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Land Office at LaGrande, Or., Dec. 3, 1889.
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 judge, or in his absence before the county clerk of Morrow county at Heppner, Or., on Jan. 25, 1890 viz:

William E. Hiatt,

Hd No. [illegible] for the [illegible]. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

J. W. Salisbury, H. A. Salisbury, J. Mulally and J. E. Freeman, of Lena, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial reason, under the law and the regulations of the Interior Department, why such proof should not be allowed, will be given an opportunity at the above mentioned time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant.

21-6 HENRY RINEHART Register.

NOTICE OF INTENTION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Or., Dec. 5, '89.
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 judge of Morrow county, at Heppner, Or., on Jan. 18, 1890, viz:

William Kummerland,

Hd 2651 for the N½ SW¼ SE¼ NW¼ & SW¼ NE¼ sec 30 Tp 2 S R 26 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz:

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GENERAL NEWS.

All the parties arrested and taken to Galveston from Fort Bend, under indictment for conspiracy against the negroes, have been released on bond, except the three charged with murder.

While returning from a Christmas dance, Miss Mamie Campbell and her escort, Benjamin Levett, of Wilkensburg, Pa., were struck by an express on the Pennsylvania railroad, near Pittsburg, Pa. Both were fatally injured.

The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western and Pennsylvania Coal Companies have shut down all their mines until the weather becomes cold enough to raise the present stagnation in the coal trade. Nearly 6000 men are thrown out of employment.

James Carter, eighteen years of age, was killed at a Christmas party, Christmas eve at Bank Branch, Mo., by a man named Jennings. The party was given at the house of John Burnes and James Carter and a number of other boys attended uninvited. In an ensuing quarrel Carter was killed.

George Jones stabbed his brother-in-law, James Tracy, seven times, inflicting eleven fatal wounds, Christmas, at Oaklan[d]. Jones was staying at her brother's house. Tracy called and in a quarrel which followed attempted to strike Jones with a chair, when the latter stabbed him to death with a kitchen knife. Jones was arrested.

At Memphis, Tenn., the observance of Christmas day was accompanied by two horrible murders. This morning the dead body of a negro named Hawkins was found with a bullet hole in his head. There is no clue as to the murderer. To-night Emmet Perkats, a street car driver, was stabbed and instantly killed by an unknown negro in a dispute over the bill of fare. The negro escaped.

A dispatch from Admore, Indian territory, Dec. 25, says: Yesterday afternoon, Deputy United States Marshal Tucker and another deputy attempted to arrest Lize Bradham and Joe Merrit, for introducing intoxicating liquors into the Indian territory, the outlaws resisted and a lively battle ensued, all the combatants using their revolvers. Bradham was mortally wounded. Neither of the officers were injured. Merritt was arrested.

A dispatch of Dec. 25th says: Arthur Craig, of Indianapolis, came to Newman last night to wed Miss Hattie Sutton. Her father, John Sutton opposed the match and confronted Craig with a revolver. On Craig refusing to leave he pulled the trigger, the weapon missed fire. Craig then shot him dead. The coroner's jury exonerated him, and he has returned to Indianapolis, fearing trouble from Sutton's friends. much excitement was created.

Last week the jury returned a verdict of guilty, with penalty of five years in state's prison and payment of $1000 fine against James I. West, ex-editor of the Chicago *Times*, in Judge Grinnell's court, in Chicago, Ill. There was little delay in reaching a verdict, only two ballots being taken. The crime of which West was convicted was the fraudulent over-issue of stock of the *Times* company to the extent of 1250 shares, or equivalent to over $125,000 in money. When the verdict was announced the defendant betrayed not the slightest emotion. His attorney, on the contrary, seemed painfully affected, and could scarcely be heard when entering the usual motion for another trial.

Word comes from Concordia, Kan., Dec. 25, that outrages of White Caps in this vicinity continue, notwithstanding the fact that vigorous efforts are being made to break up the organization. A party of seven men are now on trial for an outrage committed a week ago, and James Measure who has been employed by a physician of this city and was paid off yesterdy, on his way home was held up and robbed. Last night a party of men, their faces covered with white masks, visited the house of John McKee, dragged him out of doors and administered on his bare back a severe beating with switches. He recognized three white caps, and swore out warrants for them to-day. The names of the persons implicated have not been made public, but one is known to be that of a prominent physicisn.

WASHINGTON.

Dec. 27, Theodore Helms, living fifteen miles from Dayton was killed by a falling tree.

Loyd & Co., the leading mercantile firm of Ellensburg have failed with liabilities exceeding $150,-000.

On Dec. 26, Harry, son of A. R. Buford, of Walla Walla, was thrown from a colt and seriously injured.

C. C. Hodges and Garret Poe, of Tacoma, who went duck hunting Christmas, are supposed to have been drowned.

John Turner, while intoxicated, fell from the balcony of a hotel in Waitsburg, on Dec. 27, and will probably die from the injuries received.

In a quarrel at Ellensburg, on Christmas, Maxy Evans, colored, shot and killed James Henderson, janitor in the Nash block. Evans surrendered and is now in jail.

Heavy snows are reported as having fallen in the Big Bend country—with everything on runners, and the farmers are jubilant at the prospect of next season's crops.

Henry Clark, a resident of Waitsburg, was arrested in Walla Walla, Dec. 26 on a charge of forgery of three notes on Eli Rose, a prominent farmer near the latter city, aggregating $665. For want of bail he was sent to jail.

Mareil Bernier, died at his home on Newaukum prairie Dec. 26, at the age of 69 years. He was the first white child born in Washington, then Oregon Territory. He was born near Walla Walla, moved to British Columbia, and settled in Lewis county in 1844.

Col. Robert I. Stevens United States consul at Victoria, died suddenly of appoplexy at the residence of his son-in-law, Capt. I. A. Hatfield, in Seattle Dec. 25, where he had come to spend Christmas. He was married in 1840 to Caroline, the second daughter of Col. Baker, who fell in the disastrous battle of Ball's Bluff.

A few days ago a stranger hailing from Minnesota appeared here claiming to be on a hunt for a runaway wife and child, exhibiting a photograph of the man who ran away with his wife. It was soon discovered that the photograph was that of a methodist minister, going by the name of Bond, stationed on the Dixie circuit. Somehow the minister obtained word, and with the derelict wife immediately vanished. Bond had charge of the circuit named since September and had been in every way exemplary and successful.

A special telegram to the Portland *Oregonian* says: This afternoon on complaint of Dr. J. H. Turner a warrant was served on Ward Douglass, an insurance agent of Walla Walla, charging him with criminal assault with intention to commit rape on Miss Fannie Turner, on December 8. Defendant came into court and said he was prepared for trial, which, however was postponed till Monday. This is the beginning of legal investigations of the scandal case before mentioned, about which there has been much surmise and talk in this community.

OREGON.

The Oregon *Blade* says that diptheria of a very malignant type is reported to have made its appearance in Eagle valley.

Mrs. Mary M. Tureman died at Baker City, Dec. 22, aged 71 years. She was a pioneer in Eastern Oregon, and highly respected.

The City of Portland has purchased St. Helens hall, near the court house, for $100,000, upon which site the city will build a $200,000 court house.

The *Oregonian* says that N. G. Robinson, a citizen of Michigan, who was arrested and held in prison one day for scattering dodgers on the street, but discharged by Judge Tanner, has brought suit in the United States circuit court against the city of Portland for $4000 damages for false imprisonment.

CALIFORNIA.

The late storms in the orange belt have caused great destruction of property by overflows of rivers and other streams.

The floods have cut off the meat supply in San Francisco causing an advance on meat stock of all kinds of 1½ to 2 cents per pound.

For refusing him ten cents, Fred Gray, employed near Twelfth street bridge, Sacramento, was shot and seriously injured by a tramp who made his escape.

Edward W. Pierce, postmaster and a prominent business man of Turlock, was arrested Dec. 26, by the United States marshal to answer a charge of embezzling $2500 of postoffice funds.

It is thought the navigation of the Sacramento river is endangered by the late rains. It has been decided to incorporate a company with a capital of $200,000 at Sacramento, call a convention from all the counties of Northern California and petition for aid from the government.

California's traveling exhibit is at New Orleans. The exhibit showed at El Paso on December 18, and was visited by 2000 people. At San Antonio 8000 people visited the cars in two days.

The United States cruiser Charleston went into commission at Mare Island navy yard Dec. 26. The American jack and stars and stripes were hoisted, and the captain's pennant raised to the masthead.

On Dec. 22, by a sudden giving away of the supports of a drift of the 400 feet level in the Lane mine, owned by Hayward & Hobart, sixteen were buried by the fallen debris. All hope of rescuing the unfortunate men alive has been abandoned.

A disastrous fire broke out in the old Ignatius church building on Market street, San Francisco on the night of Dec. 27. Three women, Mrs. Crowell, Miss Copeland, and Ida, a washerwoman, perished in the flames. Jack McAuliffe, a fireman, fell to the ground, the ladder breaking. His injuries are probably fatal.

On the night of Dec. 22, at Tarentum, three men broke into the jewelry store of Paul Ruttet, and was in the act of carrying all the valuable goods off when surprised by Mrs. Ruttet, who pluckily grappled with one of the robbers, she was getting the best of him when one of the other men drew a revolver and blew the top of her head off, and escaped with the booty.

C. F. Montgomery and J. A. Hicks, deputy internal revenue collectors, have seized the winery, distillery, wines, brandies cooperage and personal property of Fresno Vineyard Company, amounting to $500,000. This is said to be the largest seizure ever made in California. L. P. Drexler, of San Francisco, is president of the company. It is claimed that the amount of brandy made and disposed of is in excess of that accounted for.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Emin Pasha has had a relapse and anxiety for his recovery is great.

Italian anarchists have posted placards in Lugana calling on Italians to follow the example of of Brazil and overthrow the monarchy.

A plan has been agreed upon by the native Congress at Bombey for a political organization for India, to be presented to the British Parliament.

Count Aloys Karolyi, former ambassador to Great Britain and Germany, died suddenly while hunting on his estate at Presburg, Hungary.

Private telegrams from Montevido confirm the news of recent disorders and riots in Brazil. They state that the situation of the present Brazilian government is critical.

Christmas was celebrated by the Indians of the Indian Territory the same as white people with a number of shooting affrays, in which some were killed and others seriously wounded.

Three Franciscian nuns at Dachau, near Munich, have been sentenced to imprisonment for short terms for practicing upon the credulity of a girl pupil and deceiving her by various illusions of a pretended supernatural character.

Charles W. Pierce, superintendent of lamps of the British Electric Light Co., of New York, has been indicted by the grand jury for manslaughter, in causing the death of Henry Harris by an electric shock from an electric lamp, Nov. 7.

Mrs. Delia Parnell, mother of Charles Stewart Parnell, states that she has received only one-quarter of the $5000 reported to have been presented to her, and that when all her obligations are met, there will be but a small margin left for future necessities.

Surgeon-General Hamilton has prepared a set of regulations to prevent the landing of any person afflicted with leprosy in the United States. Customs and other United States officials on duty at ports of entry are expressly directed not to allow the landing of any such persons.

At Steinville, Ind., George Easton, son of a hotel keeper, and John Douglass, a barber, indulged in a Christmas drunk. After being ordered out of a saloon and the door locked, they attempted to re-enter by kicking in the door, when George Buskirk, the proprietor fired both barrels of a shotgun fatally wounding both.

A cave occurred at Plaines, a suburb of Wilkesbarre, Pa., on Dec. 27. Without warning the surface of the earth settled and great holes presented themselves, some of them thirty feet deep. St. Leo's Catholic church, the parsonage and several other buildings were badly damaged. Several acres were affected.

A dispatch from London, Dec. 30, says the epidemic of influenza continues in Paris, and there is no sign of improvement. In Munich the disease is increasing. In Berlin it is accompanied by dengue fever, attended by rheumatism and a rise in temperature. Many of the officers of the Berlin garrison are affected. About one-third of the military workmen at Spandeau are ill with the disease.

HOMESTEAD RIGHT OF GUARDIAN.

Important Ruling By Secretary Noble in a Tacoma Land Contest.

Secretary Noble made an interesting decision in a homestead case from the state of Washington. It was the somewhat celebrated case of Swanson against Anderson. Anderson had entered the land under the homestead law and was fulfilling the law and its requirements when he became insane. He wandered away from home and has not since been seen. Of course the requirements of the homestead law have been neglected. Mathilda Olsen got a decree of the court of Pierce county declaring Anderson insane and naming herself as guardian. A man named Swanson filed on the land, but his claim was rejected by the land office. He appealed to the general office, holding that the law had not been complied with and that it had never been proven that Anderson was insane, as he could not be produced in court.

Secretary Noble denies his motion for a review of the case, and says that the land may be held by the guardian. The decree of the court appointing the guardian could only be attacked collatterly, and the burden of proof would be with Swainson. He must prove that Anderson was not insane. The case was regarded as important, as ruling on the rights of guardians in perfecting title.

INSECT PESTS DESTROYED.

The GAZETTE has been requested to publish the following results for a trial of a remedy for that destructive fruit pest, the Codlin moth. It is but the experience of a single trial by Mr. Rice. The remedy has been used before with varied success. It is cheap, easily applied and worthy of experiment by the fruit grower of Eastern Oregon:

M. L. Rice informs us of an experiment and its results that may prove of vast value to the fruit interests of the state. He has an apple tree that has for some years been infested with Codlin moth, almost every apple having a worm in it, and finally it was attacked by wooly aphis and the tree itself began to give signs of decay. It was some six inches in diameter, and Mr. Rice bored a hole in the tree to about the center, and filled it with sulphur, sealing it with wax. In order that it might be perfectly air tight he not only sealed it with wax, but bound a waxed cloth over the orifice. This he did last April when the sap was going up. It killed every sign and vestage of the aphis and there is not a worm in this year's crop of apples, while the tree has grown more vigorously than ever before. This is Mr. Rice's experience with one tree. It is worth the experimenting of others. We can vouch for Mr. Rice.—*Colusa Sun.*

THEIR REQUEST WILL BE GRANTED.

Special Tribunal to Weigh Evidence in Congressional Contests—No Pacific Coast Appointments Till 1890.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25.—[Oregonian special]—It is believed that the report of the Sioux commission, which will be out in a few days, will recommend important changes in the system of education of the Indians. The industrial training schools for Indians in the Eastern states and elsewhere away from the reservations may not be altogether like what the Sioux commission may have to say of education in its reports, according to the summary of it made public. Probably they will consider, to begin with, that the members of the commission have wandered out of their province in discussing this subject, inasmuch as they were appointed to purchase Sioux lands, but as a fact it turned out that a good deal of the debate on this purchase turned on the obligations of the government to provide schools. The commissioners are understood to hold that the reservations are the proper sites for educational institutions, and the money now expended on the Carlisle and other famous Eastern schools would be more productive of good if these institutions were established near the tribes. The eight schools at Carlisle, Pa., Lawrence, Kan., Genoa, Neb., Chilloceo, Indian Territory, Chimawa, Or., Hampton, Va., Philadelphia, and at the Flathead reservation in Montana have a capacity for a little more than 2,500 pupils. The annual cost to the government is about $825,000.

The Indians who have been here asked that schools be built on the reservations, saying that the expense of taking their children to school away from the reservation is so great that the aggregate sum would soon build houses on their reservations. The report of the commission discusses the situation as regards the Indians in Minnesota, the Dakotas, Montana, Washington, California, and the Indian reservations.

Eloping Chinaman Caught.

NEW YORK, Dec. 27—Chu Fong, a young school teacher and interpreter who eloped with a white girl a week ago, after having obtained from Chinese merchants and others some $5000, has been caught.

Mrs. George H. Thomas Dead.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 26—The widow of General George H. Thomas died suddenly last night at her residence here. She passed away as quietly as did her distinguished husband nineteen years ago at San Francisco.

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At least, and in order to benefit our friends who secure new subscriptions, we have prepared a Mammoth List of Premiums.

HERE ARE A FEW OF THEM.

For 200 new subscribers to the Heppner *Gazette* at $2.00 apiece, we will give a good two-horse farm wagon (3½ inch axle), worth $100. The getter-up of a club has the choic of any make in the market.

190 subscribers secures a good lot in the Looney additon. Will sell for $250 in one year.

180 subscribers, one walnut bedroom set and sofa, worth $90.

170 subscribers, $85 worth of provisions from Heppner's stores.

160 subscribers, an $80 organ—plain finish. A good instrument.

150 subscribers, a gang plow—best make.

140 subscribers, a good road cart, harness and genuine whalebone whip, worth $80.

130 subscribers, one fine San Jose saddle, silver inlaid handmade Mexican spurs and a pair of "chaps", worth at the lowest market price $65.

120 subscribers, $60 worth of merchandise.

110 subscribers, a New Home sewing machine, walnut finish, seven drawers. Attachments go with machines. Worth $55.

100 subscribers, an American Union sewing machine with attachments. A fine high-arm machine made by the New Home Co. It is worth $50. The same number of subscribers will take a "Triumph" cooking range and outfit. Price $50.

90 subscribers, a good $45 saddle and a quirt—a set of double buggy harness, or a ladies gold watch.

75 subscribers, a silk dress pattern, worth $37.50.

70 subscribers, a set of work harness, worth $35.00.

65 subscribers, a New Model Winchester 40-60 cal., and fullreloading outfit, worth $32.50.

60 subscribers, takes a fine coin silver hunting case watch, worth, $30.

55 subscribers, a fine side-saddle and bridle—full outfit.

50 subscribers, a good baby carriage, worth $25.

48 subscribers, 20 yards of black cassimere—two dress patterns, worth $24.

45 subscribers takes a New Model Winchester, 40-70 cal.

44 subscribers, a Marlan rifle, worth $22.

43 subscribers, a colts revolver, 45 cal., blued or nickle plated. A fine gun for a stockman or cowboy, worth $21.50.

42 subscribers, silver mounted, hand-made, Spanish bits, and a pair of California "chaps," worth $21.

40 subscribers, a ladies side-saddle—a Winchester rifle or a solid coin silver watch.

38 subscribers, a splendid sofa.

36 subscribers, a 44 cal., silver mounted Smith & Wesson revolver.

34 subscribers, a 45—70 Winchester rifle, model "73." $17.

32 subscribers, a 38 cal. Colts' revolver, 4½ inch barrel. A beauty. Worth $16.50.

30 subscribers, a suit of clothes, all wool and custom made. A suit that retails almost anywhere for $20. This number of subscribers is also good for a set of triple plated knives, forks and tea spoons.

28 subscribers, a neat and well finished bedstead worth $15.

26 subscribers, a pair of genuine coin silver bits, or set of parlor chairs—grand premiums, either worth $13.

24 subscribers takes away $11 worth of merchandise.

20 subscribers, a Seth Thomas clock, worth $10.

16 subscribers, a beautiful plush toilet set. Cheap at $12.

16 subscribers, a cowboy's hat, Stetson's make, and two pounds of the best chewing tobacco.

14 subscribers, a cowboy's hat, Stetson's.

13 subscribers takes 6 sacks of Heppner flour or a pair of boots, either worth $6.

10 subscribers is good for $5 worth of millinery goods or merchandise.

9 subscribers, a barrel of the "Peerless" flour; worth $4.50.

8 subscribers, a barrel of Heppner flour, a nice plush photograph album or a pair of men's or ladies shoes.

6 subscribers, a set of silver-plated tea spoons or a gentleman's hat worth $3.

5 subscribers takes a box of cigars, a pair of rolled gold-plate sleeve-buttons or a good buggy-whip.

4 subscribers, a neat photograph album or a year's subscription to the Heppner GAZETTE.

3 subscribers will take any article in the market worth $1.50

2 subscribers, $1 worth of C sugar or a pocket knife, autograph album, etc., etc.

An old subscriber who brings in a cash subscriber will get a premium worth 50 cents.

There is no end to the List of Premiums. We have only named a few of the many hundred Premiums which can be secured by a little work in your respective neighborhood In working for the

HEPPNER GAZETTE

You represent a Live Paper—one that is well established and which never fails to Give News—in fact, it is what it purports to be—a NEWSPAPER. Every family must have a newspaper and any one can secure Valuable Premiums with a little effort. If you do not want those offered, you have the privilege of taking something else. If you have Cash Subscribers enough, you will have no trouble to load yourself down with wares from Heppner's stores.

THIS IS NO "FAKE." WE MUST HAVE MORE SUBSCRIBERS FOR

THE GAZETTE,

MORE READERS OF NEWS.

Write to the

GAZETTE OFFICE

for Sample Copies and go to work at once.

THIS OFFER STILL REMAINS IN FULL FORCE!

Those getting up Clubs

Can have Cash in lieu of Premiums, if so desired.