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BY THE EDITOR

It is stated that the corpse of the Viking lately dug up in Schleswig, after a burial of 1500 years, has red hair. Everybody knows these red-headed fellows are stayers.

Three times has lightning struck the dome of the Court House in Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, and yet the judges who sit thereunder, grinding out what they all justice, don't take the hint.

With fourteen Anarchists told off to slaughter him, whereas only one seems to be deemed enough for an old-world monarch, President McKinley should feel rather complimented than otherwise.

Some scientist has just announced that a weakness of lung power seriously interferes with the running of lions and tigers. The assertion may be ventured that no one after whom they were running ever noticed any such weakness.

Just one patient in the Stockton Asylum is said to be there because of being "crazy to get married." The number who are there because they did get married is not published, possibly out of a disinclination to discourage the still unwedded.

Almost as gratifying as the news that the foreign Ministers were found alive in Pekin is the report that Prince Ching, who fought so gallantly in their defense, is still living. If it comes to settling up a new Emperor in China, Ching ought to be remembered.

A missionary who has just arrived in this city from China has fifteen unhealed sword slashes upon his body as evidence of the gentle character of the race he has been laboring for. He should hurry up, get well, then enlist, go back and try another plan of conversion.

Three gambler desperados lately appeared at Poplar Grove, Iowa, and started in to run things. The citizens stood it for a day or two—and then the bad men suddenly disappeared and have not been heard of anywhere else since. The Poplar Grovians' way is quiet, but apparently effective.

The butter industry in Oregon is in its infancy. Within the next few years it will be rapidly developed with results of great financial importance to the state. Especially is this true of Western Oregon, where conditions are well suited to dairying. During this development stage everything possible should be done to lead the farmer to adopt the best methods, so that the margin of profit will be sufficient to encourage others to embark in the business.

Senator Aldrich, of Ohio, who lives in the vicinity of a factory that makes shapel shells for the United States, has been telling official news that had not before leaked out. He says that although little fuss is being made about it the government is straining every resource in anticipation of a long conflict with China. Hurry orders have been sent to all parties working on contracts for munitions of war, and some of them are working day and night under these orders.

There is so much of a political nature in the average country newspaper these times that it is almost out of the question for a person to get an idea of any nature from their editorial columns. It is the height of folly for a country editor to fill his columns full of overflowing with political gush, and thereby disgust half of his readers. Let the "big" papers do just as much of that sort of thing as they choose, but the small papers would do much better if they would publish matter which would not tend to divide their patronage.

The march of the allied forces to the relief of the imprisoned Ministers and speedy relief is a wonderful achievement to be made in so short a time. It is evident that the Chinese saw that further resistance meant a siege and eventual capture of their sacred capital, and rather than see the foreign army batter down the ancient walls and take the city they gave up without a struggle. Now the allied forces are in control of the situation and diplomatic negotiations will no doubt result in a satisfactory settlement of the trouble.

The success of the state fair this year is well assured. The large number of applications being made for space by exhibitors, assures the greatest industrial exposition ever held in the state. The live stock department promises the biggest and best show of live stock ever seen on the coast, and the management is now contemplating the building of many new stalls and pens. The success of the fair this year is largely due to the liberal policy of the Southern Pacific company, in offering to transport free of charge all exhibits including live stock over its lines in this state.

If a game warden, disguised as a hobo or some other sort of a being would saunter over this way some evening and take a stroll out in the country along the edge of some of the nearby fields he would most certainly make a good haul. There are a number of our people who are living fat on China pheasants, and doing so in violation of the law, too, a fact that is well known to them. This idea that it is no worse for one than another is all wrong, and should be stopped. If you know of any one who is violating the law by shooting a few birds do not think that you have just as good a right to shoot them, but report the gentleman to the game warden, and thereby stop the law-breaking practice. There is no one who is fonder of the sport of hunting these birds than the writer, but we propose to be governed by the law of the land in the matter, and until such time as we can go forth and hunt without the fear of the law we will not be liable to arrest and fine for violating it.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her; and she writes, "This marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of its power to cure all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Peery & Peery's drug store."

Homestead Law Changed.

The United States land offices have just received a notice from the department of the interior, which is of the greatest importance to every one who is in any way interested in taking up the government lands. Heretofore, according to law, who had homesteaded that is, lived on a homesteaded claim for a portion of the required time, and had then bought the property clear, had exhausted his title to take up another such claim. Persons who having taken a claim and forfeited the same, or lost it from cause whatsoever, were also previously debarred from taking out a second claim. The new act, however, provides that such may take out a claim in the future as though they have made no use of their right.

SHIP WREATHED IN ELECTRICITY

Remarkable Storm Through Which an Ocean Vessel Recently Passed. One of the most remarkable electric storms at sea, which probably occurred intensified by reason of the fact that a cargo of Spanish iron ore passed through it was experienced by the British steamship Mercedes, which arrived at this port the other day from Bilbao, says the Philadelphia Record. On the Grand banks of Newfoundland during the nights of December 3 and 4 the ocean appeared like a mighty mass of flame or an endless stretch of purple fire. Balls of electrical fire blazed and exploded in all directions and darted among the vessel's masts and rigging. The Mercedes' escape from going down on December 1 seemed little short of a miracle. She was struck by a south-east gale, which was accompanied by waves rolling high. During the height of the storm a huge deck derrick, weighing many tons, was torn loose from its fastenings and swept overboard, leaving a hole in the vessel's deck, through which the water ran into the cargo. In its course it carried away the main topmast, which was also torn; part of the flying bridge, the after winch, and part of the deck fittings. Soon afterward the storm partly subsided, when the electrical fire appeared in all directions. It hung in big balls for two nights from the masts and fore and aft stays, and practically turned eight into day. As the big fireballs came together they would burst with a loud report upon the vessel and disappear. Under this light at night such temporary repairs were made as were deemed necessary to reach port.

Story of a Slave. To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. It is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c. Sold by Peery & Peery, druggists.

Talk about versatility, an Oregon saw mill man has recently sold his business and is now studying for the ministry. Another Oregon lumber man's letter head announces as a line, "First-class brick and tile, found ground and elder made to order." A hard elder press is certainly an excellent addition to any modern mill.

Home From Nome

Frank Froman, of this city, Lee and Dye Wade, of Toledo, and S. Maloy, of Newport, returned to their homes overland Tuesday night from Nome, looking as well as men can look, clean shaven and fat. Froman arrived in Seattle Wednesday, washed off his body, got shaved, put on a new suit of clothes and started for Albany. He left here early in March in order to get in ahead of the rush, and had one of the most thrilling shipwreck experiences reported even in stories. While at Nome he was exposed to the smallpox, but escaped everything and left on the 19th of July for home, on the Lutitia, run by as fine a lot of men as ever sailed a vessel. The first seven days out was in a fog so dense that the schooner passed through a narrow strait in the day time without the passengers knowing it until through. Mr. Froman confirms the reports of a desperate condition of things at Nome. Everything is in the hands of the corporations, and they are now tied up. Lawlessness prevails, though he says the 300 soldiers there are doing the best they can and after the captain sent one man up for eight years and another for three there was much better order. Some stretches along the beach about 15 miles. One man counted along this beach 7,000 different mining machines from rockers up, besides the large machines covered up in the sands at Nome City proper. There was lots of smallpox and other sickness, and thousands of men without money. Three thousand had applied for transportation out. While gone Mr. Froman made in all the magnificent sum of \$4, and there were others who did not do as well as that. He is glad to be home, and would not go through the experience of making the trip again for all the gold around Nome, and that is considerable on Anvil creek, all taken up by San Francisco companies.—Democrat.

A Minister's Good Work

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Euporia, Kan. "My neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, and discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix that they had been running off like that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose; told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not feel better, but he took no more and was entirely cured. I think it the best medicine I have ever tried." For sale by Peery & Peery, Druggists.

First Prize at the Paris Fair.

The Pacific Northwest has been brought to the attention of the whole world by the exhibit of cereals made by the O. R. & N. at the Paris Exposition, and which has captured the grand gold medal. The fact that this is the only railroad in the United States to receive a prize, is in itself a great feather in the cap of the O. R. & N., and the credit and glory are shared equally in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, which states produced the samples that captured the honor.

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The Belgian as a Meat-Producer.

"Compared with raising poultry, everything is in favor of the Belgian. Those experienced in the business estimate that one Belgian doe at her young will produce 375 pounds of the cleanest and best meat in the world, while one hen and her chicks, setting her twice a year, can produce only 100 pounds. Two does at this rate would produce 1,125 pounds of meat in one year. One day, I could demonstrate this much more fully did space permit."—F. L. Washburn, in Rural Northwest.

David Peeler died at his home in Lebanon Monday, aged 97 years. He had been a resident of this state since 1853, and of Linn county since 1867.

Knock-Out Drops

"I am a saloon-keeper, and used to think that rock and rye, or whiskey and quinine were proper remedies for coughs and colds. Most of my acquaintances were of the same opinion. Now I know something about a thousand times better. In my brother's English Remedy for Coughs and Colds. A good while ago I found out that that rock and rye was no good. I got worse and I was beginning to think that the trouble would run into consumption. I didn't take any shock in patent medicines, but I tried your English Remedy. One bottle did the business for me—knocked that cough but completely—and it has never come back again. There is never a day passing that I don't say a good word about this wonderful medicine. I almost forgot to say that I am a stronger and fatter now, since taking the remedy, than I was before the cough began. I write this letter voluntarily and cheerily and am glad to do it." (Signed) CURR. HICKMAN, Saloon-keeper, Puyallup, Idaho.

Sold at 25c., 50c., and \$1 a bottle, throughout the United States and Canada; and in England, at 1s., 2s., 3s., 4s., 6s. If you are not satisfied after buying, return the bottle to your druggist, and get your money back. We guarantee the above guarantee. W. E. HODGKINS & CO., Druggists, New York.

MISCELLANEOUS

The Wendling mill, of the Booth-Kelly Lumber company, of Saguinaw, cut 174,000 in one day, beating all previous records. The company are adding another logging engine to their plant. It is just as well that the countless millions of China's population do not make the same gallant soldiers as do the Japanese. If they did, the rest of the world could pack up and emigrate.

There is a story that when ammunition ran short the besieged legation guards in Pekin fired bullets made of silverware and money. It was probably all the same to the fellows they hit.

A returned missionary says the Chinese declare that white men sneer at them. He evidently isn't talking, these yellow slanders will have to be wiped out. We can't stand everything.

A. J. Miller, a deputy county game warden, offers a reward of \$10 to any person for information leading to the arrest of any one violating the law prohibiting the killing of game birds (Chinese pheasants) out of season.

Prince Yung is reported to have prevented the Empress Dowager flying from the apparently doomed city of Peking. He is reported to have the old lady to stay and take a little of the medicine herself that she has had so much to do with mixing.

Lawyer Stanley, of Kansas, defended a negro for murder, and upon his conviction wrote a strong endorsement of his application for pardon. Mr. Stanley was elected governor, and his own endorsement was presented him, but he refused to grant the pardon. He was no longer a lawyer working for pay.

Troads have been swarming by thousands lately on the roads and streets of Hawthorne and Paterson, New Jersey, and the townspeople don't know what to do to abate the plague. If some spiritualistic medium will open up communication with old Pharoah, he may be able to give them a few points.

The new six-masted schooner boat to be launched at Camden, Me., is attracting much attention. She is 2,750 tons net register, 300 feet long on keel, 325 feet over all, 46 feet beam and 26 feet deep in the hold. She will be employed in the coal trade and will carry 5,000 tons. The masts will be of Oregon pine, 139 feet long, with 25 feet topmast. Captain J. G. Crowley, of Taunton, Mass., is the owner.

The Booth-Kelly Lumber company have four mills, two at Saguinaw, one at Coburg, and the largest at Wendling. The daily capacity of these mills is as follows: Saguinaw, 100,000 feet; Coburg, 50,000; Wendling, 150,000; total, 300,000 feet. The Coburg mill will be run day and night from now on, thus increasing its capacity to 100,000, making a total of 350,000 feet per day. This means the turning out of 30 carloads of lumber loads of lumber every 24 hours. The force of men required to handle all this business aggregates 450.

A table recently arranged by State Superintendent Ackerman gives the receipts and disbursements of the schools of the state for the years 1899 and 1900, which includes the running of the schools of the different counties. According to this Multnomah county of course leads, the disbursements for 1899 being \$612,369. Marion is next with \$160,161.95, Umatilla next with \$66,625, Linn next with \$59,721, and Clackamas, Clatsop, Lane, Union and Yamhill about the same. Curry is the lowest, Laurelhurst next and then Wheeler, all under \$10,000.

"When you see a man in woe, Walk right up and say 'Hullo!' Say 'Hullo!' and 'How d'ye do?' And 'How's the world a doing you?' Slap a fellow on his back, Bring your hand down with a smack, Wait right up and don't go slow, Grin and shake and say, 'Hullo!' Legs are but a cotton roll, Just for wrapping up a soul, And a soul is worth a true Hale and hearty, 'How d'ye do?' Don't wait for the crowd to go! Walk right up and say 'Hullo!'"

Remember that Washington was inaugurated in 1789, and that he, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson and Grant served two successive terms each, these four lines (committed to memory) become valuable to anyone who remembers when any event took place but has forgotten just who was president at that time! When a joke made me a joker, Van had to poke the fire poker; But laughing jokes get heavy greetings.

As courtes hold empty meetings The first letter of each word in these four lines, taken in order, gives the first letter of the names of the presidents in order.

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"Bryan and Stevenson" badges for the hat, 10c ea.

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"To the mountains of our people in increasing numbers yearly look for those days of relaxation and recreation necessary to maintain the human machine in fair working condition. The languorous sloth of the seashore proves very seductive while it lasts, but many have decided that the annual outing should provide not only radical change of air and surroundings, but also stimulation of flagging energies as will provide labor and vigor for the return to town. For this they urge the mountain climb and ramble, the balsam of the mountain pines, and the clear, unfiltered mountain air."

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T. J. WILSON,

Attorney at Law and Notary Public SCIO, OREGON.

EXCURSION RATES!!

The C. & E. railroad company has placed on sale regular summer excursion tickets, Yaquina and Newport, good for return until October 10th. Round trip fare from Mukwonago, Shelburn and Kingston to Yaquina, \$4.00 Newport, \$4.50

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