

OREGON NEWS NOTES

One Million Bushels of Wheat for Wasco.

ENGLISH WALNUTS IN OREGON

Commissioner Hermann Declares That Tule Lake is a Swamp.

Linn county's assessment amounts in the aggregate to \$7,500,000.

The receipts of the Oregon City land office for the month of September were \$500.

Tillamook's county assessment roll books up over \$1,000,000. The county court has reduced the assessed valuation on timber land.

Mr. Byers, whose flouring mills burned down at Pendleton some time ago, is receiving propositions from other places in the state to rebuild.

There are in the insane asylum 961 male patients and 335 female. The cost of running the institution during the month of September was \$4,814.97.

The store of J. S. Boas of Forest Grove was burglarized the morning of the 9th. The burglar broke the window pane, reached his hand in and took a watch valued at \$15.

Wasco county will have 1,000,000 bushels of wheat for market this year and if the farmers get 75 cents per bushel there is \$750,000 to be distributed among them.

John Clark and Son of Portland shipped 400 pack saddles to Alaska last week. These saddles will be used on horses to carry goods over the trail to Yukon. This was a large order to be filled on a short notice.

The contract has been awarded for a new school building to be erected in Academy Park, The Dalles. Brown and Kocher were awarded the contract for the foundation at \$331.20 and Sylvester and French for the building at \$11,765.

On Thursday, the 7th, the body of a man was found floating in the river about three miles below Hood river, and the indications are that a foul murder has been committed somewhere, but as what time or in what place no one knows.

Commissioner Hermann of the land office has decided that Tule Lake is not a lake at all but swamp land. Sufficient evidence was produced to show that at different times during the winter season the swamp was not covered with water, and that stock could live on the ground all through a severe winter.

Stop that Cough! Take warning. It may lead to consumption. A 25c bottle of Shiloh's Cure may save your life. Sold by The National Drug Store.

J. T. Jones, a prosperous farmer near McMinnville has demonstrated the practicability of raising English walnuts on his farm. About fifteen years ago he planted a number of walnuts from which he has nine trees that produce a good crop every year. Mr. Jones is of the opinion that the high, dry soil of Oregon will produce good walnuts.

Mrs. Mary E. Wigle of Medford who was burned very badly the morning of the 8th of October while she was getting breakfast for the family, died at a late hour that night after several hours of intense suffering. Her remains were shipped to Harrisburg the next night where they will be interred beside those of her three children.

Considerable comment is being indulged in by the growers and buyers of hops as to when is the best time to sell. While most of the growers are holding for 15 cents, there is danger of holding too long. California and some parts of the East have good crops and buyers are likely to be supplied from these sources and for this reason it will stand Oregon producers in hand to look out.

A large school of salmon was observed coming up into the river last Saturday. The school was at least a mile long, and could be traced by the fish bounding into the air as is their custom. When the forerunners of the school had reached a point opposite the wharf the line of fish extended a half mile beyond the bar. The fisher boys caught 316 salmon in their driftnet Sunday night.—Bandon Recorder.

The First National Bank of Corvallis made a hard fight before the commissioners court for a reduction of the assessment of the bank stock. The stock was assessed by the assessor at \$75 per share but the bank claimed that such an assessment was enormous and unjust. The court ordered a reduction of \$10 per share which makes the stock stand at \$65 per share. R. W. Woodcock advised that the reduction be made to \$41.60.

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NEWS OF THE WORLD

Forest Fires Rage Near Huntington, Ind.

\$175,000,000 FOR KANSAS FARMERS

Japan Visited by a Severe Typhoon, Which Totally Destroys 386 Houses.

It is said that Honolulu has a woman 122 years old.

Out of 500,000 women in the city of Constantinople only 50,000 of them can read and write.

It is reported that there are at least 1500 Mormon elders doing missionary work in various parts of the world.

The October term of the United States supreme court will begin the 11th of the month and will consist of 400 cases.

The Spanish government has contracted with a cattle man in Texas to ship 10,000 head of cattle to Cuba each month for several months.

A Central Illinois suffered a great deal the first week of this month from excessive hot and dry weather. It was hotter at this time than it had been for years in October.

Forest fires are raging near Huntington, Indiana. The timber and meadows are so dry that the fires burn with great rapidity and cover a large space in a short time.

The State Woman's Suffrage Association which met in San Francisco last week, contained delegates from all parts of the state, who were enthusiastic in their belief of woman's suffrage.

There are a number of cases of diphtheria reported in Vancouver in the past three weeks and two or three deaths. The officials were very careful to enforce strict quarantine measures and thus checked the spread of the disease.

A severe typhoon swept over Japan October 3rd, which was the greatest for many years. At Tokyo 376 houses were totally destroyed and 7709 partly damaged. In some places a few were killed, others crippled and many rendered homeless.

The Globe Democrat says: "Nine years ago the world's production of cane sugar was larger than that of beef, but for 1897 the estimate is 4,775,000 tons of beef sugar and 2,432,000 tons of cane sugar. It will pay the people of the United States to secure their share of this great industry."

J. R. Burton of Abilene, Kansas, who came within one vote of being elected United States senator in 1894, is author of a book saying that Kansas will store away \$175,000,000 as the result of good crops and better prices. Mr. Burton thinks this the best year that Kansas has had in nineteen.

An American who has just returned from Guatemala gives an account of the few privileges accorded Americans in that country under the rule of the Dictator Barrios. Minister Cox's attention is called to the outrages but he will pay no attention for he does not wish to offend the officials. Such a man is wholly unfit to represent a decent government, if the charges preferred against him are true.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Browne of Washington revoked the certificate of W. H. Stillman of Pierce county for a violation of the rule forbidding the use of tobacco on the school premises. In the order revoking the certificate, the superintendent says: "The use of tobacco by the teacher, who is required to teach the effects it has upon the system, is so utterly inconsistent that this office will promptly enforce the rules of the state board of education whenever convinced of their violation."

Attorney General McKenna denies that the government had entered into an agreement or understanding with the reorganization committee by which they were to have the road at \$45,000,000 or any other sum. He said the property would be sold to the highest bidder and any one, regardless of nationality would have the right to buy. English syndicates are writing letters of inquiry relative to the road and it is more than probable that bids will be made from abroad.

The people of Sacramento are becoming very much interested in the prospect of having a beet sugar factory. Samples of beets have been sent to the experimental station at the state university, from which good reports come. The beet is a native of the island of Sicily, and the company invest \$1,500,000 in a factory, and also to spend \$1,000,000 annually in the manufacture of sugar. President Oxnard of the sugar factory at China, says that the soil around Sacramento is well adapted to be sugar beet and that the beets grown here would command a good price.

It is proposed by secretary Long to include in his annual report a recommendation that congress authorize him to secure a government powder factory to depend upon private contractors for the supply of any character. The secretary laid the matter before the cabinet October 5. It is estimated that \$75,000 will be ample to erect the necessary buildings and machinery. During a conference between secretary Long and the general electric company's stated they would like the battle-ship Illinois and Virginia with an electric system for using torpedoes for \$100,000 each over the price which the department had fixed for supplying the vessels with hydraulic power. The Union Iron Works announced that it would be willing to make a change from hydraulic power.

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Washington Letter.

A PAIR OF OLD SOCKS.

There are holes in the heels that are gaping and the toes have departed long since. It is true, while the knees are a curious mixture of darning.

At every conceivable texture and hue. At best they are only a pair of old socks. Bearing the tatters of days that are dead.

Just a pair of yarn stockings my grandmother knit. Striped gaily with ribbons of white and red.

With her little white cap tied under her chin. And the snowy apron smoothed over her

She would sit all day by the chimney fire. And gossip and knit, and knit and nap. And always her knitting would be the same. A pair of stockings, white and red.

For no other work was quite as good. And that's what grandmother always said.

Years have passed and the wooden chair is vacant now by the chimney place. Where time has changed the old stock.

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WHOSE HEART AFFLICTION ALTERS.

By Henry C. Murphy.

SHE knew that the moment had been reached when a life into which the sunshine of happiness had seldom entered.

But she also knew, and the thought came to her now with a bitter pang, that the blessedness of soul should have been the most unhappy of all that life.

She sat in the softly-falling twilight and gazed listlessly out over the narrow sward of green that separated the house from the street. She paid no heed to the stars twinkling in the sky, nor to the moon rising in the east.

Some of the things that she had seen, at first, but later more respectfully, for the yearning beauty of her great brown eyes melted away in sympathy and seemed to droop when it was not excited.

Masses of black, lowering clouds crowded the zenith, and though the sun still held imperious revel and shot out dazzling messengers of ruddy yellow, the earth shook from time to time with the portentous crash of heavy rain.

Still she heeded nothing, but continued to sit, thinking, thinking heavily and wearily of the time that she longed for now with a passionate hope that might never be realized.

She had done wrong, her conscience told her, and she smiled sadly through her latticed fingers at the thought that even in the midst of perfect happiness the consciousness of doing wrong had occurred to her. But her heart had said, she remembered, that she was not content.

That contentment had been a thing of the past, and she had grown misty brightened with the thought.

In the battle between conscience and heart the conqueror seldom wins the day without first suffering dreadful loss. This bit of philosophy, she remembered, applied to her.

The heart within her breast had won the first engagement, and conscience lay bleeding in sorrow at defeat. But the woman was strong and the odds were heavy, and in the final rally conscience was triumphant.

She had bade him go, and the lips that uttered the words were firm, although her heart was nigh on to bursting. She was strong to the last, and she would not even let him touch her hand.

She remembered that he had asked her to take him to the last time, but she had turned and walked away without even looking back.

Her mind traveled over the long twelve months that had separated them. She had asked him never to see her again, and he had obeyed. It had cost her dear to say the words that had parted him, but the world had said that the blow had been more terrible for him.

Weak she would not call him, though others did, and yet even clearly showed that he had wrecked himself—some for love of her.

Even her husband had said it, and he had laughed at the man who could grovel at a woman's feet. Now the eyes took on a dangerous light, and she clenched her fingers nervously, while her bosom heaved tremulously and her breath came in gasps.

The rain had begun to fall. Heavy drops crashed upon the window ledge and fell upon her hair and face. The artillery of the heavens played now with unceasing vigor and ominous flashes lit up the troubled sky.

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A CHILD'S LONG JOURNEY.

Travels from Finland to Alaska Unable to Speak English.

Traveling from Finland to Alaska without speaking a word that anyone understood, without a single traveling companion, or without meeting a person who knew him from one end of the journey to the other, is no small undertaking, but it has just been completed by an eight-year-old boy, says the Seattle Times. Magnus Nessler left a pleasant home in far-away Finland on June 3 to join his father and mother who were working at Douglas City. He made his long journey across the great pond in the steerage of one of the big steamers. Here he was not so lonely, as there were other Finlanders on the boat who talked the language he could understand. At New York there was no delay, owing to a carefully-written shipping card which had been sewed securely on the back of his coat before he started on the long journey. This did away with the necessity of talking as far as his getting through without delay was concerned. His ticket had been purchased to cover the entire distance, and the card directed him to Circle City hotel, at Juneau. He reached Seattle in time to make good connections with the Alaska boat, and was forwarded to Douglas. His friends, his father and mother have not seen him since he was a baby, over seven years ago, when they left Finland to come to the United States.

Magnus is a well-built boy, with hair and eyes characteristic of his race. He is exceptionally bright, and has already picked up some English. He made friends with everybody on the steamer with whom he came in contact, although he could only talk to them by signs.

"GIVE ME ANOTHER GOURDFUL." Last heard words of a King Who Had Been Drunk Fifteen Years.

In other lands there are drinks far beyond ours in strength and strangeness, says the Chicago Times-Herald. There is the Russian vodka, for instance. A gill of it poured down the throat of a person who had been drinking for a long time, would be like a bomb exploding in the stomach. The vodka is a potent stimulant, and it is the common receptacle. Fresh water is poured upon this delectable mixture and it is allowed to ferment. The South Sea Islanders prepare the ava root in the same way. Paul du Chailly once found a powerful drunkard in the person of the king of Olenga-Yombi. When he was an infant his father would take him to the top of a small tree and force him to drink palm wine, until he came to prefer it to his mother's milk. It was the ingenious parent's ambition to make him the champion boxer of equatorial Africa, and he succeeded. The king of Olenga-Yombi in du Chailly's time had been solidly drunk for 15 years, and when last heard from was calling loudly for another gourdful.

PENSION VOTED TO A HORSE. Oregon Fire Commissioners Retired a Faithful Equine Servant.

The board of fire commissioners has decided that the big bay horse Jerry, which has faithfully served the city in the fire department for 17 years, and is now 25 years of age, shall be given his time for the remainder of his days and be a pensioner on the city, says the Portland Oregonian. This horse and his mate were purchased by the city in the days of the volunteer fire department, to draw ladder truck No. 1, and several years they did their work, which is now considered a pretty heavy job for the three horses attached to the truck. When the paid department was organized Jerry became a member of it, and has discharged his duties faithfully ever since. He is now entitled to be considered "aged," having served longer than the usual span of life allotted to horses, and the commissioners do not feel inclined to sell him for a trifle to some one who will perhaps starve and abuse him, and render the remainder of his life uncomfortable, so they have decided that he is to have free hay and oats at the expense of the city as long as he lives.

The White House. The steady growth of the nation has rendered necessary a great expansion of the capitol at Washington, but nothing has been done to increase the size of the white house, says the Washington Post. The latter remains as it was when first occupied by President John Adams, at the beginning of the present century. Its narrow quarters have caused a vast amount of embarrassment to its tenants from time to time. For example, when the prince of Wales was here the enormous difficulty was found in making room for him and a