Times-Mountaineer.

SATURDAY..............JUNE 6, 1896

ITEMS IN BRIEF.

From Wednesday's Daily.

Mr. T. H. Johnson, of Dufur is in the city today.

Mrs. C. L. Anderson, of Portland, is visiting Mrs. W. W. Smith in this city.

Eugene Debs is a demagogue, but not a fool, he has refused to become a "labor" candidate for president.

Many teams loaded heavily with wool came in today, the warehouses are filling rapidly.

Miss Lorene Lee, after spending the winter in this city, returned to her home in Portland on today's local.

Seventeen cars of sheep were shipped east from Arlington today and another train of 17 cars will be shipped out tomorrow.

Well, we're licked, but we are democrats, and used to it. We will be ready to step up to the scratch again, on the call of time.

The members of the Milton Nobles Dramatic company, who appear at the opera house this evening are registered at the Umatilla house.

To judge by the looks of the streets this morning all the loose change in pocket last Saturday, is gone, and the town has gone—dry—.

Nineteen carloads of Webfoot yearlings were stopped off to feed at Saltmarshe & Co's. feed yard last night and were reshipped today for Montana.

Frank Seufert says that the McCoy ditch men are going past the cannery this morning in batches of from six to twelve traveling toward the rising sun.

Travel is very light both by river and rail, the election is the probable cause. A boat making landings on Salt river would catch a good many of the boys this morning.

Today being collection day news is very scarce, the collector has driven the average debtors into retirement for the nonce possibly the boys spent all their money Monday.

A wool wagon collided this morning with M. Z. Donnell's illuminated drug sign, and brought it to the ground, happily it struck sideways and the multi-colored glass brilliants were broken but little.

A reporter chanced to call at the Oregon Bakery this morning and discovered that the genial proprietor, Andrew Keller, has added to his furniture a very handsome ice cream chest of solid marble. He is also dispensing an excellent quality of ice cream and soda.

Attention is called to the notice from E. E. Lyttle, agent of the O. R. & N. Co. that his road will sell round trip tickets to the nationol conventions, the Christian Endeavor convention and the National Educational conventions for one fare both ways.

The Woodmen of this city will give a "log rolling" next Tuesday night. A splendid program, consisting of music and recitations, will be rendered, also an address by Hon. John Michell.

There is a large quantity of wood on scows in port, Messrs. Maier and Benton say that now is the time to order your winter's wood as they are afraid to pile it on the beach, and yet would be more than glad to unload those scows, it would pay you to take advantage of the situation.

The river at this point was up to 33 feet this morning with the news from up the river points that the Snake at Lewiston had risen one foot in the past twenty-four hours, it is now thought that all danger of any extraordinary rise for this season is over, although more than average high water may be expected.

The Woodmen of the World presented Judge John Filloon with a silk hat yesterday evening. Dr. Eshelman in a neat little speech, making the presentation for the lodge. The judge tried it on, but has concluded that it would be more becoming with a full regalia of judicial ermine, than with his everyday clothes and in consequence has laid the tile away, buttered side down, for the present.

Invitations have been sent to neighboring camps by the Woodmen of this city to be present next Sunday at the unveiling of the monument of neighbor Thomas N. Joles, deceased, in Sunset Cemetery. it is hoped that a large number of choppers will be in attendance. The ceremonies attending the unveiling of a Woodman's monument are very impressive and beautiful, and a large crowd will doubtless be present.

Steel wagon roads bid fair to have a thorough trial in several states this year. The claim is made that such a road would last much longer than stone, and that one horse will draw on a steel track twenty times as much as on a dirt track and five times as much as on macadam. These roads consist of two rail made of steel the thickness of a boiler plate, each formed in the shape of a gutter five inches wide, with a square perpendicular shoulder half an inch high, then an angle of one inch outward, slightly raised. The gutter forms a conduit for the water and makes it easy for the wheels to enter or leave the track. Such a double-track steel railroad, 16 feet wide, filled in between with broken stone, macadam size, would cost about $6.000. as against $7.000 per mile for a macadam roadbed of the same width, but the cost of a rural one-track steel road would be only about $2,000 a mile.

From Thursday's Daily.

Rev. B. S. Adams was elected justice of the peace at Moro.

The republicans gave a ratification ball at Moro Tuesday evening.

Michael Stacker, an extensive farmer of Lower Deschutes, is in the city.

Mr. M. Daman, of Moro, was in the city last evening en route to Portland

Hon. C. M. Cartwright, of Portland, is in the city looking after the wool market.

B. F. Robinson left this morning for Portland to receive treatment in a hospital in that city.

Charles Snipes, convicted of simple assault, was yesterday fined $150 by Judge Bradshaw.

In Morrow county the democrats elected sheriff and clerk, the republicans everything else.

Today commissioner's court convened in special session, all members of the court being present.

Rev. I. A. Goodfellow, of Goldendale, arrived on today's train, returning from a visit to California.

J. M. Irving, who was postmaster at Albany during Harrison's administration, died at his home in Albany last Tuesday. He has resided in that city since 1863.

Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Mrs. Robt. Cooper and Mrs. P. L. Johns went to Hood River on the Regulator this morning.

Mr. Howie was in from Dufur this morning and reports a fine shower of rain having fallen at that place last night.

W. L. Wilcox was the only democrat elected in Gilliam county. He was re-elected sheriff by over 200 plurality.

This was a poor year for independent candidates. Northup and all the rest who came out independently were unsuccessful.

Hon. A. A. Jayne's majority in the seventh district for prosecuting attorney is between 250 and 300 so far as heard from.

The current was too strong for the Dalles City to steam yesterday and the vessel was unable to reach her landing at Cascade Locks.

Election returns from Wasco, Sherman and Gilliam counties give Hon. E. B. Dufur for joint senator 28 majority over W. H. Moore.

One carload of fine porkers left the stock yards of R. E. Saltmarshe & Co. last evening for Troutdale, to be used for the Portland market.

Mrs. Lizzie Allen, wife of the genial stage driver, was yesterday brought to this city from Moro to receive medical treatment.

P. S. Kretzer, the well driller, is now ready to contract for well work in Sherman county. Call on or write me this week. The Dalles, Or. 1w.

In the firemen's tournament at Pendleton yesterday Walla Walla won first prize in both the speed and wet contests, Waitsburg second, Pendleton third, Baker City fourth.

The river at Northport today has been stationary having neither risen or fallen. At other points along the Columbia the readings were as follows: Wenatchee 27.3, Lewiston 19.6, Umatilla 2?.5, The Dalles 34.2

Sylvester Pennoyer said nothing during the campaign and was elected mayor of Portland. Now the ex-governor talks and says he will accept only one-half the salary of that office during his incumbency.

Hon. Geo. Miller, superior judge of Clark, Skamania and Cowlitz counties, Wash., arrived by the local today, and is visiting his parents in the city. He leaves tomorrow for Goldendale to hold court a few days for Judge Smith of Klickitat county.

The home club, under the supervision of Prof. Travis, are getting along nicely with the great temperance drama, "Past Redemption." They will rehearse nightly next week, and will be prepared to furnish a splendid entertainment on the evening of the 12th.

Mrs. A. C. Smith, wife of Dr. Smith, of Moro, in company with Mr. C. W. Dickman, her father, were passengers on last evening's stage from Moro. They left today for Philomath. Or., to visit relatives and friends at Mr. Deckman's home.

There came near being a vacancy in the Chronicle force last evening. Chris Schwabe, the office boy, took a tumble of about 20 feet from the platform at the D. P. & A. N. warehouse into the Columbia. He was fished out by rescuers who at once went to his assistance.

The Degree of Honor last night elected the following officers for the ensuing term: Mrs. Anna Blakenly, C. of H.; Mable Sterling, L. of H.; Mrs. G. G. Gibons, C. of C.; Jennie Russell, Rec.; Cora Joles, Fin., Lizzie Schooling, Rec'r.; Emma Jacobsen, U.; Mrs. E. Beck, I. W.; J. F. Moore, O. W.

The squads of men whom Mr. Seufert saw wending their way eastward from this city yesterday morning evidently were not the McCoy ditch men, but a hord of itenerents who took up a temporary residence in The Dalles prior to election. The ditch men are all here and are determined to stay all summer if it is necessary in order to have an accounting with McCoy.

The officers elected in Sherman county are as follows: County judge, John Fulton, dem.; sheriff, Wm. Holder, rep.; clerk, Wm. Henrichs, rep.; treasurer, Geo. M. Bolton, rep.; surveyor, John Johnson, pop.; assessor, B. F. Pike, rep.; school superintendent, W. J. Peddicord, pop.; coroner, J. A. Mowery, pop; commissioner, R. H. King, pop.

Prineville went slightly republican last Monday. The vote was: Supreme judge—Bean 153, Burnett 143; congressman—Bennett 113, Ellis 80, Northup 94, Quinn 24. Templeton, populist for representative, had a plurality of 12, and Daly, democrat for joint senator, a plurality of 79. For county officers the republicans had majorities ranging from 10 to 50.

Last evening the Red Men of this city held their regular monthly meeting for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. After the regular order of business had passed through the hands of the chief, the following officers were elected: E. B. Dufur, prophet; W. I. Marders, sachem; F. Lemke, senior; M. Schoren, junior; F. H. Wakefield, trustee.

A serious accident occurred at Mosier last Monday in which Jerome McNeil, a lad of 10 or 12 years, lost his left hand. He was walking on a railroad trestle when a train came along. He dropped down between the timbers so as to protect his body, but in some way one hand was exposed to the car wheel and was severed from the arm. He was also bruised about the head, but his injuries are not conridered dangerous.

Pendleton has welcomed her guests to the firemen's tournament with hearty good will. The East Oregonian says: "To use a homely and trite expression, the latch string hangs on the outside. The keys of the city have been delivered over by the mayor and accepted by the firemen, and the visitors will be arrested for no crime less flagrant than bank-breaking or murder. The town has thrown open its doors and hopes that the people from abroad will walk in without knocking.

From Fridays' Daily.

Mr. G. S. Sanders, of Portland, is visiting friends in this city.

J. H. Blakeley has sold his teams and express business to Oakes & Stringer.

Messrs. A. S. Bennett and F. A Seufert went to Portland on this afternoon's train.

Miss Edith Schmidt, who has been visiting at Phoenix, Arizona, the past year, arrived home today.

Mr. F. W. Wilson, editor of the Chronicle, left last night for Walla Walla to be present at the alumni meeting of the Whitman college graduates.

Mrs. P. H. DeHuff went to Cascade Locks this afternoon to spend a few days visiting her daughter.

J. W. Jessee, of Crook county, was in the city last night returning home from a visit to Benton county.

A ladies kid glove was picked up on the street last night and left at this office for the owner to identify.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G Hickok, of Cascade Locks, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs Geo. P. Morgan.

Mrs. J. E. Barnett went to Bridal Veil this afternoon to organize a Juvenile Temple at that place this evening.

The Regulator will leave her dock promptly at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning. Tickets for the round trip tomorrow 50 cents.

Light wines and mineral waters for family use in endless variety and of the best quality at Stubling & William's wholesale store

The west-bound overland was detained for eight hours by the washing out of a bridge beyond Weiser, hence did not arrive here until noon today.

June 12 is the date on which "Past Redemption" will be rendered at the Vogt Grand. The proceeds will go to the Good Templar lodges of the city.

Mrs. Hammond, wife of C. F. Hammond, president of the Butchers' Union of San Francisco, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hardy, in The Dalles.

Willie Crossen, having completed his course in the Portland University, returned home last night, and today took a position in the postoffice as deputy under his brother, Postmaster J. A. Crossen.

Deputy Sheriff McCoy came in from Moro last night and returned this morning with C. North, the man who escaped from the Sherman county jail some time since, and whom Sheriff Driver arrested in this city the first of the week

Hon. T. M. Baldwin, of Prineville, accompanied by his wife and Mrs. Dr. Sites and Mrs. C. F. Smith, arrived in the city today and left on the afternoon train for Portland, where Mr. Baldwin goes to attend the meeting of the Masonic grand lodge.

Today County Clerk Kelsay called to his assistance Justice L. L. Davis and Recorder G. W. Phelps and proceeded to make an official count of the vote of Wasco county, but the blanks furnished by the state were incomplete, hence the counting will not be finished until tomorrow.

Mr. Pat Fagan came in yesterday from his stock farm in Crook county. Mr. Fagan brings encouraging reports from that section. He says crop prospects were never better than at present. At James Connolly's place on John Day he says cherries are ripe and fruit trees are loaded, promising an abundant yield.

Returns from all but three precincts in Crook county, received last night, give the congressional vote as follows: Bennett 289, Ellis 209, Northup 213, Quinn 88. The populist nominee for representative had a small plurality, but the precincts to hear from will likely elect Misner, the democratic nominee. Dr. Daly, the democratic nominee for joint senator has carried the county.

The play at the Vogt Grand last night, "For Revenue Only," was one of the most interesting that has been put on the boards in this city for many days. The schemes of politicians of the present day were ludicrously depicted, affording an unusual amount of amusement. The play tonight is "The Phoenix." It is full of interest throughout and will be well worth seeing.

The following officers were elected last night by Temple Lodge No. 3, A. O. U. W. for the insueing term: Master Workman, Dr. G. C. Eshelman; foreman, C. J. Crandall; overseer, E. Beck; recorder, Geo. F. Ross; financier, Sidney Young; receiver, C. L. Phillips; guide, D. L. DeWolf, inside watchman, J. B. Eaton; outside watchman, Jess Simonson; medical examiner, Dr. O. D. Doane.

Last night Mr. Campbell, the projector of the road-wagon scheme to connect The Dalles and Goldendale, had a conference with the transportation committee of the Commercial Club, and explained his plans thoroughly to the members, together with estimates of cost of construction, etc. The project is very favorably considered by the committee, and bids fair to meet with substantial encouragement in The Dalles.

It is reported that a jug of applejack was taken to the polls at Santiam precinct, in Linn county, and a large number of voters became quite hilarious before the day was ended. It is said that when the count was made, 35 ballots were found to be not according to law. One voter who had imbibed quite freely, when he attemoted to mark his ballot found the job too difficult for him, so he turned the back of the ballot and wrote "Straight democratic, be gob," and then signed his name thereto.

Officers of the Eastern Oregon and Washington Firemen's Association elected at Peneleton are: J. V. Morgan, Waitsburg, president; J. W. McKay, Walla Walla, vice president; T. D. S. Hart, Walla Walla, secretary; E. J. Murphy, Pendleton, treasurer; M. D. Fleming, Baker City; M. J. Buckley, La Grande, and Joe Ell, Pendleton, directors; R. L. Lincoln, La Grande, statistician. In the contest Thursday, the Walla Walla team won the first prize in both the speed and wet contests. Waitsburg was second in the wet contest. Pendleton won the dry test, with Baker City second. In the hook and ladder contest Walla Walla won in 28 1-5 seconds; Pendleton second by 1-5 of a second.

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At druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents

Wakelees Squirrel Poison at Blakeley & Houghton's 30 cents a can; $3 a dozen.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Important Business Transacted at the Regular Meeting For June.

The regular monthly meeting of the common council of Dalles City was held in the council chambers on June 3, Mayor Frank Menefee presiding. Councilmen present, Lauer, Ross, Saltmarshe, Eshelman, Nolan, Thompson and Crowe, and the following proceedings were had:

Petition for nightwatch in the East End, read and laid on table.

The committee on fire and water reported as follows:

"We have had propositions to furnish an electric fire alarm system from parties in Portland and from Seufert & Condon, under the following conditions:

"First, that the citizens of this city defray the expenses of buying a chemical engine and deliver the same to the city to be used by the fire department: second, that the manager of the North west Insurance Association will grant a reduction of at least 10 per cent upon the insurable property of the city." On motion the report was adopted.

On motion it was ordered that the mayor appoint a committee of three citizens, owners of improvements in The Dalles, to canvass the city and solicit subscriptions for a fund to buy a chemical engine.

The health committee reported verbally that the sewerage in the Schanno building occupied by A. A. Brown, and in the French bank building was in need of repairs.

Committee on judiciary reported in the case of the claim of J. L. Story against Dalles City, that claim should be collected by the city from Story.

On motion it was ordered that in the matter of collection of claims the committee on judiciary be empowered to employ an attorney to enforce collection whenever necessary.

The matter of repairing sewers was referred to street commissioner, authorizing him to make all necessary repairs.

Ordinance regulating the licensing of bill posters was referred to judiciary cammittee.

An ordinance establishing circus license as follows was adopted.

"Keepers or proprietors of every circus shall pay a license of $150 for the first performance, and $75 for each additional performance; provided that every building, tent, space or area where feats of horsemanship or acrobatic sports are exhibited, shall be regarded as circus under this ordinance. and provided further that all side shows or exhibitions, whether given in connection with the circus or apart therefrom, when seperate administration fee is charged, shall pay a license of $10.

TWENTY THOUSAND AVAILABLE.

That Amount May be Used at Once to Complete the Locks.

The following Telegram to Roger B. Sinnott, secretary of The Dalles Commercial Club, from Senator Geo. W. McBride, has been received bearing date of June 4:

"The river and harbor bill passed over the veto yesterday. It contains appropriations of $50.000 for Cascade locks, and authorizes the secretary of war, in his discretion, to expend $20,000 immediately available in constructing the portion of walls necessary in advance of opening the canal. To commence, consent of the contractors is not required. The Oregon delegation will urge the secretary of war to hasten work so that the canal can be opened at the earliest date practicable.".

I. O. G. T. Grand Lodge.

The annual session of the grand lodge of Good Templars will be held in this city June 10, 11, and 12. It is expected that about 100 delegates from different portions of the state will be in attendance, and it is anticipated that this will be one of the best sessions ever held in the state. Independent Workers No. 7. and Dalles Lodge No 2, are striving to give the grand officers and delegates a hearty and cordial welcome. A public entertainment will be given at the M. E. church on Wednesday evening, June 10, at which a program will be rendered and Hon. John Michell will deliver an address of welcome on behalf of the city. The program for the entertainment will be printed at some future date.

The Vogt Grand Opening.

The re-built Vogt Grand opera house was opened Wednesday by the appearance of the Nobles players in the American drama "From Sire to Son." The play was a most attractive one, and was perfectly rendered, the Nobles being actors of far more than ordinary ability. Milton and Dollie Nobles are indeed stars, and are in every instance perfectly at home on the stage.

The opera house since it has been rebuilt and refurnished presents a handsome appearance. The stage is elegantly decorated and is second to none in the state outside the Marquham Grand in Portland

Teachers Elected.

At the regular monthly meeting of directors of school district No. 12, held Tuesday, the entire corps of teachers in The Dalles public schools were re-elected for the ensuing year, with the exception of Prof. M. N. Strattan, assistant principal who declined to be a candidate for re-election. Prof. J. S. Landers, who for the past year has held the position of Principal of the high school of Astoria, Ill., was elected to succeed Prof. Strattan. He is very highly recommended as an educator, and will arrive here about the last of August, to take his position at the opening of the schools on Sept. 7th.

Walls Giving Way.

It is reported in the city today that the wall on the river side at the upper end of the canal at the Cascades is beginning to give way under the pressure of the high water, at a point where the solid masonry and rip-rap was not completed. How serious the damage done has been is not known, but where the wall is weakening is the most exposed place on the entire work, and is least protected. The engineers it appears have had the wall on the Oregon side completed, while they have allowed the place where the greatest force of water strikes to remain unfiished. It looks as if it was a case of serious oversight if not of intentional negligence,

Meat Will Be Prime and Plenty.

Mr. E. J. Somerville, president of the Baldwin Sheep and Land Company, is in Portland, and tells an Oregonian reporter that the grass on the ranges. which was twice cut down by frost last spring, is now growing fine, and is better than for several years past. Sheep-shearing is being finished up. and droves of wethers are already being started for the East. One band of 20.000 has been started, and another of 17,000, and more are to follow. The price paid is $1 50 to $1 60 per head Cattle on the ranges are now beginning to take on fat, and there will be plenty of prime beef in about another month.

A GOOD PROPOSITION.

Goldendale Wants Telephone Connection With The Dalles.

A move is on foot at Goldendale to establish telephone communication between that place and The Dalles. The proprietors of the telephone system at Goldendale propose to establish a line leading from that place, by way of Centerville, to The Dalles, and ask a subsidy from this city of $125 when the poles are set and $125 when the line is in operation. Seufert & Condon offer to give the use of their line from here to the Norrows, a few miles above the city, where the river is little more than 300 feet in width, and where connection with the Washington side can be made without difficulties.

The projectors of this scheme propose, if the line is established, to keep daily bulletins in Goldendale and Centerville of the wheat market in The Dalles during the wheat season, also to give daily quotations of the wool market in this city.

The benefits to be derived by The Dalles from telephone communication with the principal places in Klickitat county are readily seen. It will draw a vast volume of trade here that now goes to Grant, simply on account of more ready communication. There should be little difficulty in raising the subsidy of $250 from the ferryboat company, the warehouses and the steamboat line, since their business would be materially increased if they could keep their customers advised each day of the prices that prevail here. The managers of the enterprises mentioned above are all enterprising business men, and when the Goldendale people lay their proposition before them, there is little doubt that the subsidy will be forthcoming immediately.

Letters Advertised.

The following is the list of letters remaining in The Dalles postoffice uncalled for June 6, 1896. Persons calling for these letters will please give the date on which they were advertised:

Bybee, Chas (3)
Berry, F W
Johns, Susan
Byburn, Ada
Pratt, Mrs. F B
Telin, Rinz
Rice, Vinton S
Sailors, M P
Thompson, Beth
Webb, Jno
Brown, M E
Hansen, N B
Miller, Dio (2)
Phillips, Aggie
Roberts, S H
Rancipar, G C
Spooner, ——
Thomas, Lea
Thomas, Jno
Williams, Gorman

J. A. CROSSEN, P. M.

McCoy Held to Answer.

The examination of Geo. W. McCoy, charged with having defrauded the laborers on the Wapinitia ditch, by buying their time checks and giving worthless notes in payment, which was in progress in Justice Davis' court several days this week, terminated this morning. McCoy being held in bonds of $2,500 to appear before the next grand jury. McCoy refused to give bonds and will probably remain in jail until the convening of the next term of circuit court.

Land Office Transactions.

Homestead filing Leary Malone, sw¼ nw¼, e½ sw¼, sw¼ sw ¼ sec 2, t 10 s, r 20 e.

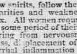
Homestead proof, E. A. Andrews, se¼ sec 25, t 2 n, r r 16 e.

Timber culture proof John J. Portwood, sw¼ sec 9, t 4 s, range 22 e.

DIED.

HENRY—In this city, June 1, 1896, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Henry.

KNOWLES—At the home of his father near Wamic, on May 30, Arthur Knowles, aged about 23 years,



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A pamphlet, containing a vast number of testimonials with reproduced photographs of those cured and giving full name and address of each, will be mailed to any address free; or, Dr. Pierce's large Treatise (168 pages) profusely illustrated with wood engravings and colored plates mailed post paid on receipt of 10 cents in stamps. Address, World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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SINGING MOUNTAIN OF NEVADA.

A Musical Wonder Whose Strains Were Long a Puzzle to Prospectors.

In the Truckee mining districts, down the Truckee river near Pyramid lake, is situated Nevada's musical mountain, says the Virginia City Enterprise. This mountain was first discovered by the white settlers in 1863, at which time there was some excitement in regard to the mines found in its neighborhood. The discoverers were a party of prospectors from the Comstock. They had pitched themselves at the foot of the mountain, and for a few evenings thought themselves bewitched. Each evening, a little after dark, when the air was calm and all was quiet, a mysterious concert began. Out from the face of the big mountain were wafted soft strains that seemed to cause the whole atmosphere to quiver as they floated over the camp. The music then appeared to pass over until it was far, far away and almost lost in the distance, when, beginning with a tinkling as of many little silver bells, there would be a fresh gush of sweet notes from the mountain. During the daylight hours little of the mysterious music was heard, and it was soon settled that it was not caused by the wind. A spring near which the explorers had pitched their tent afforded the only good camping grounds in the neighborhood, and as each new party of prospectors arrived at the spot the wonder grew.

Some Piute Indians who came along and camped at the spring were found to be acquainted with the peculiar musical character of the mountain. They called it the "Singing Mountain." Some of the men collected in the camp became more interested in the mountain than in prospecting and gave most of their time to an investigation of the mystery of the musical sounds heard to proceed from it. They found that the whole face of the mountain was covered with thin flakes of a hard crystalline rock. There were great beds of these flakes. The investigators concluded that the musical sounds heard proceeded from this loose material, huge drifts of which seemed to be gradually working their way down the steep face of the mountain. At all events, the strains heard at the foot of the mountain in the evening's stillness seemed to be produced by the uniting and blending of the myriads of bell-like tinklings proceeding from the immense beds of slaty debris creeping, glacier-like, down the slope. This solution of the mystery of the musical mountain is the only one worthy of notice. As no mines of value were found, the district was soon deserted and has since seldom been visited. Therefore few, except the old-time prospectors, knew much about the Singing Mountain.

GOING ABROAD FOR CLOTHES.

Sample Conversation Between Two American Women Who Get Dressed in Europe.

I sat in a bank recently which is much patronized by women who make their own deposits and cut off their own coupons, says a writer in Kate Field's Washington. Every woman knew the woman she jostled. Here is a condensed extract of the conversation I overheard:

"When do you sail?"

"On the 16th."

"Why don't you go with us a week later?"

"I can't. Our passage has been taken for days. Where are you going?"

"Direct to Paris. I've nothing to wear and I've been waiting until I could lay in a supply of clothes abroad."

"That is just the way with me. I can get everything so much cheaper in Paris than here, you know. I get all my bonnets and gowns abroad. Don't you?"

"Of course; and I find them so civil at the Bon Marche. I get my gloves there and lots of things."

"So do I; but do you know I've found a dressmaker in London who has wonderfully good taste, and it costs next to nothing to have gowns from her? The materials are so much cheaper than with us, and she only charges thirty shillings for the making."

"You don't say so! Give me her address. Shall you travel much?"

"No. My husband likes Paris because he meets other Americans. You know he doesn't speak the languages, and he wouldn't go at all but for me. I tell him I must have a change. I'm worn out with social duties. Aren't you?"

"Yes. Then I'll see you on the other side. Good-by"

"Good-by."

WRITERS OF MORBID BOOKS.

Do They Realize What an Opportunity for Good They Miss?

I wonder, asks a Gentlewoman writer, is it the authors or the public who are to blame for the immense amount of morbid literature that floods the market.

The supply is generally influenced by the demand, it is true, but authors forget the tremendous opportunity that is theirs of swaying the public taste for wholesome novels.

If they recognized more truthfully their power, and instead of pandering to a style which, though it may please the vulgar, cannot but make the judicious grieve, held the mirror up to nature in her purest, not her lowest, sense, there is no doubt that they would swiftly revolutionize the present ephemeral craving for what one writer has termed "highly seasoned literature."

Let us have fiction that while it interests does not disgust, and lay aside the hideous notion that realism must of force go hand in hand with evil, and an abuse of all the old faiths we have hitherto cherished and held dear.

It is the miserable fashion to write as if truth, and honor, and purity and belief were nonexistent. It is a lie. These qualities do exist; our men are as loyal and true and faithful as they always have been, and our women are not one whit less pure now that they are treated as at least the equal of man, and not with the semi-barbaric eastern idea that they are inferior animals.

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—STATE—																						
For Congressman, 2d dist:																						
A S Bennett .... dem	137	131	106	102	11	27	42	29	40	31	38	41	31	61	8	19	38	7	84	23	12	1009
W R Ellis .... rep	115	69	58	73	19	155	32	22	4	27	76	21	1	17	2	21	3		32	77	2	895
F McKercher .... pro	7	4	4	2						4	1			1			4	18	1			31
H H Northup .... ind	31	18	33	42	2	2	10	3			4	4	14	5		1	4	27	3	49	8	260
Martin Quinn .... peo	57	87	46	16	13	57	29	6		16	51	10	20	5	2	25	2		6	4	12	446
For Supreme Judge:																						
Robert S Bean .... rep	184	130	142	139	18	153	[illegible]	28	54	32	87	37	31	56	40	25	41	40	37	128	16	1154
John Burnett .... dem	75	79	69	76	14	36	34	21	35	26	39	23	26	35	23	13	27	6	28	14	4	702
Joseph Gaston .... peo	75	75	35	24	1	76	35	11	2	21	52	15	12	14	8	31	6	1	9	7	17	542
—DISTRICT—																						
For Prosecuting Attorney, Seventh Judicial District:																						
John H Cradlebaugh .... dem	132	129	9	105	28	134	88	34	62	27	28	34	32	49	42	40	21	8	32	24	23	1179
A A Jayne .... rep	201	150	14	123	2	119	27	25	32	43	126	39	38	42	25	20	46	40	41	124	16	1482
For Joint Senator, Wasco and Sherman counties:																						
J W Armsworthy .... dem	115	119	74	90	28	74	61	27	34	35	40	40	35	16	28	39	31	7	35	1	13	1015
John Michell .... rep	205	150	134	123	22	173	45	31	54	27	108	30	32	32	41	23	42	40	40	126	24	1531
For Joint Senator, Sherman, Wasco and Gilliam counties:																						
E B Dufur .... dem	173	191	131	135	3	83	59	32	33	39	48	48	40	45	41	46	38	9	26	29	13	1316
W H Moore .... rep	137	88	9	98	17	163	49	2	66	39	36	23	26	24	25	22	37	40	38	118	2	1351
For Joint Representatives, Wasco and Sherman counties:																						
B S Huntington .... rep	191	116	13	147	27	130	34	25	52	37	72	21	28	34	19	25	43	40	3	110	4	1345
F N Jones .... rep	188	109	11	119	16	125	37	27	57	3	74	40	21	12	37	29	43	41	8	109	1	1253
L Henry .... peo	92	114	80	57	23	102	62	27	17	30	10	[illegible]	7	45	27	30	15	1	34	6	21	914
Jno W Messinger .... peo	92	106	68	35	22	69	55	42	22	33	48	1	21	45	21	16	15		30	9	20	92[illegible]
Thos R Coon .... ind	84	23	23	20	2	22	13	2	6	2	13	6	12		1	7	9		3	11	5	219
—COUNTY—																						
For County Judge:																						
Geo C Blakeley .... dem	101	117	114	94	15	86	54	2	34	35	47	32	29	24	39	21	30	9	37	28	[illegible]	1006
Robt Mays .... rep	[illegible]	116	85	119	2	116	32	3	51	32	74	2	20	32	22	31	45	40	31	103	19	1195
Frank P Taylor .... peo	76	50	38	19	6	48	2	6		12	55	10		12	9	13	1		5	5		609
For Sheriff:																						
T J Driver .... rep	111	84	122	94	7	144	28	35	42	29	102	41	28	40	41	23	35	40	43	99	18	1071
John M Roth .... ind silver	2	3	3	2	1	5	1		5	1	3	3	1	1			4		1	2		38
W H Taylor .... peo	101	67	3	17	18	52	26	5	3	21	31	11	13	7	5	9	5		2	6		451
H F Woodcock .... dem	87	127	87	118	22	53	46	21	27	26	22	13	2	41	24	38	28	7	27	27		874
For County Clerk:																						
D L Cates .... dem	87	87	64	83	7	30	42	41	3	21	107	34	22	2	27	11	19	8	73	33	7	858
H L Howe .... peo	42	34	22	7	10	68	31	5		13	17	1	10	15	4	6	4		6	2	15	324
A M Kelsay .... rep	187	1[illegible]	123	148	31	156	35	1	46	44	36	28	3	40	3	40	49	61	4	99	1	1421
For County Treasurer:																						
Geo A Liebe .... dem	105	95	77	90	14	28	43	39	36	29	28	32	2	8	21	16	31	11	27	37	6	834
Wm Michell .... ind	81	48	4	56	17	55	12	8	15	7	27	11	2	1	10	22	9	7	10	15	1	5[illegible]8
Seth Morgan .... ind	33	33	1	5	10	5	24	7	2	11	36	10	8	19	5	6	5		5	3	15	306
C L Phillips .... ind	28	100	9	83	7	1[illegible]	30	6	31	28	6	16	11	22	15	10	26	32	26	74		918
For County Assessor:																						
Geo P Morgan .... dem	134	134	114	123	11	41	50	38	17	23	121	27	22	27	23	16	27	10	26	51	5	1035
D R McCoy .... peo	47	52	24	11	6	[illegible]	26	8	1	19	15	14	7	14	9	10	5		9		17	30[illegible]
W H Whipple .... rep	135	95	10	9	30	149	34	13	67	36	3	32	35	4	34	40	41	80	34	74	18	1168
For County School Superintendent:																						
Aaron Frazer .... dem	79	82	66	60	20	36	29	35	53	28	24	47	22	36	36	2	19	4	26	23	15	779
C L Gilbert .... rep	188	134	142	152	15	186	71	22	32	41	8	18	29	37	21	37	45	42	38	105	22	1476
Josie Hansbury .... pop	46	51	23	9	6	22	10	3		8	45		4	15	6	6	7	2	5	4	1	273
For County Surveyor:																						
B Go[illegible] .... rep	178	116	113	118	3	170	45	30	48	30	92	35	31	49	3	50	45	41	46	111	22	1437
Chas Schutz .... dem	113	137	108	103	17	52	59	27	34	27	45	38	31	35	26	14	23	7	2	45	13	931
For Coroner:																						
G F Arnold .... peo	58	84	32	14	15	60	34	6	2	8	38	10	9	82	6	9	6		6	1	10	452
W H Butts .... rep	192	122	138	139	19	161	40	39	47	39	92	3	21	3	41	28	46	44	40	117	18	1104
W H Williams .... dem	71	78	64	72	14	26	35	15	33	41	2	24	7	61	20	29	19	6	3	[illegible]	8	646
For County Commissioner:																						
John R Doyle .... dem	100	88	77	92	12	29	24	32	43	48		81	26	81	33	15	21	3	25	7	3	775
D S Kimsey .... rep	146	108	119	120	19	156	41	18	58	14		28	24	32	1	3	43	46	38	135	18	1257
Geo W Patterson .... pop	72	77	41	20	17	53	35	10	1	14		10	11	24	14	1	6		8	2	18	449

MULEY HASSAN AND THE JEWS.

He Presented to Them Only the Benevolent Side of His Character.

The Jewish subjects of Muley Hassan will sincerely lament his sudden death. Nothing, it is true, could be much worse to our ideas than the condition of the Jews under the late sultan, but a lower depth may yet open in the deep. Muley Hassan presented to the Jews only the benevolent side of his character. He showed no countenance to the oppressors of the Jews, says the London Jewish Chronicle, and when well authenticated abuses were brought under his notice he did something to remove them. About a year ago an occasion arose when Muley Hassan displayed at once his genuine love of justice and his oriental dislike of foreign interference. The governor of Morocco citadel had displayed more than usual vigor in applying the bastinado to the Jews. The latter applied for redress to the ministers of foreign powers at Tangier. The sultan resented this appeal, but remedied the abuse. "Conduct thyself," wrote Muley Hassan to his over-energetic officer in Morocco, "towards the Jews in the same way as thou actest toward Mohammedans under thy administration; in civil affairs do justice to them, and in religious matters leave absolutely to their rabbis the task of deciding them." This friendly disposition was more than shared by the Jews of Morocco. They had an almost exaggerated fondness for Muley Hassan, forgetting that while his active goodwill was but spasmodic the cruelties and oppressive exactions of his deputies were a constant and never-failing factor in the life of the Jews of his dominion. It may be that the death of Muley Hassan may urge forward that growth of self-consciousness which has always preceded progress in Judaism. The Jews of Morocco should not let the opportunity slip. Let them seek equality before the law. If that were once granted to them they would show themselves unworthy of the great race of justice lovers to which they belong were they to allow their rights to be snatched from them by the small fry of local oppressors.

THOUGHTLESS CRUELTY.

Heartrending Scenes Witnessed in Southern France.

Normandy and Brittany are full of scenes heartrending to the true lover of animals. The author of "France of To-Day" describes one form of thoughtless cruelty which is regularly practiced in the Pays de Caux, even by people who are really kind and well meaning. She says:

To my thinking, the Pays de Caux is very depressing. Each homestead stands amid lines of beach and oak, formal as toy trees of a child's mimic garden. The trees, regularly planted and cut at intervals, form a parallelogram affording shelter to farmhouse buildings and apple orchards. You enter this somber inclosure to light upon an unwonted and heartrending spectacle.

In the open space between house and trees is a pen, perhaps two yards square. This is the lifelong prison of the trusty watchdog. Incredible as it may appear, no one sees any cruelty in thus keeping a dog cooped within iron palings from January to December. In fact, from its youth to old age, never for a single moment is it allowed to escape. My kind host agreed with me on the unnaturalness of such treatment.

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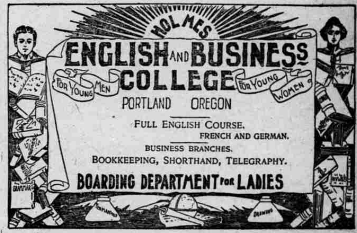

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