

## OREGON NEWS NOTES.

97,332 Bushels of Grain for Lane County.

PETER HOLLO, A HERMIT IN LANE

Citizens of Lafayette Petition Secretary Alger Regarding the Yamhill Lock and Dam.

The first snow of the season for Union, Or., fell the 5th, a depth of two inches.

The President has appointed Charles E. Fall to be postmaster at Pendleton, Oregon.

A team of University boys of Eugene, played a match game of football with the Chemawa Indians not long ago. The white boys of course won the game.

The new Hardanger co-operative association, organized to engage in agricultural and manufacturing enterprises, filed articles of incorporation with the Secretary of state last week. Capital stock \$50,000.

The heavy movement of grain and other products over the Oregon Central and Eastern railroad has made it necessary to put on a third train to ply between Yacovina and San Francisco.

Seventeen counties are represented by pupils in the state deaf mute school, as follows: Baker, 1; Crook, 1; Clackamas, 1; Douglas, 1; Jackson, 4; Lane, 2; Linn, 4; Marion, 6; Morrow, 1; Multnomah, 8; Polk, 2; Tillamook, 4; Umatilla, 4; Union, 3; Wasco, 1; Wallowa, 2; Yamhill, 1; total, 49—21 girls and 28 boys.

There were 97,332 bushels of grain threshed in Lane county this year. When the time comes that Lane county can have an outlet to market in the way of a railroad that does not want the world as freight charges, then the above figures will only express a small portion of the grain that county is able to produce.

Representative Tongue has named Leo Schellberg, of Sublimity, Marion county, as an alternate for examination for the vacant judgeship at West Point. Schellberg will have a chance to try for the place if Rocky Hodgkin, of Salem, should fail in the preliminary examination.

Mortgages to the extent of \$36,458 have been released in the Washington county recorder's office during the month of October. New mortgages to the extent of \$17,429 have been filed, making a credit toward debt-extinguishing of \$9,029. This shows that the good price of wheat has done some good for Washington county farmers.

Ladies, Take the Best. If you are troubled with Constipation, Sallow Skin, and a Tired Feeling, take Karl's Clover Tea. It is pleasant to take. Sold by National Drug Store.

The Salem people have been circulating a petition for signatures asking the Oregon delegation in congress to use their utmost endeavor to have carried forward the government improvement at Yacovina bay. The petition has hundreds of names to it and will have the proper influence upon the delegation but whether the delegation can exert the influence with congress is the question.

The Children's Home of Portland will ask the city for a thanksgiving donation this year. This institution feeds, clothes, educates and makes happy all the children taken under its care and protection. The expenses every year exceed the income, and hence appeals are made to the people of Portland who feel like donating.

Frank Bunting had a very narrow escape while loading a revolver last Sunday. He had just cleaned the weapon and filled the cylinder with cartridges, and in closing the gun it was in some manner discharged, the bullet passing through the fleshy part of his left hand, making a very painful wound.

Daily dressed the wound and Frank is getting along all right, but it is said his first thought was what would his best girl think about it. They say that after it was all over, and the boys were remarking what a narrow escape he had, Frank turned pale and fainted. While this may not be the fact, Frank thinks it was no joke.—Lane County Examiner.

The Portland Telegram says: Judge Lionel R. Webster has returned from a trip into the interior of Eastern Oregon. Law business called him to the classic valleys of Harney, where he spent several days, and the judge tells his friends that Burns is one of the liveliest towns for its size, lying off the railroad, that can be found in a long, route stage trip. Business is lively at the interior points, and the cattlemen are doing well. Mr. Webster went through the Cracker Creek mines on his trip out from Baker over the "pumper valley" air line" railroad. He says mining operations are rushing and the people are happy.

Cure that Cough with Shiloh's Cure. The Best Cough Cure. Relieves Cough promptly. One million bottles sold last year. 40 doses for 25 cents. Sold by National Drug Store.

The citizens of Lafayette have petitioned Secretary of War Alger, regarding the Yamhill lock and dam as follows: The undersigned citizens, residing at and in the vicinity of Lafayette, Yamhill county, Oregon, and who previously signed a request that the location for the construction of the lock and dam in the Yamhill river be changed, beg leave to say, that, on further consideration, we

## NEWS OF THE WORLD

Sheep Burned to Death in

RICHARD FOLSOM CLEVELAND

Shasta County, Cal., to Have a Large Water Ditch Carrying 85,000 Inches.

The Knights of Labor have had considerable wrangling at their assembly meeting at Louisville, Kentucky.

Three thousand sheep were burned to death in Crosby county, Texas, a short time ago by a prairie fire. The damage was extensive to ranchers.

The yellow fever continues on the decrease, and the board of health is elated over the prospects of an early termination of the scare. The health board's work of reduction is to a minimum, but there is an abundance of work for those retained. The business situation continues to brighten. Six new cases were reported the 9th, and four deaths.

General Fitzhugh Lee, United States consul at Havana, has returned to his post at that place. He had a conference with the president before leaving for Havana and he received instructions from the president to look out for the lives of American citizens and the commercial interests of the United States.

The Princeton collegians were greatly disappointed when it became known the other day that Grover Cleveland's son is to be named Richard Folsom Cleveland.

They had given the young man the name of Grover Cleveland, Jr., on the day of his birth, and hoped it would stick to him. The name decided upon is given in honor of Mrs. Cleveland's father.

J. M. Thirteenth of Grosbeck, Tex., says that when he has a spell of indigestion, and feels bad and sluggish he takes two of De Witt's Little Early Risers at night and he is all right in the morning. Many thousands of others do the same thing. Do you? W. F. Kremer.

The Herald says that more than 55,000 persons will directly or indirectly draw pay from the city in the first administration of the Mayor of greater New York. The salaries of 33,000 of these will be about \$3,000,000. The mayor of greater New York, will be second only to the President of the United States in the matter of official patronage.

Alfred H. Brooks, 78 years of age, who was for 32 years the head of the United States internal revenue department at New York city, died at his home in Ashbury Park, N. J., of cancer of the tongue brought on by poison administered to him in an illicit distillery upon which he made a raid in New York three years ago.

A dispatch to the New York Herald from Havana says: Correspondence just received from the Herald's correspondent in Puerto Principe states that an open mutiny of Spanish soldiers occurred there recently. The mutiny developed into a conflict in the streets between the commanding officers and the soldiers who were armed with rifles and they could get no pay.

Grove's Tasteless Chili Tonic is a perfect Malarial Liver Tonic and Blood purifier. Removes Bismuth without purging. As pleasant as Lemon Syrup. It is as large as any other tonic and retails for 50c. To get the genuine ask for Grove's.

A farmer's institute was held in Auburn, Cal., on November 12 and 13. The subjects discussed were fertilization of land, spraying, foreign markets for dried fruits, diversified farming, grafting and remedies for the peach and codlin moth. Among the speakers were Professor Joppa, and Professor Fowler of the State University and Hon. J. A. Filcher, manager of the State Board of Trade.

B. C. Hall, representing men of capital, has filed in the office of the county recorder, of Shasta county, Cal., a water right to 85,000 inches of the water of the McCloud river. To carry this immense amount of water will require a flume thirty feet wide and twenty-five feet deep, one electric, and a mechanical station to be installed on Pitt river and from this point, power and lights will be transmitted to various mines and towns in the surrounding country. Reddin, will take advantage of this and supplant his right and water system with a new and better one.

Shiloh's Consumption Cure cures where others fail. It is the leading cough cure, and no home should be without it. Pleasant to take and gives relief to the throat. Sold by The National Drug Store.

The wheat crop of the United States for this year of 1897 is estimated at 500,000,000 bushels, one of the largest crops on record, and, fortunately for the farmer, the European demand has raised the price, and is sending the golden grain eastward at an unprecedented rate, says Harper's Weekly. Over 200,000,000 bushels will be demanded by the Old World and the shipment of this enormous bulk is taxing the capacity of the railroads and graincarrying vessels on the lakes, of canal-boats and ocean steamers to the utmost.

It is believed at Wallace, Idaho, that Daniel Lamont, vice president of the Northern Pacific, will, within two months, succeed President Hill at the head of the Great Northern system. The belief is based on the tone of a message which passed between Lamont and Hill when the former was there recently. The telegraphic correspondence was of such a nature as to indicate that Lamont's trip was to acquaint himself with the condition of the road to prepare himself for the broader duties upon which he was about to enter.

Pers has taken steps to secure whatever advantage may be reaped under the reciprocal clause of the new tariff act. The minister from that country, Dr. Enguener, with his secretary of legation, called at the department of state the other day and broached the subject to Secretary Sherman, and to Assistant Secretary Day. Mr. Kasson who is specially charged with the conduct of negotiations touching reciprocity, was called into consultation, and, in a short time, the initiative steps had been taken

to formulate a basis of agreement between the United States and Peru upon a reciprocity agreement. A large amount of work is involved in the negotiations, and it is necessary to go over the tariff that it may be some time yet before the matter is brought to the point of agreement.

The Union Pacific reorganization committee has arranged with the treasury department for a transfer to it of the bonds in the sinking fund, and the cash payment thereon of the 22d of the present month. These bonds, which were purchased at their face value by the committee at the time of the sale of the road amount to \$13,945,250, and this amount in cash, which will be covered into the treasury, will increase the available cash balance to approximately \$215,500,000.

The available balance in the treasury today, exclusive of gold, was \$50,001,861.

There is no need of little children being tormented by scald heads, eczema and skin eruptions. De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve gives instant relief and cures permanently.—W. F. Kremer.

The president, the 11th, appointed Charles Page Bryan, of Illinois, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to China. Bryan is about 42 years old. He has been a member of the legislature for three terms. He was educated in Europe, and is a fluent linguist. Minister Denby, who is succeeded by this appointment, has held this position since the beginning of Cleveland's first term.

Harrison appointed Mr. Blair, of New Hampshire, to succeed Denby, but he was objectionable to the Chinese government, and Denby was left undisturbed.

A remonstrance against allowing Chinese coal miners to be imported into the state for the purpose of mining coal at Wilmington and other towns in place of the striking miners, will be placed before Governor Tanner in the name of the United Mineworkers of Illinois. The governor will also be asked to co-operate with the secretary of the miners' federation in keeping out the coolie labor. State Secretary Ryan, of the miners' federation, states that if the Chinese are imported and set to work in the northern coal fields, bloodshed will surely result. If Governor Tanner refuses to interfere, Secretary Ryan says the matter will be referred to President McKinley.

J. C. Berry, one of the known citizens of Spencer, Mo., testifies that he cured himself of the worst kind of piles by using a few boxes of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. He had been troubled with piles for over thirty years and had used many different kinds of so-called cures; but De Witt's was the one that did the work and he will verify this statement if any one wishes to write him. W. F. Kremer.

The report that a native officer and 35 Sikhs, belonging to the kurram column, has been intercepted by the tribesmen in a ravine and slaughtered, is officially confirmed. It appears that they were assisting in a reconnaissance upon the Kurram river. Taking a short cut down hill they came to a ravine, where the grass of the jungle was burning. The flames spread so rapidly as to completely cut off their retreat and the tribesmen, seeing their predicament, swarmed on the higher ground, hurled round rocks upon them and closed around the men until the whole 36 were shot or cut down.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stains linen, it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent desire to urinate or pain in the back is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

There is constant knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmor's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills every wish in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases.

If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents a bottle. You may have a sample bottle and pamphlet both sent free by mail. Mention the name of your country and send your address to Dr. Kilmor & Co., Birmingham, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

"Our doctor is a thief, I'm sure," said little Jim to Jack.

"He took my pulse and temperature And didn't give 'em back."

"No worse nor ours," Jack replied, scowling disapprobation.

"I think that's why our baby died; He took her respiration."

DANIEL MYERS, OF PENNSYLVANIA, A Living Object Lesson for Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.

Heart disease is curable. "For over forty years," writes Daniel Myers of Easton, Pa., on Aug. 15, 1896, "I suffered from heart disease. First a slight palpitation, gradually growing worse. Then shortness of breath, sleeplessness, smothering sensations and much pain in the region of the heart alarmed me and I consulted a physician. Receiving no benefit I tried others and a number of remedies, spending a large amount of money, but finally came to the conclusion that it was useless for me to leave my home. I commenced using Dr. Miles' Heart Cure two years ago.

For eighteen months I have been well. Although 72 years of age I can go where I wish and I sleep all night and wake up as cheerful as a babe and completely rested."

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure is sold by all druggists under a positive guarantee, first bottle free. Send for free booklet. Address, Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

THE DRUNKARD'S LAMENT.

(According to the Michigan Christian Advocate, the following poem was written by the late Richard Lyle, "one of the brightest members of the New Orleans Bar, and it is the pathetic story of his own ruined life.")

I have been to the funeral of all my hopes And entombed them one by one. Not a word was said, When the mournful task was done.

Slowly and sadly I turned me round And sought my silent room, And there alone, By my cold hearthstone, I wept the midnight gloom.

And, as the night-wind's deepening shade Lowered above my brow, I wept o'er the days When manhood's rays were bright.

The dying embers of the hearth Gave out their flickering light, As if to say, Thy life shall close in night.

I wept aloud, in anguish sore, O'er the bright prospects fair, While demons laughed And eagerly quaffed My tears like nectar rare.

Through hell's red hell an echo rang, An echo loud and long, As in the bowl I plunged my soul In the night of madness strong.

And there, within that sparkling glass, I knew the cause to lie, This all men own, From zone to zone, Yet millions drink and die.

A. O. C. W. Fundamentals.

Some of the brethren opposed to the classified plan advance very strange "reasons" for their position. The entire gamut is run on the alleged fact that the old level system was "fraternal" while the classified plan is not fraternal.

The A. O. U. W. embodies two very distinct ideas. The first of these is fraternity, fellowship, brotherhood. This fraternity is to find expression in times of need, special occasions, when sickness or other untoward circumstances overtake a member so that without friendly assistance he would be left at a critical time in a helpless condition. The exercise of fraternity does not mean that one shall furnish another with a living, or any pecuniary assistance whatever, but only that as far as one can he will assist a brother in sickness, speak a good word for him to obtain work if out of employment or do any other kindly act to relieve a brother from any such temporary misfortune may have imposed on a fellow member. It is not contemplated either in the A. O. U. W., or in any other order, that fraternal demands of "fraternity" that one brother pay all or any part of the dues or other pecuniary obligations of a brother in good health, able to work and therefore presumably able to meet all his own financial obligations to the lodge.

The second idea embodied in the A. O. U. W. is protection to the family of a deceased brother in exact accord with the provision the brother while living made. We recognize this contract obligation in many ways: the fact that we must be under certain ages, that we must have good health, that to obtain the benefits we must pay beneficiary assessments, that the benefit is in proportion to the scale of payments, all show that we enter into what is termed a contract. The essence of a contract is that each party to it shall give something of value for his interest in it, and that the something valuable must be in some definite proportion to benefits to be received from the contract. Now, it would be manifestly folly for the family of a fraternal member at his death to lay claim to the beneficiary features of the order because of "fraternity." Yet foolish as the contention is, there are some members, whose reputation would grant common sense, disprove the reputation their friends would give them by confounding the fraternal features of the Order with its contractual business features.

The level assessment is not more fraternal than the classified assessment in itself. Indeed, if we heed facts it is not so fraternal, for there is a large element of injustice in the level assessment which the classified plan seeks to eliminate. We are not of those who think that in order, for a contract or bargain to be beneficial to one party it must necessarily be detrimental to the other contracting party. And the A. O. U. W., in providing insurance, has never contracted with any brother, be he young or old, that he should be advantaged at the expense of any other or all other members of the Order; but rather all its purpose has been to make a contract that would be mutually profitable; that profits shall be in proportion to risk and amount involved.

Because in the course of thirty years the Order has learned something about insurance, and wisely seeks to embody in law and practice what it has learned, indicates wisdom.

It is a matter of congratulation that the A. O. U. W. of this jurisdiction has had the wisdom to see the evil of the level assessment before its evil effects could greatly imperil its usefulness, and seeing the evil that it has adopted a plan which, safeguarding all provides that each shall bear due proportion of the burden, thus showing at once thorough business sagacity and the true fraternal spirit.—Oregon Reporter.

To Cure A Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25 cents.

Nature and Man.

Nature never withdraws her favors, her music, her joyousness, and her sun light, from before human cruelty or suffering. She overwhelms man by the contrast between divine beauty and social hideousness. She spares him nothing of her lovelessness, neither bitterly nor bird. In the midst of murder, vengeance, barbarism, he must feel himself watched by holy things; he cannot escape the awful reproaches of universal nature and the implacable serenity of the sky.

The deformity of human laws is forced to exhibit itself naked amid the dazzling rays of eternal beauty. Man breaks and destroys, man lays waste, and kills; but the summer remains summer; the lily remains the lily, the star remains a star.—Great Thoughts.

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Good Work.

The establishment here of the Eugene Divinity school in connection with the University, is an event which marks for our state a mile stone in our educational progress. It is a move in the direction of abolishing denominational colleges of a low grade of work.

The Christian church has tried this same plan in Michigan and California where chairs have been endowed for the divinity work, under the very name of the state universities. In this way the theological students have been afforded by the sciences and classics, the laboratory of the university course, the laboratory of the sciences and general university life, while the university in turn profits by the presents of the divinity students.

This seems to be the highest ideal of denominational effort in education; the most happy and economical combination of secular and secular training. The support of numerous small denominational schools of a state gives no adequate education, and serves to dissipate the energy and capacity of all the institutions concerned.

If the capital, brains and effort required to run all the educational interests of Oregon, were centralized in perfecting the state educational policy, university, agricultural college, and morals a wonderful good would result.

Denominational education is right as proper when made co-operative with the broader culture of life, but it is not beneficial when made antagonistic to this culture.

The plan of the Christian church in establishing the divinity school here is a grand one, and deserves all the success which its splendid new home can give it. It manifests that true spirit of Christian liberality in thought and study which nowadays must characterize every successful movement, and shows a tendency to encourage modern ideas of progress in theological training.—Eugene Register.

Cold Weather Brings Catarrh.

Though the disagreeable effects of Catarrh are felt all the year round, cold and disagreeable weather aggravates the disease and it is during the winter season that its severest form is felt. Each succeeding year seems to intensify the attack, and it gradually fastens its hold upon the sufferer with a grasp that becomes firmer each season.

Catarrh often appears as only a cold at first, and is hardly noticed, but gradually the cold returns, and it is more difficult to cure, and stays longer than formerly. These symptoms can be mistaken for the first appearance of a disease that will develop into a severe and stubborn, and which it is impossible to cure with the local treatment of sprays, washes, and similar applications. Being a disease of the blood, only a blood remedy can have the slightest effect upon it. S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) is the only cure for Catarrh, because it is the only blood remedy which goes to the seat of all obstinate and deep-seated cases, and forces out the disease.

Mr. T. A. Williams, a leading merchant of Spartanburg, S. C., writes:

"For four years I had nasal catarrh, and though the case was a real one at first, it was not long until I noticed that it was gradually growing worse. Of course I was under treatment of first-class physicians, but their remedies were applied locally, and the disease seemed to get a firmer hold on me all the while.

"After spending so much money for treatment which proved to be all in vain, I was urged to try S. S. S. This remedy proved to be the right one, for it got at the disease, and a few bottles cured me perfectly. The cure was a permanent one, and I have not had a touch of the disease for many years. Swift's Specific is the only remedy that will have the slightest effect upon Catarrh."

Sufferers from Catarrh should get a start on the disease before the cold weather aggravates it. Those who have been relying upon local treatment will find winter weather is all that is needed to show that the disease is still with them. A course of S. S. S. (Swift's Specific) will prove all assertions made that it is the only cure for Catarrh; it goes to the cause of the trouble—the blood—and forces out all traces of the disease.

Swift's Specific is the only remedy which reaches real obstructions in blood diseases; it cures Catarrh, Rheumatism, Cancer, Contagious Blood Poison, Eczema, Scrofula, and in fact every other disease of the blood. It is guaranteed.

Purely Vegetable

and is the only blood remedy containing no opium, mercury or other mineral. Books mailed free to any address by the Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.

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Senator Walcott, since his return, has been very reticent regarding his trip abroad, and refuses to see members of the press. The commission, of which he is chairman, was appointed by the president, and will make a report to the executive, which will probably be transmitted to congress. This report will be accompanied by the correspondence which has been had with the governments which the Senator Walcott has made an informal statement to the president, stating why the commission failed.

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A Life Saved.

A FOND DAUGHTER WAS NIGH TO DEATH

Frank B. Trout Tells a Reporter of How His Daughter Life Was Saved. All Parents Should be Interested in This Narrative.

From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich.

Using as a nucleus for his investigation the rumor that the life of the daughter of Frank B. Trout, well known in Detroit, Mich., real estate circles, had been saved, reporter called on Mr. Trout at his office, 100 Grandview Avenue. Mr. Trout showed some hesitancy in giving his opinion for publication, but finally said: "I cannot tell you a father's love for his child forced me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, but not until the whole medical profession had exhausted their skill. At the age of fourteen we had to take our daughter from school owing to her health, and she was so weak that she would fall down in a faint every time she tried to get up. Before she could be taken to the hospital, but she continued to grow weaker and seemed to be gradually fading away."

"When she was fifteen she weighed only ninety pounds, and the doctors said it was a case of anæmia. Several physicians said she might help her, but we concluded ourselves, we must lose our child, as she was growing weaker every day."

"I had tried all the well-known remedies, and finally about a year ago I bought a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and took them. That day I knew they were the same as my daughter