NOTES.

Chieftain has discovered that we are proverbial exception that proves the -I mean the newspaper on green somewhat of a poet. Our contemporaries at La Grande (one of them, in particular) found it out several months

The prohibitionists seem to be concentrating their energies and carrying on the campaign principally in Baker county, and leaving much more populous counties to take care of thempeople of Baker hard cases.

John, the only remaining son of his farm near Lexington, aged sixty- themselves already there, seven. He was in no wise like his ilcharms for him, and he turned his attention almost exclusively to stock raising.

the wagon road companies should be thorough and these robber corporations given only just what belongs to them, and not a whit more. There are some few rights reserved to the people, and -Salam Statesman.

Under the law passed by Congress last winter, private citizens can sue the Government with comparative case, as all District Courts have the same jurisdiction over civil controversies between citizens and Government that the Court of Claims has where the amount of the claim is not over \$1000 other writers, when at a lors for words and Circuit Courts have jurisdiction in which to portray some lovely hand where the amount does not exceed \$10,000. This will relieve Congress of a multitude of claims which occupy to much of its time.

The electric wonder of the age is at Fernbank, seven miles from that city, has invented an electric speaking trumpet by which sound is communi- ranging themselves according to their cated great distances. At a recent own sweet will, while flowers grow wild trial of the new invention a conver- which in seemingly more' suitable losation was carried on between two calities have to be carefully cultivated, they's inscription, and even annihilate persons in an ordinary tone, of voice, at a distance of four and a half miles. When hever the run and plenty of actors of that little drama, the memory hence, travelers will find plenty of actors of that little drama, the memory People sitting in their windows, a time cu passant to notice superiscially of our pleasant trip will survive until mile away, conversing in an ordinary the points I have nomed. We could like itself thall cease to be. And inastone, could be heard distinctly. The | well afford to gaze legentely around for | much as they became voluntary godobject of the inventor was to perfect a had we not been he plantly outer and for fathers and granted by christening telephone to be used at sea. The in- by Mrs, Lloyd, and were we not going the waters "Banner Lake," it may be strument will be patented as soon as towards a similar hearty reception at that although their names may utterly perfected.

in this section of the State? It possesses every natural advantage. Has the most beautiful surroundings.

The heality is healthful to a many of ancient jokes, and Of the kicking The locality is healthful to a remark- of one ansmaled mare as the pack town is Mufficient to furnish power for larry of them er while give neverend any number of manufacturies. It is gold diggers and their companions. Instinctively one was reminded of that in the exact center of one of the best hardy descriptive opening were in Eustock raising and agricultural counties gone Aram. of the State. It is the nearest railroad point to the best mining districts of the coast. It is the county seat, A greater number of men with capital live in it and its vicinity, than that of any other town near here. It has a po- the lake, that is, of course, figuratively, pulation of inteligent, happy, conten- for ted, well-to-do people. What is then carried me there. They may the discan see nothing to preventus from dosing soexcept just a little more energy on the part of our people, and united efforts to that end. PARTICULAR MAN ASSESSMENT AND

the nanals of railroading befell an ex- similar set of excursionists. cursion train enroute from Peoria, Ill. to Niagria Falls, on the Ontario & The train fell through a burning bridge commoded how, but after that he besengers are killed and 150 wounded. It is high time that the railroad companies of the country should be required by law to use greater precaution against necidents, and no doubt this horrible relamity will serve as an imperue to legidation in that direction. Au extra engine should be run far enough advance of all excursion and passenger trains to preclude the possibility of a disaster of this kind, Rathroac companies should be required to adopt every device that would the dirt until afterwards. Truly, lessen the danger of travel. If by doing so, it would increase the cost of transportation, travelers would willingly pay for the increased feeling of more eventful than endmary, and the morale and security. Opposition lines, one general public would regreely be overequiped in this manner and the other whelmingly intereses in a bare recital not, would soon find it to be the case. Had the safty car, pattented by T. G. Gillallan of this city, been in use at timerity of Prof. Recess, who has soundthe time of this disaster no doubt many ed it, that the lake is, in parts, no

Mr. Entror: - Ever since the dawn

resolves, for-borrowing from Burns: "The best laid schemes of mice and men, gang aft agley." Our friend McCully of the Joseph rule, and I propose to illustrate the productive enough to supply the table

a time, or to be more exact, in the mometer stood at 104 in the slade, a brilliant idea suddenly struck a well- historical. known and highly respected inhabitant of Eagle valley. With the gentleman selves. They evidently consider the in question the conception of a notion one of them, it lets you in) variously is half way towards its fulfillment, and hence, when those around him became Henry Clay, died a few days since on the mountains, they began to imagine but would conclude on finding the

on the merning of Sunday July 3rd, arrival in a insighboring family-and The investigation of the claims of it seemed as though the whole projected expedition must be absorded. However the customary buildin was issued, "mother and child doing well," and its repetition fell with a welcome ring upon tympanums that just before had been deadened by anticipated diss tree in the center of Duffy camp, we the swamp land and wagon road rings appointment, and the comparatively are just beginning to find out this fiet. | rough ride from Eagle valley to Cornucopia was commenced.

acquainted with the wild wierd scenery | ion4 of Pins creek canyon. Perhaps "they have been there and still would go. People with observant eyes and who can appreciate some of the results that follow the pursuance of a way that Nature possessed previous to primeval

man, should Journey hitherwards. It is not unusual for novelists and or seasely of to full back upon the lever botanist too, for here, apparently, the various strain have defautly set aside such common laces as law and order, ranging themselves according to their shell and on every shore.

the hands of Mr. and Mrs. Belles? perish, at least one of their deeds will Next morning saw to all again on become immortal. horseback excending Usher roomation, seems we What is to prevent Union from be- and it would have made an old man coming one the most thriving cities young again to so such mudleyed en-

"Twee in the prime of memor time And eventile calm and cont.
Anotherental twenty harrist here.
Cause beneating out of schools from
There were some that here, and more that
Like troubers in a result.

Talking of troublets carries me to physically our neithful steeds

to keep us from taking the lead? We takee from Cornneapla is six miles but I should have guessed it to be nearer sixteen: Anyhow we were six said property. hours on the read, saxty minutes of which were occupied in camping. On our arrival we speedily appropriated the dining, drawing and bedrooms that The saddest disastor yet recorded in had but recently been vacated by a Sleeping under the open canopy of

heaven was a new experience for one of our number and a smart shower Western railway, on the 11th inst. during the first night somewhat inand it is estimated over 200 of the pas- came what Mrs. Malaprop describes as "manured to it," and except for occasional natural turnings of his thoughts | One towards the English friends and home so lately left behind, there was every indication of his entering completely into all the affreses diversions,

Memogramus - Don't let him dare to tell anybody how being once left in sole who are of the entires by deliberately and of malice processionshi, fried the polatoes without either peeling or washing them.

Mean woundar - We enjoyed that med immensely knowing nothing of where guorance is blue, it's felly to be wire.

Our adventages ecount and or and in the lake were, on the whole, one of details. For the benefit of timed persons, however, I am glad to be able to state on the absolutely reliable nurabults flore would have been enved. more than thirty feet deep. Let up gottle see a bayen ... promptly attended to.

then take heart of grace, for drowning How I Found Banner Lake. in such shallow waters would be an casy way of getting to that bourne from which etc., etc.

All the streamlets that flow into the of history it has been the sad fate of clake are ice cold, and yet there are frail mortality to chronicle man's fail- portions of the lake itself lukewarm, giving rise to the prevalent notion of hot springs, which is a probable theory although I was unable to locate them.

Fishes formed the first fruits of our rule, by telling how a yearning desire sward recumbent. I say luckily, for did for once become an accomplished it is a melancholy fact that our shootist only brought in, as his contribution, Once upon a time-all true tales one miserable ground squirrel. Other begin like that you know-once upon pursuits were hunting, swimming and reading, the whole being crowned on ; menth of July one thousand eight hun- the last morning of our stay by an indred and eighty-seven, while the ther- eident which through your good offices or office, or both, may become

We had discovered and utilized some half dozen rough rafts (beware of named after widely different fanciesfancies that incongruously linked the aware that he entertained a wish to past with the present and things nasojourn for a space with his family in tional with things individual. Who, same identical folks giving their off-It had been all arranged for the cay- suring, animate or inanimate, such lustrions father. Polities had no alcade to be "all aboard" by six o'clock titles as "The Mayflower," "Stonewall on the morning of Sunday July 3rd., Jackson," "The Monitor," "Allie and but at the eleventh licur there oc. Josie" and so on, that their minds curred one of those spisodes Malthus were alike, and perhaps equally domionly could prevent-to wit: a fresh nated by a love of their country and was what we found and that was our

conclusion. But let us to the incident as they say n the chaoles.

On that last morning of which I wrote, after having raised a flag on a fir all sailed in the "Allie and Josie" to standing bareheaded, we reared an Many readers of your paper are well | American banner bearing this inscript-

ERECTED ACCUST 4, 1887, BY THE UNDECSIGNED.

Mrs. V. R. Usher, Carrie E. Reeves,/ (M. Reeves, David Heap. JE. H. Silvis.

The last ognator was requested to, and did, nake a brief oration appropriate to the occasion, in the course of ready iterotyped phrase, "it hongars which he culogised, albeit, as he said, beer prior," and that would be true of with facile lips and halting tengue, the herce tumbling of mighty waters the great country that now and forever fresh from the granite snow-chal acknowledges allegiance to the stars mountains. But this wonderful camen and stripes, concluding with the excontains curiosities that would delight pression of our united, carnest hope, reported from Cincinnati. A young not only the simple lover of nature, that wherever that flag might hereafman named Harvey B. Cox, residing but also the rejentific geologist and ter float it would be the unchangeable botanist too, for here, apparently, the emblem of human liberty, and that,

Elemental action may obliterate that The track is like that of true love, the whole fabric of mast and rag and which never did run smooth, and rock, but with all those who were the

SHERIFP'S SALE.

DESCRIPTION OF AN EXECUTION Dand croles of sale is not out of the Cir-act rount of the State of Oscion, for Union conety, to me directed and belivered, bear-ing date of August 10. A. D. 1887, upon a able degree. It is abundantly supplied with pure cold water. The stream running through the center of town is Sufficient to furnish power for he the sum of eighty-six dellars (\$85.00). with interest at the tate of s per cent, per meann, from March 17th, A. D. 1882, to-getter with the costs and dishursements of this will, faxed at the sum of Eventy-three nd eighty-five one-hundredths dollars (\$23,-b) and accrucing roots, and, whereas, by aid-serve it was ordered that the following described property be sold, to wit: The building and dwelling house situated on lot No. 1, in bleek No. 27 in the town of on but No. 1, in basek No. 27 in ble lown of North Poweier Union/county, Cregon, therefore I will sell on Monday, the 19th day of Sept. A. D. 1887, at 2 o clock p an of said day, at public auction, at the court house coor in Chief. Union county, Oregon, all the right, title and interest which the said defendant B. b. Rogers had, on, or after the 1th day of Mark 5, 11, 1882, in or to the 13 h day of March, A. D. 1882, in or to

Terms of sale: Cash to me in hand. Dated at sheriff coffice this 15th day of August, A. D. 1887.

A. N. HAMILTON. Sheriff of Union County, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, AT LA GRANDE, OREGON,

August 4, 1887. (
Notice is hereby given that the followingnamed settler has alled notice of his inten-tion to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made bethe register and receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on tiet, 8, 1887, viz: GEORGE W. WEIGHT. Hit No. 1703, for the NW 1, Sec 1 Tp 8 S R 41 E, W M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land viz: Samuel Banavar, Salest

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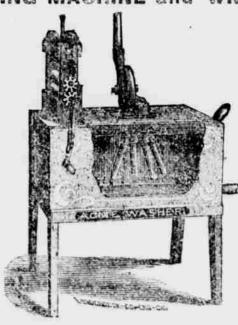
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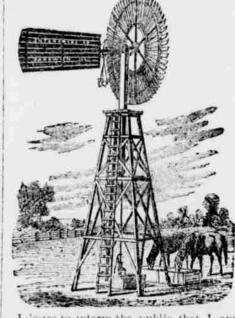
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