

August 29, 1889.

The constitution of South Dakota is longer and stronger than that of the United States.

There has not been a single death from small-pox in London this year. No Chinamen there.

Within the past year England has invested \$500,000,000 in foreign countries, \$80,000,000 of this being placed in the United States.

A number of young women in Cushman, Ga., have organized an anti-kissing society. Those who have seen the members say that such a precaution was not necessary.

If the bride at a recent wedding in New York received \$1,000,000 worth of presents, as stated, it seems about time to bring to a close the discussion of the question, "Is Marriage a Failure?"

The latest combine is the powder trust. Troubles thicken around the nation's brow. We can no longer even go to war with foreign enemies without paying tribute to the powers of wealth.

Talmage is not a believer in missionary work. He says that people who were created ignorant cannot be sinners, and that the untutored African will be saved if let alone as quick as the millionaire of New York.

John Swift, a Connecticut man, lived to the age of eighty-eight without being sick one hour in his whole life. He never had mumps, measles, headache nor toothache, and when he died it was more because a tree fell upon him than from any fault of his own.

A colored boy, while cutting wood near Johnston, S. C., was bitten on the leg by a large rattlesnake. He screamed for help and his elder brother ran to his assistance and immediately began sucking the wound and spitting out the poison. He continued this for a quarter of an hour, when their father reached the spot with some whisky, but the sucking of the poison had already saved the boy's life.

The great stumbling block in the way of deservng but poor young men who are in pursuit of a rich girl has been removed. The postmaster-general in his great wisdom has issued an order modifying postal regulations so that hereafter letters not stamped will be forwarded to those addressed, from whom postage will be collected. Heretofore notice of postage due has been sent out and the mail withheld.

The Spokane Falls papers censure the inefficient fire department of that place, generally tracing the tremendous loss by the recent fire to their imperfect organization, and the insufficiency of the water supply. The lesson comes high, but the more progressive cities on this coast are rapidly learning that it pays to equip and maintain a thoroughly organized fire department and enable them to combat small fires before they develop into conflagrations.

The Fossil Journal says the following and it is about correct: The gentleman who edits the crop weather bulletin in the office of the Oregon State weather bureau is quite ingenious, but his subjects are rather dry, and the reports are necessary very monotonous. After reading a series of them we feel like digging up a few volumes of patent office reports in the rubbish back of our office and perusing them just to get something refreshing and lively. The main fault we find with some of his reports is that they are not true. In his report of August 17, 1889, he leaves crops and weather and treats on water. On this subject he says: "Water is very scarce in Eastern Oregon. All springs and most of the creeks are dry." Water may be scarce, but the statement that all springs had gone dry is false. There are tens of thousands of fine springs in Eastern Oregon that are running the same to day that they have for time immemorial, and not one in 500 has gone dry. You'd better put in your time on crops and weather and in drawing your salary and let the springs of Eastern Oregon alone, or else guess again. If the State weather bureau persists in lying about the larger portion of the State, or states such palpable falsehoods unintentionally to the detriment thereof, it had better be abolished. In this instance it is guilty of gross carelessness to say the least.

An Ottawa editor longs fiercely to see the Dominion give the United States a complete whipping. He does not seem to have any connected or coherent ideas about what the United States will be doing while this process is going on.—Oregonian.

The Nevada papers give doleful accounts of cattle perishing for want of water in that state, one statement is to the effect that from Humboldt House west, the water holes in the river bed is said to be lined with dead carcasses. On the little Humboldt similar stories are told.

The Governor of Wyoming lately pardoned a man sentenced to a term of years for a murderous assault on the condition that if the convict ever drinks another drop of liquor he shall forfeit his liberty and be sent back to prison. A similar pardon was granted in Mississippi a few years ago.

The Walla Walla Journal, having weekly retreated from its position, and at the instance of a firm of Portland lawyers given a couple of female "mediums" a high recommendation as "ladies" of the best character, the East Oregonian merely desires to remark that fortune tellers, mediums, "cabinet" performers, and all others of that ilk are swindlers, and anybody who pays them any money for anything they may do or say, is a fool.—E. O.

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE.

County orders bearing date of capture prior to January 17, 1887, will be paid on presentation and interest will cease from this date. N. H. BOLEY, County Treas. Canyon City, Or., Aug. 25, 1889.

NEW CHINESE FIRM.

We, Mr. Ah Lok, Ah Tong and Ah Toy, announce to the public with cordial joy, that we have bought the store and all the tools, formerly owned by Mr. Tang San. In buying tools, we bought no tools. See any file that does legates. Buy your tools by studying file. The best trade to ever share. If there you wish to trade at all, give us a thought in early call. And if our name you wish to know, we print it plain just here below. QUONG, YUEN, LUNG CO. June Day City, Or., Aug. 25, 1889.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

A reward of five dollars for information that will lead to the recovery or ten dollars for the delivery at Canyon City at Cunningham's stable one roan horse BC on right shoulder, saddle horse dark man and tail white spot in forehead six years old. One iron-gray yearling horse colt branded on left side. W. B. CAMERON, Canyon City, Aug. 23, 1889.

\$30.00 REWARD.

Got out of pasture two dark bay or light brown mares near Burns Harney county, one had bell on when last seen and branded on left shoulder thus, also long mail and foretop, the other had star in forehead and white on nose branded AY on right hip, weight 1050 to 1100 each, one was bought in Fox valley and the other on Butter creek. The above reward will be paid to any one that will give us information that will lead to their recovery. Address A. J. WILSON, Burns, Oregon.

GOLD MINE FOR SALE.

Situated five miles from Canyon City, and known as the

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Is partly developed, and carries free gold, assaying from seven to twenty-five dollars per ton. Situated on the mountain, so that the cost of getting out the ore is nominal. Consists of about 1,500 feet of main ledge and spurs running there to. Good wagon road, ore chute, and about fifty feet of tunnel. Price

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Reasons for selling: Owner does not desire to engage in mining himself, and being interested in numerous other locations wishes to dispose of this property to induce capital to this vicinity. Specimens of ore from this mine can be seen and obtained at this office for testing purposes, and intending purchasers will be shown over the grounds at any time by Mr. Miller. For further information address Mr. Fred Miller, Canyon City, or the News Office.

Educate

For business purposes at the Portland Business College, Portland, Oregon, near the Capital Business College, which is a first-class school under the management of A. P. Apperson, have been opened. It teaches and gives certificates in English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Latin, and Greek. It also teaches bookkeeping, shorthand, and penmanship. The school is open from September 1st to January 1st. For further information, apply to the Portland Business College, Portland, Oregon, or the Capital Business College, Portland, Oregon.

St Francis Academy

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Important improvements made in the premium list. Reduced rates for fares and freights on all transportation lines to and from the fair.

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Men's day ticket - 50c. Women's day ticket - 25c. Men's season ticket - \$2.50. Women's season ticket - \$1.00. Sent to the secretary at Salem for a premium list.

J. T. APPERSON, President.

J. T. GREGG, Sec.

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Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

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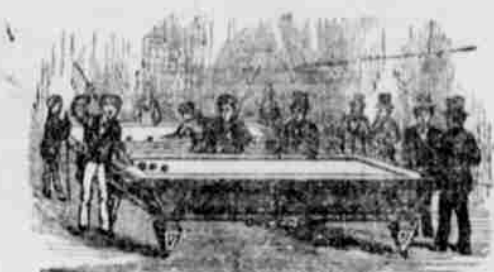
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Give us a call

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Watch-maker and Jeweler.



CANYON CITY, Oregon.

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Mining location notices for sale at the News Office.

B. ROBISON

Formerly of Arlington but more recently of Baker City, has now in the store building of W. H. Clark in Canyon City, a large stock of DAY GOODS AND FANCY GOODS. Which he will sell at Public Auction during the fall term of Circuit Court for Grant County.

MORROW COUNTY LAND & TRUST CO.

(Incorporated)

General Warehouse & Forwarding Agts.

The Company has recently constructed a two-story warehouse 80 x 100 feet, with wool press and all conveniences for handling wool.

The Warehouse Charges at Heppner will be the same as those at Arlington, less cartages.

Freight upon baled wool from Heppner, same as from Arlington.

Cash advanced upon consignments of wool or wool in storage.

THERON E. FELL, Manager.

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Proprietors of—

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Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Perfumes, Soaps, Powder, Puffs, Combs, Tooth Nail, Clothes and Hair Brushes, Druggists' Sundries, Lamps, Lamp Oil, Glass, Putty, Chimes, and everything to be found in a first-class Drug Store.

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