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East Oregonian

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1900.

VISION AND ANNEXATION.

Five Years Ago There Was Considerable Agitation.

Starting in some little paper in East Oregon, a demand for the division of the state at the Cascades is being made, and newspaper comment all over the northwest on the question, has become general. In view of the fact that the part of Eastern Oregon, at least some parts of Eastern Oregon, to break away from the domination of Portland, it may be highly interesting at this time to recall that about five years ago Walla Walla, says a Statesman, was negotiating the question of breaking away from the domination of the Sound country and attaching herself to Oregon.

The files of the Statesman for 1875 and 1876 are filled with opinions along this line. Many petitions were circulated in Walla Walla, Waitsburg, Dayton and other portions of the Walla Walla country—for all that south of the Snake was so called—asking Congress to annex this portion of Washington to Oregon. On December 13, 1875, Mr. Kelly, member of congress from Oregon, introduced a bill changing the boundary lines of Oregon so as to include all that portion of Washington territory south of the Snake river, as a copy of that bill reached Walla Walla numerous petitions were circulated and generally signed, asking Congress to pass the Kelly bill. The bill, which was introduced in the House, was forwarded to the Senate, as did many of the Granges of this section, at that time the Granges were numerous and of considerable strength. It seemed to be the general consensus of opinion that this change would be beneficial to this section of the country.

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WEEKLY MARKET REVIEW.

Wheat Barley Holds Its Own at the Local Mills.

Pendleton, Dec. 27.—The price of wheat in the local market barely holds its own. Millers continue to pay 44c for No. 1 redchaff and club, but it must come up to top requirements, or a fraction of a cent is knocked off the price. Exporters' prices remain the same as a week ago, 2c being the central figure.

The question of tonnage brings out a few predictions for higher prices. There are 26 vessels in the Columbia, which have a carrying capacity of 2,000,000 bushels. It is thought that with such a number of vessels awaiting wheat cargoes that the price of charters will come down. A reduction of carrying charges would certainly cause a raise in the price of wheat in Pendleton. Those who are holding their wheat for a raise will watch charters carefully.

Local Market.

Pendleton dealers are paying the following prices for ranch and farm produce:

Butter, 40 to 60c per roll.
Eggs—30c per doz.
Potatoes—50c per sack.
Parsnips, 60c per sack.
Cabbage—4c per pound.
Turnips, 75c per 100 pounds.
Turkeys—Alive, 10c per pound.
Geese—80c per dozen.
Chickens, \$2.50 to \$4 per dozen.
Ducks—4c per dozen.

Wheat in Portland.

Portland, Dec. 27.—The Commercial Review, in its issue today, says of the wheat situation: "There is only a small business passing and the general conditions, which have characterized the trade the past month are still prevalent and present appearances indicate very little prospect of any improved demand or higher values until after the holidays are over. Local stocks are very large and ample to meet all the wants, not only for the present, but for several months ahead. So that exporters having no urgent requirements are taking matters quietly and only purchase when price suits them. A number of parcels have been sold during the week at fancy prices, one export firm being the good Samaritan for the interior trade and paying them fancy prices for the same. Whether the firm is short of wheat, we are unable to say, but other firms here in the trade refuse to handle such prices. This is what gives holders in the country ideas as to higher prices and gives them confidence in a better market after the turn of the year. Vessels are arriving slowly, on account of the severe weather at sea, but those that have come to hand are loaded rapidly and sent down the river. Cable advices are of a daily repetition of inaction, and easy if not weak markets in Europe, and, as usual during the holiday season, wheat is very much neglected. Our exporters, beyond attending to vessels in general use in the United States. Several suggestions have been made to the government, and a document was presented, signed by the heads of the big department stores in the various large cities throughout the country, showing the need for this move in making change. Progress finds many methods of improvement, but for half a century past, in spite of many innovations, nothing has arisen to equal Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the greatest benefactor the human race has ever known. This medicine cures constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and sleeplessness, also prevents malaria, fever and ague. Be sure to get the genuine with our Private Revenue Stamp over the neck of the bottle.

Wheat in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Dec. 27.—Business in wheat generally has been quiet. There is a small but steady demand from exporters, but no pressure to buy. Holders have made moderate offers and some business done on the basis of 97c per cental, a figure which seems to be satisfactory to many holders. On the call board, business was interrupted by the holidays, but at no time during the past fortnight has much activity been displayed, although prices were well maintained. We quote shipping 90c to 97c; milling, \$1 to \$1.05 per cental.

Eastern Livestock.

Chicago, Dec. 27.—Cattle—Market generally 10c to 15c lower. Good to prime steers, \$5.25 to \$6.10; poor to medium, \$3.75 to \$5.20; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.30; cows, \$2.50 to \$4.10; heifers, \$2.50 to \$4.40; canners, \$1.75 to \$2.35; bulls, \$2.30 to \$4.20; calves, \$4 to \$5.50; Texas-fed steers, \$4 to \$4.80; grassers, \$3.25 to \$4; bulls, \$2.40 to \$3.20.

Hogs—Market opened 5c higher; closing, weak; top, \$5.10; mixed and butchers, \$4.70 to \$5.70; good to choice heavy, \$4.80 to \$5.10; rough heavy, \$4.65 to \$4.75; light, \$4.70 to \$5.05; bulk of sales, \$4.90 to \$5.

Sheep—Market, stronger; good to choice wethers, \$3.50 to \$4.00; fair to choice mixed, \$3.25 to \$3.80; Western sheep, \$3.50 to \$4.00; Texas sheep, \$2.25 to \$3.05; native lambs, \$4.25 to \$5.50; Western lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.40.

Omaha, Dec. 2.—Cattle—Market, steady on best, 10c lower on common; native beef steers, \$4.35 to \$5.35; Western steers, \$4 to \$5.50; Texas steers, \$3 to \$3.50; cows and heifers, \$2 to \$4.15; canners, \$1.75 to \$2.85; stockers and feeders, \$3 to \$4.50; calves, \$4 to \$6; bulls and stags, \$2.25 to \$4.

Hogs—Market 5c higher; closed weak; heavy, \$4.87 1/2 to \$4.92 1/2; mixed, \$4.87 1/2 to \$4.90; light, \$4.80 to \$4.95; bulk of sales, \$4.87 1/2 to \$4.90.

Sheep—Market, 5c higher than last week; fair to choice Westerns, \$3.65 to \$4; common and choice sheep, \$3.50 to \$3.85; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.25.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a running ear, or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is not a dangerous condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give you one hundred dollars for any case of deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CROWLEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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DEBATING SOCIETY.

Young Men Are Invited to Participate in It.

Pendleton, Ore., Dec. 27.—To the Editor.—A debating society has been organized for the purpose of giving the young men of the city a place to go once a week, where they may have a chance to enlighten and be enlightened on the leading questions of the day. The question last disposed of was, "Resolved, There is more pleasure in anticipation than in realization." After being debated pro and con with E. F. Redd and R. A. Seeds for the affirmative and Jno. Collier and A. J. Owens for the negative it was decided by three competent judges that Redd and Seeds had the best of the argument.

Resolved, That the signs of the times point to the downfall of our country." It is the next question for argument.

Young men who have a desire to express themselves on these questions or learn to express themselves in public would be benefited, we think, by taking part in our debates. We meet next

Thursday evening, January 10, in the office of H. E. Collier, in the Association building, at 7:45 p. m. to which meeting young men especially are invited. ONE OF THEM.

AMONG STRANGERS.

Edith Hilton, Aged Five Years, Traveled Alone From Walla Walla.

Edith Hilton, a winsome child of five years of age, arrived in Pendleton at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening from her home at Walla Walla. Her journey was pleasant, but her troubles commenced when she reached the depot in this city. She had an engagement to meet her Aunt Fanny Latimer upon arrival here, but in some accidental manner, owing to the large number of people on the platform, aunt and niece missed each other in the crowd, and the little one was homeless, but not friendless, in a strange town for several minutes. She told where she came from, and gave the name of her aunt, but it was not until after the arrival of the train from Portland and the dispersion of the crowd, that the little girl was discovered by her aunt and taken home in safety.

Shortly after arrival at the depot the little girl gave a package to a man to hold for her, and at last accounts he was still holding it. He is at liberty to return it to its owner, if he so desires.

SALT HAS WONDERFUL POWER.

It is Thought to Be Long Sought Elixir of Life.

Salt, just plain salt, or sodium chloride, as chemists call it, is about to take a new place in the world, for two university of Chicago professors, working in the quiet of their laboratories, have found that it is the long sought-for elixir of life. They have found that sodium chloride, or salt solution, when introduced to the right proportions will cause a heart which has once ceased to beat to take up its rhythmic action and do its work again. In other words, they have discovered that a certain solution will revive life that is extinct.

Professor Jacques Loeb and Professor D. J. Lingle are the discoverers. The key word to the whole discovery is "ions."

Professors Loeb and Lingle have been experimenting all summer on the auricular and ventricular muscle, and have found, that certain "ions," or electric current solutions, furnish life's prolonging principle which works on the heart muscles through the blood. Salt in the blood in certain proportions they have discovered to be the cause of the heart beat. The results of experiments of the Chicago professors have not become generally known yet, as they are preparing a story of their summer's work for publication.

The Half Cent.

A movement is on foot to put a one-half cent in general use in the United States. Several suggestions have been made to the government, and a document was presented, signed by the heads of the big department stores in the various large cities throughout the country, showing the need for this move in making change. Progress finds many methods of improvement, but for half a century past, in spite of many innovations, nothing has arisen to equal Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the greatest benefactor the human race has ever known. This medicine cures constipation, indigestion, dyspepsia, biliousness, nervousness and sleeplessness, also prevents malaria, fever and ague. Be sure to get the genuine with our Private Revenue Stamp over the neck of the bottle.

PENSIONING EMPLOYEES.

A Western Railroad Will Take Care of its Faithful Workers.

A project for pensioning employees and retiring benefits in case of sickness, disability or death is under consideration by the directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad. The arrangement contemplates assessing the employees for only part—probably half—of the funds necessary to carry out the system, the rest of the expense to be borne by the company. If it is finally adopted it will affect from 25,000 to 30,000 employees.

In many respects the system will be similar to a mutual benefit association, but the company proposes to contribute liberally toward its maintenance. The men in the employ of the company will not be required to join unless they wish to do so, but those taken on hereafter probably will be required to become contributors to the fund, thus, of course placing themselves in the line of its benefits.

Notice to Contractors.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the clerk of school district No. 16 in East Oregonian building, up to 6 o'clock p. m. of January 2, 1901, for the remodeling, repairing and fitting up of the building to be used as a school house, situated at the corner of Court and Beauregard streets, according to plans and specifications prepared for the same by T. F. Howard, architect; also, for the building of two water closets on the same property. Plans and specifications will be on exhibition at the office of T. F. Howard, LUNA BISHOP, Clerk. December 27, 1900.

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A System of Irrigation for a Great Peach Orchard.

A contract has been let to Nelson Rich, of North Yakima, says the Walla Walla Statesman, to construct the rock work for a system of endless chain-wheel irrigation on Long Island in the Columbia river. The island, which is but a short distance from Umatilla, is owned by a syndicate, of which Dr. N. G. Bialock, of Walla Walla, is the head. It is to be made into one great peach orchard.

The plan consists of several stone piers to be constructed in the river and the attachment of water wheels to them for raising the water through the power of the current. The contract contemplates an expenditure of \$35,000 at once before the beginning of another farming season.

The Columbia river has always been a difficult stream for getting irrigation canals from because of its great volume and the effects of spring freshets. Many current wheels made on the old floating plan, have been washed away and the heads of ditches filled with sand. The present plan contemplates the building of solid rock walls twenty feet or more in height upon which the wheels will be placed. The motion will be given by the current and the power thus harnessed will be utilized by endless chains to which buckets will be attached for lifting the water. The plan is much the same as that in use among the Chinese.

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The strange disappearance of Frank A. Stirtan, a Philadelphia lawyer, was reported to the Portland police, as it is believed that he is in that city, detained against his will. It is feared that the missing man is demented, and his relatives offer a reward for any tidings that will enable them to find him.

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