

Gov. Geer's message to the legislature is a very sensible document, and in it he makes many valuable suggestions in the interest of the whole state.

The great training school and Armour Institute at Chicago is purely unsectarian, and is as broad and liberal in its scope as was Armour in his own character.

During the time that Senator McBride has represented Oregon he has done his full duty and has looked after the State's interests as well as any man could have done.

The Chinaman who was beheaded for shooting Baron Von Kettler was a soldier, and at the outbreak of the Boxer troubles was stationed in Hataman street, with orders to shoot any foreigner who tried to pass.

TALL TIMBER.

Morrow county has a dozen townships of mountain timber lands that will some day yield immense incomes to lumbermen and fuel dealers.

This timber is as yet practically untouched and is almost entirely on vacant land that may be taken as homesteads or under the timber and stone act at \$2.50 an acre.

In Minnesota timber has become valuable, and an acre whose product is estimated at 30,000 feet is considered cheap if it can be bought for \$6 per 1000 feet, or \$180 an acre.

In the meantime, the railroads will probably make rates that will permit Oregon lumber to reach the eastern states at a profit to the manufacturers.

MEN WANTED.

What the 20th century may bring forth is now being fully discussed, and people ponder over the 20th century man; they wonder what he will do, and what he ought to do.

The greatest need of the 20th century will be men—men who "get there"—men who do their work as well as they can.

The modern phrase, "get there," may be accepted as a slangy paraphrase for "Whatever thy hand findeth to do, do it with all thy might."

How many men do that? Every boy has looked forward with proud anticipation to the day when he should be a man. To him a man seems a god-like creature, masterful, strong, many-handed, quick-witted, obeyed by women and children and even by lesser men.

The 20th century possibilities open up a vast field for discussion, and it will bring out more fully the wonders of electricity; wireless telegraphy and telephony; lighting-like transportation by land and sea; air-ships and balloon carriages.

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MAN TO BLAME.

When two trains collide, when a washout ditches a train, when a burned bridge wrecks a train, when a steamship's shaft snaps in two, when a steamship's cylinder-head blows out, when a boiler explodes—these are none of them acts of God; there is always some human agency at fault; it may be the division superintendent; it may be the track-inspector; it may be the inspector of steel; it may be the steamship engineer—but there is always some man to blame.

ALWAYS A WORKER.

People who for years have noticed the untiring industry of Henry Heppner, after whom this town is named, know that with him it is not a new habit. His sister, Mrs. Buchholz, of Springfield, Mass., now visiting here, says she well remembers Henry as a boy before he left home, 51 years ago.

Henry Heppner has had ups and downs, good times and bad, and has had many a hard bed to lie on and at times no bed at all, but through his hardships and toil his industry has reaped its reward.

GRAVE AND GAY.

The comedian boarder resumed his seat and said: "The landlady should get her steak a job on a warship." "Doing what?" queried the sweet singer, with true stage comely. "Repelling boarders!"

The indignant citizen: "Don't drag my name into print in connection with this absurd affair," cried the indignant citizen; "but if you do, be sure to spell out my middle name in full."

He (in his wrath)—"When I married you I had no idea what a fool you were." She (in her equanimity)—"The fact that I was willing to marry you should have removed all doubts on that point."

The ultimate cause: "But why is it," asked the thoughtful Chinaman, "that I may go to your heaven while I may not go to your country?" The American missionary shrugged his shoulders. "There's no labor vote in heaven!" said he.—Puck.

Excused, of course: Cautious teacher—"Why did you stay away from school yesterday?" Mabel—"Please, miss, my mudder's sick." Cautious teacher—"What is the matter with her; what does the doctor say it is?" Mabel—"Please, miss, he says it's a girl."

GRANT COUNTY NEWS.

Allie Ladd came over from his home on the Middle Fork early this week and is carrying the mail on the Long Creek-Ukiah mail route.

The ice crop harvested in the vicinity of Marysville and stored away in the numerous icehouses in this city during the past ten days has been much larger than usual. The weather at no time has been extremely cold, but cold enough to freeze ice eight or ten inches thick on the still ponds from which the supply was taken.

Wm. Casey, a cattle buyer of the Middle Fork country, was in town Saturday. He recently returned from a trip to the Dayville country where he purchased quite a band of cattle.

There is a foot of snow on the hills in the upper Canyon creek country.

Frank McMullin, who has a claim on Elk creek above the Badger mill, has lately struck a large body of free-milling ore.

It will take nearly three weeks yet to complete the straightening of the Badger shaft. When this is finished sinking will be resumed, none having been done since Mr. Ross took charge.

LATEST NEWS.

At Leavenworth, Kansas, yesterday, a young negro was burned at the stake. He was charged with murdering a girl, died declaring his innocence.

In the senate Monday Senator Teller gave Gen. Egan a deserved raking-over. Ten persons were killed and many injured in an explosion in a hat factory at Denton, near Manchester, Monday.

Admiral Dewey has the grip. At the National Livestock Association meeting Wyoming will urge the adoption of a memorial to the legislatures of all western states in favor of uniform bounty law for the killing of wolves and other wild animals.

Heavy rains and swollen streams in the Willamette valley have set many roofs afloat.

FARO.

R. Chamberlain, a man who has had long experience at gambling, gives men good advice in the Oregonian, and says:

In the long run every faro player "goes broke." In my 15 years experience in playing the game I never knew but one man to quit the game winner. That man was an old dealer himself. With the enormous expense and the "fines" the "bank" must win or else retire from business.

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The editorial page of the Weekly Oregonian gives a broad treatment to a wide range of subjects.

WOOL.

The 2 1/2 million pounds in and near Heppner is being firmly held by growers, and it would take 15 cents to buy the best of it. There have been no recent transactions, and no buyers here for some time when A. G. Root arrived last night. He represents the Hartford house of Judd & Root, and would buy if growers would accept about 9 to 10 cents.

In Baker county growers and buyers were only about a cent apart on recent attempted transactions. The latest news from Boston is that there is an improvement in the market, though business is far from lively. Prices hold firm, and territory wools stay at the top of the list of sales.

Quotations: Territory; scoured basis—Montana and Wyoming, fine medium and fine, 16 @17; scoured 46-48c, staple 50c. Utah, fine medium and fine, 16@17; scoured, 46-48c; staple, 50c. Idaho, fine medium and fine, 15@16; scoured, 46-48c; staple, 50c.

At the seaboard markets of the east Oregon wools are quoted as follows: Eastern Oregon choice, 14@15; aver., 13@14; heavy, 11@12; staple, 15@16. Valley Oregon, No. 1., 22@23; No. 2., 22@23; No. 3., 21@22; lambs, 19@21.

WHEAT.

There are still thousands of bushels of wheat in Morrow county, although the bulk of the 1900 crop has moved down to Portland.

The Heppner warehouses still have a good deal on hand, but have been gradually reducing it by shipment. Sales here this week were at 4 1/2 cents for club, at which price Robert Hynd bought 500 bushels from Dan Rice and a smaller lot from Jake Young.

LONDON WOOL AUCTIONS.

London, Jan. 15.—The first series of the 1901 wool auction sales opened today. There was a large attendance and competition was brisk. The average of prices was 5 to 7 1/2 per cent above the October sales. Merinos and Cape of Good Hope and Natal sold 5 to 7 1/2 per cent higher. The offerings numbered 7026 bales and were too small to fairly test the market. Merinos displayed a good tone and at the prices were in request. Cross breeds were offered in small lots and met with a good demand. Cape of Good Hope and Natal cross breeds sold readily, greasies 5 and scoured 7 1/2 per cent dearer.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S QUEUE.

It Had a Luxuriant Suit of Straight and Very Dark Hair.

The Father of his Country concealed a luxuriant suit of hair beneath his queue wig. Many now wish the old fashion were in vogue, to conceal thinning hair or baldness. Yet no one need have thin hair nor be bald, if he care the dandruff that causes both. Dandruff cannot be cured by scouring the scalp, because it is a germ disease, and the germ has to be killed. Newbro's Herpicide kills the dandruff germ on other hair preparation will. Destroy the cause, you remove the effect. There's no cure for dandruff but to kill the germ.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of the Morrow County Land and Trust Company will be held at the office of the Company in Heppner on Monday, March 11, 1901, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year. R. F. HYND, Secretary. Heppner, Or. Jan. 11, 1901.

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A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks.

Prof. Ross Tyler, of Chicago, vice-president Illinois Woman's Alliance, is speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies, but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and it relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and will never be without this splendid medicine again." For sale by Conser & Warren.

HEPPNER MARKET PRICES.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Wool per lb., Wheat per bushel, Flour, Oats, Hay, Bacon, Lard, Beef, Butter, Eggs, Potatoes, Chickens, Sheep, Dry Hides, and Sheep Pelts.

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MORROW'S TAX FIGURES.

Gross value of all property, \$1,191,343. Exemptions, \$73,562. Total value of taxable property as equalized by county board of equalization, \$1,117,781.

WEATHER.

Heppner weather just now is spring and balmy, with bright sunshine; some freezing at night, but thermometer out doors this Thursday forenoon is at 52 above, with grass green and growing. The snow that had laid on about a week melted away when the Chinook wind came Thursday night, and since then considerable rain has fallen.

Deafness Cannot be Cured.

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that can not be cured by Hall's Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. CLEMENT & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

FOOTBALL.

The Heppner Football Team is now champion of the state.

Last Friday the Multnomah team, of Portland, came to Heppner and played a match game, and the Heppner team won, the score standing 10 to 0.

The weather was mild during the game, but as the snow had but just melted away, the ground was very muddy.

A large crowd witnessed the game, and the line-up of the Heppner team was as follows:

Wm. Ball, Elbert Laland, John Beal, Jack Matlock, A. Anderson, W. Eastland, Frank Spaulding, Elmer Spaulding, A. Clark, Sig Young, Frank Randall. Substitutes—Louis Bisbee, Orin Robertson, W. Driskell.

The names of those composing the Multnomah team were:

A. L. Downs, Walter Wolf, R. J. Kirkley, Chas. Holmes, Gibson Montague, Claude Mathena, E. McFarland, Jas. Smith, Tom Higgins, J. Delschneider, Edw. Holt, Chas. Dombot, Chas. Stamp, Chas. Swansen, Kaiser Wilhelm.

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GEO. W. WELLS.

New Photography Gallery.

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Photograph Gallery

on Main Street, Heppner, 2 doors north of opera house.

From now on, with every dozen Cabinets, I will give at an extra charge of only \$1.50, an enlarged picture of same negative, 16x20, in a handsome frame, with glass and complete finish

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