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Now is the time for the average easterner to get in his yarn about how cold it "uster be back home."

The last few days hasn't been a very appropriate time to compare the Webfoot country with Minnesota and Dakota.

There are a number of defective sidewalks in this city that should have the early attention of the street commissioner.

On Wednesday the late President McKinley's birthday was honored by suitable exercises being held in many of the Eastern states, where flags were flown on all public buildings.

If it is necessary to be an "officer" to be a "gentleman," a quotation often used in Sampson-Schley controversy, how fortunate one is to be rated only a plain American citizen.

Miss Portia Knight of Salem got \$50,000 in place of \$5,000, as heretofore reported in her suit against the Duke of Manchester for breach of promise. The case was settled out of court, and it is said the father-in-law paid the money.

It is said that the first apples grown in Oregon were from the seeds of four apples brought over from England by the Hudson Bay Company and planted in 1846 at Vancouver by P. C. Pambourne, father of the late Mrs. Dr. Barclay of Oregon City and Mrs. McCracken of Portland. It was six years before they bore fruit which brings the first apples grown up to 1852.

A recent dispatch says that yielding to the protests of relatives of the ex-president, Mrs. Benjamin Harrison has requested those advocating her claims to a pension to abandon their efforts in that direction. She married the ex-president after he had retired to private life and was in no sense such a widow as would be entitled to pension, besides the ex-president left her with a splendid home free of all incumbrances and an income of \$10,000 a year.

Blanche Walsh, an actress who is now playing "Janice Meredith" in the east, and who is well known in Portland, has become a convert to the belief of Buddhism, and her dressing rooms have been turned into temples for the worship of the light of Asia. A figure of Buddha, almost life size, embowered in rich plush curtains of deep yellow, the color of the Buddhist priestly robes, fills one corner of the star's room in each theater she visits this season.

Land hunters are waking up to the value of Oregon timber lands. Twenty-one timber claims were filed in the Oregon City Land Office last Thursday, embracing a total of 3360 acres in Benton county. This land has not been heretofore unknown, most of it having been taken in past years under the homestead law, but relinquished for the reason, perhaps, of the labor involved in clearing and putting it under the plow. Oregon timber was not a valuable asset in those days, for the very sufficient reason that the local lumber market was easily glutted and lumber shipping had not reached the proportions of a paying industry. To subdue the forests to agriculture was enormously laborious, and therefore unprofitable. But the timber districts abandoned by discouraged homeseekers have been re-discovered, so to speak, by the timber-land seeker, who will sooner or later realize handsomely upon his venture—Oregonian.

## HEAVEN OR HELL—WHICH?

Dalton and Wade, equally guilty in the eyes of the law of the murder of young Morrow will pay the penalty today—will be punished to the full extent of the law for their horrible and brutal crime. If they pass through the hangman's trap in their present state of mind, Dalton will go into the presence of his Maker with upturned pitiful face, clutching at a straw, almost desperate in an attempt to lay hold upon something tangible that will ease his cowardly soul. Wade, just as cowardly, strides his cell in forced nervous gaiety, in illy-concealed attempt to live the life of a cowardly, blustering, ranting bully to the end. It is assured that neither should be pitied—but which is the most despicable? Wade asserts that he does not believe in death-bed repentance. In this he is right—it is nothing but a mockery at its best. A man who defies God, man and law in the full freedom of life should be willful enough to suffer the consequences, not in boasting rantings—but in silence. Wade seems to be determined to go to hell without attempting to make the public believe he is checked for heaven. Dalton turns down the light fawning and cringing, a hypocrite, with a lie upon his lips. No authentic information is yet at hand that the occupation of a professional hold-up and sneak thief is a paying one in heaven, neither is it definitely known what calibre gun Dalton will use.

In the 33 counties of the state there are 12,887,627 acres of non-tillable land assessed for \$28,566,794, or an average of \$2.22 per acre. Clackamas county is assessed higher on these lands than any county in the state outside of Multnomah. Clackamas has 410,642 acres assessed for \$1,522,365 or approximately, \$3.50 per acre. Multnomah has 198,238 acres assessed for \$5,641,740 or about \$28 per acre. Linn county, our northern neighbor, has 531,323 acres of non-tillable land that is assessed for \$1,530,114 or nearly \$3 per acre. Douglas county has more acres of non-tillable land than any other county in the state the amount being 1,292,382 which is assessed for \$1,330,140 or a fraction over \$1 per acre. Lane is a close second with 1,053,361 acres on which we are assessed \$1,569,458 or an average of \$1.43 per acre. On these lands the assessment over the state could easily be raised \$25,000,000 with fairness to the owners and justice to the rest of the taxpayers.—Register.

It is a pleasure to note the interest Eugene people, generally speaking, take in Cottage Grove and the Bohemia Mining District. It is also worthy of note that the energetic people of Cottage Grove and Bohemia take the same friendly interest in Eugene and the Blue River Mining District. This is as it should be. It is time all strife and animosity should be made to go "way back and sit down," and the people of Lane county uphold and work for the good of the county at large. With the proper display of energy on the part of the people, the day is near at hand when Lane county will be rated one of the richest counties in the state.

The treaty of cession of the Danish West Indies from Denmark to the United States was signed at the state department January 24 by Secretary Hay and Constantin Brun, the Danish Minister. The treaty will be submitted to the senate for ratification immediately. Following the invariable rule in such cases the state department officials decline to make public any of the details of the treaty, so that it is not possible to state positively the price to be paid, though this is believed to be in the neighborhood of \$5,000,000.

Several of the boys have had a "skate" on this week—steel skater, you know.

## ANOTHER WRECK.

The through freight south on Tuesday night was ditched about six miles below here, between Siuslaw and Alki stations and five loaded cars left the track. None of the train hands were injured. The south-bound passenger was four hours late arriving here on account of some slight accident to the locomotive, and was held here until about 7 o'clock a. m., when it was ordered to proceed to the scene of the wreck and transfer passengers and baggage around the wreck and with the northbound passenger which was being held below. During the past few months the S. P. Company has suffered much loss on this line and is making an unenviable record for mishaps of this kind. There is a reason for it and that reason ought to be sought out and remedial measures taken to insure safe transit over the road.

## PHILIPPINE LECTURE.

Through the gentle efforts of Miss Vernon, one of the charming teachers in our public school, who is just now enlightening her class upon the character, people and resources of our island possessions, a new star in the lecture field was brought forth on Tuesday, who for an hour and a half unfolded a panoramic vision to her delighted class of the many wonderful things to be seen and met with in those isles of the sea. Henry Landess, one of the brave boys of the Second Oregon, had the honor of entertaining the little ones and receiving the smile of approval from their enthusiastic and loyal teacher, and our informant says that Henry made an heroic talk.

## DIED.

RUGGER—Near Creswell on January 27, 1902, Albert Rugger, aged 60 years, of heart trouble.

Mr. Rugger has been a resident of Lane county for some twenty years, was a large stock and dairy man and highly respected by all who knew him. He was buried in the Creswell cemetery on January 29, and the interment was attended by a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends.

## TUNNEL CONTRACT.

The Bohemia Gold Mining Company invites bids for the extension of its Boston Tunnel near Benson, Bohemia District, for an additional length of 350 feet. The tunnel to be 5 feet wide, 6 1/2 feet high in the clear. Payments to be made monthly, 20 per cent of contract price to be held back until the contract is completed. There must be four partners in the contract. They must do two shifts of two men each in every 24 hours, and must furnish all supplies, excepting the car, rails and air pipe. The Company reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Address all communications to E. H. THOMAS, Secretary of the Company, No. 56 North Main St., Fall River, Mass.

GEORGE W. LLOYD, Mangr.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., January 22, 1902. Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Isaac W. Tompkins (town or city) Cottage Grove, County of Lane, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1975, for the purchase of the Lots 1, 2, 7, 8 and 10, of Section No. 2 in Township 22 S. of Range 1 West, 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 Roseburg, Oregon, on Saturday, the 9th day of April, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Willard Boren, Frank McIntyre, W. M. George, Ben Pitcher, of Wildwood, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9th day of April, 1902.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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