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The Gold Hill News is the only paper in the county, published under its own roof.

It is estimated that there are more than 200,000,000 Bibles in the world, printed in 330 different languages.

A Kansas man has invented a machine to prevent babies from crying and women from talking. His fortune is made.

In 1888 our exports of copper amounted to \$3,812,898 and in 1898 to \$32,180,872. American copper production is worth more than half that of our gold mines.

There were over 1000 men engaged in mining in California last year for gold and silver. Quite an army but not so many men as one would expect from a great mining state.—Ex.

The Chico Record well says: The merchant who stands out on the street the greater part of the day and talks hard times, is the fellow who does more harm to the community than a dozen cheerful, energetic business men can do good.

It has been discovered that the first two figures of 1899, when added, equal either of the last two, and the last two when added equal the first two. Curious people afflicted with prophecy germs may be able to figure out something from this.

There is a moral aspect to this constant increase of taxation on real estate. It discourages home-building. A tendency from ownership to tenantry, from homes to boarding-houses, has only to be established to be fraught with grave danger.

The United States is the only great country that spends more for education than for war. Four times as much for the former as for the latter. France nearly six times as much for war as for education; England about the same as France; Prussia four times as much; Austria nearly three times as much; Russia nearly 70 times as much. Education in the United States extends to the masses and this must account for American superiority in war. Other nations educate in warfare but that is not an all round education.—Ex.

Why should all the people of the state be taxed to educate teachers? Why should two or more normal schools be maintained at state expense for the education of people in any particular branch of work? True, the state needs farmers, blacksmiths, wagon-makers, lawyers, doctors, merchants, bankers; in short, it needs competent men in every branch. Then why, if it should educate teachers, should it not have a school for farmers, blacksmiths, lawyers, doctors, etc., in every hamlet, where youths desir-

ing to follow those vocations may be educated? Why favor one calling more than another?—The Dallas Times-Mountaineer.

The American, published at Manila and edited by an American, contains this wholesome advice which it will be well to heed: "While it is true," says the American, "that as soon as everything is straightened as to the policy of local and territorial government, there will be ample room for American capital and brains, there is as yet nothing definitely settled, and no one should think of coming here, unless provided with capital enough to live for at least three months." Further on it says: "What the future has in store for laboring men, judging from present indications, is easily predicted. The natives here are hard working, sober and industrious, and can work and live a great deal cheaper than the average American can. Therefore laboring men other than mechanics, can find very little to do outside of mining, which cannot be started on until everything is thoroughly settled as to the policy of the government in handling these islands."

The Nicaragua canal bill which passed the Senate, Saturday, provides that the United States government is to contract with citizens of the United States for the construction, completion and equipment of the canal within six years, at a cost of not to exceed \$115,000,000. All maritime nations can secure the use of the canal for mercantile purposes upon equal terms, according to the provisions of the proposed act. An important amendment adopted by the Senate provides that in case the President in his negotiations for permanent control, shall fail in securing the rights demanded under the bill, from Nicaragua and Costa Rica then he shall endeavor to make such arrangements with any other Central American country which affords a canal route. An amendment provides also for the abrogation, practically, of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty with England, in its bearings upon the canal matter. It is believed that the bill will now pass the House.

The suspense of Olberman, the Douglas county murderer, long drawn out by legal technicality, is likely to be ended within a few weeks, as prescribed by law. The supreme court finds no reason in law or fact to reverse the judgment of the lower court in his case, and the convicted man will probably be resented to death when the circuit court convenes in Roseburg in March. One does not need to be in sympathy with a murderer, as such, to deplore as unjustifiable cruelty the juggling with justice that keeps a criminal hovering, as it were, between life and death for months after he has been duly tried, convicted and sentenced. Justice and humanity alike cry out against an infliction of misery so useless as that involved in such suspense.

February 15th, the anniversary of the destruction of the Maine, will be appropriately observed at Havana. The American women now in Havana are arranging the details of the program. The graves of the Maine martyrs will be decorated, flags will fly at half mast, including one over the wreck, Captain Sigsbee will deliver an address and General Lee will march at the head of the parade. High mass will be sung in the cathedral.

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COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES.

BY SUPT. G. A. GREGORY.

The fault-finding, ill-tempered teacher has missed his calling. He might be a success at driving an ox team in a logging camp.—Oregon Monthly.

Teachers, look at those blanks to be filled in your registers. Every one of them should be properly filled out. Clerks of school districts should insist on complete and accurate records from teachers.

Several schools are preparing for library entertainments in which they are to be assisted by the county superintendent. A gramophone has been procured and for a small expense he will assist any school in an effort to begin a school library. Correspondence on the subject will receive prompt attention.

Phoenix school district has voted a two mill tax, and proposes to make more of their school than heretofore.

School clerks will soon be sending in reports to the superintendent and we wish to suggest that more care should be taken in giving some of the data. Some clerks heretofore have failed to use the initials of names, simply saying Mr. Smith, etc. See that all information called for on blank is given.

The total enrollment of Ashland schools for last month was 555; average daily attendance, 95 per cent; cases of tardiness 45. The grade taught by Day Parker had no case of tardiness during the month. The Ashland public school is the largest in her history. Many have moved in from the surrounding country, and others are boarding and attending.

Central Point voted a five mill tax last Saturday which will be sufficient to complete a full year of school, paint the school house, fence the grounds and leave the district entirely out of debt.

The Neil district, south of Ashland, has done something that will call for the services of the recorder in the celestial world. Having prepared an entertainment to raise funds for a library, they gave it last Friday evening to help toward a fund for sending a blind man, who lives in that district, where he can procure treatment that may restore his sight. The occasion drew together not only the people of the district, but several from other places, among them Misses Homes and Dodge, well known teachers—who assisted with the program. \$45.75 was the neat sum realized. One hundred and fifty were present, though the school house is well filled with fifty. Miss R. E. Warner, the teacher, is greatly pleased over the result and all who so generously contributed can justly feel that they have helped the cause of education.

During the past two weeks Phoenix, Medford and Central Point schools have been visited and many good features in the work noted. Good order in study and careful attention in recitations on the part of pupils was very noticeable. It will pay the patrons of the school to visit freely and note the work carefully. Frequently a parent might render valuable aid to teacher and pupil by knowing the exact line along which the teacher is trying to lead the child.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following deeds have been recorded in the office of the county recorder during the past week.

Ashland B & L Association to R C Hite; lots 10, 21 and 22, McCall's add to Ashland. \$ 125 00
P P Prim to Theresa M Prim; certain lands in Jackson county. 1 00
Peter A Young to L D West; 80 acres in sec 4, twp 35 s, r 2 w. 800 00
G H Andrews to Josie Cox; lots 2, 3 and 4, blk 1, R R add to Ashland. 180 00
P P Prim to L D Minear; property in Jacksonville. 700 00

ALASKA ITEMS.

The railway is now completed from Skagway to the summit of White Pass. The company is hiring all the men it can get, as it is desired to complete the road as soon as possible to Fort Selkirk, 320 miles from Skagway. About 6000 men are on the payroll, but it is hard to keep them, stampedes to the gold fields being frequent.

Hospitals at Dawson, in the Klondike, are filled to overflowing with indigent sick, and the death rate is large. It is estimated that \$9,000 a month will be required to pay for their treatment, and the government at Washington will be appealed to.

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