

Lebanon Express.

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Mr. Cleveland has called a special session of Congress to meet August 7.

Henry Villard has resigned as president of the board of directors of the Northern Pacific, and the chair has been abolished. Hereafter the president of the company will act as chairman of the board.

In Los Angeles, California seven banks were forced to suspend in a few days and four in San Diego closed their doors. The trouble was caused by withdrawal of deposits.

John A. Batrum, who has gone around the world from Akron, Ohio, walking whenever possible, wore out twenty-seven pairs of shoes in his 2 year jaunt, besides sandals, which he used in the East.

The only apparent difference between gambling as it is now run in Chicago and gambling in the wild west is that out there the stranger has to find his way into the dens, while here the concerns courteously furnish guides and "pluggers" to escort him in.—Chicago Record.

An exchange says: "If all the silver mines and smelters shut down it looks as though silver might come up again. However, a silver dollar, if it is only worth 50 cents, will purchase just as much as a gold dollar. The most serious trouble seems to be to get hold of them."

The death of Capt. George Flavel of Astoria, removes another old pioneer and one of the founders of that place. Capt. Flavel was well known throughout the state and his death will be regretted by his numerous friends. He was the wealthiest man in Clatsop county, which he made by hard work and industry.

The mayor of Chicago wants to build a new water crib and island on stakes seven miles out in Lake Michigan to get a fresh water supply and to provide recreation grounds for the people. The water idea is a good one; but as Chicago has a few acres of prairie ground in its limits, the recreation ground necessity is not apparent.

The president has appointed Robert A. Miller, of Jacksonville, Oregon, register of the land office at Oregon City. The present register of the Oregon City land office is Captain T. J. Apperson whose time will not expire until May 9, 1894. Mr. Miller is the man who withdrew from the democratic ticket last November, to give the electoral vote of Oregon to the people's party.

Anacortes, Washington, is a fair sample of booming town without a foundation, and it also shows how money has been locked up the past few years and withdrawn from circulation. A great many fine buildings have been erected there, and now not more than one fourth of them are unoccupied.

Mrs. Lease, of Kansas, who marched through Georgia with General Weaver last fall, has a husband, although he is not much in evidence. He keeps a drug store, and is quoted as saying, mournfully: "It's all right for my wife to be going around making speeches, but the drug store, just the same, that keeps things running."

The Salem Independent says: Wm. Goitra, one of the directors of the Lane County National Bank, was in the city yesterday and says they expect to commence business again. Arrangements to that effect are now pending and it is expected to be but a matter of a few days until things are running along as smoothly as ever. He says that the flurry in Albany has settled down and that confidence seems to be restored. A. Bush, of Salem, and Mr. Ladd, of Portland, will meet with the Albany directors and Mr. Jennings, the bank inspector, and if satisfactory arrangements can be made the bank will open.

\$500 REWARD.

The S. P. Co. offers a reward of five hundred dollars for the arrest and conviction of the man who shot and as supposed mortally wounded James T. Bruce, a brakeman on passenger train No. 3 at Gold Run, Placer Co., Cal. about 2 A. M., June 28. Several tramps were on top of one of the forward cars of the train. Brakeman attempted to get them off when one of them shot him and all the tramps at once fled to the hills. It being night the only description Mr. Bruce can give is that the man who shot him was tall, had dark mustache, dark slouch hat, and carried a small bundle. It is thought the man has fled North. Advise all sheriffs and other officials in your towns and give copy to press.
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