

STATE NEWS.

Messrs Odell & Jackson of the Statesman have dissolved partnership. The paper will be conducted by Gen. Odell in future.

The Albany Democrat announces that its editor Gen. M. V. Brown is convalescing from his severe spell of sickness.

About \$600,000 worth of cattle have been sold from Grant County since May last.

At the La Fayette Academy there are now 154 pupils—an unprecedented number.

J. W. Allen, of Yamhill, has sold his farm near Amity for \$10,300, and moved into La Fayette.

The Bee says that a little child named Annie O. Donnel was so badly scalded at the Good Samaritan hospital last Monday that she died on the following day. She got into a bath tub filled with hot water, and was so badly injured before she could be taken out that death resulted. Her father is an inmate of the insane asylum.

The Mountaineer reports that a man named James Waldon was found dead in a small pond near the mouth of Three-Mile creek, about a mile and a half above the Dalles, by some boys who were out duck-shooting. On examination of the body the coroners jury rendered a verdict of accidental drowning.

The Dalles Itemizer commenced its fourth volume with its issue of Dec 1. It deserves a liberal support from the citizens of "old Polk," in whose interest it labors.

During the month of November there were recorded in the county clerk's office for Marion Co., 74 deeds and 50 mortgages. During the same time there were 20 marriage licenses issued.

A BAD FIRE.

"Jones, have you heard of the fire that burned up the man's house and lot?"

"No, Smith; where was it?"

"Here in this city."

"What a misfortune to him. Was it a good house?"

"Yes, nice house and lot—a good home for any family."

"What a pity. How did the fire take?"

"The man played with fire, and thoughtlessly set it himself."

"How silly! Did you say the lot was burned too?"

"Yes, lot and all; all gone slick and clean."

"That is singular. It must have been a terrible hot fire, and then I don't see how it could have burned the lot!"

"No, it was not a very hot fire. Indeed it was so small that it attracted but little attention, and did not alarm anybody."

"But how could such a little fire burn up a house and lot. You haven't told me."

"It burned a long time—more than twenty years. And, though it seemed to consume very slowly, yet wore away about \$150 worth every year, till it was all gone."

"I don't understand you yet. Tell me where the fire was kindled, and all about it?"

"Well, then, it was kindled in the end of a cigar. The cigar cost him, he himself told me, \$12.50 per month, or \$150 a year, and that in twenty-one years would amount to \$3,150, besides all the interest. Now, the money was worth at least 10 per cent., and at that rate it would double once in seven years, so that the whole sum would be more than \$20,000. That would buy a nice house and lot in any city. It would pay for a large farm in the country. Don't you pity the family of the man who has slowly burned up his home?"

"Whew! I guess you mean me, for I have smoked more than twenty years. But it didn't cost as much as that, and I haven't any house of my own. Have always rented—thought I was too poor to buy a house. And all because I have been burning it up! What a fool I have been!"

The boys had better never set a fire which costs so much, and which, though so easily put out, is yet likely, if once kindled, to keep burning all their lives.

Roseburg came near having a first-class sensation on the 27th. A number of festive gentlemen had imbibed a quantity of "tarantula juice," and by way of variety began calling each other anything but gentlemen. One of the party got "on his ear" and pulled a revolver with the apparent intention of putting an eternal quietus to the noise of another, whom he fancied had said too much, when a bystander thrust his hand under the falling hammer of the pistol, and thereby prevented a drunken murder. This kind of a thing is getting rather too frequent, and it seems to us that our Marshal might take a hand, with credit to himself and profit to the city treasury.—Painkiller.

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