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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Small Pox in Indian Territory. St. Louis, July 6.—A Republican's special gives an account of ravages of small pox in Indian Territory and at Okmulgee there has been over thirty cases of whom five died...

News from Melville and Berry. NEW YORK, July 5.—The Telegram prints the following: IKTAK, July 5, 4-15 A. M.—I have just arrived with B. Fry and Gilder, of the Rodgers and Melville, Nierman and Norox, of the Jeannette, after a journey of 24 days...

Chicago, July 5.—The Chicago driving meeting, which closed to-day, was a success financially in spite of the fact that it was held under most discouraging circumstances...

Fairfield, Ia., July 6.—Fruit prospects from 500 townships in 96 counties of Iowa to June 28th, as compiled by Shaffer, Secretary of the State Agricultural Society, are as follows: Apples, 69 townships average 70 per cent...

Constantinople, July 5.—It is stated the conference to-day resolved to address a collective note to the port, dealing with the question of intervention in Egypt.

St. Petersburg, July 5.—It is stated that 9000 copies of a revolutionary proclamation, printed in secret and signed by Nicholas Constantino-vich, cousin of the emperor, have been discovered at the ministry of marine...

London, July 6.—Consolidation of the first army corps is now settled, and 15,000 men of the corps will go from England to Egypt and the rest from India.

St. Petersburg, O., July 5.—Hundreds of people are attracted to the scene of the wrecked schooner, some in search of missing loved ones and others in curiosity...

meat inspectors will take place at Wheeling, More of the Missing. STREUNVILLE, O., July 6.—Up to 11 o'clock to-night, 20 bodies were recovered. Those still missing run the death roll up to 74. Additional names of missing are: Maria Booth, Wm. Woods, Albert Snow, Joseph Kamden, Morris Donahue, George Pilkerton, Henry A. Paine, John Mariah, Wesley Cross, Augustus Redman, Teasley, Denner, Shannon, Samu-l Hunter and A. E. Houghton, all of Willsville, Ohio; John Harrison, of Willsville, Ohio; John Harrison and Wm. Sloan, of Cleveland; Chas. Elliott, of Beaver Falls, and C. Kuth, of Rochester.

Wholesale Butchering. LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 7.—A terrible fight occurred at a picnic at Schwartz Woods last night, in which a drunken rough named Ben Parish cut four men named Ben Oeschoff, Julius Berizer, Ben Larimers and B. Schaeffers. Larimers and Berizer were fatally stabbed and the others seriously. The murderer escaped.

Justice Defeated. TAYLORVILLE, Ill., July 5.—The jail is still guarded by a company of militia, to prevent lynching of Pettis and Clements, suspected of complicity in the outrage on Miss Ella Bond. A party of 150 men assembled near Grove City on Monday night, carrying a rope 50 feet in length, to finish the career of John Montgomery, Jr., but he was warned in time to ride away.

San Francisco, July 6.—To-day Emi Kennedy in statu quo suit to recover from John W. Shaffer \$50,000 damages alleged to have been sustained by plaintiff from defendant having caused his arrest on a charge of libel. The alleged libel upon which plaintiff was arrested was published in the Banner of the Chosen Friends, and alleged to contain certain false and malicious statements...

Delinquent. DUBLIN, July 7.—James Casey was arrested on suspicion yesterday of being accessory to the murder of K. M. Kelly. Three persons were arrested for threatening Kelly's widow to prevent her divulging names of her husband's associates.

Parliamentary Proceedings. LONDON, July 6.—In common John Bright said there was no virtue more required in dealing with Ireland than that of patience. He declared all Irish not discontented, disloyal and dishonest, but that the well disposed looked to the commons for means to promote peace and good order, and that hundreds of thousands weary of anarchy were willing to support the government so far as they could and dared in restoring obedience to laws.

Prize Bread. The Times Prizes Won by Miss Fanny Dickinson and Miss Lizzie Gibbs. The prizes offered by Himes the Printer, for the best two loaves of bread, made by the young ladies of the last graduating class of the Portland High school, were awarded yesterday.

Lightning at Oakland.—On the night of July 3rd, lightning struck the barn of C. G. Durand, two miles and a half from Oakland, destroying the building and its entire contents, consisting of six horses, two of which were worth \$400 each; wagons, buggy, machinery, farm tools, 40 tons of new hay and 300 bushels of oats. Loss, \$5,000. Mr. Durand is well-to-do and able to rebuild and restock at once.

STATE NEWS.

Epizootic and pink eye are troubling horses in Grant county. Citizens of Baker city endeavored to burn Gaiteau in effigy. The Dalles Mountaineer publishes a complete plan of the new court house. The Creswell orator carried away the first prize awarded by the committee July fourth, as the ugliest man in Lane county.

The new elected sheriff of Marion county has appointed as his deputy Mr. Q. A. Grubbe. The firemen's election in Salem resulted as follows: Gus Straug chief engineer; E. Hut-ton, assistant engineer. The Pendleton Archery Club have resolved to get new bows. The broken bow is a nuisance anywhere.—East Oregonian. We are all "broke up."

The Salem Flouring mills will shut down in about two weeks, in order to put in some new machinery and make repairs. They will commence operations again about the 1st of August. The Salem Town Talk says: The prospect now is that the wounded horse that is lying at the county jail, will recover. His condition has improved since Monday, and if he does not meet with a back-set, he will again be "on his feet."

A match game of ball between the Dallas and Salem clubs, for \$100 a side at Dallas, was played on Friday evening last and was won by the Dallas club. A hop here from Portland was in Eugene last week waiting to engage hops to be picked this fall. He offered 20 cents per pound, but the Guard says he was not successful in buying any.

The Hillsboro Independent is responsible for this: The county fair will not be a success although the weather is fine. The total receipts will not probably be more than \$3,500, and it looks now as if the prediction of a close observer that the society would "run behind" from \$1,000 to \$1,500 would prove true.

Another fire occurred at the Capital city on Friday evening. The stove foundry of W. F. Gray & Co., situated immediately south of the agricultural works, was entirely consumed. The fire was first discovered issuing from the roof near the cupola, just after the men had at pped work for the day, and is supposed to have caught from the furnace, which had been in use during the entire afternoon. The fire department were soon on the ground and worked manfully to save property, but the building being a wooden one and quite dry was soon consumed, together with the machinery and stock. The loss sustained by W. F. Gray & Co., will reach fully \$7,000 I learned for \$3,000. The building belonged to Messrs. Wheeldein and E. Ward, and was insured. Their loss is \$1,500.

THE NUMBER OF VOTES.—The following is taken from the census bulletin showing the number of males upwards of 21 years, in the States and Territories: Oregon, native born, white, 38,006; foreign born, white, 13,630; colored, 7,993; total, 59,629. In the Union, native, 8,270,518; foreign, 3,072,487; colored, 1,487,344; total, 12,830,348. Colored includes negroes, Indians, Japanese, Chinese, etc.

The Copper Queen Mining Company, of Nevada, will send a specimen of copper ore (containing) to Denver Exposition, weighing two tons. It is eight feet high and 24 1/2 feet at its base.

TERRITORIAL.

We read of good growing rains in Klickitat county. The delinquent taxes of Walla Walla county amount to \$225. On the 31st and 14th of July the thermometer reached 110 and 114 degrees in the shade at Lewiston. The commissioners of Whitman county have refused to pay John Justice and Sheriff Thompson the reward of \$500 offered for the arrest of Thomas and wife.

The Ketchikan claims a business boom for Ketchikan, but anticipates abundant litigation on account of town lot jumping, which seems to be prevalent there. Says the Klickitat Sentinel: "One day this week Geo. Waidr-n had the misfortune to break his right thumb, a door blowing to it, pinching it fairly into it. In a scrimmage at Pen-leton on the Fourth B. Knox saved Frank Dunn several times in the back and then skipped out to avoid arrest. Dunn's wounds are not dangerous. Klickitat county has a new safe. The dimensions are as follows: 11-right, 46 inches; width, 37 inches; depth, 35 inches; weight, 3200 pounds. It has two outside doors and double inside doors, with new patent flanges. It is handsomely painted.

Riding from Gostendale, W. T., to the Dalles, says the Sentinel, and returning by a different road, we were enabled to see nearly all the swale west of Gostendale, and were surprised to see how much better the grain was looking than one would suppose from the reports. The pilot law, formerly existing for the ports of Puget Sound, has been abolished, though pilots are still plying their vocation at the entrance of Juan de Fuca straits. They hold no license, and captains or masters of vessels wishing to employ them, can make the best possible bargain with them, as no fixed rates are established by law.

A most shocking incident occurred at Sprague on the evening of the 25th ult. J. Jos. Medley, living at Cheney, had been under the influence of liquor for some time. He disappeared and was found hanging by the neck in a squinting position, death having been caused by strangulation. Deceased was a large, powerful man and went by the name of "Big Joe." A low type of epizootic is prevailing among the horses in and about Yakima City. The discoverer of rich lodes of gold in the Swauk mines, says the Yakima Record, within the last week, have made quite a stir among miners, and many citizens are going there to secure claims. We are not sufficiently informed to mention the extent and richness of the newly discovered mines.

The total assessment of Walla Walla county is \$5,266,130. Of this amount the real estate forms \$2,249,330; improvements thereon, \$307,300; personal property, \$2,079,500. The total assessment of 1881 was \$1,369,780, this showing an increase of \$396,350 of valuation in a year, a very gratifying exhibit.

YAKIMA RESERVATION. Something About Father Wilbur's Indians and What They are Doing. Rev. J. H. Wilbur, agent of the Yakima Indian Reservation, is in the city. The object of his visit is to get some mill and harvesting machinery repaired. He has at present under his charge some 3000 Indians, representatives of 13 different tribes being included in the number, all of whom are living in peace and harmony. Last year nearly 40,000 bushels of grain were raised upon the reservation. This year he does not expect more than half a crop on account of dry weather. The tribe of Putes, who have been for a me time undecided as to whether they would remain there or not, have finally been settled on a tract about 12 miles below the agency at the confluence of the Simons and Topin rivers. They have cleared off 130 acres, about 100 of which is in grain, and they have constructed an irrigating ditch 6 miles long, 8 feet wide and 2 1/2 feet deep. The Yakima Reservation is a beautiful and fertile section and must be a healthy place, as Father Wilbur looks about as young and robust as he did a dozen years since, when he winter camped near his agency and made his first acquaintance with coyotes and rattlesnakes. On remarking to the reverend gentleman that the reservation would be a fine country when the Indians were gone and the land settled by whites, he intimated that such an occurrence was not likely ever to take place, evidently believing that civilization and christianizing was not going to prove fatal to his charges, as has almost invariably been the case to Indians.

THE COLUMBIA BAR. The work of scraping on the middle sands at the mouth of the Columbia is progressing favorably. The south channel is filling up, and the greater amount of water passing through the middle channel in consequence, renders the present a peculiarly favorable time for working there. The tug Breadham and Escort are employed, the latter with the new machine invented by Lieut. Buchanan. Although nothing definite in regard to the workings of the new machinery can be definitely ascertained, sufficient is known to warrant Capt. Powell in the opinion that it will prove a valuable adjunct to the scraper now worked by the Breadham. There is now a depth of eighteen feet in the channel through the middle sands, a gain of four feet, and Capt. P. well is, of the opinion that the depth can be increased to 24 feet, in which case ships of 22 feet draught can enter in safety. When the Columbia went to sea the last time, she went through her new channel now being made by Lieut. Buchanan. The State of California will go out the same course on her down trip.

A NEW CORPORATION.—Articles of incorporation of the Columbia and Palouse Railroad Company were filed for record in the county auditor's office of Walla Walla county last Saturday. The Trust is C. H. Prescott, J. N. D. Iph, H. M. Chase, N. G. Blalock and W. H. Up on, to continue in office until next November. The object is to construct and equip a railroad and telegraph line from Palouse Junction on the Northern Pacific Coast, 51 miles northerly from Walla Walla Junction to the town of Colfax in Whitman county, together with a branch line from a junction with the main line at a point about three miles west of Colfax, running southeasterly to Moscow, I. T., and also a branch line from the main line at or near the mouth of Rebel creek, northeasterly to a point at or near the town of Farmington. The capital stock of this corporation is \$100,000, to be divided into 10,000 shares of \$100 each. The principal place of business and head office will be in Walla Walla City.

The Salmon Pack for 1882.

Many fears have been expressed that the salmon pack of this season would fall far short of that of last year. A gentleman who is thoroughly posted in regard to the matter, furnishes the following information: Salmon pack up to July 1st, 1882, 292,912 cases. Salmon picked up to July 1st, 1881, 325,000 cases. Shortage to the 1st of July, 32,088 cases. It is thought by the most competent judges that this shortage will be overcome by the splendid run of fish now pouring in. Fish are large and the average take is good, we may, therefore, unless something unforeseen occurs, look for a pack of over 500,000 cases, or say, one equal to last season's, 545,000 cases. On the 1st of June there was a shortage of 57,000 cases as against last season's pack of that date, there has, however, been a steady increase, and a tough up river canneries have fallen back, Astoria, with the old canneries and increased facilities, and new ones added, has pulled the score up rapidly under the fine July run. It is also said that fish will be taken after July 31st, as the law is considered unenforced, if this is so the pack may reach larger proportions than ever before known.

FIFTY YEARS.—A few of the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Claget, of this city, says the Salem Statesman, made an impromptu call upon this venerable and greatly esteemed couple, at their happy home, last evening, July 5th, the occasion being the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. A silver and gold card case was presented as a slight token of the untarnished reputation and enduring good name of these honored citizens. Favored above the common lot of mortals, Mr. and Mrs. Claget have climbed the hill together, and hand in hand, are gently gliding down, bearing the good wishes and respect of all who have had the pleasure of making their acquaintance.

TO THE MAD HOUSE.—Rev. G. W. Sloan, an Episcopal minister, of Cheney, W. T., was brought to this city yesterday in charge of Sherris Hutton and Montgomery, of Spokane county, en route to the State insane asylum. He was engaged in building two churches, when the mad spell, to which he is subject, seized him. He is very violent. The numerous bones of animals seen near Spokane bridge are the remains of 925 horses killed in 1858 by order of Col. Wright. They were captured from the hostiles as they were entering the mountains from the upper end of Spokan Prairie; it took two whole days to kill them, and by their loss the backbone of the Indians was broken.

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