

The New Northwest. FRIDAY, JULY 19, 1872. HOME NEWS. The delinquent tax list in Polk county totals up \$1,005 52. A Wooden Water Pipe factory is to be located in Salem. The wheat and oat harvest will commence in a few days. Lane county has 2,000 in the Treasury over and above her indebtedness. The new Penitentiary building at Salem will be ready for occupancy in a few days. Work on the M. E. Church and agricultural buildings at Salem is going on finely. The Willamette University at Salem has lately received quite an addition to its library. Lane county received \$500 for licenses last year. Linn received \$600 from a similar source. The salary of the Superintendent of Schools in Lane county has been raised to \$500 per annum. Corvallis is to have a new fire engine. The Chief Engineer has gone to San Francisco to purchase it. The fare from Olympia to Seattle, a distance of eighty miles is twenty-five cents. Cheap riding that. The thermometer stood 107 degrees on the shady side of the street in Walla Walla last Tuesday. Rather hot. Business at Eugene City is reported dull. The railroad has gone beyond that point, and now comes the reaction. The Portland Free Discussion Club have their weekly meetings every Sunday at 3 o'clock P. M. at No. 31 First St., up stairs. The yield of grain throughout the valley, owing to the late rains, will be much better than was anticipated a short time ago. Vroom's shingle mill, ten miles east of Silverton, turns out from ten to fifteen thousand shingles per day. The shingles are of the best quality. The Academy at Wilbur, in Douglas county, has lately closed a prosperous term. The graduates were a Mr. and Miss Vandenberg, of Coos county. Jacob Powell, a Baptist preacher known to everybody in Oregon, more for his eccentricities than his education, is said to have become a moving nautic. There will be a Spiritual Week Meeting on August 20, 1872, opposite Pt. Poialla, and one mile and a half to two miles below Canby, at railroad bridge No. 15, on Parrot's land. Among the passengers who left on the steamer Ajax was Hon. B. Sealing, President of the Youth's Literary Society of Portland. His many friends wish him a safe trip and speedy return. The Farmer says it is calculated that the total trade for imported farm machinery in Oregon for the present year will aggregate \$1,000,000, while considerable is also manufactured at home. Mr. C. A. Lohmeuler will lecture on Spiritualism next Monday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, at Nonpareil Hall. Tests will be given after the lecture. Neither collection nor admittance fee.

A very pleasant musical and literary entertainment was given at the Unitarian Chapel last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Cardinal's reading of "The Belle" and "Beautiful Snow" was especially good. The Through Line, a paper devoted to the interests of the Portland, Dalles and Salt Lake Railroad, has just been issued in this city. As we haven't seen a copy of it yet, we can say nothing of its merits. The Dalles salmon fisheries are estimated to be worth at least \$1,000,000, and the Mountaineer is in favor of re-opening the treaty by which the whites got possession of them, and paying the Indians something like a fair price for them. A little girl, daughter of an emigrant just arrived in Wasco county, was bitten by a rattlesnake last week. As soon as the fact was known the parents sucked the virus from the wound and filled the child with whisky, and she soon recovered. The Salem Statesman, speaking of the coming harvest, says: "A trip anywhere in the country at the present time will reveal the fact that harvest is near at hand. The grain is fast ripening, and soon the rattle of machinery can be heard in every field."

From the Salem Mercury: "We learn from a gentleman who has just returned from the Santian mines that prospects are flattering, as good ore in large quantities is being unearthed. Work is being kept up night and day by different shifts of men." Wm. Davidson, Esq., the enterprising real estate dealer, has had a copy of the Premiums for the Oregon State Fair for 1872 on our table. The badge rule is to be enforced again this year. The premiums offered, we judge, are about the same as those of last year. The Idaho Signal publishes the following in regard to the crops: "Assessor King informs us that he thinks not more than half the usual crop of grain will be raised on the Camas Prairie, east, the present season, owing to the dry weather. The farmers are calling loudly for rain."

The O. S. N. Co. announce a change in the schedule time of the leaving of their boat on the Olympia route. The steamer Fannie Troup leaves their wharf for Kalama at 3 P. M., one hour earlier than heretofore. It connects at Kalama with the N. P. R. R. for Olympia via Pumphrey's. Returning, the steamer will leave Pumphrey's at 6 A. M.

The Olympia Tribune, of the 12th, says: Large fires are raging on both shores of the mainland near Tacoma, on Vashon and Maury Islands, and further down the Sound. The smoke is already becoming oppressive and to steamboat men alarming. In case there should be no cessation of the present dry, warm weather until September or October, as

usual and expected, the country for hundreds of miles north and south of us will be, without doubt, very soon completely enveloped in smoke. The report of the Young Men's Christian Association of Portland for the past year shows an indebtedness of a balance of three hundred dollars against a balance in the treasury of about the same sum last year. During the past year the rules and by-laws have been so amended as to admit of members becoming members—a very commendable action. It is intended to erect a suitable building for the Association as soon as possible.

The Olympia Tribune, of the 12th, has the following in connection with the late fire at Bellingham Bay: From a gentleman just from Bellingham Bay we learn that the coal mine there has at last been pumped dry, and is now ready for mining. Since last September, when to extinguish the fire burning beneath the mine was flooded, not one hundred tons of coal have been taken out. For a few days past nothing has been done except to leave the pit open for the escape of poisonous gases. With Monday next mining will again be commenced. The bark Amethyst and ship Germania are each in the bay waiting cargoes of coal for San Francisco.

The catalogue of St. Helen's Hall, just published, shows that institution to be in a flourishing condition. One hundred and ninety-three pupils have been in attendance during the past year. The Faculty is composed of the following: Rector, The Right Rev. B. Wistar Morris; Assistant Teachers, Miss Lydia Rodney, Miss Lydia H. Blackler, Mrs. Mary B. Clayton, Miss Catherine C. H. Burton, Miss S. Elizabeth Boyd, Miss Ida Boyd; In Charge of the Musical Department, Miss Clementina Rodney; Teacher of Music, Miss Julia L. Lindsay; Teacher of Music, Miss Laura Foster; Drawing Master, Mr. Edward T. Coleman.

The Pineblair says: "Coos county now contains a population of 2,500. There are three steam saw mills which cut an average of 60,000 feet per day, and at least 10,000 tons of coal are shipped to San Francisco annually. The trade supplies about thirty vessels. The coal and lumber trade is rapidly increasing, and the agricultural lands, heretofore neglected, are being rapidly settled up with an enterprising class of farmers. For all these settlers there is only provided a weekly mail by the way of Oakland, Scottsburg and Gardiner, which reaches Empire City in three days from Oakland. The commercial interests of the bay have suffered on this account to such an extent that a telegraph line will soon be constructed to connect with Roseburg."

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A compositor, now in the office of the Newark (N. J.) Advertiser, once asked Mr. Greeley's influence to procure a government clerkship in Washington. "Can you say wood?" queried the philosopher. "Yes, sir," falteringly replied the applicant. "Then stay away from Washington," was the only further remark vouchsafed. The compositor now tenders the same advice to Mr. Greeley, "no matter whether he can say wood or not."

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