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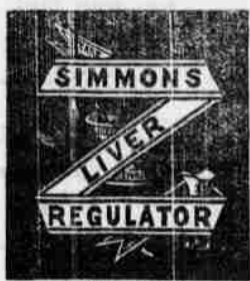
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STATE AND COAST.

Clipped from our Exchanges Throughout the West.

The German residents of Pendleton have organized the Eintracht Society, with 42 members.

S. Merton, of St. Paul, Marion county, has contracted 10,000 pounds of hops at 8 cents per pound for five years.

It is proposed in Pendleton to organize an "artesian water" club, to raise funds to bore for artesian water in that vicinity.

Harne county sheepmen will drive a great many bands of their sheep to the railroad before shearing, and thus save freight money on the wool.

Captain Waud has informed The Dalles Chronicle that the dredger will open a channel entirely through the locks within two weeks, so that boats may pass.

The first number of the Oregon Woodman, V. P. Fisk, editor, has been issued from Dallas. It is a monthly publication, devoted to Woodcraft in the state of Oregon.

Carl Albrecht, who so brutally murdered his wife in Marshfield, recently attempted to commit suicide in jail by hanging himself. The watchman, however, interfered.

Several counterfeit \$5 pieces that have been in circulation in Baker City have been turned over to Deputy U. S. Marshal Conde by the business men who took them in the course of trade.

There was a jail-break at Moro, Sherman county, last Thursday night. Three prisoners escaped, one of whom was Pat Hanna, who was arrested last winter at The Dalles for stealing horses.

A. P. Isenberger, of Hood River, says the outlook for Hood river strawberry growers is flattering, and he anticipates a very large crop. The average is larger this year than ever before.

Turner, Callender, of Canyon City, a gentleman of no small caliber, says the Great country News. His latest in the line of invention is a sail, which he uses to propel his bicycle to good advantage.

Charles Cunningham, a Umatilla sheep raiser, commenced last week to shear his sheep. Mr. Cunningham has been accustomed to begin shearing earlier than the majority of sheep men in Umatilla county.

A lot of salt marsh lands in Warner valley, Lake county, was sold recently under the saline act, and purchased by David R. Jones for \$1460. He will erect a refinery and manufacture salt of a first-class quality.

On the farm of J. D. Smith, in Polk county, Monday of last week, John W. Green and Thomas W. Sheldon quarreled over a tent and the former stabbed the latter in the face and arms with a pocket knife. Green was arrested and held for trial.

The Astoria & Goble Railroad company put 12 men to work grading through the marshes below Bureau's mill, near Clatskanie, recently. This is an experiment which the company is trying in order to know if the road can be put across the flat at that place.

One hundred and eighty-seven of the 1700 taxpayers in Benton county have so far paid their taxes for 1895. It is asserted by officials that penalty is to be added after April 1, and that after that date county warrants will not be accepted in payment of taxes.

The Grande Ronde Lumber company, at Ferry, has received orders for lumber from the Cripple Creek mining district, which if it could fill according to the dimensions desired, would take every stick of timber in the company's yards, and that would be several million feet. The company can fill part of the order, however, and has already forwarded three carloads.

Jerome Palmater, of Reedville, Washington county, reports to the Hillsboro Independent that his spring seeding of clover is all to do over again. He had sown 100 pounds of seed, which was just peeping through the ground when the cold night of March 1 heaved up the field and pulled every spear out by the roots. His last sowing of wheat was treated the same way.

An unusual and unfortunate accident happened to Joseph Pitman, a farm hand on Joseph Hunter's place on Muddy, last week, says the Corvallis Times. He was duck-hunting on horse back, and raised his gun to shoot. At the same moment his horse stumbled and fell, and in the fall the hammer of the gun struck Pitman in the right eye. The eyeball was torn open, and a portion of the outer of the

eye escaped. Pitman has not since been able to see out of the injured eye, and possibly never will.

The Sugar Pine correspondent of the Roseburg Platdealer says: "Who says that the deer don't know of the Portland Rod & Gun Club law, when they will deliberately come out of the brush and watch one make garden, and stamp their feet at you, defying you with the law?"

On Monday of last week a novel sight was afforded the people of Florence. It was the moving of the house of Captain Cox on a scow from West Florence to Acme, a distance of three miles. The house was moved about 500 yards down an abrupt incline and successfully placed on the scow on Saturday evening previous, and on Monday morning, the tide being high enough to float it, the steamer Lillian towed scow and house to Acme.

During the past week an immense find has been made within a stone's throw of Grants Pass, says the Oregon Mining Journal. It is a quartz ledge eight feet in width and so enormously rich that a chunk of the ore the size of a teacup, pounded up with a hammer, yielded almost a teaspoonful of gold. The discoverer is an old prospector and has been for three years in search of the ledge, of the existence of which, by signs well known to the craft, he has long felt satisfied.

Where is Wm. S. Jones?

John W. Coots, attorney-at-law, in a letter dated at Platte City, Missouri, March 7, and addressed to Secretary of State Kincaid at Salem, Or., says: "One Thomas Jones, late of Platte county, Missouri, died at this place about five years ago, aged 104 years, and left several hundred dollars for his son, William S. Jones, in his last will. William S. Jones was here about ten years ago, but returned to Oregon, where he had been residing for many years. He has not been heard from since his return to Oregon, and there has been no one to claim the money. It is still safe and will be paid to him or his children, if he left any, upon proof of his or their identity. All the required legal publications have been made in vain; but as such publications are usually made in papers of local circulation, they were not calculated to reach him or his heirs in Oregon. Thomas Jones was a soldier and a pensioner of the war of 1812. If you will kindly give this matter to the press of your state I feel that it will be generously published, and might be the means of helping some worthy and needy citizen of your state very materially. Very truly,
 Jno. W. Coots."

A Clubbing Offer.

A great many of our readers in Linn county like to take the Weekly Oregonian. We have made arrangements whereby we can furnish it at a reduction from the regular price to those who want both the EXPRESS and the Oregonian. The regular price of the Oregonian is \$1.50 per year, and of the EXPRESS \$1.50 when in advance. We will furnish both for \$2. per year in advance, a saving of one dollar to the subscriber. The Oregonian gives all the general news of the country once a week, and the EXPRESS gives all the local news once a week, which will make a most excellent news service for the moderate sum of \$2. per year. Those who are at present subscribers of the EXPRESS must pay in all arrears and one year in advance to obtain this special price.

Notice for Publication

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR., February 24, 1896.
 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 that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Linn County, at Albany, Or., on May 2, 1896, viz:
 DAVID H. MYERS,
 H. E. No. 7879, for the N. E. 1/4 N. E. 1/4, Sec. 28, T. 11 S., R. 1 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William W. Sanders, Milton W. Yeoman, George A. Downing, Bennie White, all of Linn county, Or.
 ROBERT A. MILLER,
 Register.

Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the County Court of Linn county, Oregon, the undersigned has been duly appointed, and now is, the duly qualified and acting Executor of the estate of John Settle, deceased. All parties having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same, properly verified, within six months from the 20th day of February, 1896, the date of the first publication hereof, to the undersigned at the office of Sam'l M. Garland, Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon.
 J. M. SETTLE, Executor.
 SAM'L M. GARLAND, Atty. for Executor.
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Attempted Murder.

At an early hour Sunday morning John Peninger made a murderous assault upon James G. Elliott, at the front entrance of the hotel in Central Point (Jackson county). A dance had been in progress during the night in the hall at the hotel and had just broken up and the participants were in the act of leaving the building and when young Elliott, who had just come down stairs, started to go out of the door, Peninger put his left hand on Elliott's shoulder and without a word of warning plunged a dagger into his breast. There were several persons standing near, among whom was the town marshal, and as soon as he realized what had taken place he arrested Peninger, but in doing so was obliged to call for assistance, as Peninger's friends soon gathered around him and had not assistance arrived the arrest would have been prevented. As it was, Barton Patrick, who the marshal claimed was the leader preventing him from arresting Peninger, was arrested as an accessory to the crime.

The knife used by Peninger was a two-edged dagger with a three and one-half inch blade and it entered the breast at the juncture of the sixth rib, and must have ranged downward. As soon as possible Dr. Patterson was called and rendered medical aid, and by daylight the patient was considerably improved, and has gained rapidly since and is now out of all danger.

Peninger was arraigned before Justice Jacobs and waived examination and was held without bail to await the action of the grand jury. Patrick also appeared before Justice Jacobs and had his hearing postponed until Monday, at which time he was discharged by motion of Deputy Prosecuting Attorney A. N. Solis. Wm. M. Colvig appeared as Patrick's attorney.

It was rumored that the crime was carefully planned, and that S. P. Conroy, a traveling salesman, had heard the plans laid, but when placed on the stand could not identify the prisoners, and his testimony was not admitted.

Elliott came to this valley about two years ago from Canada, and worked for Peninger's father, David Peninger, until last August, when the young men got into a dispute and Peninger attempted to stab Elliott with a pocket knife, and succeeded in cutting a gash six inches long across his abdomen. Elliott has since worked near Tolo. He is a well respected young man, twenty years of age and has no relatives in this county.

Peninger's plea will be insanity. He has been subject to epileptic fits for eleven years past, and this, it is claimed has greatly affected his mind. His father has been a resident of Jackson county since '52, and is a well respected citizen, and his many friends very much regret the action of his son.—Medford Mail.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR., February 4, 1896.

To WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 Notice is hereby given that the Oregon and California R. R. Co. has filed in this office a list of lands situated in the townships described below, and had applied for a patent for said lands; that the list is open to the public for inspection, and a copy thereof, by descriptive subdivisions, has been posted in a convenient place in this office, for the inspection of all persons interested and the public generally.

Part of north half of Sec 1. All of Sec 3, 6, 7 and 9. Part of north half and part of south half of Sec 11. All of Sec 15, 17, 19 and 21. Part of north half of Sec 27. The east half and part of west half of Sec 29. Part of north half of Sec 31. Part of north half of Sec 33. All situate in township 12 south, range 3 east.

Within the next sixty days following the date of this notice, protests or contents against the claim of the company to any tract or subdivision within any section or part of section described in the list, on the ground that the same is more valuable for mineral than agricultural purposes, will be received and noted for report to the General Land Office at Washington, D. C.

ROBERT A. MILLER, Register.
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 Men's first grade, oil grain, plow shoes reduced to \$1.50 at the Racket store. Many other shoes are reduced in price.

Phosphorus in War.

The Cuban insurrectionists are determined that the planter shall not grind his sugar cane while the war is on, and if he attempts to do it his plantation is to be burned. The idea is to paralyze trade, show the power they wield, and perhaps secure the intervention of a strong power. Under any circumstances it means ruin to most of the planters, whose crops are now ripe for cutting and very combustible.

But the interesting part is the method the Cubans are said to have adopted, which is distinctly novel. A small piece of phosphorus coated with wax is fastened to a snake's tail, and the creature let loose to make its way among the cane. The sun melts the wax and ignites the phosphorus, and the business is done. Military protection or other efforts are claimed to be unavailing in the face of such a formidable foe.—Popular Science News.

U. S. Official Postal Guide, 1896. Just Issued.

Very few of our business men know that the Post Office Department at Washington issues in January of each year, a complete POSTAL GUIDE containing 1000 pages, and complete lists of Post Offices in the United States, arranged alphabetically, all rules and regulations, money order offices and rulings of the department on postal matters, time of arrival and departure of foreign mails, and much valuable information for the public on postal matters.

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Offers, princely in their nature, are repeatedly being made to Mary Anderson de Navarre to return to the stage, writes Edward W. Bok, in March Ladies' Home Journal, but she turns a deaf ear to them all. Only the past summer overtures came to her from an American manager which insured her a big fortune if she would consent to return to the stage for a brief period. There were six figures in the amount stipulated, and the first figure was equal to the total number of numerals in the whole amount. But it had no effect upon her. She turned away from it easily and without an effort. "No," she said, "I am through with the stage." And that was all.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between G. M. Westfall and A. Umphrey, and known as Westfall & Umphrey, and engaged in a general livery and feed stable business in Lebanon, Linn county, Oregon, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All parties having claims against the partnership will present them at once to the undersigned, and all parties indebted to the partnership are earnestly requested to settle at once with the undersigned.

G. M. WESTFALL,
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 Lebanon, Or., Feb. 13, 1896.

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