

- Guard thou thy thoughts! For deeds we do, and every word we speak...

GOODBYE, STOCKMAN.

After reading the accounts of the oppressions of the beef trust in the state of Iowa...

The national association is to be reorganized from the ground up, at the Denver meeting...

Where this infernal trust can cause artificial depreciation of livestock values, as it has done in Iowa...

It is time for the stockmen of the West to assert their independence, take the 'bull by the horns'...

Now is the time to do it, and not a year from now. The association is to be reorganized now...

It is not an example that an American girl could imitate in good taste and it is a consummation despaired by English girls...

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How about the world cost of war? The debts of nations given in the World Almanac exceed \$39,000,000,000...

By a parsimonious government for ability and capacity. Applicants for the positions of bookkeeper, timekeeper and clerks...

For the hospital service, surgeons, physicians and nurses between the ages of 20 and 50 are wanted at salaries ranging from \$1200 per year...

All these employes must be sound in body and mind, of splendid physique, because of the enervating climate...

Frank killed 50,000 natives in 19 years on the isthmus, but there was chaos in all the camps and debaucheries and intemperance among all classes...

These will kill men in better climates, and if followed, will soon end the primrose path in such a spot as Panama...

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The bureau of animal industry has endorsed the action of Dr. E. N. Hutchinson, in refusing to grant a certificate to cattle affected with the mange...

The only instance on record in Eastern Oregon, where the citizens of a school district doubled the tax asked for by the school board...

When you read of the blizzards in the Central West and the freezing snowstorms in the East, are you not glad you are a citizen and resident of Oregon...

OREGON IS A BAD LIGHT.

Frankly, now that do you think the East thinks of Oregon today? What would you think of Massachusetts, or Vermont, or New York...

Imagine that you lived in New York, and had a family needing a home on the public domain, and that this news concerning the theft of millions of acres of the public lands of the country...

What, then, must be the public sentiment concerning Oregon, in the East? There are thousands of families suffering from land hunger in the crowded cities and country districts of the East today...

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The nation is pointing its finger of scorn and disgust at Senator Burton, of Kansas, who took a bribe from a brokerage concern in St. Louis...

When Baker City gets to feeling blue and glum, and wants to say something that the La Grande land office is to be removed to Baker City, at once...

Thirty years ago, the people of Oregon began the agitation for a ship canal by the obstructions in the Columbia river. This is a long time to wait, and the wheat farmers of the Inland Empire have availed the dividends of private monopolies...

It is hoped that New Williamson and Charlie Fulton look out for Oregon postoffice in Washington, while Hermann and Mitchell are attending to urgent business in Portland.

A statistician has learned that the annual aggregation of the circulation of the papers of the west is estimated to be 12,000,000,000 copies. To grasp the idea of this magnitude...

minutes reading his paper in the day (this is a very low estimate) we find that the people of the world altogether annually occupy time equivalent to 100,000 years reading the papers.

Hugh A. Jamieson, a Pennsylvania millwright, was killed by a log in Oregon lumber and mines, is dead at Warren, Pa.

The maximum punishment given any of the rascals guilty of the Kish-nuff massacre in May, 1903, was 170 days imprisonment.

As the result of the bitter factional war in Wisconsin, bribery is now openly charged. In the attempt to influence election of the next United States senator...

Edward C. Cooke was killed Sunday night at Springfield, Mo., by the collapse of a folding bed. Cooke weighed 200 lbs and was a cripple and was unable to help himself.

Ex-President Sam, of Hayti, has been sentenced to life imprisonment for issuing fraudulent government bonds, with the proceeds of which he undertook to leave the country.

One of the most severe snow storms in years is now raging in Northern Colorado and Southern Wyoming and thousands of acres of the country are being ruined by the blizzards.

Mrs. J. C. Squire calmly waited in her kitchen in Tacoma, and when a soldier in the uniform of the United States army, with a pistol tucked in his belt, came to the door...

The local Salvation Army corps sent out 27 boxes of food on Christmas day, containing dinners for 90 people. Other gifts were also distributed on that day, and the poor were made happy through the untiring efforts of the Army.

Charles McQuicker, James Merry and Joseph McGill, of Philadelphia, who celebrated Christmas by a big trunk to their room at a boarding house, were burned to death while helplessly intoxicated.

Burglars stole \$2000 worth of furs from the establishment of H. Leitch & Co. in Portland, Sunday night. Astoria fishermen have decided to ask for an amendment to the present fish laws, permitting them to fish on Sundays.

Century presented a Christmas program in the prison chapel. The program consisted of literary and musical numbers and was very creditable.

W. J. Bodno, a Butte butcher, claims that the woman found murdered on Catter mountain, near Colorado Springs, is his wife, who disappeared from home several days ago. This is the 14th man to claim the murdered woman as his wife.

Seven vessels belonging to the Seaman Commercial company are now frozen in the Yukon river, below Dawson, with every prospect of being ground to atoms when the ice breaks up in the spring, they being in the narrows, where the ice gorges are furious.

Two 'society belles' of Portland were detected in a theft of flowers from a grave in Lone Fir cemetery Saturday night. They were taken to a jail at night, where they were recognized and claimed by friends who had furnished them for the relatives of a little child who had died the day before.

The resignation of Rev. Arthur S. Allen, pastor of the First Baptist church at Mouth, has been requested by his congregation because of scandalous reports circulated about him. The trustee of the church, had a preliminary examination before Justice Rea on a charge of larceny of a 2-year-old mare belonging to George Irvin of Mouth.

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Real Winter Weather.

The 'real winter' weather which so many people have been wishing for has arrived. From away up in the Northwest territory a cold wave started a day or two ago, and it has reached Montana. Reports last night indicated that the severest cold in the state is in Northern Montana.

Owing to the fact that the telegraph offices in Eastern Montana close at 6 o'clock Sunday evening, and the cold wave did not begin to move until about that hour, it was not possible to get the temperature in that section last night.

Joseph A. Steach, the Round Basin sawmill and stockman, and Johnnie Tribbett of Monument, had a preliminary examination before Justice Rea on a charge of larceny of a 2-year-old mare belonging to George Irvin of Mouth.

Dr. Neill today received a copy of the Goldfield News, from Charles Warren. The paper carries an ad for Banner, Philbrick & Fenner, and gives extensive mention of the arrival of the Klondike expedition.

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Killing Cows Near Roseburg.

A cougar, measuring nine feet from tip to tip, was brought to town today by Charles Keyes of Melrose. Mr. Keyes killed the animal yesterday near Callahan's sawmill, 11 miles west of Roseburg-Roseburg Review.

Nasal Catarrh Ely's Cream Balm

Green Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying--does not produce sneezing.

H. M. SLOAN BLACKSMITH Horseshoeing, general repairing, wagon making and repairing.

Just Arrived A new lot of pianos and small musical instruments for the HOLIDAY TRADE.

White Bros. Dentists. Ass station Block. Telephone Main 1661.

Expert Collectors We have located a branch office in Pendleton, and will make collecting delinquent bills a specialty.

Muslin Underwear SALE

ALL THIS WEEK. THE WHITE WEAR SALE OF THE SEASON

Never have we placed on sale such great values and such a large assortment of under muslins. OBSERVE the variety of the garments we offer and notice the excellent finish and varied styles.

Table with 2 columns: LOT 1 (13c), LOT 2 (19c). Includes items: Corset Covers, Drawers, Waists, Skirts.

Table with 2 columns: LOT 4 (59c), LOT 5 (79c). Includes items: In this lot you will find beautiful designs in lace and embroidery trimmed, Corsets, Drawers, Gowns, Skirts.

Table with 2 columns: LOT 3 (29c). Includes items: Two styles Corset Covers, Two styles Drawers, Two styles Waists, Two styles Skirts.

Table with 2 columns: LOT 6 (\$1.13). Includes items: Latest styles and shapes. If you fail to supply yourself now you won't get another chance.

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Lee Teutsch's Dept. Store Main and Alta Streets