

September 10, 1891.

A Chinese comprador named Chin Gorg has been appointed United States deputy marshal for Amoy.

It is estimated by the director of the United States mint that this country can produce about \$33,000,000 in gold per year for many years to come.

If robbery was ever justifiable, it was, in the case of a man who did the your-money-or-your-life act with the proprietor of a faro bank at Dayton, Ohio.

Scientists are responsible for the statement that the Anglo-American jaw is much smaller than it was a few generations back. Must have been worn down talking politics.

The great struggle between capital and labor will no doubt result in liberal concessions being made by both elements. Capital needs labor and labor needs capital—they depend on each other.

The strength of a nation lies in its middle classes, and so long as these are able to own their homes and are satisfied with the workings of the government machinery no foe from without or within need be feared.

The farmer who owns a large crop of wheat can look with complacency at the upward tendency of the wheat market. His affairs have been going down hill so long that no one should object to the turn they have now taken.

Edison is quoted as saying that ultimately one's home will be both lighted and heated at a cost which will not exceed sixty cents per annum. If this be true "ultimately" cannot make its appearance upon the horizon of life too soon.

United States Judge Hanford, in the District court at Seattle, Wash., decided that all Chinamen found in the United States in violation of the exclusion act shall hereafter be sent to the country from which they last came, so that many who have heretofore been deported to China will now in most cases be returned to British Columbia.

Gold is coined freely now, so that the term free coinage relates wholly to silver. Free coinage of silver means the coinage at the government's mints of all the silver bullion which the owner may bring them, upon his paying the regular fixed mint charges. At present no holder of silver bullion can get it coined for his own account; he must sell it to the government which coins it and pockets the difference, if any, between the bullion value and the coin value.

The Chinese question is again booming up, owing to the fact that while the United States government has extended a cordial invitation to the government of China to participate in our world's fair by sending exhibits, it has taken no steps towards a change in the present laws, which prohibit the landing of citizens of China in this country. It is clear that China will send no exhibit if her citizens are not allowed to visit the fair. The treasury department wants congress to solve the conundrum, but nobody has yet made a definite suggestion of how it may be done satisfactorily to ourselves and the Chinese government.

The civil struggle which has been going on in Chili for the past seven months has closed with the unconditional surrender of the Chilean capital to the insurgents, and a complete victory for the congressional party. The constitution of Chili, which was patterned after that of the United States, had been so warped and twisted that the people rebelled, and carried the day. It is to be hoped that our neighbors will now be happy. President Balmaceda is thought to be on his way to San Francisco, from which place he will no doubt sail for Europe, where he is said to have sent millions of public money in anticipation of a coming crisis. There will be universal rejoicing among people familiar with the history of the Chilean war over the complete defeat of Balmaceda. He was a tyrant and in the wrong, while the so called rebels, who were simply the congressional party, were undoubtedly in the right with the law on their side.

FEMININE FADS AND FOIBLES.

The latest fad in Seattle, Wash., is paper hats for ladies. They are made in various styles, and, being usually pretty and showy and costing only a few cents each, are apt to become quite popular.

A decidedly novel idea in jewelry is that of signatures in gold. Handsome necklaces are made out of thin sheet gold, the design of which is the signature of the fair one by whom the brooch is worn.

Estroons of flowers tied with ribbons are used on lamps and candle-stands as a table decoration. According to the scheme of decoration field flowers, grasses and daisies, pansies or roses are employed.

The latest caprice for evening wear, and for some days wear, too, is to have the gown, shoes, hose and gloves match. For gloves silk are in high favor for evening and are imported in all the delicate shades.

A BRAND new wheelbarrow loaded full of flowering plants makes an effective lawn ornament for country houses and apparently thousands of florists are coming to that conclusion simultaneously this summer for nearly all the suburbs display such wheelbarrows plentifully.

In St. Paul a company makes a business of cleaning and inspecting chimneys, and of finding the cause of bad drafts in chimneys.

Mosses in California are so abundant in Magdalena bay, Lower California, that a company has gone into the business of canning the extract for exportation.

Missouri is outstripping Kentucky in the stock-raising business. Formerly the best horses and mules came from Kentucky, but now the best stock is raised in Missouri.

The report of the American Iron and Steel Association shows that for the first time the product of the United States in iron and steel last year exceeded that of the United Kingdom.

Six of the largest marble columns ever produced in this country have been made by a firm in Rutland, Vt., for use in Whig hall at Princeton. They are over nineteen feet long, and are a trifle more than three feet in diameter.

It is said that the mining output in Colorado this year will exceed anything ever known in the history of the state. The snows on the mountains will furnish plenty of water for the gold placer this summer, and the silver deposits are rapidly being developed.

UNPLEASANT SITUATIONS.

A HOUSE-BREAKER in Kalama, Wash., was almost captured because of his foolishness in using a parlor match to light his pipe, the noise attendant upon striking the match awakening a sleeper in the room.

The Oldtown Indians in Maine have a law that forbids palefaces to be on their island later than a certain hour in the evening. A white man who remained until past the hour recently took a swim in his clothes in the main land rather than fall into the clutches of the post constable.

LOW-NECKED dresses were condemned in a sermon by a Presbyterian clergyman and he pointedly referred to his wife as being an insupportable sinner in this respect, as she insisted on wearing them, despite his frequent objections. She has begun a suit for divorce for being thus publicly pilloried.

A TRY-ON-KNIGHT in an Arkansas town has been detected in stealing letters from a post-office box by means of a string and a grasshopper. The grasshopper was tied to the string and let down into the box through the aperture. When the insect got a letter in its pincers he hauled it up and took the letter.

SOME SUPERLATIVES.

A ROW cultivated in Philadelphia measured seventeen inches in width. SOUTH DAKOTA has now the largest artesian well in the world. It shoots water 140 feet from the surface.

TWELVE oranges which grow on a twig six inches long in George Stone's grove near De Land, Fla., completely filled a peck measure and weighed thirty-five pounds.

A FORT WORTH (Tex.) man says that he has the largest madstone in the world. It is nearly as large as a hen's egg and was taken, he says, by his father from the stomach of a white deer found dead in the Ozark mountains.

THERE are three artesian wells located almost on a line within a running distance of 2,000 feet in Sonoma, Cal., which yield between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 gallons of water every twenty-four hours. A subterranean stream runs beneath the town.

THERE is a vast bed of pure rock salt in the Colorado desert, and the Southern Pacific railroad, in laying their tracks to the salt mines, crossed a point where for 3,000 feet they had to make a pile and ballast the track with lumps of pure salt crystals.

JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL will soon make a visit to England.

GOLDWATER suggests the formation of a club in Toronto where literary workers can meet and fraternize.

MRS. JELIA WADE HOWE began Greek at seventy, and now at seventy-two she has just read the plays of Sophocles in the original.

MR. GEORGE KEFNAX has consented to become editor of the paper called Free Russia, provided \$3,000 can be raised to remove the publication from London to New York.

MISS KATE FOLDR presents in no wise the conventional type of the lecturer and the "strong minded" woman. She has a keen, vivacious face, and she dresses in admirable taste.

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES' library in his Boston home looks over the Charles river and furnishes a superb view of the distant spires and towers of Charleston and Seaside. Just at sundown the prospect is ideal.

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office at Burns, Oregon. Sept. 1, 1891.

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 the County Clerk of Grant County, Oregon, at Canyon City, Oregon, on Oct. 1, 1891, viz: JAMES W. TILLEY, of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 2, T. 14 N., R. 21 E., W. 3 M.

NEW RESTAURANT.

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SHERIFF'S SALE FOR DELINQUENT TAXES.

By virtue of a warrant issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Grant County and to me directed as sheriff, commanding me to collect the delinquent taxes for the years 1882, 1883, 1884, 1885, 1886 and 1887, I have levied on the following described real property as the property of John Carrey to satisfy the sum of \$347.25 as the amount due Grant county for the year 1888 from said John Carrey to-wit: The NE 1/4 of Sec. 2, in T. 11 S., R. 29 E., W. 3 M.

Now therefore I will sell the above described property at the court house door in Canyon City, Grant county to the highest bidder for cash in hand on Saturday, the 31 day of October, 1891 at 2 o'clock p. m., to satisfy the said sum of \$347.25 and costs. Dated this 5th day of August A. D. 1891.

O. P. CREMAY, Sheriff of Grant county, Or.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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GEORGE MCGOWAN, Late of Burns. E. HALL, Late of Canyon City.

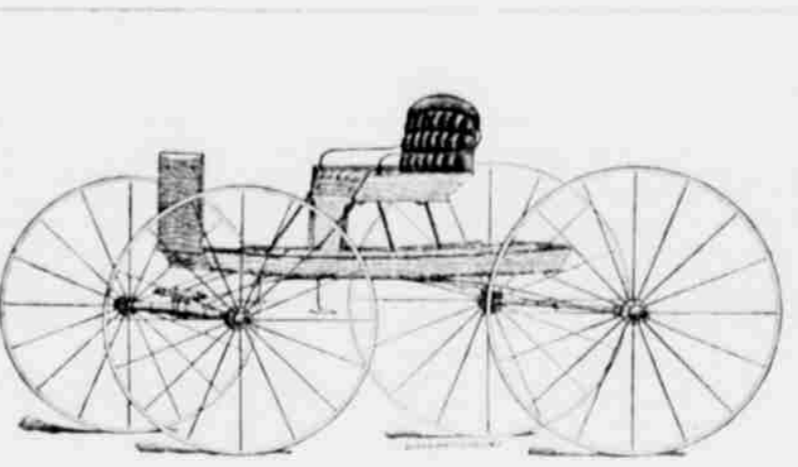
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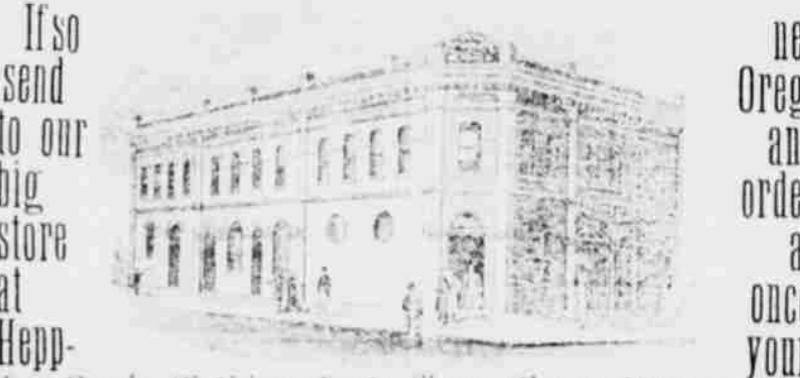
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