

Our Immigration.

Oregon City, Oregon, November 24, 1890.

ENRICO ESPOSITO: While most people may perhaps have noticed the immense emigration from the Eastern states this fall, yet few stop to think of the causes that led to such a hegira, or to think of what shall be the consequence. Suffice it to say it is very great, and you daily meet people from every state in the East. And while those people in the Maine are seeking homes for their loved ones on the friendly shores of Oregon, they represent every phase of society in all the walks of life; and while most of them are perhaps farmers from the burnt up fields of Kansas, Nebraska, Kentucky and other states, yet these very same hardy sons of old have dedicated themselves to the more orderly things, which are found in the workshops, mills, the factories, on the farms; and many are penetrating far into the interior, seeking and finding homes.

While a large majority of these are poor people a great many have brought some money, which amounts to many thousands of dollars that will help to swell the capital of Oregon to the depreciation of the East; hence one reason of the great and rapid decimation of Eastern real estate.

Again, many hundreds have come and left their families behind who will spend the winter here to try the climate, see the country, and prospect for homes.

Before this year is out the thick heavy forest of timber will slowly but surely give away.

Which goes to prove and无可避免的是，the seemingly unlimited supply of the great timber state will be much sought after prior at no distant day by the mill men who are already following the track of the timber with their mills. The business men of the country have not been slow to take all this in, and it is said to the credit of the people of Oregon that they have welcomed with open arms and warm hearts all worthy people who have come to work and to find a home among them. By the strength of the country developing railroads built, towns and cities erected, and farms opened up where now abounds the heavy forest. This kind of work can be seen every day going on in West Oregon City, where sixty men have camped for the winter, cutting cord wood for the mills.

It seems to be a rule among the Eastern men that high wages, which are very acceptable, are not sought after at the cost of that independent spirit which is so characteristic of most of them. Rather than work the driving ten hours a day for a small sum, they will work at a good stiff price, they will work two hours for less money and be their own masters.

Now, then a word for camp No. 3: there are four from Kansas and one from Kentucky. We have a jolly good time. Work hard, and like the old Indian, "eat a heap". Our appetites have become such in the (to us) new climate that keeps the "Red Front" grocery man busy. Landling our supplies to our camp. But our mirth and fun was laid aside to sympathize with one of our men, Mr. John Lamont, of Kansas, whose wife, while en route to meet him, was killed in a railroad accident at Colorado Springs, leaving three little girl children motherless and without a home. And on last evening when the father came in with them from the scene of the accident, it made the stoutest heart sad. It is only parents, and especially the mothers, who can understand the situation that the little girls are in and can sympathize with them in their sad new condition. They are about six months, seven and nine years old, and while they are smart and bright little things they will not be able to take care of themselves even with a father's watchful care, as did the loving mother. The soft touch of the mother is not like the rough ways of the father, and while the men have the deepest respect and sympathy for the little ones, it is impossible for them to have the same refinement and loving care for them as did the mother now gone. But they have a home in our hearts as well as in ours. Mrs. McDaniel, and other eastern ladies of the neighborhood have already manifested considerable interest in their behalf, and it is likely they will believe the little girls all in their power.

This evening Rev. Mr. Bateman delivered an eloquent sermon at the school house to a good audience. Sabbath school every Sunday at 3 o'clock P. M. prompt. All invited.

G. S. M.

A bold Robber.

Ex-U. S. Senator Kelly was robbed of about \$30 this morning in getting on the Pullman car in Portland, just as the Atlantic express was pulling out of the depot. As he was going through the vestibule he noticed two men in front and two behind them. Very soon to the men behind, "This is not our car!"

He asked the Pullman car conductor if he noticed four men leave the train and the conductor pointed out the men standing some distance away. He was in mid-air, and it was unsafe to step off. Col. Kelly had his cane in one hand and his grip in the other, and was powerless to resist the thieves from filling his pockets. When he started from Portland he put \$25 in his pockets, enough to pay his expenses to The Dalles and return. He says he has travelled all over Europe and the United States, and this is the first time he was ever robbed of a cent.—Times Mountain-er.

The First Gold Brick.

For a good many years there has been more or less prospecting and preliminary work done in the Santiam mines, but it has been reserved for the Albany Mining & Milling company of this city to produce such tangible results as promise to develop a permanent and successful operation of the mines.

Yesterday there was a display in the window of the Linn County Bank the first gold brick taken from the mines which attracted so much attention during the day. The brick weighed nearly \$200 and was the product of 5 tons of ore taken from their new mill, another smaller piece of the yellow "stuff" having also been taken from the same lot of ore.

A large and continuous ledge of the same quality of ore is in sight and the successful working of these mines seems now assured, and we feel that will afford a rich return for the investments of the company and will prove an important industry for Albany.

The company expect to begin soon to run their present mill night and day, and are already arranging to put in a 20 stamp mill and \$35,000 plant next spring. In the meantime the mill now in operation will continue its work, and the piles of other gold bricks that will be taken from these mines in the future will demonstrate to the most skeptical the wealth and magnitude of the Santiam mines.—Albany Herald.

Carcass Hunter Indemnified.

Dr. Harry Lane, superintendent of the insane asylum, came to Eugene by the overland Friday night, having been summoned here by the circuit court of Lane county, to appear and give testimony in the case against Gien C. Powers, the young man who accidentally shot W. H. Walker, the first Staver & Walker. This was in August. Dr. Lane is in the mountains on the McKenzie, and heard the fatal shot fired.—Eugene Guard.



NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, OR., Sept. 29, 1890.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," whether arterial or otherwise, or for the use of streams, or of alkali, salt, or gypsum, or for the use of stone, or of sand, or of gravel, or for the use of timber, or for any other purpose, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1891.

A WHITEN GUARANTEE is given for the use of timber, or for any other purpose, and a permanent cure is not effected. We have thousands of testimonials from old and young men, and from the best medical authorities, that the use of aaphrodine cures free. Address

THE APHRO MEDICINE CO.

Western Branch, Box 27, PORTLAND, OR.

For Sale by Chapman & Co.

Oregon City, Or.

Holmes' Business College—of Portland, Oregon, will open September 1st. J. A. Wescott, the leading penman of the coast, has become a partner in this school, and will make it the leading business college. Send for catalogue.

For Sale.

229 acres of land, 5 miles from Oregon City, at \$10 per acre. Apply to D. J. SWINTER.

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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, OR., Oct. 25, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 2nd day of January, 1891.

John Miller, of Ogle, county of Gilliam, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 251, in township No. 3, south, range No. 7, east, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1891.

He names as witnesses E. E. Smith, of Lone Rock, Oregon, t. W. Thomas, J. Butler, and J. P. Turner, of Oregon, and William Gluck, all of Hillsdale, P. O., Clackamas County, J. T. APPERSON, Register.

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