



Oregon City, Oregon, Friday : : : Oct. 21, 1870.

Death of a Great Man.

The telegraph last Thursday brought the sad news of the death of Gen. Robert E. Lee, Commander in chief of the Confederate Army in the late civil war.

It has been decided by the Democratic majority in the Legislature to disfranchise every man who comes to the State and labors on a railroad or other work of internal improvement.

None but blockheads or idiots would ever construe the act to mean anything of the kind indicated in the above extract.

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SALEM, Monday, Oct. 19. The contest from Clackamas county came before the Legislature last Monday evening, and after a partial examination of the case, the further consideration was indefinitely postponed.

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have only such residences as they acquired by stopping in the tents and camps of the railroad Co., by whom they were employed. They were known as railroad hands. The testimony of Mr. Welch who voted, as he himself testifies, for the Republican members from Clackamas Co., is contained in the testimony of Wm. Linn and William Ryan.

Mr. Starkweather testifies that he was employed by the Railroad Co., and that the employees of said Co., are required by virtue of their contract to go on the order of the Company to any part of the line of the railroad from precinct to precinct and even from county to county, as the railroad extends through several counties. Residence is a question of intention and of fact.

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EUROPEAN WAR NEWS.

BERLIN, Oct. 17.—Soissons capitulated on Sunday night at 8 o'clock. The following afternoon the Grand Duke of Mecklenburg entered the town at the head of his army. The German losses throughout the siege trifling. The French lost 4,000 prisoners and 132 guns.

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reinforcements, comprising landwehr of the guard herebefore at Strasburg, the bulk of the newly-formed thirteenth army corps before Toul, and a Baden division which are marching by Troyes, and also a reserve corps formed in Silesia, which is, all, at least 100,000.

The fifteenth corps, under General Von Werder, is advancing from upper Alsace against the Rhine.

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Sometimes, without any assignable cause, the physical strength and animal spirits give way, and a strange torpor falls upon the body and intellect.

This state of partial collapse is often the preliminary symptom of some serious malady. It indicates unmistakably that the vital powers are languishing and need a stimulant. In such cases the effect of a few doses of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is wonderfully beneficial.

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Guardian's Sale. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE State of Oregon for Clackamas county, in the matter of the guardianship of Frederick S. Allen, a minor, of the estate of the late John Long Deceased, in Clackamas County, I will sell the real and personal property of said minor.

Notice. PARTIES HOLDING WARRANTS against Clackamas County, that have not been endorsed on or before my sale, can have coin for the same on my sale. This notice is given to the parties on or before my sale, to commence at 10 A. M. Terms announced on 4th of Oct. Advertiser, with all annexes of Estate of John Long.