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The Tillamook Headlight has been sold to D. D. Bowman, a former California newspaper man.

The Columbia conference of the Methodist Episcopal church, south, will convene in Dallas.

Captain John H. Stewart, of McMinville, has been granted back pension to the amount of \$1200.

The Moderator has succeeded to the good will and business of the Cottage Grove Leader. H. W. Ross takes Mr. Thorpe's place as editor and publisher.

King, the mining man who was accidentally shot by his companion on Rogue river, while shooting birds last Sunday, is recovering from his injuries.

The output of coal from Beaver hill, in Coos county, continues to increase. The average during last week was 250 tons per day, and on Saturday 325 tons were brought out.

During an altercation on the streets in St. Helens last Sunday, between John Wellington and Eugene Whitney, the former's right leg was broken just above the ankle.

A man from Sislaw was in Eugene Wednesday with a wagonload of chinook salmon, which he had caught in the Sislaw river. They were very fine, and sold readily.

Rev. Geo. Rawlins, of Baker City, has withdrawn from the Methodist Episcopal conference held at Blackfoot Idaho, and also from membership with the Methodist church.

The people of the town of Antelope have petitioned the county court of Wasco county to incorporate Antelope under the law authorizing county courts to incorporate towns.

Steven Smeed, of Waiaterville, and J. E. Davis, of Mohawk, each hauled to Eugene Friday a load of early 1896 hops, the first of this year. McSmeed will immediately ship his hops East.

Extensive arrangements are being made for the district fair which will be held at the grounds near Central Point, in Jackson county, next month. Over \$3000 are offered in purses and premiums.

Young Eben, whose disappearance from camp below Mosier occasioned so much uneasiness that a lake was dragged in the search for him, turned up well and with a good appetite at home Thursday.

Freight continues to arrive in Baker City for Grant and Harney county merchants. There are about 100,000 pounds of merchandise at the depot awaiting shipment by team to its destination.

Thomas Cloninger, jr., of Scappoose, accidentally shot himself through the left foot last Sunday. He was shooting at a mark with a revolver and carelessly pulled the trigger while the weapon was hanging by his side.

Some counterfeit 50-cent silver pieces are in circulation in Salem. They are of light weight, but otherwise the imitation is excellent, there not being that greasy and gassy appearance noticeable on other spurious coins.

Many of the hoppers in the vicinity of Independence have their pickers already engaged. The picking will commence early in September but there will not be more than half the acreage picked this year than there was last.

Hop contracts for 110,000 pounds have thus far been filed with the Linn county clerk. In years heretofore but few hops have been contracted in that county, but this year the inability of growers to obtain money has compelled them to contract.

Peter Nelson, of North Plains in Washington county, was thrown from a wagon last week and one of the wagon's wheels passed over his head. His collar bone was broken and he was bruised about the head, but not otherwise injured.

Thomas Cooper has an exhibition at his place of business in St. Helens a small snake with two perfectly formed heads, which was captured in the outskirts of town by John Sandby. The heads are both on the same end, so the Miss says.

The thermometer stood at 102 degrees in Moro, at Dr. Smith's residence, last Sunday afternoon. In the coolest place in town, the City market, it stood 89 degrees in the forenoon. The evening was cool, and the night delightfully pleasant for sleeping. It was the hottest day for Moro this year.

Charles Mason, another of the five prisoners who escaped from the Umatilla county jail a week ago, has been captured.

Samuel Carpenter, an old timer in Granite, Grant county, may die from the effects of a recent fall. He was sitting on his porch, tipped his chair too far back, lost his balance and fell over backward, striking head first. He was unconscious three hours.

The Minam is said to be fairly alive with hunting and fishing parties. In addition to a number of Indians from the Umatilla reservation there are many sportsmen from the Grand Ronde valley in there, besides quite a number from Baker and Willows counties.

The dead body of a newly born infant was found on the railroad track a mile and a half from Grants Pass Monday, by a young man traveling north on foot. He notified the coroner, who went out and brought the little corpse in. Dr. Myers said the infant had evidently been killed by being thrown from the cars in passing, as its little head was badly fractured and contused. The coroner thinks it was thrown from the circus train, which passed south Sunday forenoon.

J. Simpson, the Oregon Central & Eastern engineer, was badly scared Wednesday. Near Harris, Robert Moore, the brakeman, discovered the bridge ahead to be on fire, how badly, of course, could not be told. He notified the engineer, who reversed the engine, turned on the sand and stopped just on the edge of the bridge. No serious damage had been done, and, after putting the fire out, the journey was continued. The engineer remarked that frightened four years out of him.

The Woodburn Independent says that the harvest for this year, with the exception of the late spring grain, has been completed. Now and then good yields are reported, but in the majority of cases fall wheat on summer fallow yielded from 16 to 25 bushels per acre, while that raised on stubble land gave about half as much. Spring wheat and oats, so far as threshed, have made just half a crop. Grain has been saved in good condition, and should bring better prices than are being paid at present. It is believed that there will be but little, if any, oats for export, as there was no more raised than will be required for home consumption.

Our Small Army is Efficient.

General Harrison, in his "This Country of Ours" article in September Ladies' Home Journal writes of the War and Post Office departments, and in connection with the first named he pays this tribute to our standing army: "Our army is small, in fact, minute, when compared with any of the armies of the great powers, but, under the operation of recent laws relating to establishments, and of laws intended to protect the rights and promote the self-respect of the private soldier and relieve him from assignments of menial duties, the quality and esprit de corps of the enlisted men are higher, I think, than ever before, and the character and military skill of the officers are of a very high order."

The use of the army—either upon the soil of a state to preserve the peace of the state, or under the direct laws of the President to suppress resistance to the laws of the United States—has become more frequent of late years, and more than one community owed its deliverance from the frenzy of a mob to the presence of a small detachment of United States troops—men who do what they are ordered to do, and nothing without orders. There is no menace to the liberties of the people in our little army, but its trained and patriotic officers may again, in the case of a great war, as in 1861, become the organizers and leaders of great armies; and, with the little army of trained men they now command, will within the Constitution and the laws, during our longer years of peace, be the conservators of public order."

Prospective Sheriff's Sales

The following sheriff's sales are being advertised: The property of L E Propet to satisfy a claim of A W Charlton, for \$340, sale to be Sept. 26; the property of J M Mansfield to satisfy a claim of Perry Hyde, for \$1,250; the property of John Brown, deceased, board of school land commissioners plaintiff, for \$2700, on Sept. 26; property of Benj. Cutler, Olla Seston plaintiff, for \$1146, on Sept. 5; the property of O. Jennings, state board of school land commissioners, plaintiff, for \$507.85, on Sept. 26.

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L. S. Winters, of Salem, his daughter Miss Minnie, his three sons, Miss May Stanley, of Mehama, and a Mr Spalding, who have been camping in the uplands near Fish lake for the past ten days, broke camp on Monday last and started for Salem, says the Salem Statesman, on reaching what is known as "Seven-Mile" hill the forest was found to be a mass of roaring flames, thousands of acres in extent. The road running in the woods at this point was impassable, though some teams just ahead of Mr. Winters succeeded in getting through the fire-belt by dint of hard running, but all parties attempting it were badly scorched about the hands and face and horses suffered much worse. Seven teams congregated on the hill where the Winters party were halted and the men worked desperately, but successfully, to save the bridge next ahead of them on their home journey. After this delay the whole party proceeded over hot coals and burning embers and through dense and suffocating smoke toward their several destinations: The ladies involved in the adventure were sorely frightened during the conflict with the fire elements, but this wore off when they were once more started on their homeward trip. The track of the fire extended north and east toward Clear lake and Mr. Winters says he never saw a forest fire of such intensity and rapidity of motion as the one here reported.

Survey of Lands Finished.

Mr. John McQuinn, who for the past two months has been at work with a party making a survey of lands in the grant of the Willamette Valley & Cascade Mountain Wagon road, has completed his job and returned. His work was on the summit of the range, in the vicinity of Clear lake and Blue lake, and Mr. McQuinn says that is a most delightful region to work in during the summer. Blue lake covers about 75 acres. Clear lake is much smaller, and there is a body of water called Fish lake, which is filled through a subterranean channel from Clear lake, and which usually goes dry in the summer. It has not gone dry this summer, owing to the large snow fall which came late and laid on the summit in places nearly all summer. Blue lake is the source of one of the finest trout streams in Oregon. Mr. McQuinn's party caught lots of trout, and he says a vast number of trout was taken out of those streams this season, more than ever before. His men feasted on trout and venison whenever they desired to. Many persons have been camping in the mountains, fishing and hunting. Heavy forest fires are raging on Seven Mile hill, and destroying much timber.—Herald.

From the Mines.

Captain Hank Smith, superintendent of the Lawler mines, passed through this city yesterday afternoon on his way to Salt Lake City, Utah, where he will spend two months before returning to the Quartzville district. He stated that the mines were running in full force and that the work was progressing satisfactorily. The Co. is now running three tunnels into the mountains, and a great deal of development work is being carried on. One of the tunnels which is being run into White Bull mountain will be run 900 or a 1,000 feet deep unjila point directly below the apex of the hill—where the government monument stands—is reached. Captain Smith said he was determined to see what was in the heart of the mountain, and that he believes good ore would be struck there. After Captain Smith returns from Salt Lake City he will go into the Blue river country where the big English syndicate, which has interests in Quartzville, are heavily interested. There is no doubt that the Oregon mines will be thoroughly developed, as the English syndicate is said to be backed by the Rothschilds.—Salem Statesman.

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Portland Exposition.

The Oregon Industrial Exposition will open at Portland, Saturday evening September 19, and continue one month. As an Exposition of the resources, products and industries of the entire Pacific Northwest, it will surpass any of its predecessors. Its financial success is assured by a guaranty fund, and with this to rely upon the managers have gone ahead with boldness and confidence to gather the most complete exhibit of everything entering into the life and prosperity of this region ever brought together. Many alterations are being made in the interior arrangements of the building, especially in providing greater facilities for the enjoyment of visitors. Special attention is being paid to those who attend in many ways, besides the music and exhibits. Every night something special will be given for the amusement of visitors. Frequent excursions at extremely low rates of fare, will be run on all railroads, and special rates will be given at other times on all lines in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Both in the variety and quality of the exhibits and in its special attractions the Fair will be far superior to any of its predecessors.

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 his special price.

Sherman county is turning out a good two-thirds all-round crop, says the Observer.

Read, Peacock & Co. has sleeve & under vests for ladies from 5c to 50c.

About 120 men are now employed on the government works at the Cascades. Twenty-five are stonecutters and the remainder laborers.

Necessity demands that we insist on all those indebted to us on subscription, or otherwise, to call and settle at once. We will take wheat, oats or hay at the highest market prices.

Straw hats! straw hats! from 5c to 50c at the Racket Store. Lace curtain, 70 cts., \$1; and \$1.25 per pair. Eight spools of best thread for 25c, 3 for 10c.

Notice of Appointment of Administrator.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of J. T. McCallister, deceased, late of Linn county, Oregon. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present them, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the undersigned, at Albany, Oregon.

Dated, this 1st day of August, 1896.
H. M. FAYNE, Administrator.
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