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SENATOR INMAN of Multnomah county, having withdrawn from the race for the Democratic nomination for governor, in which his many friends had entered him, Hon. Geo. E. Chamberlain has the field to himself. Both are very competent, popular men and great vote-getters. We predict that the Republican gubernatorial nominee, whoever he may be, will have no walkover, for Mr. Chamberlain is also well thought of by thousands of Republicans.

THE S. F. Post calls the Jeffries-Ruhlin match a brazen bunco game. The fake fight was fully planned when the articles of agreement were drawn. Ruhlin agreed to accept a stated sum to "go out," but he quit before he went half the route. The game was made beautifully. The San Francisco papers were filled with the work that each of the men was doing. The greatest cartoonist of the country and the best fight reporters were brought out to picture and write about the contest. The people interested carried out their contracts. Over \$30,000 was divided among the men who were banded together to fleece the outsiders and the promoters are preparing to bring Sharkey out to aid them in another coup.

At the ensuing state election, which will be held next June, the voters of Oregon will vote on the proposed constitutional amendment providing for the "initiative and referendum." Whether it will be adopted or not may very likely depend upon the construction given by the courts to the clause of the constitution defining the proportion of votes necessary to the adoption of an amendment. This requires "a majority of the electors," but whether this means a majority of all the electors who voted at the election, or only a majority of those who voted upon the amendment, is a point not yet settled in this state, though in some other states it has been decided in favor of the former position. The Times hopes that the amendment will be adopted. Wherever it has been tried, the initiative and referendum has proved a great success and in the best interests of the people.

The hour has come for the Pacific Coast to make its voice heard in the most emphatic way and with organized effort on the subject of Chinese exclusion. Conventions are well, resolutions of representative bodies are timely and carry weight, but the voice of a determined people speaking as units and with the force of numbers in a single tone and with one desire makes a demonstration as striking as it is convincing, says the Examiner. It is the personal right of every citizen to address Congress. Nay, more, it is a duty which he shall not delegate in time of peril to the common weal. Let the individual speak by petition. Singly he may be weak, but by association and in the mass he is invincible. Short of a special election and referendum of the question there is no better means by which the overwhelming character of a popular sentiment can be demonstrated beyond cavil. Now is the time and this the means to let the Congress of the United States understand that there is no division of sentiment on the Pacific Coast concerning the exclusion of Chinese, and that citizens of all parties and creeds are agreed that the general policy of the Geary Exclusion Act must continue to have the force of law.

The new Hay-Pauncefote treaty was signed at Washington, Nov. 18th, by Secretary Hay, for the United States, and Lord Pauncefote, the British ambassador, for Great Britain. This is intended to replace the first treaty. That convention was amended so extensively by the U. S. Senate at its last session that the British government declined to ratify it. Within a few weeks negotiations began afresh between Secretary Hay and Lord Pauncefote, which have just resulted in the signature of the new treaty, drawn with special reference to the objections found by the Senate with the first treaty. The principal point of difference between the new and the failed treaty is the withdrawal of Great Britain from the joint guarantee of the neutrality of the canal, thus leaving the United States sole guarantor. The exclusion of the old provision respecting the right to fortify the canal leaves that right by inference optional with the United States. All commerce of whatever nationality passing through the canal will fare alike; there will be no discrimination in rates in favor of United States shipping. The new treaty replaces technically the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, concluded on April 19, 1850, by the terms of which the United States and Great Britain agreed that neither should seek any advantages in rights of transit across the Isthmus. By the new convention Great Britain yields her right in favor of the United States, which is thus at liberty to construct a canal.

HERE AND THERE.

Hops are selling at 9¢@10 cents in the Willamette valley.

The Pope is very ill and his death is expected at any time.

A fine assortment of up-to-date visiting cards can always be found at THE TIMES office.

The Walbridge & Carr store at Montague, Calif., was robbed Saturday night of \$100 worth of cutlery.

Men's and boy's clothing entirely new and up to date garments. Prices the very lowest. Nunan's.

The Ninth Infantry, U. S. A., was attacked near Tarangan, Samar. Two soldiers were killed and one wounded.

Wm. Koeppe, watchmaker and jeweler, is now located on California street, opposite the postoffice. Satisfaction guaranteed.

B. J. Pengra, A. H. Tanner and J. Sante have incorporated the Oregon Central Military Wagon Road Co. with a capital of \$25,000.

Orders have been issued by the War Department directing the 27th infantry to sail for the Philippines as soon as transportation can be provided.

Deeds, mortgages, leases, bonds, bills of sale and every imaginable kind of legal blanks—the latest and best—are constantly on hand at THE TIMES office.

The quarantine of the Klamath Indian reservation against small pox by Capt. O. C. Applegate, U. S. agent, does not prevent the use of the public road running through it.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cure biliousness, constipation and headache. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by City Drug Store.

Thos. Cordi of Sisson has bought land in Redding for the construction of a \$15,000 hotel. His offer of \$600 a month for the new Lorenz Hotel was refused; hence he will build.

Diamonds valued at \$10,000 and about \$90 in money were stolen Sunday night from a room in the Portland Hotel, occupied by A. F. Lowenthal of New York city. The thief escaped.

Fendal Sutherland, who recently died in Douglas county, left an estate appraised at \$194,192. He left practically no indebtedness, and bequeathed to his relatives several fine farms not long before his death.

It is the intention of the French-Glenn Livestock Co., which has extensive land and cattle interests in Southeastern Oregon, to dig a large ditch and drain some 65,000 acres of land known as the Blitzen Swamp, in Harney county.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Willamette Valley Prune Association it was decided to stand by the price of 5 cents for 40s in 25-pound boxes. This is at the rate of 4¢ for the same size in bags, and is far above present market quotations. The top price now is 3¢ cents, with 3 cents more frequently offered.

The William McKinley Memorial Arch Association has been incorporated in the District of Columbia, for the purpose of erecting in the nation's capital a fitting monument to the memory of the murdered president. That is the proper place for such a monument, as it is desired that it should be erected by the people of the whole country.

Henry Fournier, who on Saturday broke all automobile records by going a mile in 54.5 seconds on the Ocean Parkway, N. Y., is far from being satisfied that the limit of automobile speed has been made. In fact, he says the gasoline machine has just begun to demonstrate its power, and declares next year he will make a mile in 32 seconds.

The Yreka Journal says that W. T. Laird has delivered his property to the Pokemama Sugar Pine Lumber Co. Surveyors are at work on the premises, laying out grades for railroad tracks towards Klamath river and a line up the stream to the timber land at Pokemama, Ore. On this ranch and land purchased from W. H. Laird and others will be built an extensive saw-mill plant and a town.

Our old friend Judge Davidson of Marion county, has been raising corn successfully for the last 30 years, and has directed his attention to "making" corn as well as raising it. That is, by selecting his seed carefully, and studying the requirements of Oregon climate and soil, he has a kind of corn altogether different from what he had 30 years ago, though he has not changed his seed in the meantime. He now has corn that can be depended upon to produce a crop every year, maturing at the right season and yielding good measure per acre.

The U. S. Court of Appeals has decided against Jesse D. Carr, and his fence must come down. There is a statute which gives the President authority to take such measures as may be necessary to remove any unlawful inclosure of public lands, and Mr. Roosevelt has signed an order drawn up by District Attorney Hall, which has been forwarded to United States Marshal Shine of California with instructions to proceed. The fences in question are situated on and surrounding 88,000 acres of land in Modoc county, Calif., and are built of loosely piled stones. There are 400 miles of them, and the order of the court will necessitate the employment of a small army of men to execute it.

Under the act of the last Congress the number of widows drawing pensions has greatly increased. Of this class of pensioners coming under the act of 1900 the increase of the last year was 45 in excess of the previous year. The veterans are dying off fast. Not less than 100,000 have died within the past seven years, and the next seven years will see still greater inroads in the ranks of these patriots. Long before the army of Union veterans is reduced to a remnant we shall have, at the present rate of pensions granted, a very large army of pensioners from the Spanish, Philippines and Chinese wars. It is safe to say that one-half of the soldiers who served in these later wars will get on the pension rolls within the next twenty years.

MINING NEWS.

Some very rich ore from the Bill Nunnine has been crushed at Houck's mill recently.

Miners' liens, deeds to mines, water-right locations and other mining blanks always on hand at THE TIMES office.

The noted Jillson mine, situated in Cottonwood district, Calif., now worked by ten men, is to be operated by a full force after Jan. 1, 1902.

Mr. Barnes and other parties hailing from Seattle are on Foothills creek, bonding a number of placer mines in that district.

Notices for the location of placer and quartz mines, etc., up-to-date and complete, for sale at THE TIMES office.

The American Mining Code, standard authority on all subjects pertaining to mining, water-rights, etc., is kept on hand at THE TIMES office.

The Illinois Gravel Mining Co., which owns extensive placers on Josephine creek, have leased their property to Wm. Fehely of Kerbyville.

A. W. Sturgis, who almost entirely controls the mining situation in Forest creek district, last week purchased the Caton diggings, paying \$300 therefor.

The building of the Sumpter-Bourne electric railway will mean the inauguration of a system of electric railways to all the mining districts in touch with Sumpter.

H. T. Coffin, an excellent miner, is developing a proposition, located in Gail's creek district, that promises well. J. B. True of Portland is interested with him.

Shearer Bros. and Jas. Young, who have relocated the old Steamboat mine, will at once take steps to find the ledge, from which such a large amount of gold has been taken in former years.

John Broad and Thos. Reid are operating their mining property, situated in Forest creek district, to good advantage. Their milling plant is supplied with the latest machinery and most improved processes, and is doing excellent work.

J. L. Childs and W. R. Beall of Redding, Calif., operators in mines, went to the big copper mine at the head of Applegate last week, where they spent several days. They found Messrs. Cooper, Hamilton & Co., the owners, not anxious to bond their property, which is a valuable one.

At the Dixie Queen mine, located in Foothills creek district, a rich ledge has been uncovered. At a depth of 80 feet in the shaft a new vein from 12 to 15 inches in width was struck. A quantity of the ore removed for tests gave returns of \$75 per ton. The discovery was made in a lower tunnel.

The promoters of the gigantic placer project—the tunneling under Silver Creek falls, situated in Southwestern Josephine county—have got in 110 feet with their tunnel, and are proceeding as rapidly as the solid rock through which they have to bore will allow. Metts & Leigh, of Colorado, the principals in this enterprise, re-bonded the ground of Messrs. Thos. and Farren recently.

Quicksilver has been discovered in Picket creek district, Josephine county. H. C. Perkins, one of the surveying party who have been engaged in surveying mining claims there, has just returned to Grant's Pass, bringing with him samples of good-looking cinnabar. The ore removed is from the surface only, and it is not known as yet whether the ledge will prove profitable.

What is probably the biggest gold strike of the year in Atlin district, Alaska, has just been made. It is on the Sunrise group of claims, and is of gold quartz, which, according to mill tests, returns a value of from \$800 to \$1,200 per ton. The Sunrise is a two-year-old property. Over \$100,000 was spent in starting work on it as a hydraulic proposition; but this method of operation had to be discontinued on account of the large amount of water used. The owners then sank a shaft through their pay gravel until they recently struck gold quartz that was freely specked with gold and which assayed away up in the hundreds. Several hundred tons of ore were put through a mill test, and the results were most satisfactory.

Jury List.

The following is a list of jurors drawn for the ensuing term of circuit court, which convenes Dec. 9th: Applegate—Prescott—H. D. Kubli. Jacksonville—W. S. Raypholtz, L. D. Minear, J. F. Shepherd, N. Mitchell. Medford—True Cox, W. T. Kame, M. Maule, J. H. Norris, J. A. Whitman, W. Woods, J. R. Wilson, W. T. York. Ashland—J. E. Pelton, S. A. Parker, J. M. Casebeer, T. E. Hadfield. Roxy—C. C. Taylor. Dunn—J. L. Grubb, D. A. Jackson. Union—J. F. Cantrill. Central Point—J. H. Gay, W. M. Holmes. Rock Point—R. L. Dusenbury. Woodville—G. W. Wilcox. Pleasant creek—Chas. Owens. Talent—Emmett Beeson. Eagle Point—Geo. Smith. Phoenix—S. G. Van Dyke. Table Rock—C. A. Dickinson. Gold Hill—Carl Phelps.

Grand Christmas Raffle.

A raffle for \$100 in U. S. gold coin will take place at the Banquet saloon in Jacksonville on Tuesday night, Dec. 24, 1901. The person throwing the highest number with dice will get \$75, and the lowest throw takes the remaining \$25. Change will range from one cent to \$1. A fine turkey supper will be set after the raffle, which will be conducted to insure general satisfaction.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds have been recorded in the office of the county recorder since the last report of THE TIMES:

School Dist No 5 to F M and Grace Drake, portion of south school grounds, Ashland.....	1..
W J Caesar to Arthur L. Dickenson, 2105 82 acres in secs 14, 23, 25, 36, twp 35, 1 w; also land in secs 32, 3, 4, 9, twps 35 and 36, 2 w.....	2..
Mary J High to Weston High, property on Main street, Ashland.....	600..
Geo H Andrews to Mrs V Baer, lot 21, blk L, R R add to Ashland.....	75..
Julia McBride to Sherwin & Van Sant, lots 17 and 18, blk P, R R add to Ashland.....	225..
Eliza McTavish to Geo H Carter, 32.35 acres of d 1 c 43, twp 38, 1 w.....	3200..
Clara Phelps to A L Barnum, lots 6 and 7, sec 2, twp 39, 1 w, 35.77 acres.....	1000..
D P Britton to Clara Phelps, 45 acres in sec 11, twp 39, 1 w.....	100..
John Velt to D Britton, 5 acres in sec 11, twp 39, 1 w.....	100..
J H Thorndike to R P Kendall, lots 3, 4, 5, blk 80, Medford.....	900..
Heirs of Lewis Rees to C H Verhite, 463 acres in Eagle Point precinct.....	1650..
Total.....	\$7878.00

MARRIED.

GAY-BROWN—At Klamath Falls, Nov. 6, 1901, by Judge L. F. Willis, Grant Gay and Miss Alice E. Brown.
MARSHALL-CORBELL—At Klamath Falls, Nov. 8, 1901, by Judge L. F. Willis, Albert E. Marshall and Miss Lena M. Corbell.
MRPLF-SPURGEON—At Walla Walla, Wash., Nov. 6, 1901, Walter R. Marple of Klamath Falls and Miss Eva Spurgeon.
DALEY-CORLEY—At Jacksonville, Nov. 16, 1901, by Chas. Prim, county judge, Irvin Daley and Miss Eva Corley.
OFFENBACHER-CAMERON—In Jacksonville, at the residence of T. F. Dugan, by W. J. Plymale, J. P., Fred Offenbacher and Miss Carrie Cameron, both of Applegate.

BORN.

LEWIS—In Union Precinct, Oct. 31, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lewis, a daughter.
ISENHART—At Medford, Nov. 10, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. Isenhardt, a son.
TAYLER—At Medford, Nov. 14, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tayler, a daughter.

DIED.

HOAG—At Boulder, Colorado, Nov. 7, 1901, of consumption, E. H. Hoag, formerly of Jacksonville County, aged 25 years.
HICKS—At Ashland, Nov. 17, 1901, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hicks.
FAIRFAX—In Ashland, Nov. 17, 1901, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Fairfax.
PATRICK—In Montana, Nov. 5, 1901, Harry Patrick, formerly of Central Point; aged 29 years.

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