

Grant Co. News

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According to the Atlanta Constitution one Mormon missionary has carried off 250 women converts to Utah from Georgia.

An Alaska Indian sentenced to prison for ninety-nine years for murder wants to know if the government is going to keep him alive long enough to serve the whole term.

The soil of Southern California is so rich, says one of our exchanges, that a two-story Queen Anne cottage built without a stone foundation on the outskirts of San Diego, has grown four-stories in six months.

State school superintendent E. B. McElroy estimates that the returns for 1888 will show the school population of the state to be upwards of 90,000. It is increasing very rapidly, and at the rate at which it has been increasing of late years it will soon reach 100,000.

Oregon has set a good if gruesome example in hanging Laureth, who chopped his step-daughter in several places and excused the act by saying he "felt a spell" come over him. This killing people in "spells" is too common. Hanging for a spell is good for it. S. F. Alta.

Miss Belva Ann Lockwood, in a campaign speech at Chicago the other day said, "If I am elected president I will dismiss the army and rule by love." Too late in life to begin that, Belva. You are not as young and loving as you once was. Better stick to the "smelishia" a while longer.

A New York paper tells of a man who recently inherited a few cool millions. He is richer than President Cleveland would be if he held his present position several centuries longer and saved all his money. But the funny part of the thing is, the poor fellow was in the almshouse, a specimen of public charity, when the news reached him informing him of his good fortune.

There has been a great deal of dying amongst royalties for some time, and now the match-making and marrying are red hot. Victoria of Germany is to have Battenberg; Victoria of England is to marry the Prince of Dessau; the Duke of Sparta, Crown Prince of Greece, is shying up to Sophia, third daughter of the late Emperor Frederick, and his sister, Alexandra, has consented to marry the Czar's brother.

It is not often that a panther attacks a man, but Mr. John Brown, so says the Eugene City Guard, had some experience with one Friday of last week. He was returning to his work in the Blue river mines, and while walking in advance of the wagon near Rock House, about forty miles from here on the McKenzie, a panther jumped on him from the side of the road, biting one of his hands quite severely. A small dog that was with him came courageously to his aid and frightened the panther, which was a large one.

In vetoing the bill granting a pension to Charles Glanville, who alleges in his application for a pension that he was struck accidentally with a half brick by a comrade and injured in his left arm, the president says: "There is no doubt that whatever disability he thus incurred was the result of a personal altercation between himself and the man who threw the brick. I believe that if the veterans of the war knew all that was going on in the way of granting pensions by private bills they would be more disgusted than any class of our citizens."

The war cloud that has been hanging over Europe for several years is still to be found at the old stand and the reporters who sharpened their pencils and brushed their hair back when it first began to develop, are still chewing those pencils, and waiting patiently for something to turn up. A war cloud is a splendid thing for a reporter to look forward to, but when it lingers for five or six years without any signs of getting a move on, the reporter naturally begins to lose confidence in it and to become weary of waiting for the nations to commence pouring lead into each other.

WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENCE.

Weekly Budget of News as Furnished by our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, July 9, 1888. Congressional opinions on the Presidential and Vice-Presidential ticket are governed largely by the politics of the Congressmen. Republicans praise it generally for its strength and predict its election, while the Democrats, for the most part, pronounce it weak and prophesy its defeat.

The Indiana Democrats however, concede that the nomination of Harrison means a close contest, and that extraordinary efforts will have to be made to hold Hoosierdom safely in the Democratic column.

And now that the tickets have been nominated, the talk in the House of Representatives turns upon adjournment. The Republican members and not a few of the Democrats are anxious for the session to terminate in order that they may go home and begin preparations for a hot campaign.

There are a large number of important bills in the House on which no action has been taken, and if their consideration is once begun it means that Congress will be here in the middle of September. Every now and then there will break out a report that the House will adjourn without a final vote on the Mills bill, but the Democratic members of the Ways and Means committee push-pool such an idea. At the same time the sentiment in favor of an early adjournment is genuine.

It is thought that should the tariff bill be sent to the Senate this summer, that body will move to put it aside till the beginning of the winter session. The Republicans censure the Democrats for not reporting the Mills bill at an earlier date. Whether this is a just criticism or not, it is pretty certain that if a vote is taken on this measure, it will not be before the middle or latter part of July, and that can only be done then by the House refusing to consider any other legislation.

The House recently adopted an amendment to the Army bill appropriating \$30,000 for the firing of mortars and evening guns at the forts and arsenals. Some people think it is a good thing to be reminded now and then in these piping times of peace that the army has not gone to sleep at its post.

Representative Tillman, of South Carolina, said in support of the plan, that he trusted no man in Congress would be so parsimonious as to begrudge this honoring of the stars and stripes at every fort in the land every day in the year. Said he: "It will increase both the love and veneration of the people for the National emblem. What American, sir, will object to contributing by the ringing and evening gun the sovereignty of this country, that the sound of the cannon may echo and reverberate throughout the land to let people know that their Nation has power to protect them and power to punish them when they go wrong?"

The low price of wood is a direct loss of many thousands of dollars to Grant county. Many sheep men will sell only what they are obliged to, and will hold the balance until next year or until the price is better.

NEW TODAY.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon. June 20th, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of Grant County, Or., at Canyon City, Oregon, on July 26th, 1888, viz: JAMES L. MITCHELL, Section 21, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st. Sec. 22, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st. Sec. 23, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st. Sec. 24, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon. July 11th, 1888. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Clerk of Grant County, Or., at Canyon City, Oregon, on July 26th, 1888, viz: SAMUEL L. CROSS, Sec. 22, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st. Sec. 23, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st. Sec. 24, T. 12 N., R. 22 E., W. 1st.

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NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, the 24th day of July, 1888, at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M., an application will be made to His Excellency, Sylvester Penoyer, Governor of the State of Oregon, at his office in the city of Salem, in said State, on behalf and for the pardon of Thos. D. Williams, now imprisoned in the Penitentiary of said State under and by virtue of a judgment of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Grant county, whereby the said T. D. Williams was convicted of the crime of assault with a dangerous weapon, and was on the 28th of April, A. D. 1888, sentenced for the term of 18 months in said Penitentiary. Dated June 20th, 1888. THOMAS D. WILLIAMS.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Ivin Jewett and J. W. Tracy, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the firm will be received by J. W. Tracy, and all demands against the firm will be presented to the said J. W. Tracy. Dated this 25th day of June, 1888. IVIN JEWETT. J. W. TRACY.

NOTICE. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned for meat furnished and delivered at the Canyon City Meat Market, will please come forward and settle accounts by cash or by note as I want to balance my books to July 1st, 1888. Having leased the Butchering business, said lease to take effect on that date (to-wit, July 1st, 1888). All accounts not settled by the 20th day of July, 1888, will be placed in the hands of a collector. W. P. GRAY.

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NOTICE. All persons indebted to the undersigned are hereby notified to call and settle the same at once, as the accounts have been placed in the hands of J. J. McCullough for collection. I. H. Wagon. Canyon City, June 11, '88. j-17

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