THE ASHLAND TIDINGS

FRIDAY.....NOVEMBER 1, 1878.

Sore Affliction.

Mr. Ira Burton, who has been living for a number of years near the mouth of Salmon river about 70 miles from Salem, has lost out of a family of eight children, six of them within the the last ten days, of that terrible scourge diphtheria. The family were in an utterly destitute condition and lived about 50 miles from any doctor. The two sons who escaped the ravages of the disease were not at home at the time, but went on learning the condition of things, to help bury their brothers and sisters. Coffins had to be procured from the nearest settlements. What a terrible picture this must have been; the starving remnant of a once large family alone with its unburied dead.

In this connection, we insert a so called "cure" which is worthy of careful preservation.

CURE OF DIPHTHERIA. — The celebrated Dr. Field, during the ravages of diphtheria in England, a few years since, used the following remedy: A teaspoonful of flour of brimstone in a wineglass of water, stirred with the finger rather than a spoon, as sulphur does not readily amalgamate with water. When well mixed use as gargle and swallow. In extreme cases, where the fungus was too nearly closed to allow gargling, he blew the sulphur through a quill into the throat, after the fungus had shrunk, then gargle. If the patient cannot gargle, sprinkle the flour of brimstone on a live coal and let him smell the fumes. Brimstone kills every species of fungus in man, beast, bird or plant. Dr. Field never lost a patient by diphtheria during all his immense practice.

RECEIPTS.

CORN STARCH CUP CAKE.—Five eggs, one cup of butter, two cups of sugar, one cup of sweet milk, one cup of cornstarch, two cups of flour, one half teaspoon of soda. one teaspoon of cream-tartar, vanilla flavoring; bake in small pans; one half the recipe makes a large cake. I. C.

THANKSGIVING FRUIT CAKE.—As it is now time to think about our Thanksgiving fruit cake, I send a recipe which I know to be excellent: One pound brown sugar, one pound browned flour, three pounds seedless rasins, two pounds currants, one pound citron, three-fourths pound butter, one cup molasses, two teaspoons black pepper, one nutmeg, one teaspoon soda, twelve eggs, one half cup currant jelly melted in one half cup hot water. This cake will keep for years. T. M.

Editorial.

The TIDINGS must be kept up to its high standard of vigor, freshness and usefulness. So say its resolute proprietors; so say those whose business "ads" appear in its columns; so say the hundreds of subscribers who have learned to look foward with eager interest to the hour of its weekly appearance; so say we all, when we consider only the necessities of the case. But when we glance at the possibilities and probabilities we cannot put aside the fact that the friends of the TIDINGS have lost a friend. He whose clear intellect, ready wit, tireless energy and patient service did so much to make the editorial columns of this paper a source both of pleasnre and of profit has suddenly disappeared. It is saddening to miss his genial face from each accustomed place. It is a sad thought that we must learn to get along without the aid of such a friend. It will be a difficult task for the proprietors to supply the place made vacant by the death of editor—J. M. Sutton.

Not least difficult, however, is the task of him who attempts to supply, even temporarily, the place of a successful editor of a non-partisan newspaper.

In view of the many difficulties and embarrassments that surround the position, it is earnestly requested and confidently hoped, that our friends will all be patient and tolerant until permanent arrangements can be made.

It is further hoped and request- that those who have hitherto helped, by sending in contributions of news items &c., will not now withhold their aid. Especially is this plea urged in behalf of the "Scaps of Oregon History." Pioneers of Oregon, use your pens while you may in this important matter! Soon those pens will be left to other hands; but not so the knowledge you possess, unless you save that knowledge from oblivion by committing it to writing. It is not enough that you can remember and recount thrilling incidents connected with the early settlement of our lovely sunset land; you may leave [illegible] as a rich legacy, to generations following. Neglect it and your own posterity will pass by your graves with scarce a tithe of that felling of interest and gratitude that would grow out of reading accounts of exciting adventures, in which your name appears as an actor. Already much has been done in this direction, but much remains. Let none wait, nor hesitate because he has not enough to fill a column. Send us a single incident, if you have one worth preserving. Be careful to have all dates, places and names correct, and send your work along, be sure it will be welcomed in the TIDINGS office and subsequently in a thousand home circles.

TERRIBLE STORM.

Another Destructive Gale on th Atlantic Coast.

The exchanges are full of accounts of extensive losses of life and property, by a tornado. We have only space for a brief summary.

On the 23d of October, the coast of New England was visited by a storm of wind and rain, that for destructiveness, has few parallels in history. Several steamers, with scores of schooners, oyster boats and other craft were either torn in pieces by the waves, upset or driven on shore; many of the latter being dashed to pieces upon the rocks A large number, however, of the lighter vessels were carried out and left upon sandy beaches, and most of these will be saved.

ON THE SHORE

the storm king was not idle. Houses, barnes and trees fell, until, in the city of Philadelphia alone, reports made on the 24, show that 384 houses were either demolished or badly injured. Besides these, we find on the list for the same city, 31 churches, 23 school houses, 35 factories, and ware houses, five hotels, two elevators, and fifty other large buildings.

The marvel is, that in all this crash, only six are known to have been fatally injured. While the loss of property is estimated at $2 000,000. At many points, flood was added to storm, increasing the damage. The greatest loss of life was by the wrecking of vessels.

Mechanics Fair.

[From the FARME].

Geo. Williams & Co, of the Oregon Glove Factory, show a case of well made gloves, from the heaviest riding gauntlets, to the finest kid of multitudinous buttons.

Molson's manilla "cordage works" show very even strong rope, made in Oregon, from manilla imported from South America.

A. M. Cornelius, the irrepressible, exhibits the only washing machine. The machine is an invention of his own and evidently very good, since it has taken all the blue ribbons where it has been exhibited in the State during the past year and has driven other competitors from the field in most instances.

Frankmann & Wolf, machinists, have a tasteful case filled with the latest improvements in saw teeth.

A. L Benjamin, of San Francisco, shows a little article which must be of use to housekeepers, if it does the work that it is claimed to do, "De Soto's Spanish Bullion," a solution of silver for washing silver, which gives it the appearance of having been re-plated.

C E. Sherwood, of San Francisco, has a plaiting machine for making side plaits, box plaits &c. It is easily worked.

Saturday was a most lovely Autumn day, and the citizens of Portland and surrounding country in great numbers took the opportunity to attend the Mechanic's Fair. From ten in the morning until eleven o'clock at night, many hundreds of people visited the exhibiton building, and admired the various rare and beautiful objects to be seen there. The number present during the day and evening was greater than on any previous day of the week. Some of the exhibits had been tastefully arranged and new articles had been brought in, making the exhibition more complete than before. More light was furnished in the evening, and the scene was one of more splendor and brilliancy than had been brought out on any other evening. From 7 o'clock till 11, the aisles and galleries were crowded with people, among them, the most leading people in the community. It has already become one of the most fashionable resorts in the city.

For the purpose of giving a better display to a large number of articles in the galleries, some important changes in the arrangement have been made, which render that part of the exhibition much more attractive. There having been a very generally expressed desire that the exhibition be continued for more than a week, the management conclude to keep it open until Tuesday evening. The additions made since Saturday are well worth the price of admission to those who have seen the fair heretofore, and those who were unable to attend last week, should not fail to attend.

The music on Saturday evening was equal to a first class concert, and the programme selected for to night, is of the choicest gems and most popular airs of the day.

CINCINNATI Oct. 23.—A severe rainstorm [illegible] night prostrated the telegraph wires, and cut off all communication with the east.

Here and There.

A. Bush, the Salem banker, has been appointed Superintendent of the Penitentiary and W. P. Miller, Warden.

The miners on Silver creek unanimously agreed that all claims recorded after Oct. 1st, could lie over till June 1st, 1879, without working.

The excitement over the late discoveries of French Flat, near Waldo, still continue. About thirty men are at work and are making from four dollars to one ounce per day to the hand. The diggings are deep, and as there is no fall are worked by drifting.

If we have cast up correctly the deficiencies for which provision is made in the appropriation bill passed at the recent session of the legislature, the total is $37,228 57. But we learn that it is beginning to be a question whether these deficiencies will be paid. The reason is found in Section Sixx, Article Nine, of the Constitution of the state, which provides that "whenever the expenses of any fiscal year shall exceed the income, the legislative assembly shall provide for levying a tax for the ensuing fiscal year, sufficient, with other sources of income, to pay the deficiency, as well as the estimated expenses of the ensuing fiscal year." But the legislature did not provide for levying such tax for deficiencies; and it is suggested, therefore, that these bills will at least have to wait till current expenses are provided for and it be seen whether there is a surplus.

Dyspepsia, biliousness, sick headache, foul breath, water brash, flatulence, are as nothing compared with the agony of a live town, when it finds itself checked, hindered, held back blocked by an inability to procure lumber as fast as it is needed. Such is the present condition of Ashland.

STATE OFFICERS.—The following officers were elected by the Legislature;

Pilot Commissioners, Thos. Robinson, A. Van Dusen and John Hobson; Canal Commissioner, C. F. Beatty; Register of State lands, J. H. Slater; State Librarian, H. N. Steeves.

IMPORTANT.—A bill was passed by the late Legislature "providing for the election of Supreme and Circuit Judges in separate classes."

The bill provides for "two terms of the Supreme court annually," and fixed the yearly salary of each Judge, of both supreme and circuit courts, at $2 000 payable quarterly; and prohibits any other allowance for their services directly or indirectly.

BUSINESS.—We seldom meet or see any person in or about Ashland who does not seem full of business. Tradesmen and mechanics are driven to the utmost, to supply the demands made upon their labor. Farmers are not unfrequently obliged to do their own carpentering while blacksmiths have learned how to hold upon their hands at one time a half dozen unfinished jobs. Fortunately we are in a moral community, and if customers who are compelled to wait do much swearing it is deep, not loud.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

A note from the office of the secretary of state, dated Saturday, gives the following: His Excellency Gov. Thayer has just made the following appointments: Judge, 1st judicial district, H. K. Hanna; 2d judicial district, J. F. Watson; 3d judicial district, Benj F. Harding; 4th judicial district, C. B. Bellinger; 5th judicial district, L. L McArthur; supreme judges, J. K. Kelley, R. P. Boise and P. P. Prim; notaries public—J. W. Robb, Astoria; E. Hamilton and Jos. Simon, Portland; L. Dielshnieder, St Paul; Jno. T. Gilfry, Caswell; Geo. B. Dorris, Eugene City.

BIG APPLE.—A Gloria-mundi apple weighing two pounds and two ounces, was shown at the State Fair, by Mr. Jno. C. White of Polk county.

FINE WORKMANSHIP —A sword case of mosaic work, was exhibited at the Fair. It is composed of 6070 pieces of wood and was made by Messrs. Sperarth & Babcock of Salem.

CHICAGO, Oct. 21.—A dispatch from Omaha says that destructive prairie fires are raging near Kearney along the line of the Omaha & Republican Valley Railroad in Polk county and other sections of Nebraska The northeast portion of the State is suffering severely. Seven persons have been burned to death and many others severely burned. Particulars cannot be learned yet.

TERRITORIAL.

The Puyallup river is booming.

Amos Tallis, of Lewis county, will ship 1,000 hogs this season.

A new saw mill is cutting 1,500 feet of lumber a day at Puyallup station.

There are 2 000,000 feet of logs in the Skagit waiting a favorable opportunity to be sent to market.

The settlers of Puyallup valley want a county commissioner from their *illahe*, and will vote irrespective of party for such candidate.

The Walla Walla Fair shows a balance on the wrong side of the book. The Fair proceeds of 1877 paid all expenses and left a balance of $300 in the treasury. The Fair of 1878 absorbed the balance of the previous year and left the society $306 in debt.

The Olympia, Seattle and Walla Walla Postmasters have each recently been given an increase of salary. The Olympia P M. is to get $1,700, during the present year, the Seattle P. M. $1,900, and the Walla Walla P. M. $2,100.

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