

The exhibition car loaded down with Oregon products has gone east. So far as we know, Coos county is wholly unrepresented. This matters little if we may judge by the past. So far, all efforts towards securing immigration to the northwest has been in the interest of the railroads, and for some reason those counties which lie where they are not tributary to said roads, never get any benefit of them.

The Mexican government expects a tilt with the United States, while our own government, it would be judged by its actions, expect nothing of the kind. Mexico has been deluded into the hope that England and Spain would assist them, and claim to have assurances to that effect. If we should get into a tussle with all these countries, and China should join them, it would be interesting for our proud nation. China's demonstration may be looked for now that she has been demanding indemnity, ordering munitions of war, etc.

The people of Arizona are anxious to get rid of their Indians. It is a fact self-demonstrative that the Indians cannot live at peace among themselves, much less with the whites. A proposition to put them on an island in Lower California meets the approval of many, and this should be resorted to at once. The place selected is a delightful one and there they would cease from troubling. Until this is done, our people will be murdered and likewise commit murder till the last Indian is gone. This is a poor way for civilized people to live with their wards.

The mines in the Northwest never cut such a figure before as they are doing now. Placer diggings are only slightly improved, while quartz mines are springing up on every hand. These promise largely, and are of a degree of permanency as to warrant many years operations, while new leads may be looked for right along—in fact prospecting is only being commenced. There is every reason to believe that Oregon and the northwest territories will be veritable mining camps in the near future, and that this industry will bring prosperity to the whole Northwest as we have never known it before.

The opportunity afforded by the late G. A. R. encampment in San Francisco of a visit to this coast by leading men from all parts of the Union will prove of great value in bringing about measures that will effectually prohibit Chinese coolie immigration to this country. It is a noticeable fact that scores of leading eastern men who formerly favored that sort of immigration, have changed their views since visiting the Pacific coast. In fact many of them declared that Chinatown in San Francisco was an intolerable nuisance, and that such a thing would come to grief too quick in Eastern cities.

A road leading from Halls prairie to Bandon via Fishtrap creek is a necessity that all must see. It is known that hundreds of families would visit Bandon beach in their wagons from the interior of the state annually, if they could go direct with their wagons to the beach. There is nothing to hinder Bandon beach from being the greatest summer resort on the Oregon coast, and it would be, provided people could reach it with their teams. This road would be just the thing. The district fair ground is on the route and it would build up our annual fairs; in fact the beach excursion and the fair would work together for good to both. This road only lacks a small gap of being completed now, and the people should see to it that it be put in order and completed at once. The number of inquiries coming in from Douglas county in regard to reaching Bandon beach with wagon and team warrants the belief that there would be scores of visitors for every one we now have, and this road is all that could bring them.

The Star of East Portland is run by a Coward.

Maine prohibitionists are organizing a campaign against the republicans, at which Blaine has become much alarmed.

Mr. James, of Parkersburg, spent Sunday in this place. He wants to locate in this town to avail himself of our excellent school facilities.

Dispatches from Mandalay state that fully 1,000 persons were drowned by a flood, resulting from the bursting of an embankment in the Irrawaddy river, on Aug. 24.

Mr. Balsh will soon have his dwelling in this place completed. The clearing of the land, and all the work done so far, have been done at odd times, evenings and mornings while Mr. B. was putting in full time at the mill. Such industry is commendable.

All postoffices after October the 1st will be designated as special delivery offices. Postmasters will be held responsible for the immediate delivery of any mailable matter received at his office which is properly stamped with a special delivery stamp.

Tenn Robison and John Sneed killed a cougar near Uncle W. L. Hayter's place a few days ago. The latter came across it in his pasture, and sent for the boys who, with their dogs, soon had it up a tree. It was the mother of some kits which will doubtless starve.

Capt. Levi Snyder visited Coos bay the latter part of the week under suspicious circumstances. Now, Capt., it something is going to happen please do not keep us in suspense. Capt. Edwards ornamented the Annie's pilot house during Capt. Snyder's absence.

Be sure and take in the fair next week. You will miss a world of fun if you do not. Do not fail to take along something for exhibition. You may not get a big premium but you will be helping along the society and help to engender a spirit of emulation that will eventually help the whole country.

One of the greatest curiosities in the world, says Albert V. Hufey, a sheep man on the Yellowstone, is now in his possession. The thing is a six-legged sheep over one year old, with all the legs perfectly formed. The animal only uses four of them at a time, but frequently, after being driven a long way, it changes them and always has two legs resting.

Mr. Curtis Johnson arrived here Sunday from San Diego. He doesn't seem to like that part very much, and informs us that that town is only kept up by the sick who go there for their health. The country is almost wholly worthless, except the El Cajon valley and even there he says everything has to be irrigated. The water is obtained by windmill pumps. The climate is pleasant next to the coast, but there the country is worthless. It is a bad place for a person with weak lungs.

There is a "nibs" traveling in the northern part of this county selling common, every-day, picked-up-in-the-road stone on the pretense that they are of a peculiar chemical composition and have the quality of making kerosene non-explosive. He drops one of these stones in a bowl of oil, and in order to demonstrate its non-explosiveness he lights a match, and dips it into the fluid. Of course the match goes out as quickly immersed in coal oil as it would in water. We have been told that nearly every house in the northern part of the county has one or more of these talismanic stones. My dear stone peddler, will you kindly go to!—Itemizer.

In a State of Siege.
London, Aug. 24.—The prefect of Varnar received Friday evening a circular signed by Karaveloff, Rankoff, Stoiloff, and Radishoff, ordering him to inform the people that Prince Alexander had been dismissed. All towns in Bulgaria and Roumelia except Widin, are in a state of siege. It is rumored at Berlin that Alexander was compelled to abdicate by threats of death.

Another call for bonds has been made, this time for 15,000,000.

The Chicago anarchists have been found guilty and will have to meet deserved punishment—or at least what the country is pleased to designate as deserved.

A new light has been invented which exceeds in brilliancy anything heretofore found. It is equal to gas and steadier. It is much cheaper than coil oil, and it is thought will become popular.

Medford's reduction works are crowded, and are from all parts of the state is pouring in. This will make of Medford a flourishing town. Such a thing might be started here, and we hope to see diligent prospecting for quartz.

Longview, Texas, has a negro 112 years old and lost another a few days ago who was aged 108. Verily the negro lasts longer than his white neighbor. This may be accounted for in his simple and sensible diet, coupled with the facts that he has for the greater part of his life taken healthful bodily exercise with little cares to trouble his mind.

Gladstone is visiting Germany. Henry Ward Beecher is sick in Scotland.

Another fool talks of trying to swim Niagara whirlpool.

A new democratic daily paper is to be started in Portland at once.

Many children were crushed to death at Sheffield a few days ago by a falling building.

The Bulgarian imbroglio promises trouble, and that possibly of a very serious nature.

A bear carried off the papoose of a Umatilla Indian mother the other day while she was gathering berries.

Blaine is being put into fighting trim for the next presidential struggle, or rather he is putting himself in trim.

One James Brown was run over and killed by a train at Oysterville on Monday, Aug. 23, says the Newport News.

Victoria, Texas, is asking for contributions for its suffering people. A storm devastated the country thereabout.

Capt. David Baskirk, the largest man in Indiana died a week ago Thursday. He was 7 feet in his stockings and weighed 400 lbs.

Senator Ewart of New York and Chas. C. Perkins were thrown from a buggy at Windsor, Vt., on Wednesday and the latter instantly killed.

Crater Lake.

Is about 80 miles from Jacksonville, high up among the forests of the Cascade mountains. It is the most deeply buried body of water in the world, having an area of about 30 square miles, being surrounded by walls the altitude of which is over 2,500 feet, or about one-half a mile from the top of the bank to the surface of the lake. The water, in a body of a black inkish look, which possesses effect is increased by the sooty appearance to the crags and somberness of the surroundings. It is a weird solitude, the silence of which is said to be both oppressive and appalling. No living thing inhabits its waters, nor do the birds of song frequent it. A rocky island in the center of the lake rises to the height of 1,200 feet, with a crater in the top of it which has a depth of 100 feet. The water from the base of this island is 500 feet deep. A surveying party with twenty pack mules arrived there last week whose intention it is to survey Crater lake and report to the national authorities at Washington of their work and the feasibility and desirability of making a national park of it, with a portion of the surrounding country. Their report will be looked for with some interest by all Oregonians. For the sportsman the place is a paradise. The mountains are inhabited by the bear, panther, wolf, and other wild animals, and the woods teem with deer, quail, pigeons and grouse, while the streams are the home of the delicious mountain trout.—Oregon Sentinel.

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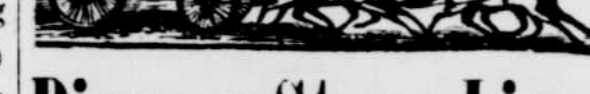
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