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Friday - February 15, 1889.

THE LARGEST!

Number of inches of Advertisements in the TELEPHONE-REGISTER last week, 3226.

Number of inches of Advertisements in the Yamhill Reporter last week, 246.

Number of Ems of News in the TELEPHONE-REGISTER last week, 66,915.

Number of Ems of News in the Yamhill Reporter last week, 63,022.

Which is the best paper? The people answer, "The Telephone-Register, by far."

NOTICE.

Mr. L. D. Mulkey is not authorized by the proprietors of this paper to collect or take subscriptions for us. He is working in the interests of the Yamhill Reporter and we would advise the proprietor of that paper to discharge him immediately. A week or so ago he was canvassing for the Reporter in the neighborhood of Westland and stated to Mr. V. Scott of that place that he was authorized to receive subscriptions for the TELEPHONE-REGISTER. Mr. Scott wanted the TELEPHONE-REGISTER and Mr. Mulkey accepted his name and the Reporter has been mailed to him regularly since, until yesterday Mr. Scott called at this office and informed us of the transaction and also informed the Reporter that he did not desire that sheet. If the editor of the Reporter will discontinue such transactions he deserves the contempt of every honest man in the county. Several people have declined to take that paper from Mulkey but their names have been entered upon the books. The Reporter may continue to do business with the people of Yamhill county in this way but the TELEPHONE-REGISTER declines to do so. This paper has gained its popularity by square dealing and by furnishing all the news and it intends to keep on doing so.

OPENLY TO THE PEOPLE.

The Yamhill Reporter makes the following offer through the canvasser Mulkey:

To all persons who are subscribers to the TELEPHONE-REGISTER and have paid in advance they offer their sheet free for the time of the paid subscription to this paper if the subscriber will drop the TELEPHONE-REGISTER now. We have not yet received notice from anyone to stop their paper so we think the scheme does not work.

We make the same offer to subscribers of the Reporter, but do it openly and make a better offer. To all persons who have paid in advance not more than three months on this backsheet we will double their time on that paper if they will subscribe for THE TELEPHONE-REGISTER. In other words if you desire to stop your paper, having paid three months in advance or less, THE TELEPHONE-REGISTER will be sent to your address for six months or less, just double your subscription due you on the Reporter. We have no canvassers out to throw slurs on anyone but we make all our business propositions to the people of Yamhill county openly through the columns of this paper. A backsliding democrat is a peculiar individual and we are now observing his habits carefully. He is a whole menagerie.

In the Michigan legislature a bill has been introduced to protect innocent and unsuspecting male citizens of that state against the wiles of adventresses who may attempt to marry them for their money.

Sidewalks present a pitiful appearance. The property owners should build them immediately and not wait for orders from the street commissioner. The Cook house drainage question is in the same state as it was several months ago. Thousands of dollars can be spent to an advantage on our streets.

Secretary of State Bayard has requested the resignation of H. M. Sewall, consul-general to the Samoan Islands. This appears to be a wrong move. Mr. Bayard, in the Samoan difficulty is not displaying the common sense which he was born with. He is too timid to be the chief diplomat of this nation.

Since Mr. Zerkle, of this city, won \$200 in the Louisiana lottery, several of our citizens have invested in the scheme. If they live to be 10,000 years old and spend \$1 per month in the lottery they will stand a chance of drawing \$200. It is like going to Seattle to invest and earning the money to invest in Yamhill.

One amendment to the charter provides for the county roads running through the town to be under the jurisdiction of the city. There is a kick about that amendment also. Under the present charter street sewerage could not be laid on Third street. By all means the city should have the control of the streets within the corporate limits.

From Canadian papers the impression is gained that the people of Canada favor annexation and that if that country is annexed to the United States it will soon be done. It is rumored the government intends to submit the question to the people. It would be a good scheme, although the Canadian debt runs away up in the hundreds of millions.

How much of a bonus will the citizens of this city be willing to give for a wool-mill to be established at this place? We would like to hear from the people on this subject. Someone give their views on the matter through the columns of this paper.

Several renters on Third street have appealed time and time again to their landlords to have the rear yards cleaned up. They have refused to do so, and overflowing water closets grow and prosper year by year. The persons owning property should be more careful. They will be the cause of several deaths in this city during the summer if they do not clean up.

The Blaine family is growing more prominent every day. Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., has just signed a three years' contract with a theatrical manager. She knows about as much of the stage as a sunbeam. James G. Blaine, Jr., has signed a contract as apprentice in a locomotive works. James G. Blaine, Sr., has signed a four years' contract with Harrison. His duty is too run the government. Is there another Blaine?

The spring is almost upon us and if the city intends to improve it is about time it was doing it. The new city jail was referred to a committee and that committee has not yet made any evident progress in the matter. A new jail is needed and must be built. The committee should do some work on it. Waterworks have died a natural death. Let us revive it and have them. The health of the city demands immediate attention.

On the local page in the proceedings of the county court you will notice the order of the county court for the conveyance to the city of Lafayette all the county property at that place. This is just as it should be, and we are pleased to see it done. If the trustees of Lafayette use this property right, they can by it induce a college, manufactory or some other paying interests to locate there which in the end will benefit that city more than the county seat ever would.

The editor of the Prineville News has commenced suit against several delinquent subscribers. He should be successful in every instance, and the delinquents mulcted in heavy damages. Some men will take a newspaper for years, receive great benefit, and when asked to pay for what they have received, will evade this honest debt in every possible way. Editors most firmly believe in a place of future punishment, as a moral necessity to harmonize God's plan and meet the requirements of eternal justice.—T. M.

Samoa, which attracts a deal of attention at present, consists of a group of islands of volcanic origin in the South Pacific, 3700 miles from San Francisco and 3000 miles from Sidney. These islands are amazingly fertile. Cotton of fine quality is produced, as well as tobacco, coffee, pepper, lemons, oranges, and many other products. Vast coconut plantations exist there also, the principle exports consisting of dried copra and coconut oil. Cattle and hogs are raised in abundance. The population numbers about 40,000, but a few hundreds of which are white.

Senator Wagner has introduced a very important bill in the senate to regulate the foreclosure of mortgages, etc. It provides that when any tax becomes due upon any debt, mortgage, deed or trust, etc., the tax shall be paid in the first instance by the owner of the instrument or the obligee therein; but if the tax is not fully paid by the time of its delinquency, the maker or obligor becomes liable for the tax. Any provision in the obligation by which the maker specially agrees to pay the taxes is declared void. No suit for the foreclosure of a mortgage, deed of trust, contract, or other obligation, whereby land or real property situated in the state is made security for the payment of a debt, shall be maintained unless the plaintiff proves that all taxes are paid.

It is announced that Sir Julian Pauncefote, permanent under secretary of state for the foreign office, has been appointed British minister to the United States. Although the report is not officially confirmed, it is credited to the foreign office. The appointment is creating intense irritation in British diplomatic circles as a departure from the rule of succession in appointments according to rank in the service. Sir Julian Pauncefote is a lawyer, not a diplomat, and was never attached to any embassy. He was appointed to his present post on account of his extensive knowledge of the legal bearings of treaties.

As his present salary is only £2000 yearly the new appointment is a desirable one, the salary of the minister at Washington being £6000.

The new British minister is sixty years old, and for the past twelve years held the office of permanent under secretary of state for foreign affairs. He was nominated as a barrister of the Inner Temple in 1852. In 1865 he was appointed attorney-general of the colony of Hong Kong, and from 1869 to 1874 acted as chief justice for that dependency, and subsequently in the Leeward Islands. In 1874 he was promoted to the post of under secretary of state for the colonies, and two years later his remarkable attainments in the department of International law led to his appointment as under secretary of state to the foreign office. Knighted in 1874, he has since then received the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George and the Order of the Bath. He married in 1858 Selina, the daughter of the late Major Cubitt, the founder of whose family was a famous lord mayor of London. Sir Julian is a member of Arthur's and of several good London clubs, and is recognized as one of the most distinguished authorities of the day on international law.

It seems strange that whenever a proceeding is begun which will lead to improvements in this city, that a remonstrance is always on hand to be brought against it. It is nearly always signed by the same people and it is always against improvements of any kind. McMinnville is just at the turning point of her career and the least thing which is brought to bear against improvements will give her a set back which will be felt for the next ten years. A few amendments have been made in the charter and it is now before the legislative to be passed upon and in all probability will be defeated by the efforts of a few who are opposed to anything which will make McMinnville anything different than the mud hole she is at present. Several of her men who have signed the remonstrance and are now engaged in the pleasant avocation of kicking do not pay one dollar of city tax although living in the city and being worth \$5000.

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Notice of Appointment of Administratrix.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Lucretia M. Austen, has been duly appointed by the county court of Yamhill county, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of the late P. A. Austin, deceased.

Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned at the law office of Fenton & Fen-ton, at McMinnville, Yamhill county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 14th day of February, 1889. LUCRETIA M. AUSTEN, Administratrix of said Estate. FENTON & FENTON, Attorneys for Estate. 2-54

Notice of Dissolution of Copartnership.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, M. B. Hendrick and M. E. Hendrick, under the firm name and style of M. B. Hendrick & Son, at Amity, Yamhill county, Oregon, has been dissolved by mutual consent, said M. B. Hendrick having sold and transferred all his interest in said firm and the business and property thereof to said M. E. Hendrick.

The business will be carried on by M. E. Hendrick, assuming the payments of all the just debts and liabilities of the said firm, and all claims and demands due said firm are to be paid to him, the said M. E. Hendrick, on or before the 15th day of February, 1889. M. B. HENDRICK, 2-54 M. E. HENDRICK.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY. Oregon, Feb. 7th, 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 at McMinnville, Oregon, on Friday, April 13th, 1889, viz: Orville L. Deane, homestead entry No. 1849, for the s 1/2 of n 1 and w 1/2 of s 1/2 of sec 2, 2 & 5 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: R. Anderson, D. Richardson, F. Anderson, and M. Martin, all of North Yamhill, Yamhill county, Oregon.

Any person who desires to protest against the allowance of such proof, or who knows of any substantial error, shall file the same and the regulations of the Interior Department, which such protest should not be allowed, will give an opportunity as above mentioned, at the time and place to cross-examine the witnesses of said claimant, and to offer evidence in rebuttal of that submitted by claimant. W. T. BURNETT, Register. 2-64

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