

The New Northwest.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1872.

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HOME NEWS.

Croquet is now the game.

Dolly Varden is all the rage.

Salem wants more policemen.

The *Weekly Mercury* of Salem is to be enlarged.

Railroad surveys are being made in Polk county.

The Olympians still complain of mail irregularities.

An Episcopal church is to be erected at Walla Walla.

Numerous dwellings are being erected at Walla Walla.

A three-story brick hotel is being erected at Eugene City.

A colony of Germans recently located in the vicinity of Olympia.

A picnic on a grand scale is soon to be held in Washington county.

Another discovery of rich mines in the Santiam district is reported.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars will meet at Salem next month.

The mails are now carried thirty-five miles beyond Eugene City by rail.

The citizens of Hillsboro propose to raise funds to procure a town library.

L. P. Beach has been appointed Surveyor General of Washington Territory.

Two-thirds of the convicts in the Oregon State Penitentiary are unmarried men.

The woolen factory at Salem will commence running again in a short time.

Mr. Halsey is building a hotel at the town which bears his name, in Linn county.

Three prisoners recently escaped from the Washington Territorial Prison at Steilacoom.

Mrs. M. J. Ensign, dress-maker, wants some girl apprentices. Who's the first to apply?

Hon. G. H. Williams is now in the State, having returned to canvass for the Republicans.

The bridge across the Cowlitz at Pumphrey's is to be completed by the 1st of September.

Rev. Mr. Condon, who was recently severely injured by a stage accident, is slowly recovering.

Four surveying parties of the North Pacific Railroad are now in the field in the Pacific Division.

We acknowledge the receipt, under the frank of Senator Kelly, of "Statistics of the Census of 1870." Thanks.

The Baker City Academy, which was burned down some time ago, will soon be rebuilt. The frame is already up.

Attention is called to the advertisement of William Beck & Son. They have the best of everything in their line.

Stone for the building of the Catholic Academy at Salem is being taken from a quarry near Marshfield, in Clackamas county.

Mrs. H. C. Brown will re-open her select school, corner Second and Hall Sts., next Monday, May 13th. We hope she will be well patronized.

A part of a Mastodon tooth, six feet in length, nine inches in diameter, and weighing 137 pounds, was found recently near Ashland, Jackson county.

The Herald says the Liberal Republicans are making arrangements to receive Jasper Johnson on his return from the Cincinnati Convention.

A movement is being made to secure a daily mail from Yamhill river, at the end of the Oregon Central Railroad, to Junction City, via Corvallis and Monroe.

Captain Gregory, formerly of the Pacific Transportation Company, contemplates locating at Olympia as agent of the Pacific Life Insurance Company of Sacramento.

The Olympia Tribune contradicts the report that Congress has appropriated \$50,000 to build a capitol at Olympia. It says it is a pure invention, without the shadow of foundation.

A dispatch from Senator Corbett contradicts the telegram from Garfield, which stated that the bill postponing the election in Washington Territory until November had passed both Houses. The bill is still pending before Congress.

Travelers for the Union Pacific Railroad at Kelton leave the river at Umatilla, and, on and after May 1st, will be dispatched to the railroad in four days, instead of six, as heretofore; and the same company—the Northwestern Stage Company—make the schedule time from Walla Walla, while the Lewiston and Walla Walla stage will run through in one day, instead of two, making quick and gratifying dispatch for mails and the travel.

The following officers of the Washington County Agricultural Society were elected last Saturday: President, W. G. Scoggins; Secretary, I. Patterson; Treasurer, James Imbra. The Directors will meet at the Fair Grounds near Hillsboro on the 11th of May to let the pasturage of the grounds for the next year to the highest bidder.

The Oregonian says a party is engaged in examining the Willamette river at this place to find the most favorable location for the proposed bridge. The plans and specifications of this important work were brought from Washington by Colonel W. W. Chapman, and will be submitted to the Common Council at its next meeting for acceptance by that body.

A company has been organized at Olympia, the object of which "is to locate, construct and operate a railroad beginning on the navigable head waters of Budd's Inlet, within the corporate limits of the city of Olympia, in the Territory of Washington, connecting with the Northern Pacific Railroad near the southern boundary of township sixteen north, thence by most favorable route via Chehalis valley to the Pacific Ocean, at or near Gray's Harbor in Washington Territory."

The Albany Democrat says: William Davidson, Esq., Real Estate Dealer of Portland, will accept our thanks for many valuable favors and gentlemanly courtesies while we were in that city last week. This gentleman is doing an extensive and profitable business in his line, and is also doing very much to advance the interests of Oregon and induce valuable and useful accessions to our population. Any one living abroad who desires information in regard to the resources, advantages and productions of the North Pacific Coast, or the value of labor and inducements for capital here, will always find Mr. D. a useful, comprehensive and ready correspondent. May his sphere of usefulness continue to increase until the entire country may fully realize the benefit derived from his labors.

WHAT I HAVE NOTICED.—I have noticed that all men speak well of all men's virtues when they are dead; and tomb-stones marked with epitaphs of "goodness and virtues." Is there any particular cemetery where the bad men are buried?

I have noticed that the prayer of every selfish man is "forgive our debts," but he makes everybody pay who owes him to the last farthing.

I have noticed that death is a merciless Judge, though not impartial. Every man owes a debt, and death summons the debtor to lay down his dust in the currency of mortality.

I have noticed that he who thinks every man a rogue is very certain to see one when he shaves himself, and he ought, in mercy to his neighbors, to surrender the razor to justice.

I have noticed that money is the fool's wisdom, the knave's reputation, the wise man's jewel, the rich man's trouble, the poor man's desire, the covetous man's ambition, and the idol of all.

I have noticed that whatever is, is right, with few exceptions—the left eye, the left leg, and the left side of a plum pudding.

I have noticed that merit is always measured in the world by its success.

The NEW NORTHWEST, published at Portland, Oregon, Mrs. A. J. Dunaway, editor and proprietor, is well worthy the patronage of all the people of that region of country, and should any of our readers desire to be kept posted in matters on the Pacific coast they can do no better than to subscribe for the NEW NORTHWEST. It is completely a lady's paper.—*People's Paper, Clermont, Iowa.*

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