

THE POLK COUNTY... State of Administration... Treatments and Legal advertisements...

THE KING'S BUSINESS. Slowly and aimlessly out of the village wandered poor, half-witted Nat...

ADVANTAGES OF CREDIT. "Shall you miss me sweetheart?" Pizarro McGinness was going away...

SENATOR HILL'S REFERENCE FOR HIS MOTHER. "In all his life, Ben Hill, the great Southern orator, never did a more graceful thing..."

MURDER! MURDER! MURDER! HORRIBLE TO CONTEMPLATE! Assassins still at large, but their retreat and place of rendezvous well known to the citizens of Polk and vicinity...

McGrew & Waller, For the public inspection and profit, on the first day of September next. We will positively commence our Clearance Sales on the above stated date...

ADVERTISEMENTS. Notice of Assignment. Be Warned in Time! I have been appointed Receiver and Collector of the business of McGrew & Johnson, into of Perrydale, Oregon...

Moss on shingle roofs may be removed by the following method: Take a few pairs of slacked lime, according to the size of the roof, and throw on the roof just before a general rain or just after a shower...

Richard White Grant fainted the other day when a friend, whose grammar he was correcting, told him of a Western girl whose companion asked her for a party: "Shall I skin hennas for you?" "No, I thank you," she replied, "I have one already skinned."

THE NEW ELECTRIC LOCOMOTIVE AND RAILROAD. The new electric locomotive and railroad patented by Edison is attracting considerable attention in the east, and if it realizes half of the anticipations of its projectors, will create a revolution in locomotion.

THE MURDERERS. The conversation was continued on this topic for a few minutes and then dropped. Neither of the men thought it worth while to investigate the cause of the noise, and they returned to their work for a short time and were then called over to the other side of the mill. Just as they disappeared a face peered over the top of the board-pile from the inside, another followed a moment later, and presently two rough, villainous-looking men came into view and seeing they were unobserved, sprang quickly to the ground and hastened into the forest...

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