

Gov. Whiteaker has entirely lost the use of speech from paralysis.

Dewey came too late for president. The machine in both parties is set and locked against him.

The difficulty experienced by the yachtmen justifies the protests during the recent hurricane, against having all the wind used at once.

Farmers in the Wallamet valley are tired of feeding and protecting game birds, to be shot by dude hunters on the very first day of an open season.

The Iowa platform is loud on the subject of the gold standard, though some think it became a back number when the trust issue forced itself to the front.

Some of our contemporaries squeal because Multnomah has squirmed out of paying \$75,000 of the state taxes. The last assembly put up this job on us unthinkers.

An Indian chief just dead in Dakota left six wives and 123 children and grandchildren. To speak of the fading out of the American Indian is an extravagant use of poetic license.

The registry law which goes into effect in Oregon next January is another evidence of the looseness of the late assembly. Under the provisions of the law at least 100 voters in Sherman county will be disfranchised.

Gridley, Cal., people aim to keep people honest if they have to kill them. Last week a distracted jockey there was prevented from throwing a race by being covered by two or three pistols in the hands of backers of his horse.

In a few days Chairman Hanna will call the Republican National Committee together in Washington for the purpose of issuing an address to the public, locating the next convention, and fixing the basis of representation therein.

The transvaal war will hasten the credit blizzard in England. All Europe has an overstrained credit now, and is financed on the transvaal output of gold and every commercial report dwells upon the importance of maintaining the present supply.

The Overland for October is a bigger magazine than many of its contemporaries, and more up to date. Its contents are not hidden away from its readers by a superfluous volume of advertising sheets, and its topics are timely and ably handled.

Congressman Moody has been notified that no order will be issued at present countermanding the privilege enjoyed by the permits to sheepmen for grazing in the reservation. Stockmen will now have the support of the Portland chamber of commerce. This is better late than never. They might have had it long ago. Many a good thing is lost by not asking for it.

It has been our opinion, from the first day we arrived here, that Moro; always a splendid business point; would never lose her position in the race for trade if we all pull together. Our commercial interests are growing, and though the hand of a clique may attempt to stem the progress of our city, it will pull through all right if we just keep on pushing.

Clean in character, industrious in habit, studious in manner and proclaiming himself a man among men, Benjamin Harrison is a citizen of whom the United States feel proud. The example set by his appearance as a practicing attorney before the Venezuelan arbitration commission in Paris must be a revelation to the people of Europe, from several points of view. In our land it is the man, not the family, that counts, and manly principle and integrity go for more than polluted princely blood.

Deafness Cannot be Cured. By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness and that is by constitutional remedies—deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the eustachian tube. When this tube gets inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever—nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give one hundred dollars for any case of deafness, caused by catarrh, that cannot be cured by Hall's catarrh cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

WHO'S 'SQUIRMING AROUND'?

The Oregonian accuses The Observer with "squirring around a matter of which it appears to know very little."

Replying to our comments last week concerning the notorious Daly bill—now the 'law,' which will compel parents of school children to pay out a large sum, unnecessarily, next year for school books. We quoted the contradictions of The Oregonian on the subject last week—now it charges upon us with the bludgeon: You Lie!

October 13th, The Oregonian admitted, after denying, that the law does make the change in the manner and means of selecting the books. October 15th it says The Observer persists in its attempt to misstate the facts, and that The Observer quotes The Oregonian "as saying what it never said," in order that it (The Observer), "may seem to make a point."

We omit the vileness of The Oregonian in its malignity, and drop the subject after once more referring to what it did say, October 15th, proving that its accusation of You Lie! directed against us is a false one. This is what The Oregonian of October 13th said:

"The Daly law does change the method of selecting" the books, "and there is every reason to expect that the change will greatly benefit the people."

Who's 'Squirring Around?' The people will learn next year who it is that the change will greatly benefit.

Smokeless Firing Tested.

The Rock Island Road Adopts the Device Which is Tested on The Colorado Flyer, with Pleasant Results.

The Rock Island railroad has established a precedent in the west by equipping their engines with smoke consumers, which entirely do away with the heavy volume of black smoke which is so disagreeable to passengers. This experiment has been thoroughly tested during the past few months on their Colorado Flyer, and has proved to be such a success that the Rock Island has adopted it over its entire system, and as soon as possible all of their engines will be equipped with this new device. This smokeless firing, as it is properly called, will be valuable to both the patron and the road. To the patron it does away with the black, sooty smoke and cinders, thus adding much to the pleasure of traveling, and to the road it is a saving in fuel as well as making the appearance and equipment of the train up to date. The good results from this new equipment are unlimited and everything is favorable and for the best interests of all.

To make smokeless firing a success two things are necessary. The equipment of the engine with the proper apparatus necessary to consume the hydrocarbons, thrown off from the coal, and secondly the thorough training of engineer and fireman in the manner of firing, and the best methods of proceeding at all times in order to obtain the desired results. The manner of equipment is briefly as follows: In the fire box of the engine is built a hollow brick arch. Below this and about a foot above the grate are bored four holes in the sides of the fire box. In each of these holes is inserted a Sharps' patent deflecting air tube connecting with the hollow arch. Through these tubes the outside air is drawn in, and after being heated is allowed to mix with the uncombusted gases or hydrocarbons. By this mixing the gases are transferred into a perfect state of combustion, and in this state they are consumed and thoroughly disposed of, thus preventing them from being forced out into the air as is the case today on nearly every railroad in the United States. Assistant General Manager W. L. Allen and Supt. of Motive Power G. T. Wilson, of the Rock Island, express themselves as more than pleased with the results of this new move on the part of the road.

The largest and most selected stock of Candies and Nuts in the county is kept at Holder's Confectionery Store. When in need of anything give him a call. Farmers, stockmen, passengers, travelers, all stop at The New Moro Hotel, Moro, Or. New building, newly furnished throughout, post-office in the same building. Best place to stop at in the Waiting Empire. Rates, \$1.00 and \$2.00 per day.

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Does the Baby Thrive

If not, something must be wrong with its food. If the mother's milk doesn't nourish it, she needs SCOTT'S EMULSION. It supplies the elements of fat required for the baby. If baby is not nourished by its artificial food, then it requires

Scott's Emulsion Half a teaspoonful three or four times a day in its bottle will have the desired effect. It seems to have a magical effect upon babies and children. A fifty-cent bottle will prove the truth of our statements.

Should be taken in summer as well as winter. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

ELECTIONS NEXT MONTH.

The political schedule for November, 1899, embraces just an even dozen state campaigns. Of these, Ohio is premier, by reason of the interest that attaches to her as the presidential state, and because the result there will in a material degree forecast the national contest in 1900. According to the Oregonian the Ohio republicans are pretty badly scared.

In Kentucky there are five tickets in the field. Republican, populist, prohibition, Goebel democratic and Brown democratic, for governor, legislature and state officers. In other states officers to be chosen are:

Iowa—Governor, state officers and legislature. Maryland—Governor and both houses of the legislature. Massachusetts—Governor, state officers and both houses of the legislature.

Mississippi—Governor state officers and legislature. Nebraska—Justices of the Supreme court and two members of the board of regents of the state university.

New Jersey—Eight state senators and sixty members of the assembly. New York—Two justices of the Supreme court in the 1st judicial district, one justice in the 5th district, three justices in the 8th district and 150 members of the general assembly.

Pennsylvania—State treasurer, two judges of the Supreme court and one judge of the Superior court. Virginia—Secretary of state, treasurer and minor state officers and legislature.

Grand Ball, October 27th.

A grand ball will be given in the Moro Opera house ball Friday evening Oct. 27th. Music by French Bros famous orchestra, B. F. Swift floor manager. Tickets \$1.00, supper at Brooks restaurant. Reception committee: A. H. Barnum, Moro; Lloyd Smith, Rutledge; Roy Vintin, Grass Valley. The managers want to make this the best party of the season.

Double Train Service to San Francisco.

Commencing October 15th the Southern Pacific Co. inaugurated a Daylight Express, leaving Portland at 8:30 A. M., and reaching San Francisco at 7:45 next evening—only one night out. Both Standard Pullmans and Tourist Sleepers will be attached. This new train is in addition to the present 7:00 P. M. Siesta Overland and will give many passengers the desired opportunity to see en route the Great Willamette, Umpqua and Sacramento valleys without loss of time, and still arrive in Oakland and San Francisco at a seasonable hour.

Local Pointers.

F. H. Meader & Co carry Lucky Strike tobacco.

Ask your grocer for Clark & Falks Pure Concentrated Flavoring Extracts.

Dressed Chickens Saturdays at Sam McDonalds Main street Farmers Market.

You will find a Kicker at the P. O. Cigar Store. Best 6c cigar in the county.

The Post Office Store has a fine, large new stock of Stationery, Notions, etc. Best cigars in the city.

If you want a loan on your farm for a long time at a low rate of interest apply to T. A. Hudson, the Dalles, Oregon.

If you want a piano or organ write to Jacobsen Book and Music company, The Dalles, Oregon, for prices and catalogues.

Trimming silks for ladies dresses for sale by Miss Pearl Dean.

Advertise in the Observer and Prosperity will hunt you up. Stencils to order at The Observer office. Mark your wheat sacks.

Spots before the eyes, dizziness, constant worry. Hudyan cures. All druggists, 50 cents.

Clark & Falks' Flavoring Extracts are the best, for they are the purest. To prevent baldness and cure dandruff use Clark & Falks' genuine Hair Tonic.

See Dufur Roller Mills Co.'s proposition on flour, in the 2d page adv.

Clark & Falk's Sure Cure for boils never fails. Ask your druggist for it. Miss Pearl Dean has a fine assortment, best quality gents' ties for sale.

Ample accommodations, sample room, table, for commercial travelers, at New Moro Hotel.

Severe nervous spells, bearing down pains, loss of appetite, Hudyan cures. All druggists, 50 cents.

The Oxygenator King is an instrument sold for self use. It makes you master of disease. You may thus get well as easy as you get sick. It is for the treatment and cure of all disease without medicine or electricity, with the oxygen of the air. It is to enable mankind to utilize one of the most remarkable and beneficial laws that an all-wise creator has put in operation. A law which is universally active the world around. This instrument causes the body to absorb oxygen from the air through the pores of the skin and membranes, which purifies enriches and vitalizes the blood and destroys the germs of disease. It applies to the youngest child or oldest person. The principle upon which it works is such that they could not work at all or do anything in one case that would not apply to all diseases and every ill in the human body. Remember that the Oxygenator cures absolutely, all disease. No matter what your malady, it will bring relief, and in almost all cases entire cure. For further particulars, and instructions, call on or address J. M. Fillion, Moro, Oregon

Advertisement for Jones Cash Store. Text: 'If you have unlimited money... THE BUYER'S GUIDE TELLS ALL ABOUT IT... JONES CASH STORE 108 & 110 FRONT PORTLAND, OREGON'

Advertisement for Great Northern Furniture Store. Text: 'GREAT NORTHERN FURNITURE STORE THE LARGEST COMPLETE House Furnishing Establishment IN EASTERN OREGON WE CARRY EVERY THING IN STOCK TO FURNISH A HOUSE THROUGHOUT... Parlor Furniture... Dining room Furniture... Bedroom Furniture...'

Advertisement for The Pendleton Woolen Mills. Text: 'The Pendleton Woolen Mills Guarantee that no blanket bearing their name contains an ounce of shoddy or cotton and show goods supporting the statement that they manufacture the Best Blankets made in America... F. H. Meader & Co., Moro, Ore'

Advertisement for W. O. Hadley. Text: 'W. O. HADLEY THE - WESTERN - HOTEL - WASCO, OREGON, Chas Gollmer, Prop...'

Advertisement for Union Lumber Company. Text: 'Union Lumber Company WASCO .. OREGON L. CLARK, MANAGER Dealers in Builders Supplies. Lime, Lath and Cement. Lumber, Wood and Coal. Agent for the Studebaker Wagon'

Advertisement for Tip-Top Flour. Text: 'TIP - TOP FLOUR The simon pure SHERMAN COUNTY PRODUCT Buy it! Try it! Stick by it. North Pacific Flour Mills, Wasco... Look Here Farmers...'

Advertisement for Higginbotham Warehouse Co. Text: 'HIGINBOTHAM WAREHOUSE CO MORO, OREGON. Will be prepared for general warehouse business by August 1st 1909... Consignments Solicited...'

Advertisement for Farmers' Meat Market. Text: 'Farmers' Meat Market Moro, Oregon. Fresh and Cured Meats, Fruits and Vegetables... Dried and Canned Fruits Always on Hand...'

Advertisement for The Dalles Soda Works. Text: 'THE DALLES SODA WORKS WEAVER, NAGEL & CO., Prop. Second street, The Dalles Oregon... BOTTLED OF...'

Advertisement for R. M. Brash. Text: 'R. M. BRASH MORO, OREGON. HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTING... Paper Hanging a Specialty. Natural Wood Finisher. Graining Neatly Executed.'

Advertisement for Weed Destroyers. Text: 'WEED DESTROYERS! We have sold all our machines... YOU ARE TOO LATE...'

Advertisement for Anderson & Patison, Dufur, Or. Text: 'Anderson & Patison, Dufur, Or. SEE Gifford THE DALLES, OREGON. For Photographs, Columbia River Scenes Mountain Views and Frames.'

Advertisement for Red-Barn. Text: 'RED - BARN, MORO, OREGON, W. C. JOHNSTON - Proprietor. Higs to Let—Any sort of first class rig to let...'

Advertisement for Commercial Job Printing. Text: 'Commercial Job Printing! OF EVERY DESCRIPTION TO ORDER NEAT, QUICK, AND CHEAP! Rubber Stamps to Order at The Observer Office.'

Advertisement for Rufus Hotel. Text: 'RUFUS HOTEL R. C. WALLIS, Prop. RUFUS, SHERMAN CO., OR. First-class in every respect...'

Advertisement for The Dalles, Portland and Astoria Navigation Company. Text: 'THE DALLES, PORTLAND AND ASTORIA NAVIGATION COMPANY. Steamers Regulator and Dalles City...'

Advertisement for The Dalles Soda Works. Text: 'THE DALLES SODA WORKS WEAVER, NAGEL & CO., Prop. Second street, The Dalles Oregon... BOTTLED OF...'

Advertisement for Moro - Antelope Stage Line. Text: 'Moro - Antelope STAGE LINE POPULAR PASSENGER ROUTE...'

Advertisement for J. A. Howe. Text: 'J. A. HOWE, Proprietor MORO, OREGON. Columbia Southern...'

Advertisement for Railroad. Text: 'RAILWAY South Bound No. 1 North Bound No. 2... Through Tickets to Astoria and in Europe can now be purchased at the Moro office of the Columbia Southern Express Company.'