

TAXING EDUCATION.

The newspapers and cheap books of the country +re printed on pa- resided at Susanville, Grant county per made from wood pulp. That Oregon, but now in Mexico, in a article also enters largely into the recent letter to the Long Creek manufacture of the better class of Eagle says: books and paper being mixed with rags and other fibers to a very of this continent; it has all that the great extent.

wood pulp under the guise of pro. prosperity. Nobody is pulling a tection to American labor. The tax on education, are many. It is a trust proposition.

An increase of duty on pulp will facilitate the efforts of those mill owners who have been trying for two years to bring all of the large newspaper mills in New York and New England into one gigantic combination or paper trust.

It is detrimental to popular education and is an oppressive obstacle in the way of a spread of knowl edge. Newspapers are the people's school and the people's library Through them people are brought into touch with the best thought of the foremost leaders in science, philosophy, politics and religion. Congress should not levy an unjust or extortionate tribete on such educational work. To make newspapers and books artificiallo dear is wantonly to restrict the number of readers and so increase the sum of ignorance.

A PARTY WRECKES.

T Elliott Smith, who formerly

MEXICO IS ALL RIGHT.

"Mexico is the new southwest heart of man can desire; it has now A few manufacturers are seeking a strong government, and security to secure an increased tariff on for life and property, and it has long face down here. It is rank argument against this proposed heresy to say so right in Boston, but we ascribe our happy position to the 1 othersome currency question. M-xico made a plunge, adopted silver, let gold go, and is standing firmly based on her two feet and paying every dollar she owes. Experience is worth all the

theory in the world. Here stands old Mexico, old in years, fresh and young in heart, all alive with the -pirit of enterprise. Come and see her, throw your prejudices to the wind. Mexico will not be fooling around bond syndicates nor try ing to get a gold basis when a silver one answers every purpose. If you some here you will be a silver man ust as Jay Gould was a democrain democrat counties, and a republican in republican counties, and you can put on your sound money

opinions when you cross the border to go home. But sound money, I take it, is a sort of money that pays your bills, and is good where you tender it.

"If you want to get clear ideas on sound money, drop in and talk with President Robinson of the Mexican

Happily the democratic party is Central Railway, a man who is a rid of Cleveland and Clevelandism. Mexican in Mexico, and is building

COUNTY COURT.

F Thompson, justice of the peace

T C Thompson, constable state

F A Pepiot, witness state vs.

W A Hickson witness state vs

state vs A MeCubin.

vs A McCubin ...

\$1.50, not allowed

vs Carlyle ...

not allowed.

allowed ...

vs Yale, claimed \$23.85, al-

state vs Yale, claimed \$5.30

April.

Business transacted for the Month of Republicanism Discussed.

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Yale.

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Yale.

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The WRP L, met with Mrs Geo. Millican at her rooms on Ninth and Oak streets Saturday afternoon April C H Decker, ferry boat speel . .

WOMAN'S PATRIOTIC LEAGUE.

24th, where a very pleasant meeting Marion Withrow, ferry boat was had. Mrs W K Scatborough read an inter- Marlon Withrow ferry boat work 13 00

esting article on the flax question by Eugene Register, printing 21 50 Mrs W P Lord, of Salem, Mrs T W Harris read a part of the President's Inaugural address; the questions were then discussed.

Mrs Straight, the president of the League, at the request of the members, promised to present at the next meet ing a few personal memories of her adopted mother, Mrs Bloomer, (the woman who first wore what is known as the bloomer costume.)

The meeting was then turned over to Mrs Millican, who presented each with a slip of paper on which was a written number, a pencil and sheet of paper with a request that each write on the subject "Why am I a G S Miller, justice of the peace Republican." Fifteen minutes were allowed. Time was called-the paper (signed with the number given,) tak- n up and Tead.

This was rather a novel feature The ladies were totally unprepared for such a call, but the reasons given were good and abounded in excellent thought. Mrs J J Walton being the only guest G H Hale, meals for pacpers....

present outside the members was prevalled upon to net as judge. Mrs T W Harris won the prize for

the best reasons given and was presented with a book "Tartarin on the Alps," by Alphenso Daudet. The following is the reasons given by Mrs T W Harris, (and yet she isn't allowed to vote:) "I am a Republican because the principles of Republican ism involve all there is of freedom of

speech, free press, and free country, and because Republicanism gives us the most glorious and prosperous nation on the face of the earth, and makes us the happy and contented peop e we are today-and because Republicanism is the rock upon which this free government rests."

Mrs-(we promised we wouldn't divulge the name) recieved the booby prize-a sour orange. Her sole reason was, "Because I was born a Republi ciati.

Mrs Millican then read a tribute to he ' Pioneers of this coast," paid by longuin Miller in his celebrated poem, 'The Ship in the Desert' and proposed that the guests, each, in a glass of iced temonade drink a toast to the honored oloneers.

The League then adjourned to meet in two weeks with Mrs A K Patterson Cor.

A FATAL ACCIDENT.

Dr. Martin of Mapleton Crushed by a

Log.-A Horrible Death. The Florence West gives the following account of the tragic death of Dr. Mar in, on the Siuslaw, a few days

Junction City : Milling Company THE WISHING HAT. There was once a young court where great-great-grandlather had been a very grand person indeed, with a string of titles to his name of Bufus as long as your arm. But this great-great-grandfather and the great-grandfather and the grandfather of our young count, whose name was Rufos also, had all been such very great men that they never through of fooking ofter the lit-the hidroge, and so, by little and little, all their money had slipped away from al these great people, and though our young count had all the line left safe though, Le was units it to go out into the world to seek the fortune as if he had been the son of the to beer, the inher or the candiestick 5:70

INKOF. When he was going, his old nurse said

"Count Hufus, if you would find your Yale, claimed \$4.75 allowed 4.70 fortune, see that you despise nothing, however smaller worthless it may some Great walls are much of light bricks "

And the sound remembered the saying, because Nutse Default was a wise woman Eliza Hickson, witness state vs. 0.10 and never sold unputting for naught. Count Rufus lived in a desclate old case William White, witness state vs the on the apport a mountain. All the S M Yoran, witness state vs duntally was inversel with ice and show,

to that he had hard work in going down to avoid a touride into the black, deep ravites a the estimate to be we and the base of the maintain ens a thick forest. through which he must pass before be 1.80 W M Robinett, constable state could reach the read that led to court. .. \$1 50

"What can't be enred must be endured, however, such the count to himself as he Jas H Wray, deputy constable state vs A McCubin, claimed walled dowly down the mountain. On the way down he saw hauging on a bush an old but that looked as if it had Raymond Millier, witness state been dropped times by some poor person passing that way-a scrubby old hat enough it looked. But the count remem bered his minute snying, and picking it George Barber, witness state vs. up put it in his pocket. Hardly had he

S Harkelroad, claimed \$210 done so when an ugly hirds old man start ed out from ischind a tree. "Bring boos that but," s-reamed the Geo Bradley, witness state vs S

little man. "Wint are you robbing honest Harvelroad, claimed \$2.00 not fulks for "Henest man," answered the count, Interest inter, interpreter in the points, how hap particle that is was hanging on a tree in-stead of your lead?" And in a spirit of mischlef he part the hat on his own head.

Frank Hartley, witness state vs S Harkelroad, claimed \$1.60 not allowed Geo B Comp, witness state vs S

Harkelroad, claimed \$1.00, not allowed. ... P J Jackson, witness state vs S

Harkelroad, claimed \$1.80 not. allowed H B Gray, witne-s state vs S Harkelroad, claimed \$1.60 not

allowed. S J Hubbard, witness state vs S Harkelroad, claimed \$3.00, not allowed.

W J Bomp, witness state vs S Harkelroad, claimed \$ 2.00 not allowed.

B E Cobb, witness state vs S Harkelroad, claimed \$11.00 not allowed. A R Buttolph, witness state vs.

S Harkelroad, claimed \$1.70 not allowed ... S J Hubbard, special constable state vs S Harkelroad, claimed

\$23.25, not allowed ... A E Hadsall, special constable state vs S Harkelroad, claimed \$10.75, not allowed.

Ed A Evans, special constable state vs S Harkelroad, claimed .93. not allowed. George Hausell, special constable state vs S Harkelroad, claimed

\$2 66, not allowed.

April 15.

Ordered by the clerk that the des-"On the afternoon of Wednesday cription of beginning point of road the 14th inst., Dr J Martin was in- district No 71, be chang d to conform-



came presently to the forest, and there it was nearly as dark as midnight. He stum-bled about, and as he did so heard the James and Andrew Jackson killed a on a judgment rend-red to asid large cougar on Knowles creek a few the Sib day of March, 1897, for the James and Andrew Jackson killed a wood elves laughing at him. "A fig for nurse and her advice?" he days ago. M Jackson caught the animal in a trap but it broke the c .ain interest thereon "What did I want with and carried off the trap. The boys March, 1897, at the rate of ten per this old hat? I only wish I was out of the went after the cougar with the dog and soon put it up a tree where a bullet ended its career.

> Chester Beau, who has been in Portland for some time intends to start the and Charles Walker Il gait, 24th inst., for a trip to the Colville and Edna Bogart were detail mining district.

We learn that Miss Sophia Nichols, who went to Iowa last fall for a visit with her parents, intends to return to the Siuslaw soon.

Zack Fisk and A J Freeze have been gath ring up cattle they bought some time ago on Deadwood and up Lake

Darly Guaro, April 26.

DIED .- At Junction thi morndish at partitides and a basket of fruit." Instantly the boughs of the tree under which he was standing bent down toward of FWA Cain and H N Carls, and County, Oregon, on Monday of May, 1897, between the o'clock A, M, and 4 o'clock

Fifty Years Ago.

The place where, in eighteen ninety-three

That white world-wonder of arch and

Ayer's Cathartic Pills

have, from the time of their

preparation, been a continuous

success with the public. And

that means that Ayer's Pills

accomplish what is promised

for them; they cure where

others fail. It was fitting,

therefore, that the world-wide

popularity of these pills should

be recognized by the World's

Fair medal of 1898-a faor

which emphasizes the record :

50 Years of Cures.

Who could imagine that this should be

Chicago like, they a record show,

dome

costs, also accrning costs in a set Court wherein W E Brown wa and Volney Hemmenway as admine the estate of Martha J Began, against the above named does ney Hemmonway as administration tate of Martha J Bogari, deceas decree of foreclosure and only dered in said Court, communiorder to satisfy said judgment and accruing costs to sell the described real property to with described real property to wit: half of the northeast quarter (), north half of the northwest quart Section 24, in Township 19, Sec i West W. M., containing 10 Lane County, Oregon, Now the will offer for sale the above dom property, at public anction, fi the Court House door in Ea

One Hundred, twenty-two and no h

lars in gold coin of the United St

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forest. He had not time to finish the sentence. for the moment he sold it he felt himself lifted up in the sir, and, clearing the entire forest at one jump, there he was on the other side, walking along the road that led to the city. "That is very odd," he said to himself and rubbed his eyes and nese to see if he were dreaming. "It would be very comfortable," he said to himself, "to get one's where an early as that. If I could say now, 'I wish my apper would come walking out of the

"It fits me very well," said he. "I have taken a fancy to the hat, my friend,"

cried the little man in a regeard began to

was an excellent runner, but presently be

found that the little man, instead of run-ning on two legs, like himself, turned

round and round on one log, and that he

could go in that way two miles to the count's one. More than that, the count

run after the count.

said in a tage.

"Oh, you make gring of me, do you?"

h.' and theteon a fine sirloin, with a bottle of wine, should prance out"-But, before he could get any further, out amo a noble shridh of steak, with knife and fork, on a silver dish, and a bottle of red which marching along sedately, and planted themselves before him.

"This is wonderful," cried the count, "but since it costs so little 1 wish also for some salmon, of which I am very fond, a ; dish of portridge and a basket of fruit.

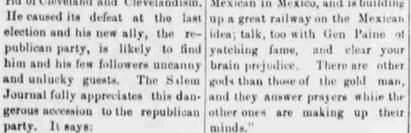
party. It says:

"Predictions are cheaply and easily made, but we venture the prediction that the republican party will find Mr Cleveland and and foot, no intelligent person can tability. deny. That a million gold demos- Those "gold democrats" voted

it will serve McKinley right."

passed the senate. It should never but themselves, become a law. Bankruptcy proceedings should be kept where they public opinion, which, as a rule, Portland street railways. can be depended upon for a safe guide. It may be wrong some times, but will always correct itself. A life tenure judiciary seldom does.

Latest European dispatches indicate that Russia will govern Turkey under the guise of a protectorate. The mouse is not safer with the cat than Turkey with Russia. Commercial pursuits have sapped question.



"GOLD DEMOCRACY."

The "Gold Democracy" whatever his followers the worm that will that may mean, held a mutual gnaw at their vitals and help bring | idmiration meeting in New York about their ultimate extinction. City the other evening. The few That the republican organization malcontents, headed by ex-Presiwas sold out to the gold syndicate dent Cleveland, should cease to use into whose, hands. Cleveland had an honored name in a vain effordelivered the country bound hand to maintain a semblance of respec-

crats voted for McKinley no one the republican ticket at the last disputes. We predict that Cleve- election, are not in touch or sym land's new party will take back two pathy with the true democracy, republican votes for Cleveland in and do not in the least deceive 1900 for each gold democrat who anyone of ordinary inteligence as voted for McKinley in 1896. And to their true interests and purposes. They masqurade in the name de de mocracy, yet vote the opposition Another bankruptey bill has ticket. They are deceiving none

A terrible catastrophe that at properly belong, under supervision Portland this morning. Probably of local courts. United States it was needless and caused by a courts are the greatest menace to rotten trestle. The street and subthe liberties and rights of the peo- urban railway systems of Portland ple. These judges have life terms are bankrupt, almost without exof office, have extraordinary author. c ption, and proper repairs have ity in their jurisdictions, and have not been made. This accident will proven themselves independent of compel a general overhauling of

> A drove of 100 horses in Gil liam county will be killed to prevent the mange, with which they are sillicted, from spreading. This band of neglected brutes, says the More Observer, belong- to a "humanitarian" in Portland who don's believe a sheep owner should be allowed to graze his flocks on the public domain.

Editors throughout the country the virility of other European are polishing up their Greek histor nations, and Russia now has her jeal geographical knowledge in an opportunity. It is the beginning of effort to understand the movement the end of the so-called Eagern of armies in the Turkish Grecian war.

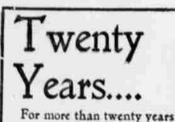
dantly killed at his ranch in Mapleto the facts in said matter, namely on precinct. He, with his wife and The beginning point shall be the children near by, were at work on a southw st corner of the S O Martin dde hill sawing + log some four feet in donation land claim in section 10, flameter and about 40 feet long, township 19 south, range 3 west, When it was cut nearly off he went on the lower side to cut some brush or C M Collier, survey of Bierke

small trees growing there. His wife remonstrated saying he

feared the log would roll down. He thinkin it safe was cutting the trees when the log started to roll. Mr Martin fell and the log rolled or him and stopped, crushing his head and many o' the bones of the body. John Steear, Alden Hayes and Zalmon Young were quickly summoned and removed the J T Callison, commissioner..... og. The remains of the unfortunate W T Bailey, commissioner man were buried Thursday near the family residence.

Or Martin was about 60 years of age and had resided on the Siuslaw nearly 10 years. He leaves a wife and seven children, the eldest of whom is married.

Butcher Weyler has seized or destroyed all the food in several of the Cuban provinces and men, women and children are dving of starvation. The continued existence of such a brute is inconsistent with popular belief in a divine providence.



we have been telling how Scott's Emulsion overcomes the excessive waste of the system. puts on flesh, nourishes and builds up the body, making it the remedy for all wasting diseases of adults and children, but it isn't possible for us to tell the story in a mere stickful of newspaper type.

We have had prepared for us by 'a physician a little book. telling in easy words how and why Scott's Emulsion benefits, and a postal card request will be enough to have it sent to you free. To-day would be a good time to send for it. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York

Bills allowed. road .. \$8.00 George Carpey, land office entries December 1896 and February, March and April 1897. 4.20

Louis H Johnson, rebate on taxes 1895 (double assessment). 6.39 D P Burton present ownership book of Lane county up to March 1, 1807 ..2100.09 31 0

Springfield Observings.

A pril 26. Mrs B A Washburn and children are visiting in Polk county. Jack Craig is confined to the house

with a swelling in his neck. Rev Wallace of Junction, has been

holding services in the M E church the past week.

Mr Geo B Knitzly will start for Gil. liam county Wednesday, where three of his sons are engaged in the stock business.

Jack, the burber, is husting an addition built to his shop and will fit it up as a billiard hall.

We notice that our grocer and postmaster, W W Chessman has added a stock of boots and shows, gent's furnishing goods and notions, which he says he will gell as obeap as any store in Lane county. Success to you Chess.

susper Items.

April 24. The roads must be improving as the drummers are making their appearance in this section of the country. School is progressing nicety under

Mathews.

will attend school here this spring.

good river for logging.

ganize a base ball club in the near among the start strate.

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Mr Fuller, of the Eugene Lumber Theredo e a 14. - or gr, sugar Co., passed through here today with a ki g and millionaire, is dead logging outfit on his way to Fall Creek Peasant and will unaire trayel

Instantly the boughts of the free titler which he was standing bent down toward him, and he saw banging from them salm-died at the home of the former. For Dated this 2nd day of April 1 "Hollo, here is wonderini hearing of several years she resided in Eugene fruit?" said the count, laughing. "If the and made many friends. She was a trass do such things in the winter, what devoted member of the Baptist church. would they not yield in the summer?" The funeral will take place to the I O But all this time it never came into his . stupid pate that the old hat on his head O F cemetery near Junction tomorrow had anything to do with these wonders. afternoon at 1:30 o'cl-ck. When he had enter and drunk to his satis-

faction, he sold to himself, "I wish I knew which of the two reads at the angle there buils to the court " Out whisked a squirrel from among

"Take that read to the right," said the

soulired, scatterering up the tree. The count stared after him, with his mouth so wide open that Master Squirrel might have jumped down if he chose. (100 0) Why, the squirrels talk, rather than 1 22 00 should not have my wish. I wish I had a fine horse and hnew how I looked. I have not seen myself since I left home, and one wishes to be decout at court." Instantly pranted out a horse from among the trees, soldled and bridled and ready to mount.

> At the same moment he heard some rollos tittering "Did you ever see such a shocking bad hat? Ho The count pulled off the hat and threw It in the read

I can wish for a fine new one," said he, ¹ But, ma you can't, you blockhead; no, 10 ran't⁽¹⁾ oried the little man on one Should shadow the nations, polychrome ... Here at the Pair was the prize conferred On Ayer's Pills, by the world preferred. "g. Joint ing out and dancing around him. I fur was the wishing har, and you have Since they started-so years ago. HWD IT AWAY

" on, dear! Why did not my nurse tell lamented this hooly of a count. But I shall know better the next time!" And so perhaps he might. But the next time never causa. Peeple do not pick up wishing hats twice in a lifetime.-New York News.

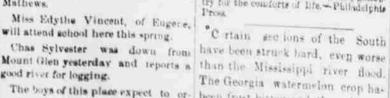
She tiot a Scat.

It was noon in a large quick lunch place. young woman, comely as well as solf re-

lant, entered and glanced deliberately around in search of a vacant chair. She now one that appeared to be nucceapled, and providing herself with a cranerry tart and a cup of coffee started to alle to assession of it. But a man's hat was bu the chair, and the owner of the hat happened to be at her clow with his modest incluon in his hand. "Beg pardon, but COR this sent is engaged," he sold.

Returning to the counter, the young woman put down her tart and coffee and started to find an empty chair. She found core in a remote corner of the big eating room, and raising has hand to her head she pulled out a couple of hatrpins any fluing her but into the chair with a deflant There, that's taken!

file then brought over her tart and coffee and enjoyed thep) in the conscioesness that the able management of P of Ross she was dependent upon no man's gallentry for the comforts of life .- Philadelphis



The boys of this place expect to or- been frost bitten and there is woe

where they will begin logging in a few different roads but reach the same COR. destination.

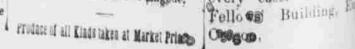




Having a Large and Complete stock of Staple and Fatry Groceries bought in the best markets,

EXCLUSIVELY FOR CASH,

I can offer the public better prices, thau any other house in Eugene,



Sheriff of Lane County, On

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the state of a for Lane comte Charles Lauer Plaintiff

S, C. Carson, Geo M. Carso J. H. Buah ell, Steraberg & Senders and Issue Carso To Isaac Carson, the above in

fendant. In the name of the State of Orest

hereby aummoned to appear on or before the second Monda that being the first day of th term of said court and of the plaintiff filed th decree will be taken for certain mortgage exert S. C. Carson and the of the Plaintiff upon real property situate. Oregon towit: Comme Oregon towit: Commen corner of county sur-division line between halves of the donation Hornbuckle claim No. B R 4 W, thence Nort lake on said claim u of the line of the lake said claim; thence Lake source of said claim. said claim; thence *i* to corner of said claim East line of said claic corner of County North 80 deg. 15 min. place of he, inclug co-land in Lane county covery of the sum of States gold coin with per aroum since Janu

per annum since Janu her annum side tasi herein against against the Defus S M. Carson, and such Court may seem court by the Court. The under at the result of M. judge at the regular that service of this eta Espi you by by publication

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U. S. Land Commission

Joel Ware, having been

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