

Kentucky has another surprise in the Colt's revolver line. While services were in progress at a country church, Sunday, a man in the middle of the congregation shot the man seated by him through the head and escaped.

A four-masted schooner has just made the trip from the Columbia River to San Francisco in four days and sixteen hours. That was sailing with a vengeance. As the distance on a straight line is about six hundred miles the schooner reeled off between five and six miles an hour in direct progress.

The telegraph brings news that the shooting season for grouse did not open auspiciously on Scottish moors yesterday. At this time of year they must shoot chicks over there, that is if their season approaches that of Oregon. Our young crop of grouse is not a third grown, the open season not commencing for a month yet.

King Edward's reputation is a little shabby, yet his people are not unlike others in holding a day of shanksgiving on the certain recovery of the head of their government. Man is a singularly constituted animal. When not worshipping himself he is not content without worshipping something else. He is a born idolater.

King Edward is getting much credit for his "solitude" for the aged archbishop of Canterbury, who came near breaking down at the coronation show. When they met in the confessor's chapel after the ceremony the king would not allow the high church official to rise, and anxiously inquired as to his condition. Thereat the king gets plaudits from his demonstrative subjects. King and hero worship is the most pitiable weakness of humanity.

It is a shameful state of affairs in the Pennsylvania coal mining district where the state is maintaining twelve hundred soldiers at the behest of mineowners, while wives and children of miners beg scraps of food from the military mess tables. These big corporations are too willing to invoke the aid of the military branch of the government in dealing with their employees. And the authorities seem just as willing to send rifles and cartridges on the least demand.

Commissioner of Pensions Ware is likely to become as unpopular as any of his predecessors. Just now he is wrestling with the Spanish war pension problem, and is reported as having expressed surprise that there were four times as many applicants for pensions from the volunteers as from the regulars. He cannot understand how the Michigan and District of Columbia volunteers who went through the same campaign with the regulars should have been so much more injured. It is a case of pensions. Nothing else.

The presence of Senator Mitchell in Oregon is an excitant for Republican politicians who are concerned in the election of a colleague to succeed Senator Simon. Governor Geer had his name put on the official ballot by petition and will claim the plum. He is not likely to get it. There is not a little reason for the way Oregon Republican politics has been shaped for months past for believing that the Oregonian editor, H W Scott, will succeed to Senator Simon's seat in the national millionaire club at Washington.

President Roosevelt has the courage of his convictions. He will call a special session of congress early in November to consider the Cuban reciprocity treaty. There is trouble ahead for those senators who are owned by the sugar trust. And it seems a sad case of political ingratitude that a president who owes his election in no small degree to sugar trust election contributions and influence should seek to rend those millionaire friends. McKinley, the real beneficiary, probably would have steered around the delicate question. President Roosevelt is not bound by the same sugary considerations as his running mate on the ticket and can do justice. The equim is now up to the sugary senators.

The civil war pension roll has established a new high-water mark. On July 1 last there were 999,446 pensioners, an increase of 7,927 since 1899.

It is thought that Washington's wheat crop will equal the great crop of last year—twenty-one million bushels. Talk about gold mines! Eastern Washington's deep soil not only brings gold to its possessors but feeds hungry millions.

Although money running well up to the twenty million mark was spent in building the city hall of New York City, it is proposed to expend a quarter of a million in making alterations. It is the old experience—the hindsight better than foresight.

The new German liner Kaiser Wilhelm de Sweite, just launched at Stettin, is seven hundred and seven feet long. Look along Willamette street from the First National Bank to the Odd Fellow's temple and you have about the length of the new ocean monster.

The paper on which this is printed was made from a balm log. And ten million feet of such logs have just passed Independence, down on the Willamette River, round for the Oregon City paper mills where they will be ground into pulp, then rolled out into paper such as this.

Wonders never cease. There is one branch of manufacture in the country being conducted without a trust—the wallpaper business. It will be remedied. The manufacturers are to get together, which means that the public will pay increased prices for the inside covering of the walls of their homes.

Land Commissioner Binger Hermann, visiting Oregon from the national capital, says that it is not hot here—that a person feels like wearing an overcoat after coming to the Pacific Coast from the torrid eastern climate. With the thermometer ninety-seven in Washington—as it was here a few days ago—he says people have to gasp for breath and that the nights are almost as hot as the days.

An organization which is rolling up towards the fifty thousand mark, is that of the Servant Girls Union. It has a footing in a number of the large Eastern cities, and bids fair, in a great measure, to solve "the servant girl problem." Its fundamental principle is "pay by the hour." Many housekeepers differ as to its results, but the consensus of opinion is that it will tend to cooperative housekeeping.

A student assistant of the University of California has found the skeleton of an arctotherium simum, imbedded in a Shasta county limestone cave. Notwithstanding the jawbreaking name the bones belonged to the primeval bear the first of the species to roam the continent. He lived many, many centuries ago, so long that geologists are not particular about a few hundred or thousand years in fixing his period. As with other primeval animals he was a giant of his kind.

Coal storage is working a revolution in the salmon handling business. This year the value of the Columbia River cold storage output approximates one and a quarter million dollars, nearly as much as the canned product. Cold storage has made a market for salmon in this country, while before the introduction of the system the market was almost entirely foreign. The New York or Chicago citizen now finds the great delicacy in his market as fresh as when it was taken from the cold waters of the mighty Columbia. This is an age of great scientific discoveries, and, though not much in public mind, cold storage is not one of the least by any means.

Married.

On Monday evening, August 11, 1902, at the residence of Mrs Dorris in Albany by Rev W P White, Edward E Heath, of Linn county, and Miss Ora Dorris, of Marion county. They have the best wishes of many friends in Linn and Lane counties.

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CAPITAL BEHIND BOHEMIALEDGES.

Stock of the Three Merged Companies Going—Deepening Tunnels.

Portland Telegram: The announcement that three promising mining properties of the Bohemia district have been merged into one, and that the owners are prepared to spend \$500,000 on development work, places the mining interests of that district on a solid financial basis. The Helena, Musick and Callpools mines are all known as good properties, as considerable work has been done on them within the past five years; still the greatest depth reached by shaft or tunnel does not exceed 500 feet. With the aid of New York and Boston capital, this depth will be increased to 2500 feet within the next two years, and nothing further will be needed to prove their immense value. The stock of the merged company, the Oregon Securities Company, has already advanced considerably over that of the individual properties of which it is composed.

Oregon quarries mine develop slowly, owing perhaps, to the fact that very little has been done in the matter of advertising this as a mining state. If the Bohemia properties were situated in Utah, Montana or Colorado, Eastern capital would be tumbling over itself to get in on the ground floor. Inconspicuously it is often looked upon as a test of value in sizing up a promising mine.

The mines of Bohemia have been long recognized as good ore producers, and hundreds of thousands of dollars have been taken out in quiet way, but it is only since mining men from the East have become interested there that the world has been given an inkling as to their true capacity. It has required hard and constant effort to interest capital in these prospects, but now that their development is secured, the investors realize their wisdom in putting money into the last ledges, which will return it many fold in the year to come.

A Great Mine.

The big Sterling placer mine is still running, two plants being operated, says a Southern Oregon paper. A force of 25 men is employed. The water has begun to run low and hydraulic mining will probably be suspended within about a week for the clean-up. Operations at the mine have been continuing night and day during the season, with a good supply of water. The annual clean-up of the Sterling amounts to many thousands of dollars, and there is gravel in sight to last for many years.

A strip of conglomerate about 20 feet wide next to the red rock, parallel with the old channel and near the center, requires blasting before the monitors are turned on it. After a cannonade of dynamite cartridges on this cement bed, the big streams of water do the remainder of the work effectively. Mr Ankeny has been at the mine some time superintending the work in person. He is a delegate to the International Mining Congress to be held at Butte, Mont, in September, and has expressed the opinion that he will likely attend. Some of the miners over there are active in preparing petitions for the land office against the flings of timber men, but they appear to be at some disadvantage in saving the district to the mining industry, all of which, under a fair interpretation of the law is mineral land.

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C C Harlan, of Eaton, O, can do so now, though for years he couldn't because he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicines failed to help him till he tried Electric Bitters which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a sedative to suffering from dyspepsia and stomach trouble. Untried for diseases of the stomach, liver and kidneys, they build up and give new life to the whole system. Try them. Only 50c Guaranteed by W L DeLano.

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DEATH OF GEORGE HUMPHREY

Expired from Heart Disease at Fall Creek Wednesday Night.

George Humphrey, of the Fall Creek neighborhood, was found dead in his bed Thursday morning, he having expired of heart disease sometime during the night.

Funeral services were held today with interment in Lowell cemetery. Rev Gettings, pastor of the M E church, Springfield, conducted the services.

Deceased was aged about 60 years and had resided with his family on a farm one-half mile north of Big Fall creek bridge for the past 25 years. He was a well known and highly respected citizen. His family, consisting of the wife and ten children, still survive him. At the time of his death Mrs Humphrey and four children were in Eugene visiting.

Unity Items.

SPECIAL TO THE TRADE. FALL CREEK, Aug 14 - Moorehouse & Drury are moving supplies to their logging camp on Winberry, where they will put in 3,000,000 feet of logs for the Booth-Kelly-Co's Springfield mill.

Dr Atwood was summoned to A Metheny's logging camp to administer medical aid to a Metheny's little daughter who proved to have pneumonia fever. The child has had a long spell of whooping cough and the doctor thinks she is in bad shape.

K C Edwards visited Eugene on business this week.

Messrs Hales and Preston, of Eugene, were in this vicinity Sunday. They have purchased 100 acres of timber land here.

The stereopticon moving picture show here last week by A F Edwards was a success. He shows at Jasper Friday night and at Thurston Saturday night.

Rev Gettings, of Springfield, was visiting with friends in this locality last week.

Mr and Mrs R I Edwards, of Trent, were visiting relatives at this place over Sunday.

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W. C. T. U. State Convention.

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Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned Amanda Strong, has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of S H Fisher, deceased, by the county court and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to said administratrix at the law office of L Blyden in Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. Dated this 5th day of July 1902. AMANDA STRONG, Administratrix. J. BLISS, Attorney.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN.

Notice under this head not to exceed two lines, 50 cents per week; \$1.50 a month; \$12 per year.

For Sale.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—147 acres on the Military road 26 miles from Eugene, 6 miles from Lowell, on the Willamette river. 70 acres bottom land; 12 acres clear; the rest hill with some timber. There is a good house with four rooms, smoke house and barn. I will sell or trade at a bargain. Call on me at Mrs H E Gardner's on First street between Jefferson and Madison, or address T F Good Eugene, Oregon.

FOR SALE.—One good horse power portable engine with wood saw attachment; one turning lathe; one band saw; one table saw, at a bargain. Enquire of H E Walker Springfield, Ore.

FOR SALE.—A hop press, a hop sprayer and a furnace for sale. Enquire at GUARD office.

FOR SALE.—Town lots for sale at Blue River City. Sawmills in a few hundred yards of town site. Apply to S C Sparks, Blue River City, Or.

FOR SALE.—160 acres with large house and barn; 80 timber; 50 acres bottom land; 12 acres cleared and sowed small orchard; good outside range for about 100 head of cattle. Price \$1000. Address W B Scott, Jasper, Or. Also 160 acres saw timber, price \$800.

FOR SALE.—A good grain, hay and stock farm of 216 acres for sale, 1 mile from store, postoffice, school and church, 4 1/2 miles from railroad station, good buildings, well watered, level and good location, 130 acres plowed and part sown to wheat on reasonable terms. A snap for the purchaser. Can be reached from Goshen bystage. Call on C S Richardson Pleasant Hill, or C A Parker, 452 Jefferson street, Eugene, Oregon.

For Rent.

TO RENT.—Stock and fruit ranch, 440 acres, 50 acres in cultivation, 10 acres in orchard, one mile and a half from Walthersville. Call on or address E M Bowerman, Walthersville, Oregon.

Miscellaneous.

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