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SATURDAY, - -Sept. 27, 1879.


### General Grant Arrives in San Francisco.

The steamer "City of Tokio," with Gen. Grant and party on board, arrived in San Francisco on the 21st. As soon as the steamer was sighted, a reception committee consisting of Frank M. Pixley, ex-Senator Cole General Miller and P. B. Cornwall, repaired to the tug "Miller Griffith," lying with steam up at the Pacific Mail Dock, went out to escort the steamer to the dock. The wharves, and in fact the entire city in the vicinity of the landing, was a mass of human beings, eager to get a sight of, and greet their distinguished fellow citizen. The city was magnificently decorated, and the cheers of the populace and the thunder of cannon vied with each other in their demonstrations of spontaneous welcome. The General was met at the landing by the Mayor, Governor, and Executive Committee, and formal congratulations were passed and responded to. The procession passed with difficulty through the crowded streets to the Palace Hotel, where a triumphal arch had been formed, on which was inscribed: "Welcome to Grant." After entering the hotel, in response to repeated calls, the General came forward and said:

"Fellow citizens of San Francisco:—After twenty-five years absence I am glad to meet you and assure you of my cordial thanks for the kind welcome you have given me. I shall stay in your city long enough to greet you more fully."

The general will spend some time on the Coast, and probably visit Oregon.

### The Darien Ship Canal.

Capt. Eades is very enthusiastic over his plan for building a railroad to carry ships across the Isthmus. He says: I have demonstrated the feasibility of my plan, and I have the assurance of a number of capitalists that they are ready to furnish me with the necessary money to construct a ship-railway across the Isthmus of Darien whenever I am prepared to build it. Shipbuilders, men who are in the habit of taking vessels out upon dry-docks, are the most enthusiastic men I have met in favor of ship-railway. They say it is a thing that can be done, and that a ship can be safely supported on a cradle for transit without the least danger whatever. I am making all arrangements as rapidly as possible, and confidently hope to be able to transport the largest merchant-vessels fully loaded, from the Caribbean Sea to the Pacific Ocean within the next four years.

### Indian Difficulties in New Mexico.

Late Washington dispatches say the Indians are committing many outrages in Grant county, New Mexico. The regular troops stationed in that country are insufficient to protect the settlers. Lew Wallace, Territorial Governor, has asked for Federal permission to raise three or four companies of volunteers for field service, but the secretary of war has denied the request for want of authority, and has announced that he will concentrate the force required, at once.

### Interesting Relics.

It will be remembered by our readers that some time since a quantity of bees-wax was plowed up on Clatsop plains, supposed to have formed a part of the cargo of some vessel or vessels wrecked so long ago that the event is not recorded. It is now announced that Mr. C. A. McGuire has plowed up some coin, supposed to have been lost at the same time as the beeswax. It is said that such coin has been found before, and they are supposed to have belonged to the Jesuits of an early period.

The official count of the votes cast at the late Maine election, shows that the Republicans lack semething over 500 votes of having a majority over both Democrats and Greenbackers, and the election is therefore thrown into the legislature. As the Republicans have a large majority in the legislature the State will have a Republican administration.

A tie bound across the track wrecked an incoming train on the C. B. & Q. road near Quincy Ill. on the 6th. The baggage, postal and smoking cars left the track. The firemah A. S. Pease, was killed, and Jas. McMillen, the engineer, was badly hurt. The passengers were badly shaken up, but none were killed. The perpetrator of the outrage is unknown.

The South Africa cable has been completed between Natal and Mozambique. The section from Mozambique to Zanzibar will be finished before the 20th instant, which will place South Africa within nine days' communication with England.

A special to the *Pioneer Press* from Winnepeg says that advices from Wood Mountain report a fight between Indians, who closed the line after buffalo, and U. S. soldiers. Nine Indians were killed and three soldiers. Two chiefs were wounded.

A London dispatch of the 17th says; A new iron turret ram, the *Agamemnon*, carrying four 38-ton guns, and 8,492 tons burthen, with engines of 6,000 horse power, was successfully launched to-day.

Acting Commissioner Armstrong, of the general land office, has informed the U. S. surveyor general at Portland, Oregon, that no mines lying below highwater mark on the ocean beach can be disposed of under U. S. law.

A North Carolina paper states that two Mormons preaching in Cherokee county, made so many converts that sober-minded residents became alarmed. The preachers were soundly whipped and the converts were tickled with hickory twigs.

### Clearly in Error.

The *Argus* has, in several items, recently expressed the idea that the small tides in the bay, which have attracted the attention of the editor of that paper, were caused by the accumulation of sand at the entrance. This is a mistake, and one that might lead to an erroneous conclusion as to the difficulties to be encountered in the improvement of our harbor. The truth is, that there has never been a time when the accumulation of sand at the bar has been sufficient to have any effect on the height of the tide in the bay. The phenomenon of the irregularity of the tides, in size, as well as in time, is one that may be noticed at the cape, or at any point on the ocean beach as well as within the bay. Any person who has given attention to this subject will bear us out in the statement that this small difference between high and low water is often noticed in the bay when there has been no weather which could have caused an unusual movement of sands at the bar. One might be led to suppose, from the comments of the *Argus*, that we are liable to wake up some morning and find the tide shut out of the bay by a huge sand bar! It is to be regretted that such representations are made. The only effect of the shifting sands is to slightly shoal the channel at times, and to cause it gradually to change its course, but a few tides, with ordinary weather, always restore a good, navigable channel. In fact, for two years past, the channel has been almost uniformly good.

### Distinguished Visitors.

On Thursday morning it was announced by telegraph that Senator Slater and A. Noltner, editor of the Portland "Standard" were coming by stage over the Coos Bay road and would arrive that evening. Accordingly the steamer Juno was engaged to go to Coos City, carrying a large number of our citizens to meet the distinguisted visitors. The stage arrived at Coos City about 8 o'clock, and the party came down the slough to this place and passed the night. Yesterday morning, the Senator and Mr. Noltner, having been tendered the use of the tug "Escort" by Mr. Merchant, went down the bay and had a view of the bar and the surroundings of the proposed harbor improvement. In the afternoon the party returned on the "Juno" and proceeded to Newport, and thence by way of the Isthmus to the Coquille. From the Coquille country they will probably return to Roseburg.

We are pleased that our new Senator has shown himself willing, at the sacrifice of conscience, to visit this place and to satisfy himself, by personal examination, of the resources and wants of this part of the State. All that is required to secure the needed future appropriations to carry forward the plans already adopted by Congress for the encouragement of our commerce, is zealous and intelligent action by our Senators and Representative, and as Senator Slater has shown the right spirit, we shall expect much from his services.

### Extraordinary Discovery in Silver.

A Texas paper publishes a private letter from a citizen of Austin, now in Saltillo, Mexico, which states that new silver mines have been discovered 200 miles from Saltillo, Mexico. The lode is said to be fifty miles long and thirty feet wide, and of unknowu depth. The ore yields one half pure silver; about one half the ground in sight is pure silver. People are going from Saltillo day and night. There is no law in the new mining district, and any one who goes must take his life in his hand. The mines are situated in the desert called Sierra Mojada, which means wet mountain, but there is no water within fifty miles of the place. A party of gentlemen leave Austin to-morrow for Mexico, and will visit this most extraordinary find.

It is a grand sight to see the enormous amount of wheat continually being unloaded at the depot. Never before in our history has there been so much brought to town as this year. Last week it came in so fast that the railroad company could not carry it all away by 200 tons, says the Walla Walla "Statesman." They ship 441 tones to Wallula every day, They are doing all in their power to get rid of it, and we have but little doubt that they will be able to send it away in good time.

Geo. F. Cole, a young man, son of postmaster Geo. E. Cole of Portland died last Saturday night, from an over dose of morphine.

The *New Northwest* has entered upon its ninth volume. It is an able and fearless advocate of a good cause, and deserves to prosper.

It is stated that M. De Lesseps has abandoned the Darien ship canal project, owing to the want of encouragement from men of capital.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 17.—Frank H. Lersing, aged fifty years, suicided this morning. He poured coal oil over his clothes and set himself on fire. Smoke from the window attracted the attention of people on the street, who ran to the room in the second story, broke it open, and found the man burned to a crisp.

English gold is now coming to the United States in large sums.

75 cents per wagon load, is the price of watermelons in Kansas.

An advance in the price of breadstuffs in England is anticipated.

Lieut. Gov. Long, of Massachusetts has been nominated for governor of that State by the Republicans.

The grangers wool of Douglas county, brought 27¼ cents, which is more than was realized by any of the farmers who sold to local purchases.

W. H. Odell, of the Statesman, will be absent from Salem for a while, engaged in a surveying contract. His place as editor of the Statesman, will be filled by D. W. Craig, an experienced journalist.



### NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Sept. 9, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz: Aaron Cory, pre-emption declaratory statement No. 3691, for the W½ of SW¼ of sec. 3, and NW¼ of NW¼ sec. 10, in T 24, south of range 12 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: C. W. Fletcher, of Coos county, Oregon, and C. W. Sanford, of Coos county, Oregon.

Wm. F. Benjamin,
[37-5w Register.

### Notice of Final Proof.

U. S. Land Office,
Roseburg, Or., Aug. 9, 1879.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notic, viz: A. B. Camp, homestead application No. 2868, for the SW¼ of NE¼, NW¼ of SE¼, SE¼ of NW¼, and lot 2 sec. 6, T 25, S of R 11 west, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: S. B. Cathcart, of Coos Co., Or., and James Richmond of Coos Co. Or.

Wm. F. Benjamin,
Register.

### CITATION TO HEIRS.

*In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Curry:*

In the matter of the estate of Michael Fox, deceased: Citation:

To all the heirs if any there be and all other persons interested in said estate:

You are hereby notified that William Tichenor, administrator of said estate, has filed a petition in the above entitled court for an order to sell the real property of said deceased, to pay the debts and expenses of administration.

Therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the above entitled court, at the court house in Ellensburg in said Curry county, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and show cause, if any exist, why the property mentioned in said petition should not be sold, to-wit: The NW¼ of NE¼, NW¼ of SE¼, and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of sec. 8, township 35, south range 14 west, Will. Mer., and also all the right title and interest of the said Michael Fox, deceased, in and to a certain bond for a deed to the following described adjoining property, to-wit: Commencing at a point on the north line of sec. 8, in the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of said section in township 35, S R 14 W., at a point due north of a pine tree 10 inches in diameter, and marked W; thence south to the north bank of Euchre creek, thence easterly up said creek to the first bend; thence south to the south line of said 40 acre tract; thence west to the southwest corner of said 40; thence north to the northwest corner of said tract; thence east to the place of beginning.

And you will take notice that if you fail to appear and show cause as above required, an order will be made directing the administrator to sell said real property.

Published in the Coast Mail for four consecutive weeks, by order of Hon. Delos Woodruff, County Judge.

Walter Sutton,
County Clerk.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Curry county, Oregon, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1879, commanding me to collect the delinquent taxes from the several persons therein named, for the year 1878, by levy and sale of their property according to law, I have levied upon the following described real property assessed to Scott C. Nash, for the year 1878, to-wit: The southwest quarter of section twelve in township thirty two, (32) south of range thirteen (13) west, in Curry county, Oregon. And I will, on the

**25th day of October,** 1879,

At one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house door in Ellensburg, sell said property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the sum of $7.20 taxes assessed thereon to the said Scott C. Nash, for the said year 1878, together with the costs and expenses of making such sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

Dated at Ellensburg, Oregon, Sept. 9th, 1879. A. H. Moore,
Sheriff Curry county, Or.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Curry county, Oregon, on the 4th day of September, 1879, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to collect the delinquent taxes from the persons therein named, for unpaid taxes for the year 1878, I have levied upon the following described real property belonging to F. M. Tichenor, to-wit: The northwest quarter, section 7, and northwest quarter, section 18, township 32, south range 12 west, containing 320 acres and situated in the county of Curry and state of Oregon. And I will, on the

**25th day of October, 1879,**

At the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, at the court house door in Ellensburg, sell all the right title and interest of the said F. M. Tichenor to said property, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to satisfy the sum of $26.40 taxes assessed thereon in said year 1878, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, together with costs and expenses of making such sale.

Dated at Ellensburg, Oregon, Sept. 9th, 1879. A. H. Moore,
[38-4] Sheriff Curry county, Or.

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**25th day of October, A. D. 1879,**

at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house door in Ellensburg, sell said property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the sum of $7.20 taxes assessed thereon to said John B. Scott, for said year 1878, together with the costs and expenses of making such sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

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**25th day of October, 1878,**

At the court house door in Ellensburg sell such property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the sum of $7.20 taxes assessed thereon to the said C. P. Stevens for the said year 1878, together with the costs and expenses of making such sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

Dated at Ellensburg, Oregon, Sept. 9th, 1879. A. H. Moore,
Sheriff Curry county, Or.

### NOTICE.

Having lately bought the stock of drugs heretofore belonging to Dr. Harry Lane, I am now prepared to carefully compound and put up physician's prescriptions. The patronage of those having prescriptions to be filled, is respectfully solicited.

LOUIS F. MUNROE.

### SHERIFF'S SALE.

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**25th day of October,** 1879,

At one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house door in Ellensburg, sell said property, or all the right title and interest of the said Julia H. Tichenor thereto, or so much thereof as will satisfy the sum of $84.72 taxes due thereon for 1878, and accruing costs, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

Dated at Ellensburg, Oregon, Sept. 9th, 1879. A. H. Moore,
Sheriff of Curry county, Or.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of an execution issued out of the County Court of Curry county, Oregon, on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1879, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to collect the delinquent taxes from the several persons therein named, for the year A. D. 1878, by levy and sale of their property according to law, I have levied upon the following described real property assessed to John B. Scott, for said year 1878, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section eighteen, township thirty-two, (32) south of range twelve (12) west, in the county of Curry and State of Oregon. And I will, on the

**25th day of October, A. D. 1879,**

at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house door in Ellensburg, sell said property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the sum of $7.20 taxes assessed thereon to said John B. Scott, for said year 1878, together with the costs and expenses of making such sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

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**25th day of October, 1879,**

At the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the court house door in Ellensburg, sell said property, or so much thereof as will satisfy the sum of $7.20 taxes assessed thereon to the said Andrew A. Hall, for the said year 1878, together with the costs and expenses of making such sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand.

Dated at Ellensburg, Oregon, Sept. 9th, 1879. A. H. Moore,
[37-4] Sheriff Curry county, Or.

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court for Coos county, Oregon, in Probate.

In the matter of the estate of A. D. Laramer, deceased.

Whereas, An order has been duly made by the above entitled Court, directing the undersigned, administrator of the estate of A. D. Laramer, deceased, to sell the real estate belonging to said estate to-wit: Lot 6 in block 1, in the town of Sumner, in Coos county, Oregon, to satisfy the debts of said estate; therefore, notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of said order, I will, on MONDAY, THE 27TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1879, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Courthouse door in Empire City, offer said real estate for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

S. B. Sumwoon,
Administrator of said estate.
Dated September 1st, 1879.