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WASHINGTON, Jan 28.—The board of trustees of the National University, which has been endowed by Carnegie, will meet and organize tomorrow.

Only the interest on the \$10,000,000 will be used, the bequest providing that the endowment shall remain in perpetuity.

SCHLEY'S TRAVELS.

Special to the Guard.

CHICAGO, Jan 28.—Admiral Schley left this city this morning for a visit to Louisville.

INVESTIGATING EXPLOSION.

Special to the Guard.

NEW YORK, Jan 28.—The city authorities are holding an investigation of yesterday's dynamite explosion at Park and Fortieth streets through careless storing of dynamite being used in the building of the rapid transit tunnel. In addition the coroner is holding an inquest on the dead.

No more deaths have occurred among the injured, though several are dangerously hurt.

ENGLISH CHANNEL CASUALTY.

Special to the Guard.

DOVER, England, Jan 28.—The steamer Heron sank in the English Channel today. Eleven persons were drowned.

A BOER VICTORY.

Special to the Guard.

LONDON, Jan 28.—A Boer detachment defeated a Yeomanry command near Beitholde yesterday.

There were thirteen casualties among the British and a loss of sixty-one taken prisoners.

THE AIRSHIP FLIES.

Special to the Guard.

NICE, France, Jan 28.—The experimental ascension of Santos Dumont in his new airship was a success in every particular, not a single hitch occurring.

Dumont directed the airship at will causing it to rise and fall, to go ahead or backward. He seemed to have complete control of the flyer.

FURNITURE FACTORY

New Building for Day & Henderson's Establishment.

NORTH OF FLOUR MILLS

Day & Henderson have let the contract to L. N. Roney for the erection of a new building for their furniture factory now located in the building to be used as a drying and picking room for the new woolen mill. The new building will be located on the west side of the tall race just north of the Eugene Mill & Elevator Co's buildings.

Work for the foundation of the building is now being hauled from the Fairmount quarries, and the work will soon be commenced. The building will be 44x60 feet in dimensions, one story high and will be a frame structure. The machinery in the factory will be operated by water power as heretofore and the same wheel will be used. The wheel will be connected with the factory by a large cable, similar to the one which operates the pumps at the water works, extending from Midgley's planing mill.

WILL BE MINERS.—Pendleton Tribune: Elmer E. Cleaver will soon leave Pendleton for Prairie City and his brother Clifford Cleaver, will follow later. They will engage in mining at that place where they are interested in some valuable mines and prospects. They have been engaged in the shoe business here for many years and will be missed in the business life of the city.

SIMON ON TOP.—The President after making private inquiries as to the character and ability of William Farr of Canyon City, Jan 28th sent in his nomination as register of the Bureau of Land Office, in accordance with the recommendation of Representative Moody. The nomination of Bibbe for Oregon City is still held up, apparently at the request of Senator Simon.

NEW DRY KILN.—The Eugene Lumber Co. is building a new dry kiln at their sawmill back of Skinner's Butte, the old one being entirely inadequate to meet the demand. A carload of heating pipes arrived last night for the new kiln.

RAIDING SALOONS.

Anti-Saloon League Making it Hot for Albany Saloons.

ALBANY, Jan 28.—A committee from the Anti-Saloon league have caused considerable commotion in this city by a wholesale raid upon the saloons. Sunday evening the committee divided into groups, visited all the saloons for the purpose of securing evidence for conviction on a charge of violating the ordinance prohibiting the sale of liquor on Sunday. The committee made purchases of liquor, it is alleged, in all the saloons in town except two and secured witnesses of violators of the law in all except one, and there are only ten saloons in town, which will make nine cases.

Hewitt & Sox have been retained to assist in the prosecution, and it is expected that warrants will probably be issued today. The trial of the cases will no doubt develop a warm contest.

FALL CREEK LOGGING.—Messrs M. E. and R. C. Edwards, Lon Morehouse and A. Matheny have commenced putting sawlogs into Fall Creek and Wimbury for mills down the Willamette. They will consolidate their drives, cutting out logs as they reach the mills where ordered. The Edwards' have four million feet for the Harrisburg mill.

BICYCLING AND LUCK HUNTING.—The present cold weather has made the roads good for bicycling. They are hard and dry but a little rough. Yesterday a resident of the Coyote country was seen to come into town on his wheel loaded down with 15 or 20 mail-lard ducks which he had killed, and went out with a big load of ammunition to kill more. The ducks are very plentiful during this kind of weather and thousands are being killed out west of town.

BIG PLAYS.—Baker City Democrat: A sporty Chinaman, who has been bucking the tiger during the past few days at one of the well known houses in town dropped \$1500 on the green. He is believed to be the same man who made about \$2000 a short time ago in Sumpter. If he thought he could come to Baker and play the white elephant for a winner he overdid his bet. As a rule most of the games in town have been losing for some time.

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NEW LODGE AT CROW.

A Camp of Modern Woodmen Organized.

Saturday night Geo. Piel and T. E. Furstah instituted a camp of Modern Woodmen of America at Crow with 27 charter members, organized as follows: V. C. Geo. Holland; W. A. Guard; Huston; clerk; Walter Holland; B. Church; Stephens; E. Miller; V. Parsons; W. W. L. Mitchell; S. Otis Berlin.

The work of instituting the camp and installing the officers occupied the whole night and was not finished until daylight Sunday morning. A banquet was spread and an enjoyable time was had. The new camp starts out with bright prospects as it is made up of good material. A new hall is in contemplation by the camp.

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JUDGES AND CLERKS

New Election Law Provides for Three of Each.

FORMERLY ONLY TWO CLERKS.

A subscriber writes to know why there are three clerks of election appointed for each precinct instead of two as formerly was the case?

The only answer that we can give him is that it is the law—a new one made at the last session of the legislature.

The law provides that: "The county court shall, at the regular term in January preceding a general election, appoint three judges and three clerks of election for each election precinct, to serve for the period of two years, and shall designate one judge to be chairman. Said judges and clerks shall each be duly qualified electors within the precinct for which they are appointed; able to read, write and speak the English language, not a candidate for an elective office to be voted for at the ensuing election; no more than two judges and two clerks shall be members of the same political party, and they shall be appointed from the two political parties which respectively cast the highest and next highest number of votes for the presidential electors of the United States at the last preceding presidential election."

There is a further provision that the county court may appoint, in precincts where 150 or more ballots are cast, an additional board of three judges and three clerks, whose duty it shall be to relieve the first board at 7 o'clock p. m., and continue the count of ballots until 7 o'clock a. m., when if the ballots are not then all counted the first board will relieve the second board and continue the count, alternating until all have been counted.

The law still further provides that at 10 o'clock a. m. on the second Wednesday in February any elector may appear before the county court and enter his objections and remonstrances to the appointment of judges and clerks as made at the January term of court. According to reports several judges and clerks have been appointed for several precincts in Lane county who do not reside in the precincts. If proper complaint is made the court will change these.

TIMBER LANDS.

Lane County People Are Letting Them Slip Away.

WORD OF WARNING.

EDITOR GUARD:—In behalf of the people of this county I would like to say a few words: Why don't they "wake up?"

Why don't the people of Lane county awake from their long peaceful slumber? Why do they lie sleeping when the dawn has come and the sun is rising on the brightest day Oregon ever knew? They have slept too long already. Beautiful chances are slipping by them and into the hands of their wide awake and enterprising Eastern brothers.

Oregon is a country of great resources and greatest of theirs all is its magnificent forests; the excellence of which is unsurpassed. The quality and quantity of its timber is second to none.

Small investments made here today will within a few years make independent fortunes; 160 acres of first-class timber land can be had for \$450. In ten years these claims will sell for many times that amount. Why don't the people take advantage of this opportunity? Try to tell them these chances and in nine cases out of ten they will laugh at you; or doubt your judgment. They do not seem to see that Western Oregon is in its infancy. They will some day awaken, but I fear it will be too late. This country will in a few years be filled with Eastern people who realized the real value of timber, and they will reap immense profits from their investments here. We like to see perseverance and industry win, but it looks hard to see the people of this county, some of them in the very heart of these great forests, crowded out because "they did not wake up in time." Oregon is a beautiful state and its brightest days are yet to come. Western Oregon will in a few years be one of the very liveliest places on the Pacific slope; and the timber industry will make it what it is to be. I would like to see the young men of this county grasp some of these chances that are slipping. Men will come from the Eastern lumber regions for the purpose of locating timber lands here; while the people here at home hesitate to invest. Scores of claims are being taken in my immediate vicinity and mostly by Eastern men. This timber will soon be in great demand, just as sure as the sun will rise and set.

Respectfully,

A. H. HINKSON.

HILLS CREEK BRIDGE.—State Journal: A N. Bryker came to Eugene this week and got a crew of men to finish the bridge over Hills creek on the county road near Hazel Dell. This is the bridge that broke down last summer and killed some horses. The people up there refuse to work for the county for the wages that it pays elsewhere, and it is necessary to take men from other places. In most road districts the people are willing to receive \$1.50 per day for building roads and bridges and donate about one-half of their time to improve the roads.

DIED SUDDENLY.

Another Death From Heart Disease.

ALBERT RUGGER OF CRESWELL.

Special to the Guard.

CRESWELL, Or, Jan. 28.—Albert Rugger, of the well known firm of Rugger & Zinniker, stock raisers in this vicinity, died suddenly from heart trouble at his home near this place yesterday afternoon.

He was getting ready for the noon-day meal and had lain down on a sofa to rest before eating. Shortly afterward he was noticed to be very ill and after two or three gasps, expired.

Mr. Rugger, who was 60 years old, came here 15 or 20 years ago and has been engaged in farming and in the stock business ever since. He leaves a family.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and the remains will be interred in the Creswell cemetery.

NEARLY A FIRE.

Big Excitement Caused By a Blazing Gasoline Lamp at the Hoffman House.

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Last evening about 5:30 o'clock there was great excitement in and around the Hoffman House office for a few minutes and it began to look as if the fire department was to be given a job. "Buck" Mulholland, the bootblack attached to the office, was lighting one of the big gasoline lamps when suddenly the whole thing caught fire and blazed up to the ceiling. The men in the office to the number of 10 or 15 all rushed out of doors, fearing an explosion. No one dared to go near the blazing lamp, but finally the rod was melted and the outfit fell to the floor with a heavy crash. This was when the excitement began in earnest. The flames spread all over the floor and had not someone had presence of mind to throw a large rug over the flame and drag the chandelier and all out the side door, the interior of the office would have been badly damaged. As it was, the office desk was scorched and the ceiling blackened up.

The blaze attracted a large crowd but scarcely anyone seemed to know who to do as all thought that a big explosion would surely occur.

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ANOTHER CAR OF MACHINERY.—Last night another carload of machinery for the new woolen mill arrived here from Fremont, Neb., it being the last from that place. The remainder will be from the New England states and will be new machinery. The work of getting the building ready for the machinery is being rushed.

PENSIONS.—Nowell Biggs, of Foley has been allowed an increase of pension \$12; M. H. Hinkson, of Eugene, to \$5; and H. L. Rams, of Junction, to \$15.

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