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BRIEF MENTION.

Trespass notices, printed on cloth, on sale at THE TIMES Printing House.

The bank of Liverpool, England, has lost \$850,000 through a dishonest clerk.

The Rothschilds have bought the greatest copper mine in Mexico for \$2,000,000.

In Colombia, S. A., one of Uncle Sam's dollars is worth \$45 of that country's currency.

The Russian empire contains more than 61 independent groups of people. It is a veritable Tower of Babel.

A large sheep-feeding firm of Sioux Falls, S. D., is preparing to ship 2,700 head of sheep direct to the Liverpool market.

A large quantity of newspapers, suitable for wrapping, pasting on walls, putting under carpets, etc., can be obtained cheap in quantities to suit, at THE TIMES Printing House.

Mr. Dosh will come home heavily laden with medals for Oregon's exhibit at Buffalo. Medals on such occasions come rather easily; but Oregon's products doubtless deserved all they obtained.

The celebrated Snap Shot, the best medicine in the world for allaying inflammation in man or beast, can be found at Dr. Robinson's drug store, also at Dr. Hinkle's, Central Point. Try it.

According to recent estimates of the corn crop of the United States for 1901, the average yield per acre is 37.4 bushels. The average yield last year, under favorable conditions, was 25.6 bushels per acre.

Mrs. Bradley Martin, an American, is getting not a little notoriety that she will be a guest at the coronation of King Edward and will have a million dollars worth of diamonds hung on show about her person.

When you feel that life is hardly worth the candle take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will cleanse your stomach, tone up your liver and regulate your bowels, making you feel like a new man. For sale by City Drug Store.

Fifty pounds of paper for each individual was the amount consumed in this country last year. The United States put 6,000,000,000 pounds on the market annually, according to the latest statistics, and has about 1000 mills engaged in the paper manufactured.

Seven hobos have been reposing in the Eugene jail. A genuine surprise was sprung on the officers. On searching one of the party, a gentleman of color, \$3,150 in bills were found sewed in his underclothing, together with certificates of deposits on an Eastern bank to the amount of \$500. On another party was found a check book showing deposits of \$100 in some banking institution.

The Bureau of Ordnance of the United States has concluded highly successful tests of a new dynamite gun of destructive powers in excess of any weapon hitherto designed. It is of the same pneumatic type as the guns of the batteries now in position at Sandy Hook and San Francisco, being 40 feet long, with a caliber 15 inches, but embodies many new features, including rapidity of action and accuracy of fire. A new type of fuse has also been supplied, which assures absolute precision of explosion of the shells both on impact and by delay action. With the caliber projectile the gun proved its ability to hurl 500 pounds of nitro-cellulose, said to be sufficient to annihilate any battleship afloat, a distance of about 3000 yards, with a degree of accuracy not excelled by the latest type of heavy rifle ordnance.

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JOSEPHINE COUNTY ITEMS.

Alex. Watts, the successful miner, spent a day in Grant's Pass last week.

H. L. Andrews, the expert miner, is again operating in Galice creek district.

M. Wilbur has sold his stock of furniture to Mr. Barnard, lately of Linn county.

Geo. Woodridge and his wife have returned from a visit east of the mountains.

H. D. Norton, the attorney, is in San Francisco, taking testimony in a suit over mining property.

J. A. Schneider, formerly of Placer, has become a resident of Lorane, Oregon. Success to him.

Supt. Savage recently held a local institute at Merlin, which was quite interesting and instructive.

J. C. Harper, who has been a resident of Grant's Pass during the past several years, has gone to Baker city.

Tom Gaiyin and Will Smith, two popular young men, have taken charge of Harry Lewis' livery stable. Success to them.

A broken boulder four inches in diameter, with a perfectly defined petrified crawfish in its center, was exhibited by J. A. Stalker in Grant's Pass Friday. It was picked up by Mr. Stalker on Althouse creek.

The Trip of the Season.

A winter trip to southern California and Arizona via the famous Shasta Route is one never to be forgotten. Renewed acquaintance with this section will ever develop fresh points of interest and added sources of enjoyment under its numberless resorts of mountain, shore, valley and plain. Two trains leave Portland daily, morning and evening, for California. These trains are equipped with the most improved pattern of standard and tourist sleeping cars, and the low rates place the trip in reach of all. For illustrated guides California and Arizona winter resorts address

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When Dom Pedro, then emperor of Brazil, was entertained at the White House, he had been told by a confused senator that it would be expected that he, the emperor, should be the last of the guests to depart.

The president's wife, however, informed her other guests that they would be expected to follow, not precede, the royal party in leaving the house.

The result was that no one dared to go for fear of a breach of etiquette. But at 3 o'clock in the morning a tired woman pretended illness, and the deadlock was broken.

Great is etiquette, but common sense is sometimes allowable.

A Curious Barometer.

A curious barometer is said to be used by the remnant of the Araucanian race which inhabits the southernmost province of Chile. It consists of the castoff shell of a crab. The dead shell is white in fair, dry weather, but the approach of a moist atmosphere is indicated by the appearance of small red spots. As the moisture in the air increases the shell becomes entirely red and remains so throughout the rainy season.

A Wise Prophet.

"On the whole," said the aged weather prophet, "I have found that the safest course is to predict bad weather."

"Why?" asked the neophyte.

"Because people are much more ready to forgive you if the prediction goes not come true."

Her Size.

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