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State News.

Portland.

Mr. Clark Smith who has been surveying lately, in Washinton county, speaks of a tract of land lying in township three north, range three west, that is very inviting to any persons who may be needing homes This tract embraces bottom lands, table lands, and some covering the spurs of the coast range mountains. An important feature concerning the whole tract is the vast number of large cold springs which are to be found over it.

Mr. D. M. Talbot, who has just returned from a trip east of the Cascades, reports that the old Barlow route, heretofore reported as in bad condition, is at present in good traveling order. The fires are now raging in some localities in that direction, doing incalculable damage to the fine forests of timber.

The steamship Idaho was advertised to sail last evening at 7 o'clock.

The *Oregonian* says that the transfer of the P. T. Co's. property to the Willamette Transporsation Company took place on Thursday. The officers of the new company are as follows: Ben Holladay, President; Ben Holladay, Jr., Vice President; John D. Biles, Secretary and Treasurer; Geo. A. Pease, Superintendent. The boats belonging to the company below the Falls are the Senator and the Alice, the latter new. Above the Falls the boats, now running, are the Dayton and the Albany, the former to Dayton, the latter to Lincoln. The Success is used as a dredger.

Mr. Geo. V. James yesterday paid to the Oregon Central Railroad Company his subscription to the subsidy, thus standing second on the list. It will not now be long till the entire subscription will be due—perhaps but little more than a month.

The *Herald* says the public schools, which opened on Monday last, are better attended than at any previous term.

From the Portland dailies of the 17th and 18th:

On Saturday about half past 2 o'clock, the locomotive John H. Couch was fired up and run through Fourth street to Taylor, as far as the track was then completed. The occurence brought out swarms of citizens who rejoiced that th "good time coming is almost here."

The U. S. Circuit and District Courts convened at Portland yesterday.

The *Oregonian* says that the Orient has arrived in the river from San Francisco. She has a locomotive on board for the Oregon Central Railroad.

The *Herald* relates a sad case of abduction that occurred in Portland a few days ago. A poor Irish woman of the city had by hard labor succeeded in accumulating enough money to send to Ireland for her eldest daughter. The daughter was sent for, but had not been in the city three days before she was seen by the keeper of a bawdy house, who immediately commenced her wiles to lure her from an honest and virtuous life to lead that of a courtezan. Her efforts were successful. The mother has inquired at several known bawdy houses if they had her child. To her questions a negative answer was given. Up to a late hour Saturday evening the poor woman, the mother of seven fatherless children, was unable to learn news of her lost child. She is almost distracted To hear her relate the story would bring tears to the eyes of any person not having a heart of stone. The case is, indeed, a sad one.

Willamette Valley.

The *Democrat* says that a woman, at the Overland Hotel, made herself an object of disgusting attraction, on last Sunday night, by getting drunk and raising a general row in the neighborhood; the first instance of a woman being arrested in Albany.

B. W. Cundiff, who has the contract for putting up the new jail, has completed the brick work and the edifice is rather an imposing appearance. The building will now be ready for use.

Willamette Valley.

The *Enterprise* says, the deed for the Wilhoit Springs was recorded in the County Clerk's office of that city last week.

The same paper says that the Dayton and other up river boats do not leave Oregon City until the morning train arrives from Portland—about 9 and a-half o'clock.

The *Gazette* says the Corvallis College began its Fall session on Wednesday last, with very encouraging prospects.

From the *Republican* we learn that Dr. Jessup has located permanently in Dallas as a resident physician.

From the *Journal* we learn that a discussion will take place between Rev. Hammond, of Eugene City, and B. F. Underwood, commencing on the evening of the 18th and continuing three successive evenings. Each speaker is to occupy half the time each evening, alternating the opening and closing.

The *Ensign* says that real estate in Coos county is rapidly advancing in price. The county is filling up with emigrants, and every available piece of land (out of the swamp) is being taken for homes.

The *Republican* says, H. Kelly has become the editor of the Jacksonville *Sentinel*.

Secretary Seward once said: "The cleanest man is the most comely to look upon; to bathe well, eat well, and love well, and, somehow or other, the homeliest will be beautiful."

A Boston physician says that four young girls, full of intelligence and promise, have been killed outright by the severity of the tasks imposed upon them in a high school in that vicinity.

A Western editor accuses a cotemporary of "dirty meanness," and frankly adds "We want him to understand that two can play at that game."

It is stated as a curious fact that, of 26,200 victims of the yellow fever in Buenos Ayres, during the past season, nine-tenths of the number were men.

A Massachusetts Irishman was "inquested" for a broken neck, and during the wake which followed, jumped up and wanted to whip "every mither's son of 'em."

The New York *Sun* figures up the loss of life by the Staten Island ferry boat, the Westfield, as follows: Dead and buried, 102; missing, 9; reported dead, 1; total, 112.

Utah Territory is now shipping 3,000 tons of ore and 600 tons of bullion per month. The former is usually worth from $150 to $200 per ton, of which perhaps one-half is profit.

A ruralist, chewing on a large, purple egg-plant, and plaintively remarking, "They don't raise so juicy melons now as they did before the war," was a recent village spectacle.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The St. Leger was won by "Hannah" by a neck. The betting just before the start was 5 to 2 against Hannah, 5 to 1 against Victor, and 12 to 1 against Ringwood. Weather fine and the course is in splendid condition.

NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE, Sept. 13.—The Striker's League are in favor of nine hours for a day's work, and have issued a manifesto expressing the hope that the fight will be continued until a complete victory is obtained over the employers, and promises, as long as the strike continues, men shall be provided for. Eight shillings per week will be paid each man, and one shilling each child, engaged in the strike.

FLORENCE, Sept. 13.—The *Opinione* states that Count de Remusat, the French Minister, declares that France accepts the accomplished facts in Italy, and that she only wishes to see the spiritual independence of the Pope secured. The renewal of cordial relations between France and Italy is therefore possible.

It is intimated that, after a recess, the Duke d'Aumale and Prince de Joinville will take their seats in the Assembly.

LISBON, Sept. 14.—Empress Eugenie arrived here to-day from London. She was visited by the King and Queen of Portugal, and soon afterwards left by rail for Madrid.

VERSAILLES, Sept. 14.—In the Assembly to-day, Gen. d'Assy stated that two additional courts-martial for the trial of the Communists will shortly be appointed. He said that there are now but 102 Judges to examine the cases of 30,000 prisoners, including 750 convicts. Even with the additional courts the Government will probably release 12,500 prisoners without trial, as it is impossible to sentence over 1,000 per month.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—A proposition was introduced into the Assembly yesterday, suggesting amnesty for all Communist prisoners. It was defeated by a large majority.

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—It is asserted in diplomatic circles that the secret alliance, entered into by Bismarck and Von Beust, on the part of the Governments of Germany and Austria, is in opposition to the alleged coalition between France and Russia. It is also stated that Italy was invited by Bismarck to become a party to the Austro-German alliance, but the invitation was declined by King Victor Emanuel, who preferred observing a policy of neutrality rather than join in the alliance with Germany. It is further stated that in consequence of this refusal on the part of Italy the German Premier now threatens the absorption of the Italian provinces of Venetia and Lombardy into Austro-German territhry. These statements cause great uneasiness, and further developments regarding the alliance and the looming difficulty with Italy are awaited with great anxiety.

At Konigsberg on the 12th there were 93 new cases of cholera, and 63 deaths. On the 13th 68 cases, and 45 deaths. The disease has disappeared from Dantzic.

The large town of Lechitks, Algeria, has been destroyed. Insurrectionary leaders thereabouts have been captured and shot.

VERSAILLES, Sept. 15.—The Assembly to-day elected the Committee of Control created by the bill of Prorogation to supervise the Government during the recess. It is composed of eleven members of the Right Wing, eight of the Left, and six Moderates.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The Internationals promise the London weavers to prevent foreigners from laboring in England. The league denounced the introduction of foreigners as dangerous. The *Times* deplores the antagonism between labor and capital.

A *Times* correspondent writes that the wheat crop is disastrously deficient.

LYONS, Sept. 16.—A proclamation appears announcing the disarmament of the National Guards. Their arms are required to be surrendered in two days. Fines and imprisonment will follow a failure to obey. As fast as the Nationals disarm, the regulars will replace them.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—A *Times* correspondent writes that he traversed the Mont Cenis Tunnel in thirty-eight minutes. Air excellent, rails level, and everything works admirably.

EASTERN NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—Robert D. Statke has been appointed Receiver of Public Moneys at Olympia, W. T., vice F. M. Lamper, removed.

Major J. L. Hodge, Deputy Paymaster of the United States Army, stationed in this city, has been discovered to be a defaulter to the Government for a very large amount. The investigation is still incomplete, although enough has been ascertained to show the amount of the defalcation to be $100,000 to $500,000. He was yesterday taken to Fort McHenry and ordered to be placed in solitary confinement in a guarded cell. It is said that a year ago detectives discovered that his financial affairs were in a loose condition, and that an investigation was ordered, but for some unknown reason never took place. It is suspected that other parties are involved in the defalcation.

The *Star*, this evening, says that Gen. Brice ordered Hodge to close his accounts on Monday last. The next day Gen. Brice received a letter from Hodge containing a full confession of his guilt, stating that he had been making fraudulent returns and statements since 1866, and that the money thus obtained has been spent in gold stock gambling in New York. He mentioned in his letter the name of one firm who knew that the money had been sent them for investment belonging to the Government. He concluded by saying that he was ready to turn over all his property, amounting to $50,000, to an agent of the Government authorized to receive such assignment.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—There was a great procession so-day of the various Workingmen's Unions, in favor of the enforcement of the Eight-hour Law. Fully 12,000 men were in the procession, which made a fine appearance. A small cannon, drawn by eight men, bore this inscription: "Eight hours—peaceably if we can, forcibly if we must."

Superintendent Norton, of the Money Order Department at the Postoffice, has confessed that he is a defaulter to the amount of $115,000, and he and his wife have voluntarily surrendered all their property at Plainfield, New Jersey, worth $175,000. The Government will not suffer by the defalcation. Norton drew funds from the Sub-Treasury and deposited them with a broker for use on the street in speculations. The money order account was entirely within his control, and was no check to his operations.

The meeting of the workingmen terminated in favor of the Eight-Hour Law, at Cooper Institute to-night. Resolutions were passed condemning the officers who failed to enforce the Eight-Hour Law; denouncing for similar offences the heads of Departments under which the new Postoffice is being erected in this city; claiming that only skilled laborers be employed by the Departments of State, county or city Governments; protesting against convict labor, and demanding that railroads be conducted by the people through the Government, thereby giving a death blow to monopolies threatening the life of Republican institutions.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 13.—The Democratic State Convention met to-day in this city and nominated the following ticket: Governor, Winthrop Young, of St. Anthony; Lieutenant Governor, L. Buell, of Houston; Secretary of State, E. Falk; Treasurer, B. Vasberg; Attorney General, J. L. McDonald; Justices of the Supreme Court, W. Mitchell, of Winona, and W. K. Burke, of Mankito.

NEW YORK, Sept. 13.—Thomas W. Conway, State Superintendent of Education in Louisiana, has written to Colonel Baker, Secretary of the National Council of the Union League, that Council No. 60, U. L. A., in Louisiana, may be discontinued, as there is perfect peace in every part of the State, and he sees no further need of the League as a means for securing peacefully the rights of loyal men.

CEDAR RAPIDS, Sept. 13.—The display of California fruits at the State Fair to-day attracted universal attention and commendation. Colonel Scott, of Iowa, starts tomorrow for the California Fair with a collection of Iowa fruits.

TRENTON, Sept. 13.—The Democratic State Convention met to-day. Ex-Governor Joel Palmer, of Monmouth, was nominated by acclamation.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—Notwithstanding the statements to the contrary, it is believed Hall does really intend to impeach Connolly, and that he yesterday telegraphed Judge Lowe, of the Court of Common Pleas, in Europe, to return, so there may be a full bench of that tribunal, before which the charges against the Controller must be preferred. It is announced at the Controller's office that the list of vouchers abstracted on Sunday will be ready in a day or two. It was shown that the stolen papers were composed of vouchers given by Meary, Ingersoll, Kiser, Miller, Smith and other ring contractors, for work alleged to have been performed on, or for material furnished to the County Court House and National Guard Armories, together with a considerable number of warrants purporting to have been endorsed by those parties.

At 2 o'clock p. m. the Union Torpedo Works exploded. Six men were killed and more wounded.

BOSTON, Sept. 14.—At the annual gathering at Saulisbury beach yesterday, General Butler, Wendell Phillips and others addressed 15,000 people. Phillips said: "Of all the men Massachusetts had honored in the last fifty years none could compare in statesmanship with Gen. Butler; that no name would stand higher in the history of the State."

Butler presented the great question of the future, namely: "Capital vs. Legislation."

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The time for the United States and Mexican Commission to examine and decide upon claims which come before them, expires on the 1st of February next. It is thought, however, that the Senate will, at its session, ratify the pending treaty providing for the extension for the jurisdiction of the committee for the period of one year. The Mexican Government has alreay ratified the treaty, and the Senate would in all probability have done so last session, but for the fact that the Alabama claims occupied its attention.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Information has been received by Judge Bedford, of the Court of General Sessions, this morning that a gigantic and wicked conspiracy has been set on foot in Wall street, for the purpose of locking up millions of dollars, by thus injuring the commerce of the city and the finances of the whole country. The Judge immediately convened the Grand Jury, and charged them to be prompt and fearless in their action. In a few days the most respectable brokers and business men of the city will be summoned before the Grand Jary, when it is expected the most startling exposures will be made.

It is said that Tweed, Hall and Sweeney have dissolved partnership, the latter refusing to be a party to the demand for the resignation of Connolly, and demanding a new deal, by having the control of Tammany affairs put in his hands, as Grand Sachem.

The Fenian leader, James Stephens, arrived, yesterday, from Havre. The object of his visit is to establish himself in the wine business here.

The Grand Jury brought in a true bill, indicting Rosenweig, the abortionist, for manslaughter.

NEW YORK, Sept. 14.—William Cassidy, editor of the Albany *Argus*, Samuel J. Tilden, and other prominent Democrats of the State, have been in consultation with Tweed, Connolly, and others on city affairs to-day, and it is rumored to-night that Connolly has consented to resign on condition that he be allowed to name his successor.

The report of the tender of a Controllership to General McClellan are pronounced false.

Dr. J. D. Miller, brother of Joaquin Miller, the poet, died at Easton, Pennsylvania, yesterday.

It is thought that Belmont is anxious to have Connolly's position should a vacancy occur. He, and his house in Hamburg, are largely interested in the city and county bonds. His acceptance of the office would tend to strengthen the credit of the city.

SPRINGFIELD, Sept. 14.—The following is the complete ticket nominated by the Democratic State Convention to-day: Governor, John Quincy Adams, of Quincy; Lieutenant-Governor, S. O. Lamb, of Greenfield; Secretary of State, Luther Stevenson, Jr.; Treasurer, Levi Haywood Gardiner; Auditor, Phineas Allen, of Pittsfield; Atterney-General, William W. Warren, of Brighton.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The death sentence of the Indian Chiefs, Satana and Big Tree, has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

Secretary Boutwell will investigate the implications in the Treasurer's office in connection with Hodges' defalcation. It is said by the Treasury officials that there is no way by which the Treasurer's office can have knowledge of the irregularities and defalcations of Paymasters; the only duty of the Treasurer being to honor all checks of Paymasters drawn on regular warrants to the extent of the credit of such Paymasters at his office.

The Woman's Club is negotiating for the purchase of a building in which to locate a business college, which they propose to establish for the instruction of the *demi-monde* who wish to reform. The police raid upon bad houses has been postponed a few days, in order that the Club may extend its preparations for the reception and care of such inmates as may seek to abandon a life of shame. Public sentiment is divided in regard to the wisdom and prospects of the movement, but circumstances have given the reformers opportunity to put their theories to the test of practical application, and the result cannot fail to attract wide attention, whatever it may be.

The Secretary of War has sent to the Judge Advocate General the communication of Gen. Brice in regard to the Hodges defalcation, and charges are to be preferred against Hodges. The application of Hodges to be released from confinement was refused. Brice asks for the fullest investigation of his conduct in the affair.

Sureties upon bonds of Collectors of Internal Revenue against whom suits have been commenced for balances due to the Government, are asking for a continuance of their suits. Commissioner Douglass declines to accede to any requests of this character.

NEW YORK, Sept. 15.—Jacob Vanderbilt, President of the Staten Island Ferry Company, arraigned to-day on the charge of manslaughter, pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Ingersoll, who has paid large claims against the city and county, has not left for Europe, as stated. He is in this city at present.

Judge Barnard has granted the injunction restraining the city authorities from paying any further bills against the city, except regular salaries, water and gas bills, and educational bills, in excess of the amount set apart by the Board of Apportionment; and that no further money shall be paid from the city treasury until that Board is reorganized.

It is rumored in Democratic circles that, owing to the decision of Judge Barnard, Controller Connolly will resign. In that case it is said Gen. George B. McClellan will be tendered the position of Controller, and he will probably accept.

Pat Logan, who was dismissed from the police force on account of dishonorable conduct during the July riots, has been nominated as a candidate for the Assembly.

OMAHA, Sept. 15.—Mr. Gallegos, the Democratic candidate for Congress from New Mexico, is probably elected by a majority of 500.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—There have been few events in this city that have created such a genuine sensation in a political way as the recent injunction case against the city officials. Judge Barnard's decision was a surprise both to the enemies and friends of the movement against the Ring. It seemed impossible to believe that Judge Barnard would have rendered such a decision, and the announcement filled with consternation the friends of Connolly and Hall. All the morning journals rejoice at the decision, though the Democratic press regards it as bearing more directly on Connelly than either of the others. The *World* thinks Connolly must at once retire. It is plain, if he does not go, he will be forced out. It believes that the intimation is plain in the Judge's decision that the injunction may be dissolved. If Connolly does not resign now, the Mayor cannot avoid impeaching him; that if he be fool-hardy enough to brave a trial, the result already foreshadows the sentence which will be passed. There is every probability that Connolly will resign, though at a late hour last night he seemed firm in the determination to hold on as long as Tweed, Hall and Sweeny did. The friends of Tweed and Sweeny think Barnard will exhonerate their chiefs. They declare that criminal charges will be made against Connolly; that he will probably be arrested within a few days, and Mearoy, Keeper and others, who preferred fraudulent claims, will also be arrested. Judge Barnard has expressed a belief that the whole responsibility of signing warrants falls upon Connolly.

Prof. Mohan, of West Point, committed suicide by jumping off the steamer Mary Powell, into the Hudson river.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—Gov. Hoffman is said to be desirous of having Sweeny continued in his position, while he is not unwilling to have Hall, Tweed and Connolly displaced. Sweeny is known to have been the originator of the principal part of municipal corruption. In this city there is a strong sentiment against him among Tammany politicians. Though he was not formally arraigned in the injunction suit he is believed to be as much responsible for the existing state of things as the others.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—General French, U. S. A., will be presented this evening with a magnificent gold medal by the veterans of the Mexican war. A large number of guests will take part in the festivities. A banquet and ball will be given at Pacific Hall, this evening, in honor of the 25th anniversary of the occupation of the city of Mexico by the Americans, under Scott.

Twelve Chinese star actors arrived by the Alaska, to add to the attractions of the Chinese Theater on Jackson street. The managers will not exclude any one on account of color alone.

SANTA CRUZ.—Sept. 14.—The name of the Spaniard killed by the Sheriff's posse at Pike's Pole last night was Pancho Borcumes, and not Procipio, as was at first supposed. He was one of the gang implicated in the Visalia stage robbery.

The officers who participated in the conflict with the Spanish desperado this morning learned that a Mexican, who had been concealed in a gully close to the scene of the affray, and who is reported to be desperately wounded, was hastily removed in a buggy as soon as the firing was heard. From facts in the possession of the authorities there is every reason to believe that this is the notorious Procipio, and that he received his wounds at the hands of officer Teddel on the Plaza in this city, on the night of the 11th. He will probably be in custody in a few hours.

The recount of ballots in the 1st precinct of the Eighth Ward discovers an error in the polls of that district, as furnished the press, by which Rosener is credited with seven votes less than he received, Higgins 41 too many, and Haynes 92 less than he received. This is the largest error discovered, and the balance is so far against the parties demanding the recount.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 15.—Outside stocks are increasing in favor. The Raymond and Ely mine is now earning $6,000 daily, and declaring a dividend of $1 50 per share. To-day that stock closed at $10 50, firm.

The opposition on the Oakland and San Antonio routes, and between here and Sacramento, causes unusually lively times, along the city front. The steamer Enterprise, carrying passengers at $1, and freight at $1 50, will leave for Sacramento this evening crowded with both.

Reports on the street that, by an agreement between the Pacific Railroad and the Panama steamers, freight to and from New York will be raised immediately fifty per cent., have created great disappointment and discouragement among merchants today. The rumor appears to be well founded, and the new tariff will probably be announced in the morning.

President Juarez announces that to remove all ground of complaint, the Mexican Government will concede to the Lower California Company five hundred leagues of land, in lieu of the contract for colonization, which the Company has failed to carry out, and is, therefore, annulled, and will not be renewed, as the land is not worth half a cent an acre, and could not be sold at any price. The stockholders in the Company will not receive a large dividend from that source.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sep 19.—The Republican Judicial Nominating Convention indorsed the nomination of Judge Samuel H. Dwinell for the Fifteenth District Court, last evening, and then adjourned.

At 5 o'clock last evening, when a dense fog covered sea and land, the fine American clipper ship Annie Size, from Sydney, with a cargo of coal for the Central Pacific Railroad Company, went on the reef at Point Reyes, on which so many vessels have been wrecked. Her bottom stove when she first struck, and in a few minutes she commenced keeling over on one side. There was but little wind at the time, but a heavy ground swell, and the ship almost immediately commenced breaking up. At 2 o'clock the crew took to the boats, and were soon after taken on board a small schooner, which brought them to this city. The Annie Size was owned in Portland, Maine, and commanded by Captain George W. Tucker. She was a first-class clipper, nearly new, and was on her third trip to this port. The vessel and cargo will prove a total loss.

The *Bulletin* contains a long expose of election frauds perpetrated on and by both parties in the late election, but the worst, for special reasons, is not likely to be told.

The wreck of the ship Annie Size, at Point Reyes, was sold at auction to-day, to the Pacific Wrecking Company, for $500, for account of the underwriters. It is not thought that much of the wreck can be saved.

MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 7.—A preliminary meeting of Congress took place yesterday. The number of members present was 147. The whole number in Congress is 227. The meeting resulted favorably to Juarez.

CITY OF MEXICO, Sept. 6, via INDIANOK, Sept. 15.—Juarezists are sure of the entire organization of Congress, including the Committee on Credentials. Strong revolutionary threats have been made that a permanent Junta would be installed Sept. 16th. A pronunciation has been issued in Zacaticasta to force the loan levied in the smaller towns.

NEVADA.

CARSON CITY, Sept. 17.—There was a break at the Nevada State Prison at half past 6 o'clock this evening. Five of the guard were wounded. Matt Pixley, proprietor of the Warm Springs Hotel, was killed. Twenty-nine prisoners escaped. Lieutenant Governor Denver was wounded, but not seriously. Robert Dedman, sentenced for life, did good service in assisting officers and guards to hold the prisoners. Troops from Virginia and officers here are in hot pursuit of the escaped convicts.

State Telegraph.

ASHLAND, Sept. 16.—Joseph Wells shot and killed a man named James Dennis, yesterday, seven miles south of this place, on the Dead Indian Road. The parties were alone, and Wells says he killed Dennis in self-defense, after Dennis had shot at him with a revolver. Wells came in and gave himself up to the authorities. Dennis was about 23 years old, and but little is known of him or his antecedents here. The killing was done with a double barreled shot gun. The preliminary examination was held this evening or to-morrow, before Justice Gillett.

CORVALLIS, Sept. 16.—Mons. DeClute, while crossing the street on a tight wire, met with a serious accident. When about the center of the street, the wire gave way, and he fell about thirty feet. He is supposed to be severely injured.

Washington Territory.

SEATTLE, Sept. 16.—Captain John Brisbane, of the steamer James Mortie, was drowned yesterday while the steamer was on her way from Seabeck to Port Gamble. He fell from the deck while setting a sail, and before assistance could reach him, sank. The body was not recovered.

A Scotchman named Joseph Hunter, who has been employed at the Lake Washington Coal Mine for some time past, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the head with a revolver, at the Occidental Hotel, in this place. It is supposed he was laboring under a fit of temporary insanity.

A correspondent of a New York paper has been interviewing the great heads of the German anti-infallibility movement, Dollinger, Huber and Frederichs. Writing from Munich, August 1st, he represents that the Dollinger cause was gaining strength, and its leaders believe it will result in the inauguration of a general reform of the Catholic Church throughout Germany, and that the movement must spread to other countries—to Austria, Switzerland and Italy. The opinion that Bismarck is warring against the Catholic Church is confirmed, and it was believed that Germany would not maintain the infallibility dogma. Dr. Dollinger again disclaimed any intention of establishing a new religion, or separating from the Catholic Church. What was necessary was a general ecclesiastical reformation, throwing off the the errors which have crept into the church, and the establishmept of a religion more in conformity with the modern demands of the national characteristics of the German race.

MRS. LINCOLN'S BROTHERS.—Capt David H. Todd, brother of Mrs. Lincoln whose death in Alabama was recently announced, was a captain in the Confederate army from Louisiana, and his youngest brother, Sam Todd, was private in the Crescent regiment of New Orleans. Alluding to the latter, the Richmond *Enquirer* says: "At Shiloh, about 10 o'clock on Monday morning, when the army under Beauregard advanced toward the river, and was met by Buell's reinforcing column, young Todd was killed. A bullet pierced his forehead, and he was left upon the field to be burried by Grant's men. He was quite well known in the Western army and attracted a good deal of notice as the brother-in-law of Mr. Lincoln. In camp, when he was present, the boys were always careful to say nothing offensive about the Northern President. He was a very popular young man and a true and devoted soldier. In the same regiment was a nephew of Secretary Seward, who still lives.

THE PRESIDENT A PRINTER.—The Brooklyn *Union* tells this:

After being shown through the various editorial rooms of the paper, and on its being said that he possibly would not care to go into the composing-room, he said, "Well, I guess I have set a good many columns of type myself in Georgetown, Ohio, years ago."

"Why, General," said General Porter, "I never heard of that.

General Grant replied that it was true, nevertheless.

All are not hunters that blow the horn.

Golden dreams make men awake hungry.

Five thousand shipwrecks occurred last year.

Sacramento's richest man was once a vagrant.

Poverty is not a shame, but being ashamed of it is.

He that is too proud to ask, is too good to receive.

A Kansas girl vanquished a wild cat single-handed.

An African giant, six feet high, is on his way to America.

With patience and time the mulberry tree becomes a silk gown.

Canary birds are boarded for twenty cents a week in New York.

Two-thirds of the women in lunatic asylums are wives of farmers.

An Indiana cat attacked a copper-head snake recently and killed it.

A society for the popular education of women has been organized in Vienna.

Great Britain consumes four times as much tea as the United States.

A sun-fish, weighing 300 pounds, was recently caught at New Bedford, Massachusetts.

What an unlucky suitor did. He wooed, and she wouldn't. He cooed, and she couldn't.

A recent number of the London *Spectator* contains an able article against early rising.

An Ohio girl committed suicide by taking strychnine, because her mother boxed her ears.

It is reported that the coffee trade will be considerably affected by the short crop in Brazil.

A Burlington young lady says the armless woman of Barnum's show "writes a very good foot."

In conversation, a wise man may be at a loss how to begin; but a fool never knows how to stop.

Some young ladies now wear small mirrors set in gold hung on their necklaces, instead of lockets.

A man in Barnet, Vt., boasts of having read the New Testament through sixty-five times within ten years.

A New Jersey editor has announced the death of his uncle in Australia, leaving him a gold mine and $400,000.

Petrified whalebones in a bed of clay have been found at San Dieago, California.

The Baptists and Quakers are the only religious bodies that have increased in Ireland during the last ten years.

The *Overland Monthly* estimates this year's product of the precious metals on the Pacific coast at $80,000,000.

O "Mother," said a little boy as he stood looking at the Lake by moonlight, "see how the moon sprinkles down on the water!"

The darkest day in any man's career is that wherein he fancies there is some easier way of getting a dollar than by squarely earning it.

A New Mexico attorney, in addressing the jury, threatened to blow out the brains of any man who should intimate that his client was guilty.

Vice President Colfax and Senator Windom have gone to Otter Tail lake and Red river. They join the Northern Pacific Railroad Directors' party at the former place, and accompany them to Fort Garry and Manitoba.

At a ball at the White Sulphur Spring, a Kentucky belle represented "Arctic Moonlight" in a dress of full illusion skirts, dotted with swansdown and oxydized glass, and luminous with silver bands and crescents, pine cones, pearls, etc.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Grover & Baker Sewing Machines.

First class Sewing Machines sold at San Francisco cash prices, by paying only $10 per month. Call and examine the work and see the wonderful improvement in the Grover & Baker.

JOHN W. GILBERT, Agent,
Sept. 17, 1871. Salem Opn.

Special for the Ladies.

John W. Gilbert offers to his customers the celebrated "Philadelphia Kid Foxed" Balmoral shoes for $1 75. Misses' and Children's of the same make for a song.

THE SISTERS OF THE ACADEMY OF THE SACRED HEART cordially solicit the liberal patronage of the benevolent friends of Educationin behalf of their Fair, which will be held during the State Fair. The proceeds are to be applied towards erecting a new Academy. Sept15-tf.

Dave's Bitters.

These Bitters are especially adapted to the cure and prevention of the malarious diseases common to this latitude. As an appetizer these Bitters are unexcelled. They are for sale at the Opera Saloon. sep16

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

In consequence of a coming change in our business we will sell our large and well assorted stock, during THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS, as follows:

Our best brand of CALICO nine yards for one dollar.
NEAT BUST, ten yards for one dollar.
HEAVY DOMESTIC, 12½ cents a yard.
OTHER DOMESTIC in proportion, and HATS, CLOTHING, BOOTS and SHOES, VERY LOW.
FRENCH MERINO, only 87½ cents a yard.
MEN'S SOCKS, 10 cents a pair.
WOMEN'S STOCKINGS, very low.
4 papers of NEEDLES for 25 cents.
4 papers of ENGLISH PINS for 25 cents
4 spools of COTTON for 25 cents.
4 pieces DRESS BRAID for 25 cents.
LACES and EMBROIDERY, very cheap.
COMBS and JEWELRY, cheaper than ever before.
3 pocket HANDKERCHIEFS, for 25 cents
WHITE LINEN TABLE CLOTH, 75 cents per yard.
TOWELS and CRASH, very low.

It will astonish you to see how low we can sell groceries and crockery In fact all the goods remaining in our store will be sold cheaper than ever before.

Remember that this offer only last SIXTY DAYS FROM THIS DATE.

FRIEDMAN & GOSLINER.
SALEM, Sept. 12, 1871.
P. S.—We still continue the AUCTION BUSINESS.

REMARKABLE!

Eight Hundred Worms Expelled.

I think it a public benefit to make the following statement, that I have been afflicted for two years with constant pains in the stomach, and in fact, pains all over my body; no appetite, let me eat what I would it always put me in distress. No medicine would relieve me and I grew worse and worse until now I am a mere skeleton. Nobody could tell me what was the matter with me, until I consulted Dr. J. P. P. Van Den Bergh, in Salem, Oregon, and he told me I was afflicted with worms, and they were the cause of all my misery and pains I took the Doctor's medicine, and he expelled 800 Worms from me. They are like Leaches, with long tails, and measure from one to one and one-half inches in length. I only took six little powders, and they brought the worms within four hours time. All those afflicted wishing to see me can find me at Sam Renlet's Stable, Salem, Oregon. V. CRAIG.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September 1871. J. J. MURPHY, J. P.

Said worms can be seen at Dr. J. P. P. Van Den Bergh's office, Opera House Block, Court Street, Salem. sept 8 1lm.

TAXPAYERS LOOK OUT!

Notice is hereby given, that on Monday the 25th day of September 1871, the Board of Equalization will attend at the office of the County Clerk of Marion county, and publicly examine the assessment roll for 1871, and correct all errors in valuation, description, &c., in accordance with an act approved October 25th, 1870, page 32, laws of 1870, and will continue in session during said week, or until their labors are completed, and all persons aggrieved, will take due notice and act accordingly.

SALEM, Oregon, Sept. 2, 1872.
THOMAS C. SHAW, Assessor.
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Notice.

The Lee Mission Cemetery, east of Salem, near the orphans' Home, has been laid off into lots, which are offered for sale as a family burying ground. Very fine Vault Lots can also be had. Mr. L. H. Judson has a plat of the survey, and is authorized to dispose of the lots at low prices. Those having friends interred in the Cemetery are requested to identify the place, and to make such arrangements as they desire as soon as practicable. Apply, also, to A. F. Waller, M. L. Savage or J. L. Parrish.

By order of the Trustees,
L. T. WOODWARD, Secretary.
Salem, Aug 29—m3.

Stop a Moment.

Why stand you here all the day idle? Why don't you get around and do something? —*George Francis Train.*

Why not buy your lumber of E. D. Towl at $10 50 per thousand feet?

C. W. Royal is my authorized agent for Salem, and Wilson Olney can always be found at the Mill 3½ miles east of Salem ready to wait on customers during my absence. E. D. TOWL.

Salem, Oregon Aug. 25, 1871.—tf.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON,

REAL ESTATE DEALER,

Office—No. 64, Front Street,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

REAL ESTATE in this CITY and EAST PORTLAND, in the most desirable localities, consisting of LOTS, HALF BLOCKS and BLOCKS, HOUSES and STORES; also

IMPROVED FARMS, and valuable uncultivated LANDS, located in A. parts of the STATE for SALE.

REAL ESTATE and other Property purchased for Correspondents, in the CITY and throughout the STATES and TERRITORIES, with great care and on the most ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

HOUSES and STORES LEASED, LOANS NEGOTIATED, and CLAIMS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS PROMPTLY COLLECTED. General FINANCIAL and AGENCY BUSINESS transacted.

Influence of Temperature on Health.

In the fall the difference between the temperature of night and day is greater than at any other time of the year. In the early autumn the quicksilver sometimes rises as high during the day as in the most fervid summer weather; while at night it often sinks to an almost wintry point. The human body not being made of steel or India rubber, sensibly feels these tremendous changes. To fortify the system against them, a genuine tonic is required; and the public has long since discovered that among this description of medicines Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is infinitely the best. It gently quickens the circulation, regulates the bowels, tones the liver, braces the nerves, and thus puts the whole physique on its defense against the vicissitudes of temperature in our climate. Few, if any cases of epidemic fever are heard of in localities where it is in common use. As it becomes more and more widely known, and the demand for it increases, chills and fever and the billious remittent seem to recede before it, and if ever it should come into universal use, these diseases would cease to be known as the scourges of our low-lying and marshy districts. That homely bit of proverbial philosophy, that "prevention is better than cure," should be especially borne in mind in the autumn months; and indeed in all seasons, together with the fact, that among all the preventives of malarious disease, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the most safe and potent.

Be certain, however, to obtain the genuine article, as countless imitations of a pernicious character are abroad. See that the externals are all right, and remember that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is sold in bottles alone.

It is said that if a puff of air were to be blown into a vein of an animal, death would instantaneously follow, because circulation would be stoped. The blood makes the entire circuit of the human body every seven minutes, and whenever this circulation is impeded, or any of its channels are clogged by impurities which ought to be carried off, disease follows—fever, or a disorder of liver or kidneys, or scrofula, or dyspepsia. To get at and remove the source of the difficulty, use the old and infallible blood purifier, Dr. Walker's California Vinegar Bitters.

DR. ABORN.

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FROM SAN FRANCISCO,

Whose remarkable success in curing Chronic and obstinate Diseases of the

EYE, EAR, HEAD, Throat and Chest.

That have for years resisted the ordinary modes of treatment, is so well known,

HAS ARRIVED

In Portland, Orego,

TO PRACTICE FOR A FEW WEEKS,

Rooms at St. Charles Hotel.

Wonderful Cure of Diseases of the Eye.—A daughter of J. N. Carter, train Leader

SAN JOSE, May 30, 1870.

DR. ABORN—DEAR SIR; I deem it my duty to make the following statement. For the past six years my daughter (now eight years old) has been afflicted with sore eyes, and frequently unable to read, or even to distinguish one object from another across the room. She is now perfectly cured, after having been treated by you for three weeks only. I would also state that all previous treatment had proved unsuccessful; also that the eyelids were so affected that the lashes were falling out. Since, under your treatment, they have grown in perfectly natural, so that now her eyes are perfectly natural, bright, and of a healthy appearance. I consider it a remarkable cure, and am agreeably surprised at the result of your treatment, as I had given up all hopes of having her cured. Truly yours, J. S. CARTER.

Lieutenant Governor Holden's Card

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6, 1870.

Having suffered nine or ten years with a throat and bronchial affection, I applied to Dr. Aborn, No. 22 Kearny street, who has treated me for about two months. I feel it my du