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EDITORIAL NOTES.

WILKIE COLLINS, the novelist, died in London, September 28, 1889, at the age of sixty-four years.

An English lady who died recently left \$50,000 to be devoted to photographing the stars, planets and nebulae.

JUDGE GROFF, of Omaha, has been appointed commissioner of the general land office, vice Luther M. Stockslager resigned.

A. N. GILBERT has been appointed postmaster at Salem. This, in the estimation of the Valley Record, means John Minto for United States marshal for Oregon.

THE Portland World is getting early in the field, and has nominated Sylvester Penoyer for Governor and Hon. W. H. Biggs, of Sherman county, for congress. The World knows a good man when it sees him.

All signs point to the election of the democratic ticket in both Montana and Washington. The two Dakotas are nothing but the property of the railroads, so there is no hope for their redemption. They will cast their votes on the side of boodle and plutocracy.

The following is a definition of the tariff published in the Boston Transcript: "It is a compact under which the people agree to starve rather than eat the fruit that hangs over the wall between themselves and their neighbors gardens, in order that Farmer Jones, down at the Corners, may get a big price for his apples."

In Chicago a tedious farce is going on to secure a jury to try the murderers of Dr. Cronin. As Chicago is a large city, it is probable that in the course of time a dozen men will be found who are ignorant enough to comply with the law. Where the highest intelligence is needed it is ridiculous that there should be this prolonged search for ignorance to try a case.—Ex.

A Philadelphia soap man, who himself made a fortune clearly on advertising, says it would pay a half a dozen papers of big circulation to take up any pauper from the street, establish him in any business under the sun, no matter what, and give him a column of advertising every day free for a year. Then, he said, the papers would show by practical object lesson to the advertisers the tremendous effect of advertising, because the pauper they took off the street would then be a millionaire.

The long contemplated suit to be brought against the different wagon road and land companies and numerous corporations and individuals, to declare forfeited millions of acres of granted land in Oregon, alleged to have been obtained through fraud, has at last been begun in the United States district court at Portland by District Attorney McArthur, who has been many weeks in preparing his bills of complaint. The parties defendant number eight corporations and sixty-eight individuals, and the suit promises to be one of the most vigorously contested cases in the federal courts for many years.

The recent meetings in Salem of many reform organizations for the purpose of organizing a new party succeeded to the satisfaction of the prohibitionists. It seems the majority of the representatives of all the trades, unions, parties and isms in attendance were strongly in favor of prohibition and prohibition was the main feature of the permanent organization. As to what effect this new "party" will have in state politics will be ascertained at the general election in June of next year. No doubt this new "reform party" will nominate a full state ticket and many full county tickets will be placed before the voters at the next election.

THE FUTURE.

Notwithstanding the partial failure of crops in Eastern Oregon and Washington this season, says the Times-Mountaineer, the prospects for another year are as bright as in any portion of the United States. This is the first misfortune in the shape of drouth that has happened in the inland empire since it has been settled by white men—over a quarter of a century. There

is no reason to believe that it will again happen in the same length of time and no one should be discouraged. The loss this year, by the exercise of enterprise, can be easily overcome, and in this way it may set as an incentive to our retarded development. For years, without any effort apparently to counteract the influence, the tide of immigration from the eastern states has been drifting toward eastern Washington and the Willamette valley. If we will use business sagacity next year we will receive large accessions to our population from this source. Our lands are as fertile—and we have vast areas unoccupied—as any in the Northwest and home-seekers would gladly settle in our midst if they knew the advantages which we possess. This knowledge should be spread broadcast and every dollar so spent will bring ten in return. In this regard we should follow the example of our neighbors who have been reaping a rich harvest of immigrants while we have lain dormant. All kinds of literature—newspapers, pamphlets and circulars, should be sent to large eastern cities and profusely scattered among all classes of people. Cold winters, cyclones and blizzards, and all overtaxed soil have forced the industrious to look elsewhere for homes. If we desire them, information of our resources should be given and they will come. On the contrary, if we do not want the industrious classes of Americans as adjuncts to our growth, the efforts will be a waste of energy, and contrary to the principles of economy in all kinds of labor which we prize so highly.

CIRCUIT COURT.

List of Cases Disposed of at the September Term, 1889.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 25. CH Wright vs Jno Prodmore; demurrer sustained and Piff allowed to file amended complaint. State of Oregon vs J M Selder; Deft discharged and sureties released. Union County vs A T Wyatt; Deft required to be in court by Sept 30 at one o'clock.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 26. O C Gove & Co vs Island City M & M Co; jury trial; verdict for Deft. State vs James W Gray; not a true bill; Deft discharged. Wesley York, juror excused for the term.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 27. Geo Miller vs Henry Lynch; jury trial; verdict for Piff for \$150. W W White vs Daniel Chandler; default of Deft. State vs Mattie Elder; default of Deft; forfeit of \$125 ordered. A E Eaton vs Orr Skiff et al; judgment in favor of Piff; property ordered sold.

The School Board of Commissioners vs D A McAlister, Admr et al; default of Defts. Freeman Ladd vs Charles and Rachel Ladd; judgment for Piff and that he recover costs etc. Charles V Helander admitted to citizenship. Siedman, Lachman & Co vs C W Ladd; judgment against Deft for \$122.50; sale of real estate ordered. State vs L Wagner; entered plea of guilty; Monday set for passing sentence. State vs J C Clayburn; allowed till 28th to plead.

State vs Isaac Hagerman; withdrew plea of not guilty and plead guilty. State vs Jno Prodmore; allowed till the 28th at 9 o'clock to plead. State vs Chas Brockins; same. State vs Henry Wright and James Allen; same. Jennie Haslet vs Joseph Haslet; J A Eakin appointed referee. State vs W Michael; plead not guilty; trial set for Monday. D Somer vs R G Fitzgerald; dismissed at Piffs cost without prejudice. State Insurance Co vs R Deal; judgment for Piff for \$60.00. A E Eaton vs Lavena Elm et al; foreclosure and sale ordered. Adam Crossman vs J C Clayburn; motion overruled and Deft allowed till Sept 30th to answer. Dan Marx vs C Goodnough; continued for term; J D Slater referee. Board of Commissioners vs D A McAlister Admr; taken under advisement. Davis & Rankin vs LaGrande Creamery; continued; T H Crawford referee. A Sommer vs Wm Noyes and wife; motion to strike out part of Piffs complaint sustained. Sommer & Blum vs Wm Noyes and wife; same. Jno Farrell vs J H Hunter et al; motion to strike out part of Defts answer taken under advisement. Sommer & Blum vs Wm Noyes; demurrer to Piffs complaint overruled; allowed till Monday to plead. J S Sherman vs L M Sherman; dismissed at Piffs cost without prejudice. State vs W R Booth; discharged. Union County vs A N Hamilton; taken under advisement. State vs Jno Farrell; discharged. State vs J H Hunter; same. State vs A W Wilson; same.

R E Bryan vs W M Redding; continued for service.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 28.

A E Eaton vs O R & N Co; demurrer overruled. O C Gove & Co vs Island City M & M Co; judgment for Defts for costs; Piff given 30 days to file bill of exceptions. E J Jasper vs W R Jasper executor; judgment for Deft for \$66.75. Hexter & May vs Dan Chaplin; sale of real estate confirmed. W R Jasper executor vs W F Martin; sale confirmed. State vs J C Clayburn; plea of not guilty. State vs Jno Prodmore; same. State vs Chas Brockins; same. State vs H Wright and J Allen; do. MONDAY SEPT. 30.

State Insurance Co vs R Deal; judgment for Piff. Thos Hart vs Sarah Hart; decree of divorce. S O Reed vs Jno Bassett; deed corrected. Hexter & May vs Dan Chaplin; confirmation of sale. Sommer & Blum vs C. W. Ladd; judgment for Piff and sale of real estate ordered. Lizzie Hill vs Henry Hill; referred back to referee. State vs L Wagoner; sentenced to penitentiary for two and a half years. State vs Isaac Hagerman; sentenced to penitentiary for one year. The A P Hoaling Co vs J. C. Clayburn; A J Hackett appointed referee. I. A. Boskowitz vs S T Elm; dismissed at Piffs cost. Raymond Squires & Co vs Kollogg & Pinesh; continued until next term. State vs C Brockins; jury trial; verdict guilty. Thursday set for sentence.

TUESDAY OCT. 1.

A Sommer vs Wm Noyes et al; judgment for Piff for \$600 and foreclosure of mortgage ordered. Jno Farrell vs J H Hunter; jury disagree. Park McDonald et al vs S J Souder; Deft confessed judgment. State vs Wm Michael; jury trial; verdict manslaughter. Wm Godley vs W and Mary Lieurance; jury out. J W Kennedy vs Union Milling Co; sheriff's sale confirmed. R W Deal vs G H Benson; same. W E Reinhart vs Jno P Baird; same. American Mortgage & Security Co vs E Cochran; same.

SOCIAL DANCE,

AT Davis' Hall, Union. Friday, Oct. 11, 1889. Tickets, 1.00.

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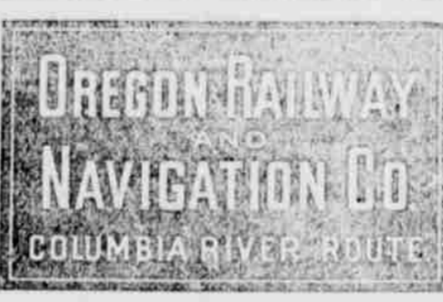
Notice of Final Settlement. In the County Court of the state of Oregon, for Union county. In the matter of the estate of Frederick Mitchell, deceased. JAMES M. MITCHELL, Administrator of said Estate.

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