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DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

To the members of the Democratic State Central Committee of the State of Oregon: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Democratic State Central Committee for Oregon will be held in the city of Portland on January 11, 1888, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of parcing time and place for holding the State Convention and for such other business as may properly come before the committee.

JOHN B. GOLDSMITH, Chairman.

It is rumored that the O. P. R. R. Co. is in financial straits and the extension of its line eastward has been suspended for the present.

Hon. John S. Barrows, the Nestor of the Virginia Democracy, has been elected U. S. Senator to succeed Riddleberger. He will make a first class officer.

A misstatement has just appeared in some newspapers, that there is a change in the editorship of the *American Magazine*. No such change has been made or contemplated. The mistake has arisen from the fact that Julian Hawthorne contributes its literary notices. Wm. C. Wyckoff is the editor of the magazine.

Senator Dolph reported to the Senate from the committee on public lands, with a recommendation that it pass, a bill forfeiting the land grants in Oregon of the following wagon-roads: First, the road from Eugene city to the eastern boundary of the State; second, the road from Albany to the eastern boundary of the State; and third, the road from Dalles city, on the Columbia river, to Fort Boise.

The "Manufacturers Record" this week will say that a few weeks ago Geo. M. Pullman, August Belmont, Jr., Robert T. Lincoln and other capitalists visited the South. In their letters the gentlemen all agree that the South will soon rival, if not surpass the North and West in quantity and value of products, and the enterprise and resources of the people are vast. Wave the bloody shirt again, ye Republican demagogues.

Several days ago an injunction was served on Sergeant LaForet, in command of United States troops stationed at the mouth of the Klamath river, to prohibit him from tearing down the house of settler John McKenzie, located on an island near the mouth of the river. The injunction was disobeyed and the property destroyed and burnt. Judge Murphy, of Del Norte county, Cal., who issued the injunction, has issued a warrant for the arrest of LaForet for contempt of court, and the sheriff has gone to arrest him.

It is said that during his reception in Nashville, while many poorly dressed people, evidently farmers and working men and women, were passing before him, Mr. Cleveland administered a stinging rebuke to a number of well-dressed people who, having been presented, stepped back of him and were making unkind remarks touching the personal appearance of those passing in front. Hearing the remarks and laughter the President said: "These good people are here out of respect to me. I am not willing for you to make sport of them. It is not right." The laughter and comment ceased.

The international pugilistic contest between Jack Kilrain, of Baltimore, and Jem Smith, of England, for the diamond belt and championship of the world, took place on the Island of St. Pierre, in the river Seine, France, on the 12th, in the presence of about 150 persons. The fight was remarkable for the persistent wrestling of the men. In the fourth round Smith was knocked nearly silly by a terrific smack on the ear. Though Smith had the worst of the fall, he fought splendidly under great difficulties, and was as fresh as Kilrain which darkness stopped the fight at 6:45. One hundred and six rounds were fought, lasting two and a half hours. The fight was declared a draw.

As we prophesied, the President is being misrepresented a great deal and his attempts to bring about tariff reform are being opposed by unscrupulous politicians in a style that is both unjust and disgraceful. A Democratic member of congress, who represents a tariff protection district, went to him recently and pointed out why he could not vote for the radical reforms recommended in the message to congress. He could not, he said, vote for free wool. The President was a good deal excited at the interpretation made of his language, and taking out his message informed the member that there was nothing in it which contemplated free wool or free anything else; that only "tariff reform" was intended, and that nothing very radical was expected.

It is not legitimate to conclude that because the proposed constitutional amendment, giving the legislature the power to regulate the salaries of certain State officers, failed to pass, or rather was very badly beaten, therefore the people are opposed to raising certain salaries. It was the manner in which it was proposed to be done that the people objected to. We have not heard anybody say that the Supreme Judges, Governor and some other officers were sufficiently paid, and it is almost a disgrace to the State that the members of the legislature are so poorly paid. Hence it is a fair proposition still that the Constitution of Oregon is sadly in need of being changed in various ways, and that the next Legislature should provide for a convention to make the necessary changes.

Let the schemer, plan, financier or grabber do what they may, the men at Washington will never find a better or a juicier place for a dollar not required by the Government than in the pocket of the man who earned it. From the starting point of the pocket the surplus money will speedily find its way into the "channels of trade." It will not diminish its value by filtering through the hands of official office-holders in the tax eaters. It will not remain in the National Treasury a standing temptation to the extravagant notions of men who find it easy to vote away other people's money. It will not be one of a glittering pile to excite the cupidity of jobbers. The dollar in the pocket will go straight to another pocket that needs it, smoothing some way with each changer. Let the surplus remain in the pocket and dollars will not be asked for with which to pay bounties to the tariff

CALIFORNIA AND OREGON CONNECTED.

The train from Portland arrived at Ashland, Saturday, Dec. 17th, at 10:30. It consisted of the Pullman cars Roseburg and Triumph, Henry Villard's private O. R. & N. car, which has been four years in building, and a kitchen car. Supt. Brandt, of the O. & C., assisted by Mr. Fields, train dispatcher, has charge of the excursion, with Shan Conser as conductor, says the *Oregonian*.

The gentlemen aboard were the Portland reception committee, viz: Mayor Gates, Donald McClaey, C. H. Dodd, F. K. Arnold, Geo. H. Durham, Henry Failing, O. F. Paxton, M. C. George, C. M. Forbes and J. D. Wilcox.

The guests of Manager B. Koehler were J. W. Whalley, R. P. Earhart, John McCraken, C. A. Dolph, J. Lowenberg, C. N. Scott, C. J. McDougall, F. R. Mellis, J. C. Carson, R. M. Dement, N. J. Levinson, W. W. Bretherton and Chas. H. Kitzinger, secretary of the Seattle board of trade. The guests from Salem were Governor Pennoyer, State Treasurer G. W. Webb, Supreme Judges W. P. Lord and R. S. Strahan, Mayor Wm. Ramsey and J. H. Albert.

The other guests were the following mayors: E. C. Wheeler, East Portland; E. L. Eastham, Oregon city; J. K. Weatherford, Albany; F. B. Dunn, Eugene; H. C. Stanton, Roseburg; F. W. Van Dyke, Grant's Pass; D. R. Mills, Ashland; Dr. F. A. Bailey, Hillsboro; Roswell Shelley, Independence; Jacob Wortman, McMinnville; J. O. Wilson, Corvallis; also Prof. B. J. Hawthorn, Eugene; Judge P. P. Prim and Chas. Nickell, representing Jacksonville; J. D. Whitman, representing Medford, and Hon. W. D. Fenton, McMinnville.

The train came through without accident or incident, and its arrival was greeted by music from the Ashland cornet band under the leadership of B. K. Willits. The weather through Rogue River valley is foggy and the air reasonably cool and bracing.

The last spike connecting the Oregon & California with the California & Oregon railroad was driven at fifty-one minutes past 4 by Cass Crocker, one of the original organizers of the Central and Southern Pacific railroad companies. Connection with the W. U. telegraph system had been made and every stroke that Mr. C. made upon the golden spike was heard in nearly every town and city on the coast. The ceremony was delayed till dark by derailment of a construction train on the south slope of the Siskiyous. A crowd of 2000 or more gathered at the scene of junction and waited patiently from 2 o'clock until 4. There is no telegraph station between Siskiyou and Ashland, and the exact running time could not be learned. The crowd became uneasy, and tired women who sat in vehicles at the side of the track shivered under the influence of a north wind. Men moved about to keep warm, and horses stamped to keep off the cold. Darkness was coming on and still no train, and it was suggested that the programme be changed so as to drive the spike when the train arrived, and then have the speeches in the Knights of Pythias hall. However, stuff was secured for bonfires in case the ceremonies would have to be gone through after dark. Finally at 4:35 the headlight of a pilot engine could be seen occasionally as it came down the canyon, then everybody cheered. A hundred yards behind came the first section of the excursionists' train and it stopped just north of the point of the junction amid great cheering and music by the Ashland band. It was then 4:35 and the sky having clouded, it was impossible to read without artificial light. There was a hasty consultation between the Portland committee and the San Francisco executive committee, and all agreed, "We'll go ahead and do the best we can." Five minutes later the second section came on and the crowd gathered around a small stand erected at the side of the track. It accommodated only the speakers and reporters.

Hon. Horace Davis of San Francisco presided. Speeches were made by Gov. Pennoyer, Hon. M. C. George and Donald MacKay, upon the part of Oregon, while Frank M. Pixley, J. P. Irish, J. I. Stoffens, Chas. Crocker and others represented California. The benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Satchwell of Sacramento, while Rev. Mr. Strong of Ashland also invoked a blessing. Following Gov. Pennoyer's speech, a queen was crowned by Mr. Phelps. The band then played "America," the whole crowd joining in singing three verses, just like a camp meeting, which ended the exercises. The scene during the speaking was most unusual for a public gathering. The crowd formed a packed circle around the platform. The speakers standing on the table were twenty feet above the heads of most of the audience. It was pitch dark. A bonfire to the west of the crowd was the only light. A dim lantern served the reporters, and another was brought to play for the orator who delivered their speeches from manuscript. Besides the speakers not a face on the platform could be seen by the crowd, and the speakers could see only a few who held the table to keep it from falling with them; but everybody was in the best humor and had the speeches lasted an hour longer probably few would have left.

There were 225 people on the California train, of whom eighty were guests and the remainder volunteer excursionists. The people of Ashland made a fine display of fruit and vegetables in the depot, and gave many baskets of fruit to the visitors. Ashland was brilliantly illuminated.

The Oregon delegation was served that night with a splendid supper at their own train. The menu card, hot from the printer, is a souvenir of the occasion. They spent the evening in calling upon the California delegation at their cars and cultivating friendly feeling, and the Californians returned the compliment.

SWAMP LAND MATTERS.

Special State Agent Alex. Sweek has completed an examination of the lands on which he and Special Government Agent Shackelford have been engaged since last May. They inspected thousands of acres of alleged swamp lands in the Lakeview and Roseburg districts, and found about one-half to be actual swamp or overflowed, while the remainder is dry. They disagree as to the character of about 300 acres, 900 of which are settled, and will make separate reports. Shackelford to the general land office and Sweek to the governor, regarding the same. The remainder they agree upon. Messrs. Sweek and Shackelford have nearly finished their individual reports, and will transmit them to their respective headquarters before January 1, each countersigning the other's report, except, of course, where there is dispute. Messrs. Elliott and Richmond, two other land agents, are at The Dalles, having completed examination of land in The Dalles, Oregon City and Lakeview districts. Their reports, it is said, agree throughout. Over half of the land examined by them was found to be not swamp. As a result of the investigations of the agents, 150,000 acres of land, at a rough estimate, will be lost to the State, but titles to the land will be established, and disputes which have arisen over swamp land matters since 1860 will be largely settled. It is expected that patents for lands declared swamp will be issued by the government to the State immediately after the submission and examination of these reports.

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JOSEPHINE COUNTY NEWS.

The different schools are enjoying a vacation.

Jonathan Ferrell of this county has been granted a pension.

Chas. Agee and Amanda Johnston were united in matrimony recently.

Capt. Kelly of Jacksonville is in Grant's Pass on professional business.

Engineer Wheeler of the O. & C. R. R. has returned from his trip to New York.

Gov. Pennoyer has appointed E. W. Morrison of Grant's Pass a notary public.

Messrs. Denise, Wells and Walcott have shipped 25,000 lbs of hops to New York.

The holidays are nearly here and will be generally celebrated throughout the county.

Gen. Logan Post, G. A. R., held a bean supper and camp-fire one evening last week, which passed off pleasantly.

M. W. Wheeler is building a neat residence at Grant's Pass and his friends look upon the matter with suspicion.

Grant's Pass was represented at the spike driving at Ashland by Marys Van Dyke. Senator Miller was also present.

Gen. John E. Ross attended the meeting of the veterans of the southern Indian war, which took place last Saturday.

There will be Christmas-tree festivities at Williamsburg on Saturday evening. Everybody is invited and a good time will be had.

W. L. Blackburn and I. G. Moon of Grant's Pass have formed a real-estate agency. F. S. Smith and A. Conklin have done likewise.

A box sociable and festival will be given at the M. E. church in Grant's Pass, on Wednesday evening, Dec. 28th, for the benefit thereof.

The S. P. D. & L. Co.'s saw-mill has been shut down until February when it will be started up at its new site in Jump-off-Joe precinct.

Uncle Billy Robinson has returned to Klamath county, after a short visit to relatives and friends in this section. We hope to see him soon again.

Mrs. Wm. Bunch of Grant's Pass died rather suddenly one day last week. She leaves a husband and five children and a large circle of friends to mourn her death.

E. Dimick has sold for a good figure his fine farm near Grant's Pass to a gentleman from New York named Arthur Conklin, who has also purchased other property in this county.

Col. John Kelsay of Corvallis, commander of the Indian war veterans, was in Grant's Pass last Saturday, when there was quite a pleasant gathering of several of the men who did so much to wrest southern Oregon from the savage red man.

Some cowardly person recently attempted to destroy the reservoir of Frank Oggier, an energetic, peaceable miner of Grave creek. He offers $100 reward for the arrest and conviction of the parties and also those who shot his valuable bloodhound.

It is with much regret that we announce the death of T. L. Knox of Murphy precinct, one of the oldest and most respected citizens of this county. He died on the 21st inst., after an illness of several weeks, from erysipelas. Mr. Knox leaves a family and a host of friends to mourn his decease.

The excursionists stopped a short time at Grant's Pass last Sunday, long enough to listen to remarks by Mayor Van Dyke and others and view the large and first-class exhibits of vegetables, fruit, etc., made by the citizens of our county. It was a creditable, well-managed affair and will no doubt prove quite beneficial.

KLAMATH COUNTY ITEMS.

Health continues good.

W. I. Nichols is again a resident of Linkville.

The holidays will be generally observed in this county.

W. C. Hale, our clever county clerk, has gone to Portland on business.

Rev. J. B. Griffith fills regular appointments in Langell and Poe valleys.

Lucien Applegate, who has been in the Willamette valley, returned home this week.

Mrs. C. S. Moore of Linkville is recovering from her spell of sickness, we are glad to learn.

The firm of Woodcock, Mickelson & Robinson, blacksmiths at Linkville, has been dissolved.

Peter Henderson, who is now engaged in business at Yreka, Cal., has been joined by his family.

The weather continues to be dry, frosty and cold. Considerable rain would be quite acceptable just now.

Keno will have a Christmas ball, at Capt. Farrer's hall, on the 26th, which will doubtless be a pleasant one.

Daughters were recently born to Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Applegate of Oleno and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Johnson of Linkville.

Granville Childers was in Rogue river valley this week, having taken some passengers to Ashland for J. W. Manning.

The Linkville district school closes this week. Professor DeLap and Miss Stella Moore have taught a successful term.

The Good Templars announce a ball at Graves, Kerkelem & Ward's hall for this evening. It will no doubt be well attended.

Very little rain has fallen as yet, which makes farming next to impossible just now, as the soil is quite hard and dry in most places.

J. W. Manning has sold his farm, situated a few miles from Linkville, to W. M. Stonebaker. There are 80 acres in it and $1200 was the price paid.

Your correspondent is sorry to see so much petty strife and bad feeling engendered at Linkville. Such small communities as ours have enough to do to get along comfortably without engaging in neighborhood quarrels.

It is the general impression of the people residing in the vicinity of Hornbrook station and Linkville that a branch railroad will, in the near future, be located up the Klamath river from the above named station. They base this belief upon the fact that parties who are supposed to be on the inside with the railroad company are securing all the available timber land along said river, and also that capitalists are purchasing large amounts of land in Klamath county.

THE MARKETS.

PORTLAND.

Wheat—Valley, $1 22½@1 25; Walla Walla, $1 12½@1 15.

Oats—The market is light. Quote 45c.

Flour—Standard brands, $3@4 25; country, $3 75@4; graham, superfine, $3 5@3.

Lard—Kegs, or 5 gallon tins, 6½c; pails, 10 lbs, 7@8½c.

Butter—Dairy, varies from 22½c to 25c per roll; brine in rolls, 20@22½c; solid in kegs 20@22½c; store butter 17@18c.

Poultry—Chickens, $3 50, as to quality; ducks, $4@5; turkeys, 12½@14c per pound.

Eggs—Quote 35c per doz; western, 27½c per doz.

Provisions—Bacon, 11c; hams, 13@13½c; shoulders, 6@7c.

Hides—Dry, 12c; green, 5@6c.

Meat—Steady. Beef, wholesale, 4c per lb; sheep, 6c per lb; hogs, dressed, 5@6c; hams, 4c.

Barley—Brewing, per ctl, $1 10; ground, per ton, $25@27 50.

Potatoes—Market heavy. Per ctl, Tilton, sweets, sell at 75c per lb.

Onions—$1 10 per ctl.

Fresh Fruits—Good demand. Quote apples, $1@1 25; pears, $1 25@1 50; peaches, $1@1 25; tomatoes, 50c; grapes, 75@$1 00 per box; Sisily lemons, $7 50; California lemons, $4@5 per case; watermelons, $1 50.

Dried Fruits—Sun-dried apples, 5@6c per lb; machine-dried, 1@2c; Plummer evaporated, 12½c; pears, machine-dried, 10c; sun-dried, none; prunes, 12½c; machine-dried 12½c; Italian prunes, 14@15c.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Flour—Net cash prices for California brands: Best family, $3 90@4 10 per barrel; bakers' extra, $3 50@3 75; superfine, $2 50@2 75.

Common—Burbank, sacks and barrels, 75c@1 25; early rose, 90c@$1; peerless, 65c; ex. sweets, $1 75@2 00 per ctl.

Onions—Wholesale dealers quote silverskins, $1 50@1 75; red, $1 25@1 50 per sack.

Wool—Spring clip, Oregon, Shasta, Colusa, Tehama, 20@24c; Lake, Napa, Humboldt and Mendocino, 18c; Mountain—Free, 16c; Sacramento Valley defective, 15c; San Joaquin defective, 9c; South ern Coast, burry and seedy, 9c.

MEDFORD SQUIBS.

D. W. Crosby and Geo. Neuber spent Wednesday at the county-seat.

There are several cases of measles in town, but none of a serious nature.

Hon. J. D. Whitman represented Medford at the spike driving last Saturday.

J. P. Welch, M. D., formerly of this place, is now located in Camas county, Wash.

J. L. Wooldrige of Applegate was at Medford this week with a load of fine vegetables.

J. B. Webb and wife will leave this week for San Francisco, where they will spend the holidays.

Prof. Ganiard is giving our band boys instructions, and they are making commendable progress.

Frank Galloway, one of the leading citizens of this place, was in Jacksonville a few days since.

Phil. Butcher is in charge of Hanley's butchershop in this place and succeeds in giving satisfaction.

The Cornet Band will give a grand ball on the evening of the 26th, which no doubt will be a pleasant one.

S. B. Hadley, one of the earliest settlers of this place, has removed to Paisley, Lake county, from Myrtle creek.

If you want your property sold quickly at the best figures, call on M. E. Beatty at his real-estate office in Medford.

Henry Smith and S. Rosenthal have a fine line of goods, especially adapted for nice, substantial holiday presents. Give them a call.

A prominent business man of this place and an amiable young lady residing not far from here will be united in matrimony in the near future.

A good-sized audience was present at the performance given by the "Uncle Tom's Cabin Company" one evening last week, which gave satisfaction.

When you are in Jacksonville go the S. F. Variety Store and see that elegant dressing-case and "The Bride," which will be given away on New Year's.

For sale at a bargain—a cosy dwelling house not far from the center of the town of Medford. For particulars enquire of R. T. Lawton, real-estate agent.

Defano's "Uncle Tom's Cabin Company" became financially stranded when they reached here, and stayed a few days awaiting assistance. They have since proceeded northward.

J. W. Bayson of California and Miss Martha Fowler of this place were married at Jacksonville one day this week. They have since returned to the Golden State, which will be their future home.

E. C. Phelps, the expert job printer, has purchased the job material formerly used in the "Transcript" office. He will also print the inside of our town paper, the other part being patent and printed in Portland.

The bonus asked by Gove & Co., a Portland firm, to put up a flouring mill at this place, being about subscribed, we expect to see this enterprise established here in time for next season's crop. The liberality of our people is to be commended.

The citizens of Medford met last Tuesday evening and nominated a full set of candidates for municipal officers, to be voted for at the town election next month. The following are the nominees, as nearly as we learned: Marshal, John S. Miller; recorder, C. H. Barkdull; treasurer, Chas. Strang; trustees, Dr. Geary, C. W. Skeel, D. H. Miller, A. Childers, M. Purdin.

The citizens of Medford and vicinity will find a most complete and elegant line of holiday goods of all kinds at the S. F. Variety Store in Jacksonville, where everything is sold at the lowest rates. For every two dollars worth of goods purchased there you will get a ticket for the grand New Year's drawing. Don't fail to see that grand display at the S. F. V. S.

No clue has yet been found to the fellow who recently broke into A. H. Carlson's saloon in Medford and stole $80. Gus. had the money hidden in an obscure place, but the thief was probably looking into the window at the time he was counting it, and saw where he hid it. Entrance was effected through a small window in the side of the building.

The excursion trains stopped fifteen minutes at this place last Sunday, while en route to Portland from Ashland, and were greeted by quite a number of people from different portions of the valley. A fine display of fruit and vegetables had been put on the railroad platform for exhibition, which attracted much attention. The visitors being invited to help themselves, generally accepted the invitation.

GENERAL POINT POINTERS.

We are sorry to hear of the sickness of Bob Wootten.

Kincaid & Ripley want everybody owing them to settle up. See what they say elsewhere.

All those indebted to Dr. J. Hinkle are requested to call and settle on or before Jan. 10, 1888, and save costs. This notice means just what it says.

Go to the S. F. Variety Store in Jacksonville and see "The Beautiful Bride" and handsome dressing case which will be given away on New Year.

The Christmas-tree festivities on Saturday evening, at this place, will be of an interesting nature and generally participated in. The tree will be nicely decorated and full of presents. Don't fail to attend.

The ball which will be given at Sims & Carney's new hall on Jan. 2, 1888, will be one of the events of the season, as no pains will be spared to make it such. Music will be furnished by Suttner & Schmitt's well-known string band from Jacksonville, and S. Conants will provide a first-class supper. Everybody is invited to attend.

Central Point and vicinity will find a very large and first-class stock of holiday goods at the S. F. Variety Store in Jacksonville—the largest in southern Oregon—which will be sold at a very small profit. It will pay everybody to go there before purchasing elsewhere. Call and see the immense quantity of pretty things on display there any way, as it will cost nothing to do so. For every two dollars worth of goods purchased there a ticket will be given in the grand New Year's drawing.

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A Captain's Fortunate Discovery.

Capt. Coleman, schr. Weymouth, plying between Atlantic City and N. Y., had been troubled with a cough so that he was unable to sleep, and was induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It not only gave him instant relief, but allowed the captain to get a good night's rest. We children were down with a severe cough, and dare not leave the house, when we procured a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery. One dose gave relief, and a few days' use entirely cured them. We feel bound to recommend this to our readers, as we know it to be the best medicine in the world. Sold by Geo. Rhoades, druggist, Atlantic City.

MINING NEWS.

Mining news of importance is scarce.

Miners are waiting anxiously for more rain.

The best and cheapest mining blanks for sale at the Times office.

A fresh supply of the American Mining Code, standard authority on the subject, for sale at the Times office.

Sutton Ross and Wm. Crow have rented a portion of Cameron & Ennis' mines in Galice creek district and will operate them on shares.

Klippel & Casteel will postpone work on the Fort Lane quartz mine until next spring. Mr. C. will engage in mining on Forest creek this season.

Al Sturgis of Forest creek, who has some of the best placer mines in southern Oregon, is ready for water and will make a big run in case there is plenty of it.

Work is progressing steadily and quite satisfactorily at Coulter & Sons' quartz mill near Gold Hill. Several tons of quartz are being crushed daily at the mill, with promising results.

The Wagner creek quartz mill has suspended operations temporarily, but prospecting of the mines is still under way. This promises to be one of the best groups in the State, and we hope to see the development of our mining interests, so well begun by Messrs. Eichel and Brentano, continued. Southern Oregon has vast mineral resources, which only lack development to prove their extent and richness.

Messrs. Eichel and Brentano, of Evansville, Ind., who are engaged in the development of the Wagner creek mines, paid this section a visit during the week. They seemed satisfied with the work which has been done, and may conclude to continue it on a larger scale than heretofore. It will require the expenditure of large sums of money before any returns are made, but we think such expenditures will be fairly justified.

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