pale and dissipated looking.

A Dove Luncheon. A well known society woman has developed a really new idea in the way of a "dove luncheon."

The Good Enough Way. There are no less than 130 patent washing machines in the market, and yet not one of them has succeeded in holding its own against the old fashioned and good enough way invented by Eve in the garden of Eden.

He Lost His Leg, but Mary Couldn't Find Fault. I had had a big chunk of lead from a Confederate cavalry charge driven into my shoulder at Brandy Station and was hospitalized at Washington for treatment.

Mr. Greeley's Poem. Horace Greeley wrote a few lines of verse weeks ago. He left the Green Mountains State he sent back to the newspaper of his native village of Putney.

Van Skippy's Sudden Rise in Society. The sofa is a springy one, and Van Skippy gives up his seat more suddenly than is expected.

The Lava Flow. It found a valley young and fair And virgin of regret; That laughed away the anxious silt Nor dreamed of love as yet.

A Startling Prophecy. Nothing in the future appears more probable than that within the lifetime of persons now living the industrial supremacy of Great Britain will pass away with the exhaustion of her coal fields.

What Fogs Signify. Night or morning fogs, or in winter, persistent fogs, often signify a calm and settled condition of the air and the prevalence of fair weather.

Adulteration of Food. The total food consumption per year in the United States amounts to \$4,000,000,000. It is estimated that 2 per cent of this is adulterated.

Had Fun with a Fool. A Providence policeman met a fool wandering around at night, and to have some fun with him he took out his handcuffs and threatened an arrest.

Smoking Out an Army. An ingenious American officer proposes to settle the business of smokeless powder by immediately, on the commencement of operations, firing bombs into or near the ranks of the opponent.

Northern Man (down in Florida). "What's the price of that orange grove?" "Native—Ten thousand dollars, mister. Had the consumption long?"

Ab. Yes. "I see no good in his books." "I read them with considerable profit to myself." "You did?" "Yes. I was paid \$25 for correcting the proof sheets."—Harper's.

