

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

Mr. K. McKenna, a merchant of Cascade Locks, has been arrested by the county sheriff on a charge of larceny of a pair of deer horns...

with Coal. Ten in this city, and was known to old residents. Last Thursday evening, when Moss visited his house in Eugene, he apprehended mischief from the young man...

Concerning Ben Foster. The numerous friends of Ben Foster, the New York artist, will sincerely regret to learn of his second burial within a year...

Mr. Ernest Jensen, an employe of Messrs. Pease & May, met with a very serious accident this morning about 10 o'clock. He was at work in the warehouse, fitting a block and tackle on the rafters for the purpose of hoisting goods...

Mr. J. M. Anderson and Mr. C. P. Balch, of Dulur, are in the city. Mr. L. T. Barin, U. S. marshal under Harrison, arrived in the city on the afternoon train...

Mr. Paul Kretz, the mayor, will leave for Warm Springs tomorrow morning, where he will be in charge of some of the work on the part of the clerk of the weather.

The profits of the Alaska-Treaty mine for the six months ending November 30, 1893, were \$283,179.23. The above does not include state profits for the period...

Mr. Henry Hudson, of Nanassa, received intelligence a few days ago of the death of his son, Mr. Samuel Hall, at Pleasant Hill, N. J., aged 32 years...

Mr. E. C. Darnell, the county commissioner, started to the city yesterday morning in a sleigh to attend court, but when a mile from town was forced to give up the conveyance on account of the lock of snow...

MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. ASSETS, \$51,395,903.59. ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION OF SURPLUS VS. TONTINE OR LONG TERM DISTRIBUTION.

CHICAGO, March 9.—It was 4:30 when the jury filed into the courtroom. As the members appeared Coughlin turned deadly pale, and then with an apparent effort straightened up in his seat.

NEW TO-DAY. ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of Wasco county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Elias Johnson, deceased.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION. A Republican Convention for the County of Wasco, State of Oregon, is called to meet in Dalles City, in said county, on Wednesday, April 4, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Table with 5 columns: COMPANIES, Total Income, 1893, from Premiums, Interest and Reins., Expenses (including Taxes) in 1893, Difference between Interest and Expenses, Dividends Paid to Policyholders in 1893, Ratio of Expenses (including Taxes) to Premiums.

But the Tontine Companies claim that, as by their plan they withhold money for many years their MUTUAL BENEFIT pays out in Dividends Annually, they should be credited annually with the additions to their assets; that is, with the amount "put by" during the year for the future benefit of their policyholders.

Table with 5 columns: COMPANIES, Premiums Received in 1892, Paid Policyholders and "put by" for Policyholders' Future in 1892, Paid to and "put by" for Policyholders for each \$100 received from Policyholders in 1892, Ratio of Premiums to Total Assets.

MARK T. KADY, Manager, - Portland, Oregon. The above table shows that from \$150,000.00 less premiums than the New York Life, the Mutual Benefit has received \$29,000.00 more of its interest receipts than the Equitable; that from \$479,000.00 less premiums, the Mutual Benefit has saved \$33,000.00 more of its interest receipts than the Equitable; that from \$1,000,000.00 less premiums, the Mutual Benefit has saved over four times as much of its interest receipts above expenses for policyholders as the New York Life and Equitable combined.