THE SICARAGUA CANAL

Strong Argument in its Favor by the Silver Knight-Watchman.

The Ni aragua canal has become a commercial and military necessity to unite the Atlantic and Pacific and make them in fact, as they are in name, one country. The non-progressive and retrograde policy of confining the possessions the American people. Steam has transferred naval warfare from sailing ships to vessels propelled by steam. Steamships are belpless without coal. Coal is contraband of war. The United States cannot retain the position on the ocean which she has always occupied without coaling stations in every part of the world to enable her navy to float anywhere and everywhere, as it always did, to protect the rights of American citizens and to safeguard our foreign commerce.

The Nicaragua canal becomes more and more a necessity every day in connection with the Philippine Islands, Cuba and Porto Rico, which we must take and hold as indemnity for the past and as security for the future. The Sandwich Islands must be annexed or be abandoned.

While the United States is acwater passage across the isthmus must be a part of the general scheme. Much time has been wasted have been constructed, in discussing the rights of the Maritime Canal Company, and in discussing a labyrinth of details with regard to the ownership and control of the if passed, will permit the work of constructing the canal by the United States, and it could be prosecuted with dispatch and without foreign complications. The canal should be built, owned and

NOT A DEFECT.

The Salem Statesman desires to usefulness of the Australian ballot for good. system. It says.

"The Australian ballot must be corrected by the next legislature, so party ticket with one mark of the blue pencil. We must copy the thwarted by their confusion over the arrangement of the ballots."

The arrangement of names on the ticket according to alphabetical precedence is one of the best parts lack of education, may call a judge a few minutes time to arrange the freedom from interference of election cappers and heelers are secured by the law. And it must be resystem is that many voters would not take the trouble to vote for the men of their choice of an opposite mark of the pencil. Men are very lazy about voting as they regard it as an unprofitable task.

A JUST ESTIMATE.

Salem Journal. "The Republicans had all the beneat o' a foreign war on their side and there is nothing more popular with the American people than a war policy. The Republicans had the benefit of an upward turn in prices of grain and cattle at the close of a long period of depression and low prices. Popular ignorance attributes this to the Mc-Kinley administration. Under all the circumstances the Union party and had a very well conducted campaign."

In Goshen precinct the republicans elected Orlo Cahow for justice of the that as an all-round, every day Chrispeace and Phillip Berkshire for con- tian gentleman, his equals are none

IN MEMORIAM

A Tribute to the Life and Character of Rev Jacob Gillesple

When a good man dies, society suffers a real loss. This is eminently so when such a one has lived long enough among his fellows so that the thread of his life has been woven into the very warp and woof of such society. That Rev Jacob Gillespie was a good man in an eminent sense will be readily granted by all who knew him well. His sojourn of nearly fifty years in the community of which he was a memter was long enough to connect him in many ways with the interests and of the United States within the destiny of its people. Coming to Orepresent boundaries is repudiated by gon in the early pioneer days, when elvilization was in its infancy, establishing himself permanently, taking a lively interest to the material, intellectual, and moral development of the country, a man of good intellect, of broad and deep sympathies, of strong

convictions and unfaltering courage. Scrupulously honest in his dealings with his fellow man. All these excellent traits of character tempted with a disposition to overlook and forgive injuries, made him a man of real force of character in his community. He was born of poor though highly respectable parentage in Sumner county, Tennes see, November 1809. Although the times and circumstances of his youth were quite unfavorable to securing an education, yet by patience and sturdy application he became a fair English scholar and in due time a man of good general information. He was is the best sense, a self made man. He became a christian and united with the church in his eighteenth year; and to the close of his long and eventful life was an ardent lover, and strong the commerce of the Pacific must friend of the church of his choice; but was in no sense an ecclesiastical bigot.

Father Gillespie was married to his quiring islands in the two oceans a first wife when about twenty two years old. Soon afterwards in company with his young wife he removed to Lafayette county, Mo, where he soon made for himself and family a comfortduring which the canal could able home. Soon after settling in Mo. he entered the ministry of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church; and for about twenty years traveled and preached in the then sparsely settled districts, of Western Mo, organizing churches and doing the work of evancanal when constructed. Senator gelist and pastor. The wife of his Stewart has introduced a bill which, young manhood, whose maiden pane was Almyra Hanna, and who was the mother of all his children, having died he was married the second time to Mrs Amelia Martin, with whom and his interesting family of children he came to Oregon A D 1852, Having settled his family he immediately resumed the line of his work as a gospel minister controlled by the United States, and continued steadfast in his labors and it should be a highway for all as such, rarely missing an appointnations which would join in pro- ment, or failing to attend the Judicatecting its neutrality in war as well | tures of his church, until disabled by as in peace. The whole world then the infirmities of age. Having lest his second wife by death, he was again would be friendly and the United | his second whe by death, he was again united in marriage with Mrs Elizabeth State could be reimbursed by a Goodpasture A D 1867; who for nearly trifling charge upon the ships of 31 years has been his faithful helpmeet all nations which passed through in every good work, and who has become so well and favorably known as the ministry in Oregon were chiefly confined to Lane and adjoining counties, where he was instrumental in organizing a number of churches. Some of which though organized nearly a destroy an essential feature of the half century ago are still potent factors per cental.

Father Gillespie built almost wholly with his own means the first church bouse ever built in Eugene, costing in that men may vote their straight connection with the lots on which it was built several hundred dollars. It was a substantial frame. Tost building New York ballot. It is not justice though somewhat remodeled, is now a to have the intentions of voters part of the neat and commodious C P Church in Eugene. Early in the history of his labors in Oregon he in connection with a few other ministers and enterprising laymen of his denomination determined on establishing a church college. Into this laudable enof the Australian ballot law. A terprise he threw his energies and voter who is not able to make out means with liberal hand; and was his ticket by reason of old age, or perhaps more than any other one man the means of locating the cellege at Eugene. Two substantial frame buildto his assistance. It requires but ings were erected and both in turn were destroyed by fire. Then a stone ballot, and absolute secrecy and building was erected on or near the same site. Owing to debt and other causes the enterprise was finally given up; but not until it had made its impress upon a number of young men membered that even under the old who have since made their mark in law mistakes were frequently made. the history of the state. Only a few The objection to this straight ballot years before his death he donated by Springs College located at Sodaville, Oregon to be used in educating young political faith when they could be men for the ministry. Prominent through with the work by a simple among his habits of life was that of aiding those who through sickness or other misfortunes, have become destihowever, as in his numerous other possibly clerk, coroner and surveyor. charities, he was so free from seeking notoriety that few save his most intimate friends knew the extent of his tion is over but the picnic is June 11th. at a reasonable rate of interest for a benefactions. But space forbids me entering further into detail as to the music. The programme will consist many ways and means in which as a good steward of God, this noble man sought to bless the generation in which game of ball between the Pleasant Hill All sinds poultry; eggs, butter, hides he lived. Suffice it to say that no cause or enterprise that he deemed Isary Master of the Oregon State Produce Co, 1st door south A V Pet-1's worthy ever appealed to him in vain. In his home life as in all his social relations he was always the pure and noble Christian gentleman.

In closing this imperfect sketch as a tribute to the memory of our lamented made a grand showing at the polls friend and brother, it may be added, Adams, a resident or Portland. hat the writer does not claim for him that he was a man without faults; the best men are not wholly free from these. But to this, he does lay claim,

too plentiful, and his superiors rarely seen. His sterling virtues are a heritage to his descendants, a benediction to his friends; with all of whom we If you want a pair of Low Shoes at wish to join in saying: "Weil done thou servant of God and friend of

C A WOOLEY.

THE MINING SECTION.

Freighting on the Trails-The New Road, Etc.

June 5, 1898. the readers of the GUARD, will say very quietly and the returns show a half million feet. Some are now being this is a very rough mountainous coun- falling off of several hundred from the cut and banked ready to roll into the try, yet I think it [the beneficial part vote of the last presidential year. This river at my farm near Eiliston. Parof Lane county when this new road is falling off is very noticeable in the ties wishing to purchase saw logs are finished as far as what is known as the union-silver precincts, and seems to invited to call and inspect them on or Cook mines, which will give every account for the one a chance to drive their team right of the union majority in the about as many more for sale by next into the mining district and will do county, which on the head all, and a further lot of from 3,000,000 away with the custom of packing of the ticket will be about the same is to 4,000,000 feet to be prepared for everything in on horses and mules, the Bryan majority. Veatch for cor - market during the season of '98 and '99 It would astonish most everybody to gress seems ahead and will carry the All of said logs will be banked at my see the amount of freight which has county by about 350 majority. It place on the McKenzie river. been going over what is known as the would appear from the returns received Hard Scrabble Trail since we have so far that the entire union ticket is been camped here at the foot of the elected, excepting Waite for school mountain, and such terrible loads the superintendent and Cooper for tress packers lash on each horse or mule. Mi Beadle, the butcher of Cottage Grove, who furnishes the mining camps with fresh beef, on June 3, took in six hundred pounds, three hundred and thirty-five pounds on one small horse and the remainder on another. That isn't all, they take in cook stoves, retains the flavor and form of fruit. heating stoves, bed steads, spring beds, blocksmith tools, lumber, drill-steel nine and ten feet long, with a hundred before cooking. By using it peas, beans, corn and meats may be canned

this section of the state. BHL

Eugene Precinct Officers.

Wintermeler

pounds in each roll. They not only

carry in but they bring out the pro-

ducts of their mines; one man passed

and fifty-seven pounds of bullion

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THE WHEAT MARKET.

Fleeman's plurality 63

see at to the Guard LIVERPOOL, June 9- Cargoes on Aunt Bettie Gillespie. His labors in passage, steady; Liverpool spot, quiet. NEW YORK, June 9 .- Market dull, closing at 93]c per bushel for July. CHICAGO, June 9.-Closed at 87]c

SAN FRANCISCO.—Closed at \$1.35]

Talk of a Recount.

Already there is much talk of an official contest and recount of the ballos cust in Lane county Monday, to determine the exact status of the vote the northern part of town. Finder will cast for county commissioner. The official canvass gives H D Edwards, Republican candidate, one majority

over H W Baughman, Union. Mr Baughman was in town today and expressed himself as willing to place his case in the hands of the Un- horns in the state. Eggs, per setting ion party county committee. He is \$1.00; four settings for \$3.00. not anxious for the office, has no wish to take anything that does not properly belong to him, but feels that justice to the men who honored him with their votes demands a recount if any suspicion exists that votes were wrong- Leghorns and S S Hamburgs, call on fully counted against him. In this or address Amos Wilkins, Ash Grove connection it may be stated that a re- Poultry Yard, Coburg, Or. port is current that a recount of one Eugene precinct would change the result as canvassed.

SHORT VOTE IN LINN.-The Albany Democrat says a very short vote was will a thousand dollars to Mineral cast in Linn county, perhaps a sixth of the voters failing to go to the polls. The middle-of-the-roaders received less than 100 votes; prohibitionists got their usual vote of 100 to 150. The the highest market price for all I can stay-at-homes belonged to no particular buy. party. The union ticket is elected tute of the necessaries of life. In this with the exception of senator, and

PLEASANT HILL PICNIC .- The elec-The Pleasant Hill band will furnish term of years,

I S Conger, Eugene, Or. of speeches recitations and songs. In the afternoon there will be a mateh and Fern Ridge nines, Mr W M Hil- and furs bought for cash at Eugene Grange will be present and give a talk, store,

MARRIED.-Miss Etta Simpson, a daughter of John Simpson of Siuslaw precinct, and a sister of I L Simpson. nightwatch of Eugene, was married at Portland Monday, May 6, to E F

TAX COLLECTIONS .- Sherift Johr . GUARD office. son turned over to Treasurer Patterson today \$32,894.68, making a total turned over to date of \$108,666.17. Collections from now on have the delinquercy Embalmers, Cor. Wil. and 7th sts.

LADIES ATTENTION !

Douglas County

The election yesterday passed off urer, who are in doubt with the chan ces against them.

The Acme Steam Fruit Canner.

This canner not only saves a great deal of labor in canning fruit, but also For any mower or binder in this mar-retains the flavor and form of fruit. For any mower or binder in this mar-ket to be had at F L Chambers. There is no burning or boiling over of fruit as the fruit is placed in the jars

with perfect safety. The canners may be seen at Starr & our camp yesterday with one hundred Aya's store. Agents wanted, address. E M ROWERMAN. Walterville, Or.

Married.

Daily Guard, June 8

At noon today the wedding of Mr H Masterson, was celebrated at the The following is the official vote as residence of I L Campbell in this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R C Brooks, paster of the Congrega-Lakin tional church. About thirty relatives 64 were present and witnessed the wed-77 ding and partook of the dinner speci-33 ally prepared for the occasion. The Chronicle. June is the month on 67 rooms of the house were elegantly dec-48 orated with roses and ivy. The cou-48 ple will reside on their farm near Ir- they will not be disappointed. The -- ving.

GUARD tenders the happy young or Alaska. lonig couple its heartiest congratulations. 90 May they have a long and pleasant 31 matrimonial life,

For sale and Rent.

415 house of 10 rooms, or one-half of same, that is the last we heard from him. garden grounds with both. For terms 6 feet in height, strong bony frame, and Jefferson streets, Eugene.

Local Market

June 10, 1898.

Wheat-67c. Oats-280 Hop: - 2 to Sc. Butter-20 to 35c per roll.

Eggs-14c; scarce. Potatoes-25c. Poultry-\$2 50 to \$3 50 per dozen.

LOST .- A sack of binding twine in be rewarded by returning same to CALLISON & SON, Eugene.

Brown Laghorn Eggs.

I have the best stock of Brown Leg-Address, P E PETERSON.

Monroe, Oregon.

Notice To Poultrymen. If you want fine cockerels from prize

For Sale.

16 choice milch cows, all giving milk and none over 6 years old. Address WH WELBARN, Pleasant Hill, Or.

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\$2,000 to loan on good prairie land

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Oats Wanted.

We pay cash. I K PETERS, Ninth street.

To TRADE-A buggy in good repair to trade for a bleycle. It quire at the

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\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, or \$2.00

We have the best that can possibly be sold for the money. YORAN & SON You are earnestly invited to call and examine them, The Shoe Dealers

Logs for Sale.

The undersigned will have for sale ou or about June 1 a lot of first class yellow fir saw logs, about one and onenon-increase about May I next. Also I will have

> JOHN COGSWELL. Eiliston, Feb 1, 1898.

Oats Wanted.

I K PETERS, Ninth Street Repairs

Crook County Needs Rain.

Frank Forest, a prominent farmer and stockraiser of Crook county, was in the city and brought a rather gloomy report from the country to the south, says The Dalles Times-Mountaineer of of June 4. He said there had been no rain of any consequence in Crook county for two months, and in consequence crops are very short, and there is hardly any grass on the ranges. In all sections where irrigation is impossible, Louis Charles Vitus and Miss Frances Mr Forest says crops will be a comparative failure.

Fish in the Upper River.

Fishermen in this vicinity report that the run of fish Saturday was the best of the season, says The Dalles which they depend for their rich harvest, and it is encouraging to see that fish are at present large and in fine 337 Quite a large number of presents shape, so that the Columbia river salwere received by the couple. The mon can be put in competition with those of any place in the United States

Information Wanted.

I desire information concerning an old man's whereabouts? Charles W Barker, my father, wrote from Eu-Household furniture; 4 cords maple gene about two years ago that he would wood. Houses to rent or sell, one "leave for the bay from Eugene" and and one house of 5 rooms, with good He is now about 90 years of age, about office or of S J Sills', corner of First has a small chin beard. If there is any Just Rubber at that and further inf rmation inquire at this little stoop shouldered, hair white and information concerning his where- Wall Paper in abouts it it will be thankfully re-

> CHARLES M BARKER. Halsey, Oregon.

For Sale on Easy Terms.

good house and outbuildings, all in good repair. I am instructed by the owner to offer this property for sale for

Terms, \$620; \$220 down; balance on time, secured by mortgage on the property.

Don't fail to see this. G W KINSEY, Agent.

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A 10-room residence, barn on premises, two lots, fine garden ground, good water, 60 fruit trees. Also one lot with 5-room residence.

Will trade for Tacoma property. For particulars apply to GUARD office or S J Sills, corner Jefferson and First streets, Eugene.

Wheel for Trade.

A good wheel to trade for body fir or grub oak wood. RACKET.

Cheese Maker Wanted.

A cheese maker who can give good references wanted for 4 or 5 months work. Address SS STEPHENS.

Crow, Or. Wanted.

The highest cash price will be paid for 100 tons of baled hay. Inquire of E J McClanahan, Eugene.

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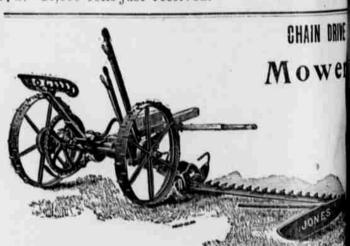
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