

FANCY PRICES.

The "right-of-way" suits in this county have developed the fact that in Jackson county has taken an astonishing jump upwards in value within the last year.

Back Bone.

We are glad to live in a judicial district presided over by a judge who has backbone and that is just the case with Judge Hanna.

How Would it Work?

There is so much complaint among property owners regarding unequal taxation owing to the incompetence or lack of independence of assessors that we have a plan to propose that might work well.

Western Union stock is on the decline in Wall street. Ain't it too bad!

REDUCED POSTAGE.

Postmaster Muller has received a circular in relation to the reduction in postage from which we take the following:

On and after the first day of October, 1883, the rate of postage on domestic mail matter of the first class will be reduced from three cents to two cents per half ounce or fraction thereof.

The Department has adopted a new design for the two cent stamp—the head of Washington in profile, from Houdon's bust, being placed on a plain tablet; above the oval surrounding the head are the words "United States Postage," and underneath the tablet are the words "Two Cents."

A four-cent denomination of postage stamp and stamped envelope, to cover double postage under the new rate, will also be issued.

The Department will revise the schedule of prices of stamped envelopes by discontinuing the three-cent envelopes, and substituting two-cent and four-cent envelopes as may be necessary.

The two and three-cent stamps and stamped envelopes of the present design will continue to be valid after the first of October, and must be accepted in payment of postage whenever offered in appropriate amounts.

The drop letter rate of postage will remain the same as now—that is, two cents per half ounce, or fraction thereof, at free delivery offices, and one cent at all other offices; and no changes are made in the rates of postage on second, third, and fourth-class matter.

Waking Up.

The authorities in Montana are getting their eyes opened and beginning to punish a small and unscrupulous class of "land grabbers."

"The case of John A. Singleton who did some tall swearing before the land officers to prove the non-mineral character of his entry has been taken up by the U. S. grand jury and he is held to answer to an indictment for perjury."

There has been considerable of this kind of work in Jackson county and the services of the U. S. District Attorney should be brought into requisition in one of them at least.

Fair Yield.

Mr. Wm. Jones, manager of the Ish ranch, informs us that the yield of that place this season is only 7,500 bushels while at least 15,000 was anticipated.

Our old pard Littlefield of the "Ogden Plot" is evidently not an advocate of woman suffrage and thinks the female voting element in Utah do as much to keep up polygamy as the male element does.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Shah of Persia demands that Minister Benjamin pay the expenses of his reception. The cunning Oriental has an eye to business.

A committee of striking operators called on Gen. Eckert on the 15th but no compromise was effected and the brotherhood are still solid.

San Francisco is said to be more beautifully decorated than when visited by Grant. The headquarters of the Oregon commandery, Saratoga hall, is among the most brilliantly embellished buildings.

President Arthur and party are enjoying themselves on Wind river Wyoming Territory. In the mean time old Tilden is trying to raise enough wind for a presidential gale but it don't blow very hard.

English physicians in Egypt are trying to allay fears of the spread of the cholera by assuring the people of Europe that it is not the "Asiatic type."

The fact that the "solid south" is still relied on to give 156 democratic electoral votes is sufficient reason why that party should be defeated.

Jackson county juries are so generous in assessing "constructive damages" that now is the golden opportunity of the freighters whose business will be ruined by the railroad.

The "Oregonian" declines to abuse the Western Union on the ground that Jay Gould's hide is too thick and his hair too instant to be reached by a rifle loaded in Oregon.

COUNTRY PAPER ITEMS.

The important duty of the country newspaper is the correct record of the following important events:

John Jones is building a neat addition to his pig pen.

The hen roost of Thomas Brown, E.C., was seriously excited by some nocturnal visitor last night.

Mr. Smith, one of the best farmers in the valley, contemplates building a neat residence for his dog in the near future.

The roads are more dusty than they are when the weather is muddy.

Tom Jenkins mended his fence last week and intends doing some more work on it in the Spring.

The miners are not as happy as if they had taken out more dust.

What this section needs is capitalists to come here and hunt for quartz, that won't pay, and can't be found. If they pay their bills and spend their money, all right.

One of our most valued subscribers, stubbed his toe last week and he has our heartfelt sympathy.

The favorite "best" of Joe Snodkins came near choking himself to death last week with a mouthful of butter.

Big Johnson, Esq., had a runaway last week—his wife run away from him.

The lady of our estimable friend, Lufe, Suggs, is dreadfully afflicted with a "bile" on her nose.

The Postal Telegraph Question.

New York, Aug. 9.—The "Public" today makes a strong argument favoring a government telegraph, mainly on the grounds of public safety.

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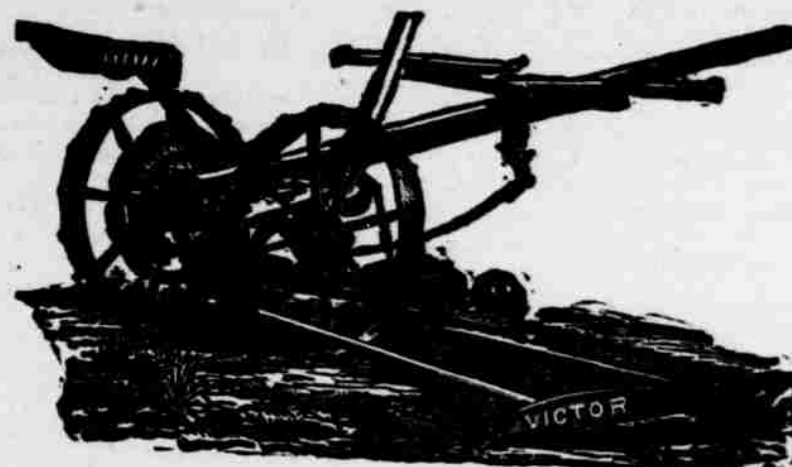
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