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THURSDAY, AUGUST 20, 1903.

China, it is reported, has finally agreed to the "open door" policy for America and a written promise has been obtained from Prince Ching that Mukden and Ta Tung Tao shall be open ports after October 8.

Capt. Chas. D. Sigbee has been made rear admiral, receiving his promotion on the retirement of Admiral Remy. Sigbee was captain of the Maine when that vessel was blown up in Havana harbor.

Senator Cockrell of Missouri is now prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for the presidency on the democratic ticket. Champ Clark thinks he can poll every anti-republican vote and therefore prophesies his election if nominated.

The Panama canal treaty has been unanimously rejected by the Colombian congress. The reasons for the action of that body in this matter are not announced, but it is sufficient to put a damper on the Panama canal enterprise for a time at least.

Russia is seemingly determined to force her demands on Turkey and is sending a squadron to emphasize her wishes. Turkey is getting all her available troops in hand, ostensibly for use in Macedonia where the insurrection is now raging fiercely.

The Medford Enquirer announces that the issue of August 14, is its last. After 11 years of newspaper work the editor announces that he is not one cent better off than when he began and thinks it is time to enter some more remunerative occupation.

Elihu Root is said to be in line for the presidential nomination in 1908 and it is expected that his experience will have the support of Roosevelt. The harmonious collaboration of Roosevelt and Root is expected to be useful to the former also, as New York is said to be full of anti-Roosevelt republicans, whom Root might placate.

Carnivals which omit the confetti throwing will be more attractive to the decent public than those which permit it. This kind of carnival has long ago disappeared in Italy, and is not a desirable survival among a mixed assemblage that soon becomes lawless in its boisterous horseplay.

Low-bred ruffians always abuse the opportunity afforded by the absurd license of a carnival to make themselves grossly offensive to decent, quiet folks, and persons who go to a carnival with confetti throwing attached may expect to be insulted by fellows who think all the laws of social decency and good manners are silent at a "carnival."

It is said that this mark was made on a lot of young salmon turned out from the hatchery on the Wenatchee, one of the Washington tributaries of the Columbia. It will be of interest to fishermen to learn whether any of the marked fish ever win their way back to the hatchery.

They will find the journey up the river at this season and in their grown-up condition much more tiresome and apparently much longer than their trip down the sea. Some of the salmon lately caught were marked with letters apparently, one being a W, which is supposed to be the brand of F. K. Warren. Some of the fishermen have an idea that others are putting their brands on the young salmon when they are turned out, and that each one who does this will claim all the fish having his brand, as stockmen claim cattle, and that after a while the outsiders can have no salmon except the "markets" they may pick up.

There is but little probability that the fishermen will ever send out large enough herds or schools of salmon to overstock the "ranges" which extend under the whole Pacific ocean, but judging from the run of salmon this season, they may some day raise such schools that they will not be able to get into the mouth of the river. Old timers say that in early days the salmon were so plentiful in the Columbia that people walked across the river on the backs of them dry shod.

Wagon for Sale.
Three and a fourth-inch second hand wagon for sale cheap. W. L. Ireland at Cramer Bros. Hardware.

DID THEY WEAR?
If you do not get Shoes to suit you, try the Red Star Store.
Shoes that wear sold at Moderate Prices.
Red Star Store.

HAULING THE MACHINERY ENTERPRISE UNDER WAY
Equipment for Granite Hill Now in Transportation.
Galice Hydraulic Mining Co. in Lively Operation.

Several car loads of machinery, including hoists, air compressors, drills, engines and a mammoth 130 horse power boiler, arrived here this week for the American Gold Fields Co., to be used in the equipment of the Granite Hill mine. The work of transporting the machinery to the mine has begun. In accessibility, the Granite Hill has a marked advantage over the most of the mines of Southern Oregon as it is reached by wagon road. The transportation, therefore, is not so stupendous an undertaking as it is in many cases, though it means a hard and heavy haul at the best. The company has been steadily developing the property all the season and have opened up an ore body of great extent and carrying high values.

Physicians and Druggists.
Ford & Sturgeon, a prominent drug firm at Rocky Hill Station, Ky., writes: "We were requested by Dr. G. B. Snigley to send for Herbine for the benefit of our customers. We ordered three dozen in December, and we are glad to say, Herbine has given such great satisfaction that we have duplicated this order three times, and today we gave our salesman another order. We beg to say Dr. G. B. Snigley takes pleasure in recommending Herbine." See bottle at Slover's Drug Store.

Welch's Closing-out sale.
It is reported that the Alameda people are making all necessary arrangements to erect a 50-ton smelter on their property in this county near Grants Pass. There has been 300 feet of development done, in the form of tunneling and a large body of ore opened up. The values are not high, averaging across 107 feet of ledge, \$1 in gold, silver and copper. The character of the ore is such that it is nearly self-fluxing, making a desirable smelting proposition. Gold can be obtained as cheaply, laid down at Grants Pass, as at Salt Lake City. This coke would in all probability come from British Columbia.

CLEARANCE SALE
Of all Summer Goods
Consisting of
Dress Goods
Shirt Waists
Crash Skirts
Lace Gloves
Children's Straw Hats
Parasols
And several other broken lines and odd lots
TENTS AND WAGON COVERS FOR SALE OR RENT
E. C. DIXON, SHOES AND FURNISHING GOODS.

AN ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE UNCONSCIOUS TEN DAYS
John Waters of Placer Shoots Himself But Lives.
Byron Burns Is Improving and Will Recover.

John Waters, a well known resident of Placer, and who has many acquaintances in this city, attempted suicide on Thursday by shooting himself with a revolver, at Placer. The bullet took effect in the lower part of the ribs, passing through the left side of the body and lodged against the skin of the back. He evidently intended to shoot himself through the heart but his aim was miscalculated and the bullet took effect low to be immediately fatal. At last accounts it was thought that he had a good chance for recovery.

Pleasant Birthday Party
A pleasant party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Veinay this week on the occasion of their daughter Beth's sixth birthday. A number of the young friends of Miss Beth were present and enjoyed the occasion to the utmost. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake, some made candy and nuts were served and a number of handsome presents were received by Miss Beth. Miss Ida Williams and Mrs. Thos. Clemens assisted in the serving.

Keen Competition.
There will be keen competition between the different counties of this state, making county exhibits at the state fair this fall. There will be no less than eight counties competing for the different prizes, which will make the greatest show of agricultural products ever seen in this state. Most of these exhibits will be taken to St. Louis in 1904 to advertise Oregon's resources, and we predict that Oregon will have the finest display she has ever made at any exposition.

SIX FOOT VEIN OF ORE
Steady Increase in Size and Quality at Lucky Cuss.
Late developments at the "Lucky Cuss," the Applegate quartz property which is being developed by W. T. Cope and others are extremely gratifying to the parties interested. The tunnel has been driven a distance of 280 feet, giving a vertical depth of 150 feet. At that point a large ore body is exposed. The quartz vein is about six feet wide, while the distance between walls is 15 feet. The ledge matter outside the main quartz vein is filled with at-wax and bunches of quartz, indicating that the whole body will come into quartz at a little greater depth. During the whole progress of the tunnel since first striking the vein, there has been steady increase with the depth attained, both in the dimensions of the ore body and in the quality of the ore. The values are very steady and ran from \$8 to \$24 to the ton.

This ledge has been worked at the surface with good results. On attempting to tap it at a lower depth, the tunnel failed to penetrate the ledge. When the present management took hold of the property, a cross cut was made from the tunnel, the ledge was found and the tunnel was run on the vein to its present terminus. The "Lucky Cuss" is situated on Maple gulch, a tributary of the Applegate coming in from the south side a short distance below Provoit. One of the beauties of the property is its easy accessibility and the situation is a model one for ease and facility in handling the ore. Development will be resumed in a short time and the property will be systematically shown up and prospected. If its excellent appearance continues, as there is every reason to suppose it will, a mill will soon be installed and the property will be listed among the substantial producers of the county.

CHANGING THE RAILROAD
S. P. Operations in the Lower Willamette.
Southern Pacific engineers working along Oregon City are expected to locate a better route for the main line of that company to reach the upper plateau of the Willamette Valley from Portland. It is likely before their work is completed that the existing route will have succeeded in getting away from the crooked and unsatisfactory 25 miles of track on the main line of the system between Willburg and Canby, or New Era. The number of curves on this portion of the line has frequently been declared to be unsatisfactory, but it has been impossible for the company to get away from them without relinquishing that portion of its line. This work is now in progress.

Whether the Southern Pacific main line will be carried across the Willamette River at or near Oswego is a question that has not been officially determined, but it is one of the possibilities. If the company can locate a better route to the South by this survey, it will undoubtedly be adopted, for the present line is certain to be improved.—Oregonian.

Kubli Items.
Mrs. J. T. Cook is at present suffering from the Agos.
Miss Minnie Woodbridge was a visitor to Jacksonville Sunday.

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Grants Pass Opera House...
ONE NIGHT ONLY
FRIDAY, August 21st, 1903.
The Great Comedian
JOHN THOMPSON
In His Grand Musical Comedy and Vaudeville Entertainment
Around the World In 80 Minutes.

EVERYTHING IN THE SHOW IS FUNNY. ALL THE CHARACTERS ARE FUNNY. ALL THE SONGS ARE FUNNY. ALL THE JOKES ARE NEW AND FUNNY. EVEN THE MUSIC IS FUNNY.

Wilderville Notes.
Mrs. C. F. Lovelace is in Grants Pass this week under the doctor's care.

Boy Cured of Colic After Physician's Treatment Had Failed.
My boy when four years old was taken with colic and cramps in his stomach. I sent for the doctor and he injected morphine, but the child kept getting worse. I then gave him half a teaspoonful of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and in half an hour he was sleeping and soon recovered.—F. L. Wilkins, Shell Lake, Wis. Mr. Wilkins is book keeper for the Shell Lake Lumber Co. For sale by all druggists.

HOMEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.
Masonic Temple, Room 9.
Office hours: GRANTS PASS, 11 to 12 A. M. 2 to 4 P. M. OREGON.

Chas. McCann and wife, Arthur Erickson and mother and Miss Emma McCann started for Crescent City Saturday for a few days outing.

Watch for a Chill.
However slight at this time of the year and in this climate, it is the forerunner of malarial disposition to yawn, and an all tired out feeling even comes before the chill. Herbine, by its prompt stimulative action on the liver, drives the malarial germs out of the system, purifies the blood tones up the system and restores health. See at Slover's Drug Store.

CLEMENS
Tanglefoot Fly Paper, Sure Kill Fly Paper, "Vampire" Spiral Fly Catcher.

CLEMENS
Orange Front, opposite Opera House Sells Drugs.

Welch's closing out sale is the place to buy.

HAVE YOU BEEN "FLINGHED"
THE ACME OF PARLOR GAMES. GOOD FOR SOCIALS AND PARTIES.

More Fun than a box of monkeys.
50c

Slover Drug Co.
Front Street.

Field and Garden Seed in Bulk.
White and Yellow Field Corn, Sugar Corn, Pop Corn, Alfalfa, Timothy, Red and White Clover.

J. M. CHILES, FRONT and FOURTH STS.
Grants Pass Pharmacy & National Drug Store

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.
This signature, E. W. Sloan

Dysentery Cured Without the Aid of a Doctor.
"I am just up from a hard spell of the flux" (dysentery) says Mr. T. A. Pinner, a well known merchant of Diamond, Tenn. "I used one bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was cured without having a doctor. I consider it the best cholera medicine in the world." There is no need of employing a doctor when this remedy is used, for no doctor can prescribe a better medicine for bowel complaint in any form either for children or adults. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by all druggists.

CLASSIFIED ADS.
FOR SALE.
FARM FOR SALE—two miles from Grants Pass, 100 acres, 50 cleared, 10 in orchard, fair buildings, good bottom land, 25 acres in cultivation, small house and barn and about 30 acres under fence, balance of land suitable for orchard or pasture. For further particulars address W. M. Crow, Medford, Ore.

360 acre fruit and stock ranch, 8 1/2 miles from Grants Pass, 100 fenced, 50 cleared, 10 in orchard, fair buildings, good bottom land, 25 acres in cultivation, small house and barn and about 30 acres under fence, balance of land suitable for orchard or pasture. For further particulars address W. M. Crow, Medford, Ore.

200 ACRE ranch, good prairie and apple orchard, small fruits in abundance; water for irrigation, besides springs on every 40 acres; center of a good range country; two dwelling houses, big barn, every thing complete; well sheltered from frosts, good mining markets, one-half mile north of Tunnel 9, price \$2,500. Inquire at this office.

Going Camping?
You will need a stove—the kind with asbestos lining and cast iron top is the best. I have them at surprisingly low prices, also the sheet iron stoves.

Tents in all weights and all sizes at less than elsewhere.
I have a big stock of new and second-hand goods—everything you can think of. Let me show you.
IKE M. DAVIS, Sixth Street.

A. U. Bannard
Furniture and Housefurnishing Goods.

It would surprise you to see the extent and variety of the stock and the moderate prices at which they are sold. It would be an actual loss if you buy such goods without examining at the big store on north side of track, opposite the Western Hotel. Come and see.

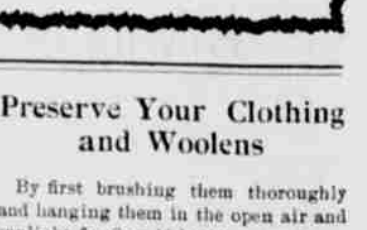
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FREE

WITH EVERY DOLLAR'S WORTH OF FISHING TACKLE
ONE FISHING POLE

—AT—
Paddock's Bicycle Den

Preserve Your Clothing and Woolens
By first brushing them thoroughly and hanging them in the open air and sunlight for 8 or 10 hours, wrap them tightly in tar paper with some of our reliable moth proof preparation, and if kept in a tight drawer, chest or closet, moths cannot and will not injure them. We carry a full line of tar and tarine paper, camphor balls, cedar, camphor, etc.



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