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sirie country and the quality of The soil excels that of any re yet seen. These prairies ally rolling, but off from the go are ' few and far between, ther, is for purposes of fencing. allegly searce. This search Square from 5 to 30 miles; and covered with a heavy growth

to Create and Lukiamuke for farm-by to decidedly the Lest we have seen in this this olde the Rocky mountains. a not only grows well, but farmbe carried on with less labor and fany other country we have ever farmers, too, are fully conf these fects, and they "take the at as easy" as any class of men a to be found. It requires but effect to raise as much produce of all in made for the meither in winnor custiles, and they may be said to all the while, in good condition, re-ting onthing but a liste sait.

The Le Creole creek afferds some fine privileges. It has upon it several to that are doing a good luminess; these several mill sites, owing to the newof the country, that are not yet imf. There are few large farms to to in this county. The great diss of labor, have had a tendency to things back. Stock-raising has been to, as it was strended with so low expense. And so certain the it down at his home and count within a fraction the amount of his annual income Cattle not being subject to diseases, losses, by murrain, hollow-horn, or the wolf, ver enter into the calculation. It is the country, says one, to make lazy

The portion of country south of the Le Creeks and south and west of Cincinnati. ould not be much better if one had the or of it himself .- Though farming is et earried on to any very great extent pre yet. Great calculations are being on the adventages that the exten navigation on the upper Willamwill open out. The market being so for distant there was little encouragement farmers to grow more than was leed for their immediate wants. The rement of the Willamette river in I places is of the utmost importance the entire upper country. And the out that will render certain the arigation of the river 15 miles above

cated by the last Legislature as was then bought near the centre of the county o prairie where there were no build. lage of any kind. The court house is now under contract, and is more than half finished; it is expected that it will sloted some time the coming full.nty, taken as a whole, is (or will in the Territory. There are ne valuable claims yet to be taken— exercity of timber has been the prin-

Sees of the fattest cattle we ever naw rere raised along on the Lukiamuke the where the range is extensive, and he grees of an excellent quelly landing in th county on the Willamette river that ne snything of a business, and is & sear the mouth of the Le Creole There is said to be a most exceldiag near the mouth of the Lukis-and one of the most eligible fown the river, and a lovely country

all suite that runs through the box Laftyeste via Le Creole to . They are the story above. The story above the story all although established and although established

country is asked by the Postal Agent.

Iow. The enterprising owners of the Multinomah concluded it could be easily improved; they, aided by the people of Salem, set about the work—wing dams though with less ability and zeal. The Times leads off in the organization scheme, and the Statesman followed suit though with less ability and zeal. The tree-ting correspondent, "Ewald, in Unputer the water was confined to a narrow channel which raised it to a height sufficient and—such prostitution of talents is seldent form. As the "facts" of the one and instance in the citizens of Salem. A lying upon the merits of its own people. low. The enterprising owners of the country's history. sent down by the citizens of Salem. A lying upon the merits of its own people shard the story of Lacut. Irvine in subscription was taken up to aid in the and the gordness of the cause espoused, weeks at least before the treats was made

the opinion of our informant, this bar can not concern them. be improved in a week or ten days so as Oregon is an isolated countre-sepa-

to admit of the boats running all season. rated from the parent Government sev. has been interlarding profusely its editor to their part towards rendering the river handful of men to regulate and guard her quite fastidious of late. Its reverse to navigable—they are just the men for such interests; which are entirely different the english lang tage in its purel, has an occasion. We hope when they suc- from that of any other Territory in the caused it to indulge in quite a place strain cood in getting the river navigable the U. States. We are now without the ade, against the introduction of the jargon into people will extend the patronage to the quate means of protection. What con- newspapers, after the fashion practised by may then expert a full gathering Mulmount that her enterprising proprietors deserve. Success to the Multinomah. ourselves about the policy that should ish notion is of recent birth with the Alta ersed with Dr. Maxwell, one of the pro- people are convinced of the inutility of with accidents to unlucky, and harprietors of the Multnomab, from whom separating the sheep from the goats, and breadth escapes of lucky "hombers;" and re have gathered more full particulars then get into fisticul about who shall play the reeson its entire hamily is to use one respecting the recognizated of their boat in sheep, and who shall play goat. The of its own favorite idious-we judge by came down on Saturday morning, we is to remain a unit—all parties and all sube" the use of the words, as employed. were sorry to learn, in a worsted condition. men, who are of us, are alike interested of which it complains. The boat, after spending several days' in the general prosperity of the country, work on it, passed the bar at Christman's and what matter is it to us whather Wol. and ascended as high up as Matheney's ster or Cass, Scott or Houston, is made the for the past wor 10 days—the thermomebar. An attempt was made to cross it next President? Our farmers will have ter ranging, at its highest, about \$7". In but the water proved too shallow when to split their own rails, sow their own that time we have had two little showers the loat had gained within a length of her- seed, and reap their own harvests, no mat. of rain, hardly enough to lay the dust . self the deep water above. The experiter who stands at the helm of the General a very unusual thing, we are told, to oc self the deep water above. The experiment ter who stands at the helm of the General ment has been fully tried at considerable expense to the boat, and the impossibility rendered certain that the river cannot be navigated at the present stage of water by steambpats. We had hoped to be able to the able to the able to the steambpats. We had hoped to be able to the word of this trial. We were not only preparing ourself to considerable. Seek are the men with the more favorable report of this trial.

There are a few political aspirants of the opposition, who care for nothing but the ourning sand, and to make the night the ourning sand and look at their country sinking with calm indifferent and an appeared day lest week in the ourning sand, and to make the night the ourning sand and look at their country sinking with calm indifferent an appeared day lest week in the durinture throughout the ourning sand and the impossibility to move the ourning sand and the arm the ourning sand and the ou gratulate the people of Salem upon their that reap the spoils of party, and such are the tardiness of our industrial population eing placed in connection with the great the men that govern the country where of mornings, one would almost come to commercial thoroughfare of the Territory, party isn is rife. We could point out the the conclusion that there is some to him short time since, at the Case ages, by the

Dr. Maxwell informed us that there are Dr. Maxwell informed us that there are many snags in the channel to intercupt the free, certain and successful navigation for everal months doring the sing patrons. We hope that the people the survey has been made before the set. tion of the river above. There is one at summer, we are pleased to say, has been of that part of the State will deathed whole Rock Island very much in the way, which measurably superseded—the spell has been duty towards supporting the Republican tion of the river above. There is one at ought, by all means, to be removed whilst broken and business seems to be starting in its new form, for it certainly desc yes he water is low. The dentist is needed in several other places even more than at tically one of the best farming Rock Island. The amount necessary to put the river in navigable order would not be great. It will require a full co-operation on the part of those interested from Sa lem down. The obstructions are said to

The boat was pretty seriously injured the "5 sisters," where, in descending, the under-current was so great as to cause the boat to sheer around, in the event of which she was run into the brush overhanging the bank, which considerably racked the starbourd wheel-house and broke out several of the arms. This agcident will deter her running for 8 or 10 days. It is the intention of the proprietors to keep her running as high up as she can go with safety.

00 The level of the Claukamas rapid has been taking by Mr. B. P. Shumord, and the full in sinertained to be just 5 feet

These facts have been brought to the Washington Union on no partylem; into with the Rogue river Indians by the girls, and for the girls to receive their atmosphedge of the Postal Agent—he will which, by the way, does not touch the Governor of Oregon was of no avail.—tentions. This is natural and of course so doubt see to them. He is disposed to question at issue. We do not wish, by The Indian Agent, Mr. Spalding, says right. But what we wish, more particular upply these wants, and only requires a keeping down party strife and organization that he basentire confidence in the treaty. Indy, to mention at this time is the manner ittle time to get matters arranged. He tion, to dry up all political preference on its validity, and the good results that will in which it was conducted in the early has been on the move constantly ever the part of the people, and that parties follow from it. We have conversed with days of Oregon; it is unique, and novel, since his arrival in the country. A little shall dissolve into chaos, to re appear at returning miners who represent the whole patience on the part of our friends in the some future time in a new form—to be road from Rogue river to the canyon as bed steads were, by no means common called by some new name. We contend safe; they also concur in representing feather beds and covering for the same RIVER NAVIGATION. -The Multnomah their preferences, and it is all right that of things is of the atmost importance to the mother of inventor." bad to make tarted from Canemah on the 6th inst., on they should. But to "go it blind" for the country-may it long continue. an exploring tour to take a survey of the party, right or wrong, and to erect slaugh. With reference to the capture of Lieut. go to see the gurls, and when the disriver and towns on the Upper Willamette: ter pens in every county to force people frvine, which was represented by the tance of me's shakeness made Her progress was unimpeded until she into and abide the decision of a few ultra. Statesman to have occurred since the treaty it necessary for the lover to remain all came to Crisman's bar, some 20 odd miles party demagogues, are things that we was made, we direct the readers attention might it was defined just as necessary to below Salem; here the water was found heartily condemn at this period of our to the subjoined extract from the Oregoni

The first har, we were informed, is country, merely because there is a differ-only about 200 feet in length. This, our ence of opinion about the policy of the informant states, was improved in a few General Government of the States, in thirteen head chiefs of Regue tiver na days, and the Multnomah passed to Mathe. which we have no voice, and are not like, tion. It is absurd to pretend, 500 or 600 feet in length. According to should be held accountable for what does

promise the people of Albany and Ma- tancy, but that is not our purpose. The respects cannt be denied. rystille alike good fortune. But there is old adage, "united we stand, divided we or The Burlington Hank Eye, one of must be done at the expense of the peo- on a day, above all others, the most inapdelay in the enjoyment of the advanta the service of the party movements as they ges consequent upon the removal of the progress in the work of organizing.

up afresh. Our merchants have received it, and create thereby a necessity for a their new goods-the country people are corresponding enlargement of his purse. coming in for their supplies—the fugitive farmers who can off to the mines lost spring Masons, from three I origes, Williamette, are returning to their homes to behold their much neglected crops, and their wives and daughters are coming to town to get be less firmidable above than below Salem. their new bonnets, etc.,—the success the mines of some have made husbands at a point a short distance below Mathe-and fathers liberal; the consequence is, gon, is the Columbian, at Portland, Capt. delay in adjusting boundaries and locating new's bar; it occurred at what is called but must have a new but, sis must have Orlando McKnight proprietor. A good claims on the township plats. bub must have a new hat, sis must have Orlando McKuight proprietor. A good a new frock, and the babe a rattle. Gold meal can be had at any time, and as for dust is being exchanged for these various alceping, his beds are of the best in the articles. Abernethy & Co. have good Territory. goods, plenty of them, and obliging clerks to show " 'em.!"

> next Legislature, in a private letter, sets arrupted the bost that she is, though alrong forth his opinion as to where the Legislature is to meet, in the following words:

ture is to meet, in the following worms:

"Congress, under the Constitution, is ampowered and authorized to legislate for the Territories. Consequently, an act of the Injured one was desputed of for sevice greated by a Territorial Legislature contrary to an act of Congress is the persmount law. Hence, any law seasted by a Territorial Legislature contrary to an act of Congress is corrials the cause; but rumor says Capt.

to the discribination of the people intersected. The post office at Nesmith's mill last week is out again in favor of organiis not supplied from any of the routes.— sation, and quotes a long extract from ent, to prove that the late treaty entered we have yet lived, for boys to court the that parties do exist-people do entertain the Indians quiet and peacable. This state were equally scarce. "Necessity (ever)

work, and some \$000 were subscribed in an effort is made to prostrate those en-E-op's Fables." I was at the Garny's bar, which is some fifteen miles be. It is have for several years to come;—
have, that these things have occurred since. The evident intention is, to tide outer the entering of the ente

The Alta California, a paper that The proprietors of the Multnomah will eral thousand miles—containing but a rials with Spanish for years, has grown summate folly it would be to quarrel among the Oregon papers. This Count de Orsay Since writing the above we have con- govern in the States. The mass of the The "local" of that paper used to term Hills around before another we've month. secoling the river to Salem. The boat true policy of the country, in our epinion, its interpretation of coun tux -it "quien

but we were hoping that we should be able men alloded to, who are big with expectit. That it is a "great country" in other operating of a local. The one was a rest.

mething more to be done before that fall," is applicable to our situation. We the best papers in lows, has made its uptakes place. The owners of the Multim- are glad to see the project fail so complete pearance in the form of a tri-weekly. mah have certainly performed well their ly. There has been but one meeting in Burlington now supports two tri-weekly Entres Secretaria part. The river must be improved—and favor of organization, and that took place papers. One of them, the Telegraph, is to appear in a short time daily. Burlingple to be benefitted by the improvement. propro, the fourth of July. We expect to ton is becoming one of the most impor-

63" The drooping spirits of our business of his paper to a size almost equal to the

67 A meeting of Free and Accepted pact form." Multnomab, and Lafavette, was held in this city on Saturday last; the object of which was to form a Grand Lodge.

OF One of the very best Hotels in Or-

05 The new steamboat of Hedges & Barlow, is to be launched on Saturday One of the members elect to the next. Mr. McLosky, builder, has reconly built, of light draught.

provision for these wants—the boxs would provide blankets for one's own belongwhich were spread down on the thor -the girls even soured the trouble of making the bids, each man carrying his own bed with him and it was not thought inconveulent either. Happy times those

Clackames rapid. Several overlings have been held; but out with that manmultiplifering, we are some tower, and oner con of some that as descrable. It an many accordingly statically to get a gue rice. Every citizen should feel personal. by november to an affect of so much imperfame to not only our own cur, but to the entire upper country. It should enshould be taken council at he or ascertain cations of the work bould to made out mest, and then the contract I the the law together we would approve that whereit dog fights by gotten expressly for the or er-limit, to commerce part 15 minutes before the apprented housed meeting. We

head of nav.eutoo," will be removed to We will not predict what will be the conname. We are so stied, however that the announcement of the fact will not on the least distorbethe nerves of our own

connact and St. Louis. More deaths are and to have or arred at the St. Louis quaranting, two to one, during the month of Long they than had year. The quararrane was alterational. partially on au-

dout of that places, the other an comigrant, whose family to not at Portland.

Schwaren Granan's Original Oergon City, Aug., 15, 1851.

Sec-In a short time Denuty Surveyors laies, and subdividing nato sections quite an extent of country. Understanding that The longer it is delayed the greater the bekept advised by the journal's enlisted in the enjoyment of the advants the service of the party movements as they

Our friend Pickett of the Provin (10) bands who have not had all the corners Republican, has increased the dimensions of their clasus established or boundaries marked. I would call their attention to a part of the 6th section of the hard law. themost commenced, then within three neather from the commencement of such settlement, each of said settlers shall notifor the Surveyor General to be appointed by this not, of the precise tract or teach claimed by them respectively under this law, and mail cases it shall be in a com-

In order to describe the precise truct or tracts claimed, the quete- and bounds must be given, and the Loundaries should be marked to enable the Deputy Surveyors to locate the lines of each claim properly as he progresses, with the survey; if this is done it will prevent much confusion and

To these who are cultivating claims, and are not residing upon them, I would call their attention to a part of the 9th section of the land law- That no claim to a donation right under the provisions of this act, upon sections sixteen and thirty-six, shall be railed or allowed, if the resideare and cultivation upon which the same is founded, shall have commenced after the survey of the same.

By giving the above publicity through your paper, you may save many of your patrons much inconvenience.

Respectfully yours, JNO. B. PRESTON.

05 Todd & Co. have our thanks for papers by the Sea Gull.

The third annual meeting of the Ore-gon Association will be held at the Cong-Church, Oregon City, on Thursday Sept. 11th at 10 o'clock A. M.

r. H. Lyman was appointed to preach

the Annual Sermon.

Rev. H. H. Spaulding, his alternate.

Rev. H. Clark, to preach the commun-

n Sermon. - Rev. C. Eells, his alternate.

There will be preaching Thursday eve-

H. CLARK, Moderator

G H. ATKINSON, Clerk. Oregon papers will do a favor by insertmy then always motion.

On Wednesday, the 13 inst., at Classop Claimer Expression, daughter of Nichola Kinkend and Priscilla MeBride; born in Versatlles, Kentucky, March 13th, 1800, married to John P. Gaines, June 22d, 1919, for many years a devoted member of the Presbyterian church, a fond and devoted wife, an affectionate mother and friend.

the circumstances attending the death of Mrs. Galars are melancholy in the ex-treme. Gov. Gaines, with his wife and family, came down the river on the Willametic, and on Sunday morning went to Claisso, where he has lately purchased a farm, and to which he was, with the most pleasing anticipations of the future, about natro-luce his wife and children at their future home. On the road to their house from Slipanown landing, the horse ilpus which Mrs. Gaines was riding, backed in wagon which was accompanying them. The animals became frightened and started off at full speed, carrying the horse along with them. Mrs. Gaines fell, her along with them. head striking upon the tyre of the vagor, and her leave being jammed between the front leavel and the horse. The horse ing thrown down, was passed over by the wheel- of the waygon, and Mrs. Gaines

Mir spoke but once after the accident, in I immediately became insensible. The ermery, and after lying seventy bear- in a state of unconsciousness, her sport calmly took flight, leaving its frail and temporary tenement.

upon to deplore the loss of another of its members On their way to this country, United States blooming with health and full of the high hopes of youth, died at St. Catherines, of yellow fever, and lie buried n the distant shores of Brazil. Just a year ago, Gov. Gaines and his family arrived in this Territory, in the U. S. Sloop of War Palmouth. Its anniversary has heren commemorated by a mouraful event. A large circle of friends will sympathize in the afflictions of the family .- [Cox.

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