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STATE AND COAST.

Clipped from our Exchanges Throughout the West.

The Hood River box factory is very busy making pound boxes and crates for the coming strawberry crop. It is estimated that 27,180 white ballots will be required for the 36 precincts of Marion county at the coming election.

The Gypsy has stopped running to Eugene for the present on account of too many snags in the river. The snag boat is needed badly.

The capital stock of the Albany Iron Works has been increased to \$20,000. This is one of the most successful works of the kind in the state.

The Moore Bros., of Moro, Sherman county, have sold their entire stock of merchandise to R. C. Craven, of Polk county, a merchant of 16 years standing.

The Eugene Guards suggests that a popular subscription be taken up to procure a musician who can teach the Salvation Army cornetist a new tune or two.

I. H. Vetch, populist nominee for sheriff in Lane county, has declined the nomination, and will probably work for the democratic candidate, says the Eugene Guard.

A. H. Moore recently brought into Myrtle Point \$800 in gold dust that he had taken from his Salmon Mountain mines in a 10-days' run with three men. The last of February he brought down \$800 from the same mine.

The Eugene Guard says the names of Mrs. E. Conser, and H. C. Owen, of Eugene, should be added to the Oregonian's list of pioneers who have been in Oregon 50 years or more, as they came to the state in 1844.

Grants Pass enjoys the distinction of having a delegate to each of the national conventions. Abe Axtell has been selected to represent Oregon in the democratic convention, J. W. Howard in the republican. All expect to be present in person.

The Dalles Times-Mountaineer says it is rumored that the Dufur flouring mills have been sold to a resident of Portland. It is stated that the price paid for the mills was \$10,000, and the wheat stored in the warehouse, amounting to about 12,000 bushels was sold at 50 cents a bushel.

E. A. Sealey, of the Astoria Land & Investment Company, is busily engaged in working up a syndicate to build a \$12,000 depot for the railroad in Uppertown. Mr. Hammond has agreed to maintain and operate the station if it is built.—Astorian.

J. W. Scott attempted to drive a band of sheep over the mountains from Clover Flat to Lakeview last week, but they got snowed in, and 250 of the animals perished. Those that were left were afterward driven back, and will be fed until they can be brought over.

Twenty years ago the University of Oregon opened its doors to students, and now, on its 20th anniversary year, it will graduate the largest class that will have ever gone from the institution, and there are just 29 in the class. The next largest class was that of 1880, having 19 members.

The largest run of salmon at The Dalles so far this season was last Monday. Every fisherman had plenty of fish to sell and several wagon loads were delivered. Since Tuesday morning the catch has been light. If the strike at Astoria continues for another month, it is thought there will be as large a catch as that of two years ago at least says the Chronicle.

Dick Braden, who by accident was blinded in one eye last June, and who has since that time submitted to medical treatment without avail, awoke yesterday morning delighted to find his eyesight fully restored. The day and age of miracles being long past, this is a case that somewhat puzzles Mr. Braden and his friends, says the Myrtle Point Enterprise.

The wife of L. Moncie, while crossing the river last Saturday at Wheeler's near Pittsburg, in Columbia county, was drowned. She attempted to cross the river on horseback, and it is supposed that the horse slipped and fell or went beyond its depth. At any rate, the horse was found near Wheeler's gate with water dripping from its sides and belly and from the saddle. Search was made for the rider, and her body was found on a sandbar in the river about a mile or more below where she had tried to cross.

Five thousand rolls 1896 styles of wall paper cheap for cash at Albany Furniture Co., Albany, Oregon.

A REPLY TO M'GINTY'S GHOST.

Some of the Ghost's Statements are Corrected by McGinty Himself.

Will you kindly grant me space in your columns to correct a few of the statements made by your Waterloo correspondent, McGinty's Ghost.

He states that Joseph Misner was arrested on suspicion, the suspicion not proven, tried, found guilty, fined \$15 and costs, etc., etc.

The above statement, and in fact, the majority of his communications to your paper in which he has assailed the characters and motives of the best citizens of Waterloo from time to time, are simply a tissue of malicious lies.

Mr. Misner was arrested for violating a town ordinance, legally tried, found guilty and fined as the recorder's docket will show. He was given two days time in which to employ an attorney to defend his case, but failed to avail himself of the opportunity, as he had perfect confidence in Mr. Rice's legal ability to clear him of any charge.

Losing his case so aroused his ire that he immediately invoked the aid of McGinty's Ghost who sent in a communication to your paper, charging the recorder, attorney and town council as being a set of ignorant fools.

Why you have allowed him to use your paper as a weapon to vent his spleen upon any of our citizens he happens to take a dislike to, is a question. You surely cannot expect to gain the good will and patronage of this town by such a course. Whenever any one of us has the temerity to do something that don't suit him, he proceeds to roast us in the next issue of your paper, and when asked if he wrote the article, simply lies out of it.

It is strongly suspected here that this is the same slippery ghost that vanished so suddenly from Southern Oregon, leaving creditors to mourn his departure, and also slipped through the fingers of a certain Salem physician while he was trying to collect his pay for attending him through a serious illness some years ago.

At any rate this ghost is a cowardly sneak that dare not come out openly and make these charges, but chooses to attack in the dark, by malicious insinuations and slurs about their motives and characters, people that scorn both him and his methods.

Of late he has taken a pious turn and attends church and Sabbath school, societies, etc., but judging from the past, about the first fine Sunday we have he will shed his wings, grab his fishpole and lie himself away to gather in another batch of suckers.

Our people don't particularly object to his abuse. We are used to it, and know he inherited that disposition, but they do object to having it published abroad, as it has a tendency to injure the reputation of our town. A man like him, burdened with all the brains and intelligence of an entire community, when so disposed, can do us an irreparable injury if you continue to furnish printer's ink for him free of charge.

This is from THE OLD MAN M'GINTY.

W. H. Cook, of Tygh Valley, is in The Dalles circulating a petition for a free road to Prineville. Two toll roads now exist. It necessitates about 19 miles of new road commencing at a point three miles north of the Deschutes river, connecting the two county roads.

The expense is estimated at between \$4,000 and \$5,000. Wasco and Crook counties will be asked to assist in the work, and private subscriptions will be taken. George Johnson, of Dufur, assured Mr. Cook that Dufur would contribute \$500.

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 arrearsages and one year in advance to obtain this special price.

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FROM THE SANTIAM MINES.

How a Faithful Dog Saved a Family From Being Burned to Death.

(From the Albany Herald, Saturday, May 2.) Mr. H. H. White is in from the Santiam mines and reports times of unceasing activity there. The Lawler mines and stamp mill employ about 60 men, and the mill is in constant action. A very rich deposit has been struck in one of the tunnels being run, assaying from \$60 to \$80 per ton.

The work being done on the Albany mine had also struck rich crops in portions of the claim not before prospected. The mining camp is a busy place and the outlook for the season's work is extremely bright.

Mr. White says the foreman of the day shift at the Lawler mines, Mr. Mears, and his wife had a narrow escape from being burned to death a few nights ago. Mrs. Mears, who is alone in the house a good portion of the day, has made a great pet of a dog, which is allowed to sleep in the house, and the dog became very much attached to her. A few nights since Mr. Mears upon retiring spread his wet clothing in front of the fire and the household retired. They occupied rooms back of the sitting room with no egress save through the single door.

In the night Mrs. Mears was awakened by the dog tugging at the bedclothes. She slapped the dog and tried to drive him away, but the faithful canine scratched and pulled at the bed in such an excited way that she arose, and following the dog into the sitting room found that the clothes had ignited and had set the house on fire. In a few moments more they would have been imprisoned and doubtless burned to death. Mr. Mears hastened to help put out the fire, which was soon extinguished without much loss. That dog now lives on tenderloin.

A Peculiar Accident.

A curious accident was one that overtook Miss Nona Smith Friday afternoon. She was riding a bicycle on the walk leading to the college, when suddenly a friend behind her noticed the wheel away, and the rider fell. Miss Nona quickly picked herself up, remounted the wheel and rode to the dormitory. There her friends noticed that she was apparently out of her head, and that there were bruises about her temple and chin. She was brought to the Smith home, and until the next afternoon her conversation was flighty. She was unable then and lastill powerless to remember anything about her fall, or anything of the incidents immediately before or after it, a condition in which William Skipton found himself after a fall from a horse a year or so ago. It is supposed that while riding along she became dizzy and that the fall accounts for the mental trouble.—Corvallis Times.

A Petrified Skeleton.

Woods Carter, while digging a well at his place at Monument last week, disclosed a curiosity 30 feet under the ground. It was no more than the petrified skeleton of an animal about the size of a coyote or a fox. The skeleton was discovered in solid rock, where the animal had probably been encased centuries ago. The only portion of the skeleton that is a rare curiosity is the petrified brain of the animal. By being exposed to the minerals of the earth, the skull had decayed, but each lobe of the brain is preserved, and is as natural in appearance as if it had just been taken from the skull of the animal. Mr. Carter was able to find the major portion of the animal, and has several nice samples of the petrified skeleton.—Long Creek Eagle.

Mme Guigon, of the French laundry left Saturday for San Francisco, having sold her property to a Mrs. Goodman, says the Grants Pass Courier. Mme Guigon left Grants Pass last fall for France, having six pounds of \$20 pieces sewed up in each leg of his drawers, the partial result of five years' laundry business in Grants Pass. He evidently had no faith in banks or express companies, and very little in Uncle Sam, or he might exchange his 12 pounds of gold for \$3840 in Greenbacks. His wife expects to join him in the land of Gaul ere many weeks.

TENNESSEE HAPPENINGS.

BY CASSAR. May 2, 1896. "May is here, the happy birds sing the choros without words. Do you hear it children, dear? May is here, May is here!"

Yes, and with it comes the amusements of the May evenings, hanging "May baskets." So watch each and every one, and do not let someone catch you a-napping. We are patiently waiting for the story "Clarence," by Bret Hart, to appear in the columns of the EXPRESS.

James Blacklaw expects to erect a fine residence building on his place in this vicinity soon. J. D. Fronk will be managing carpenter. "Hold on" Dick, Tennessee has been on the verge of civil war for some time, causing some commotion in the school, viz: Several pupils being absent from its cause. We hope the trouble will be settled at an early date.

Annie Blacklaw was at Knox Butte Sunday visiting friends.

School is still progressing nicely, but has had a smaller attendance this month. The second monthly report is as follows:

Tennessee School District, No. 102, for month ending May 1, 1896, No. of scholars enrolled 34. Average attendance 25. The names of those present during the month were: Clarence Ross, Chester Myers, Bertha Davis, Tom McKnight and Mary Baltimore. Those absent but one day were: Maud Davis, Callie Davis and Lula Davis. No. of visitors 20.

ANNIE BLACKLAW, Teacher.

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Notice. All parties indebted to me will take notice, that I have placed my notes and accounts, for collection, with Sam'l M. Garland, and have instructed my attorney to collect the same without delay.

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