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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Washington is overflowing with strangers these days. The series of Baptist conventions, held by the five national associations of the church, brought over 4000 people with it.

Articles of incorporation of the Portland Baseball association have been filed. The assessments per member of the A. O. U. W. for the fiscal year just ended was \$17.

The firemen's tournament will be held at Seattle instead of Portland, as previously announced. The best Portland could do was to raise about \$450, while Seattle planked down \$2,000.

The Baptist brethren in sombre citizens attire, came to the capitol and mingled with the city's throng almost unobserved except for their guide books and their sight-seeing propensities.

The Catholic procession was directed by General Rosecrans, who is himself a zealous Catholic. The Washington Catholic organizations led the visiting organizations in the procession.

The impression has prevailed heretofore that when the peach crop of California is about all gone, the Southern Oregon peaches would begin to come in.

The Newport city council are wrestling with a Sunday law, and the News says: The so-called Sunday ordinance will be before the city council at the next meeting for final action.

The wool shipped from Baker City in 1887 was \$50,000 pounds, and brought an average of sixteen cents per pound.

The gold product of the county aggregates several million dollars. The gold product of the county aggregates several million dollars.

The report of the committee on European missions indicated great and material progress in every branch of the work there.

Two towns are bidding for the county seat of Walla. Joseph has offered to furnish the county building for a period of ten years.

The postmaster general has extended the mail service from Galesville in Douglas county, Oregon, to the gold mining region of Starve Out.

Grant's Good Fortune.

New York Herald: Leonard Swift told an interesting story the other day, illustrative of General Grant's traditional good luck, as well as his lack of what is called shrewdness in commercial dealings.

W. M. Stanley, county stock inspector, was engaged in finishing the work of inspecting the sheep of this section of the country on account of the late storm.

The fruit prospects in Southern Oregon were never better. The trees in this vicinity are loaded with fruit, much of which has been knocked off so as to give the fruit a chance to attain some size.

General Grant opened his eyes in amazement. It had not occurred to him to set so high a value on his work; he had not thought of dickering beyond the first offer, but he did not sign the contract.

Afterward Mark Twain, Webster's relative and business partner, called and told the general that none of the publishers had offered him what his manuscript was worth.

"And Grant's book," said Mr. Swift in conclusion, "will become a classic more valuable than Caesar's Commentaries." I consider it the greatest achievement of General Grant's wonderful life to have written such a work.

According to almost all the charts gotten up by the astrologists, what may be expected of girls born in different months is about as follows.

If in January, a prudent housewife, given to melancholy, but good temper.

If in February, a humane and affectionate wife and tender mother.

If in March, a frivolous chatterbox somewhat given to quarreling.

If in April, inconstant, not very intelligent, but likely to be good looking.

If in May, handsome, amiable and likely to be happy.

If in June, impetuous, will marry early and be frivolous.

If in July, passably handsome, but with a sulky temper.

If in August, amiable and practical and likely to marry rich.

If in September, discreet, affable and much liked.

Woman's Destiny.

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If in August, amiable and practical and likely to marry rich.

If in September, discreet, affable and much liked.

If in October, pretty and coquetish and likely to be unhappy.

If in November, liberal, kind and of a wild disposition.

If in December, well proportioned fond of novelty and extravagant.

As the effect of dishorning upon the disposition of the animals is now an important question, the following from Youatt's compilation on British cattle, is of interest.

"So late as the middle of last century, the greater part of the Galloway cattle were horned—they were middle horns; but some of them were polled—they were either remnant of the native breed, or the characteristic of the aboriginal cattle would be occasionally displayed, although many a generation had passed.

"For more than 150 years the surplus cattle of Galloway had been sent far into England, and principally into the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk. The polled beasts were always favorites with the English farmers; they fattened as kindly as the others, they attained a larger size, their flesh lost none of its firmness of grain, and they exhibited no trace of the wildness nor dangerous ferocity which were sometimes serious objections to the Highland breed. Thence it happened that, in process of time, the horned breed decreased, and was at length quite superseded by the polled."