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BY THE EDITOR

Hon. A. J. Johnson has received his commission as National Bank Examiner, and within a few weeks he will probably go to Washington and receive final instructions, after which he will immediately begin the duties of his office. The appointment of Mr. Johnson to this position would have been made months ago had he not had the opposition of Senator Simon, still this opposition did not stand in the way to any great extent as to the final result. This also calls to mind a dispatch which appeared in the Oregonian some months ago stating that the appointment was practically agreed upon but was "held up" at the request of Senator Simon. Mr. Johnson's application was in the hands of Senator McBride and Representative Tongue, and their labors in his behalf were sufficient to overcome the opposition of Senator Simon. Aside from this Mr. Johnson had the endorsement of almost all the banks in the district, and the department could hardly afford to turn him down for a man with much weaker backing and without the recommendation of the banking associations with whom he would be connected after his appointment. This is considered quite a victory by the friends of Mr. Johnson, and plainly shows the relative strength of Oregon's senators with the heads of the higher departments at Washington. Senator McBride's efforts in Mr. Johnsons behalf were unabating, and Senator Simon's opposition simply had weight enough to hold the matter up until a special commissioner could come out from Washington and personally investigate the matter, and he did not remain in Portland but one day, but this was long enough to convince himself of the relative strength of the two applicants and the men who were asking their appointment. Mr. Johnson is indeed to be congratulated upon the final results.

Mining in Oregon has long been, and still continues to be, a leading and permanent employment. It is a paying business, and there is no necessity of rushing off to new and perilous fields while good paying mines are right at our doors. The Oregonian very well says that mining operations in Southern Oregon have, in the main, settled down to a steady, solid basis, in which activity insures satisfactory returns at the end of the season. These mines have had their boom stages, following rich discoveries, in times past, but just now they are being worked on assured lines, while the "rush" tends toward Eastern Oregon and Alaska. There is, of course, much prospecting being done in the mountains and on the streams of the Southern Oregon gold-bearing section, but recent discoveries have been of minor value as compared with some of the strikes made within the year in Baker county. Mine owners and miners, however, who are working claims in the southern section of the state, are well satisfied with their properties and prospects—a satisfaction which no doubt the seasons output will amply justify.

That diversified farming is the one thing needful for the Willamette valley farmer, is becoming a well appreciated fact, and one that will most assuredly be acted upon in the future. The raising of wheat, as the one dependence—going to the market for butter and meat to use upon the farm—has passed its day, as the fact is recognized that there are better methods. While the Willamette valley will probably retain its reputation as a wheat producing country, unexcelled by any other, it will also demonstrate that it is equally adapted to the production of any of the other crops grown in the temperate zone, as well as being superior for grazing, dairying wool growing and cattle breeding, in fact for diversified farming in its fullest meaning.

Pendleton will have a Chinese voter at the June election by the name of Eng Chung, who was born in San Francisco. He is well educated and reads and writes the English language as well as the average American, and to hear him talk without seeing him, it would be impossible to say what his nationality was.

One section of the boundary between Texas and Louisiana is the middle of the Sabine river, but Texas has never bothered asserting her claim to any part of the stream until now, when she wants to gather in a man whom she has a chance to hang for killing another on a steamboat. She can't afford to miss a trick like that.

Owners of small orchards who let poultry run among the trees are usually troubled with fewer insects pests than usual. Hens are great scratchers. They help eradicate coddin moths. Sow grain near the trees as feed, turn it under and in scratching for the feed the hens get most of the moth grubs.

Ex-Governor Lord has certainly struck a hot proposition in South America says an exchange. In Buenos Ayres recently there were 219 cases of sunstroke, of which 134 were fatal. The mercury was 120 in the shade. Oregon is good enough for us.

Carnegie says he was joking when he told Frick that their joint profits for 1900 would be $42,000,000. Now that he is being sued on the basis of that estimate, he is probably willing to acknowledge that as a humorist he is rather an expensive failure.

TAILOR MADE SUITS

We have now got our spring samples—4 big books—containing over one thousand samples, and nary a two alike. Out of these you can surely get a choice, suit you both in price and material.

The great number of tailor made suits that we get every season is the surest advertisement as to how much better they are than COMMON READY MADE ones. Indeed you get 100 per cent more wear and 500 per cent more looks. There is no question about FIT our clothes have got to fit—and positively guaranteed to. With our 10 years of experience measuring for these suits, we know all about how to get neat fits, and have the clothes set properly etc. Don't be deluded with the notion, either, that "anybody" can measure and get good fits. That is impossible, and poor fits are little better than ban'-me-downs. Once you wear a tailor made suit, you will have no other ever after. For they look so neat and new, and feel so good on a fellow. And you can never appear like a real 20th century man without you have on one of our tailor made suits.

ROSS E. HIBLER.

Just Common People.

Dr. Hill, who was recently gallivanting around Washington with the big men of the country says that so far as clothes and looks go any one is good enough to go with U. S. senators and the president and his cabinet. The great Mark Hannah looks like a wool buyer who was getting ready to sack his own wool to save the expense. The doctor supposed that Hanna would of course forget him immediately but the next day he met the president and Hanna leaving the capitol together and Hanna cried out:

"Hello, Doctor."

Senator McCullom looks like a seedy Methodist preacher who has lost his job, and Senator Stewart, with his long white beard like a farmer who had come to town to to sell his chickens.

Twice Proven.

From the Vindicator, Rutherfordton, N. C.

The editor of the Vindicator has had occasion to test the efficacy of Chamberlain's Pain Balm twice with the most remarkable results in each case. First, with rheumatism in the shoulder from which he suffered excruciating pain for ten days which was relieved with two applications of Pain Balm, rubbing the parts afflicted and realizing instant benefit and entire relief in a very short time. Second, in rheumatism in thigh joint, almost prostrating him with severe pain, which was relieved by two applications, rubbing with the liniment on retiring at night, and getting up free from pain.—For sale by Peery & Peery.

Another Pioneer Gone

Noah Shanks died at St. John, Washington, March 14, 1900, aged 77 years, 5 months and 22 days. He was born in Tennessee, Sept. 22, 1822, moved to Ray county, Missouri with his parents when a boy, where he was married to Mary Riggs May 30, 1843. In 1851 he crossed the plains to Oregon, settling in Linn county, where he resided for many years in the vicinity of Crawfordsville. He moved to Post Falls Idaho, several years ago and from there to St. John, where he died. He was a member of the Christian church about 50 years. He served under Captain Blakely in the Rogue River war in 1856. His wife died at St. John January 2, 1890. Three sons and one daughter are still living.

Horse Meat For Sweden

A shipment of 70 tierces of pickled horse meat, containing 28,000 pounds, and valued at $1200, was sent East by rail on Saturday consigned to Gottenberg, Sweden. This meat is from horses which never felt the pressure of collar or saddle, but spent their lives running at large on the ranges of Eastern Oregon. It will be found by the consumers a much more superior article to the flesh of the worn-out horse killed for food in European cities. If beef keeps increasing in price here, without improving in quality, horse meat will stand a good chance of coming into vogue as food here. —Oregonian.

A New Hall

The Masonic lodge at Jefferson has just completed the erection of an excellent opera house and hall at a cost of $2000. The building is 33x100 feet, two stories high. The ground floor contains a splendid auditorium, 32x55 feet, comfortably seated, and a stage 18x32. On the the second floor has been arranged one of the most convenient and comfortable lodge rooms in the valley, provided with the necessary paraphernalia, property and anterooms and banquet hall, the whole fitted up in the very best manner possible. The entire building is ready for occupancy.

Beginning to Talk Sense.

The Albany Democrat is beginning to see that the people of Linn county do not want the Albany bridge, and thus advises the city of Albany to take care of it, as it is their duty to do:

"If the bridge were swept and a few new plank were placed in the decking it would be good for a couple of years use at least. The piling is good for several years yet. $100 would cover the temporay expense. The fact might as well be faced that the county will not take charge of the bridge except by mandate of the Supreme court, and it should be kept up in keeping with Albany's prospects at this time. These are days when we must go ahead and not backwards."

Probate Record

In estate of Elizabeth Smith inventory filed. Value of real estate $700.

Guardian appointed for C. C. Snyder.

In estate of R A Irvine inventory filed. Real property $18352, personal property $1177.65. Total $19538.65.

In estate of Jane Kees, bond of W. H. Goltra executor, for $75,000 approved. Ed Cusik C G Burkhart and P E Marshall appointed appraisers.

In case of N Southard, I E Richarson appointed administrator. Value of estate $4250.

Final account filed in estate of A V Oden.

Permission to sell personal property in estate of Grace Ann Davis granted.

The Big Saw Mill

The citizens committee which has in charge the $12,000 subsidy for the big saw mill enterprise of the Curtiss Lumber Company has about completed its labors. The amount is fully subscribed and the same will be guaranteed by 20 responsible citizens and turned over to the company. The citizens of Albany have thus done all that they have been asked to do toward securing this important industry. The people of Albany have done their part. The site is secured, the required water supply is provided for, and it is reasonably certain that the enterprise will go forward this summer.—Herald.

Positively No More Credit.

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ROSS E. HIBLER.

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" San Francisco 7:45 p. m., 8:15 a. m.
" Ogden 6:40 a. m., 11:45 a. m.
" Denver 5:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m.
" Kansas City 7:22 a. m. 5:30 p. m.
" Chicago 7:45 a. m. 9:30 a. m.
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" El Paso 6:00 p. m. 6:00 p. m.
" Fort Worth 6:30 a. m. 6:30 a. m.
" City of Mexico 10:05 p. m. 9:55 a. m.
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