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Friday, October 25, 1889. No town in the states has in prospect a fairer future than McMinnville.

A row in the republican camp will be one of the features of the coming campaign.

McMinnville is the only town in the state that owns and operates an electrical and water plant.

We believe that the attention of the press and people of this county should be called to the fact that the assessment of Yamhill county this year has decreased some \$40,000 from last year's assessment.

The success of McMinnville is assured. At last emigrants are flocking in by the tens. Before a year they will come by the hundreds and it is likely that in five years they will be coming by the thousands.

The state officials who want to succeed themselves have started on a hand-shaking expedition through the state. They will undoubtedly visit this section in the future; several of them are now in Southern Oregon.

President Harrison has appointed an older relative, a former democratic member of the house to a good position. He has made him a member of the Venezuelan commission. He is Gen's second cousin. The ties of consanguinity are stronger than the ties of partisanship.

Perhaps the oldest grave of a white man in Oregon is in Astoria, on which is chiseled on a rough sandstone slab the name of Alexander McTavish, drowned in crossing the Columbia in 1814. The deceased was one of those Scotch members of the Hudson Bay Co., who led the van of civilization in the Northwest.

The whirligig of time turns things topsy turvy. It has knocked the bloody shirt into smithereens. Evidence: Testimonials to the prowess of Billy Mahone, as a Confederate brigadier, are being circulated in Virginia to induce voters to vote for him for governor. He is the republican candidate for governor.

John Roach, an old campaigner who draws a pension from the British government, boasted in a Tonawanda (N. Y.) saloon that he could beat the world in drinking whiskey. On a wager Roach drank a quart of rye in just two and one-half minutes. He called for a drink more but before it was measured he dropped dead. Prohibitionists please make a note of this.

In accordance with a decision made in a personal letter to him from Secretary Noble, Senator Manderson, of Nebraska, has surrendered the certificate of re-appointing, issued him by Corporal Tanner, and will not call for the \$4,000 back pay. Instead of receiving \$90 a month he will receive \$15, his former pension. The secretary has virtually decided that unsolicited reappointments are illegal. If the administration wants a good and efficient pension commissioner appoint Gen. John C. Black.

The department of state is officially informed that the executive power of the Argentine Republic has lain before the congress a draft of a law dividing 750,000,000 acres of government land, in the territory of Chubut, into small holdings, of from 500 to 1,000 acres each, and offering the same for sale at from \$1 to \$3 national money, per hectare (about 2 1/2 acres). It is proposed to divide the whole area into ten sections, one allotted to Argentine settlers, and the others, respectively, to the different nationalities of Europe supplying immigrants to the Argentine Republic.

An Eastern religious journal recently made the following suggestion: "Instead of the last Thursday in November which has no significance in itself, October 12th should be designated. It is the anniversary of the landing of Columbus. Pumpkins are ripe, and turkeys can be caught to prepare for the guillotine a month earlier. And as for the weather, mid-October is much more conducive to thankfulness than the tail-end of bleak November." If the Eastern states had the climate of Oregon there would be no necessity of the change. An Oregon Thanksgiving is usually an Eastern early September day.

The president has appointed Gen. Green B. Raum, of Illinois, commissioner of pensions in place of Tanner. This appointment was a surprise to everyone. General Raum was born in Illinois, and is 60 years of age. He served through the war in the Western army, with Grant at Vicksburg, and was wounded at the battle of Chattanooga. He was made brigadier-general in February, 1865. Since the war he has served terms in congress and been commissioner of internal revenue. Of late years, Gen. Raum has been engaged in extensive law practice at the national capital, and no doubt by this time knows how to make both ends meet while pension commissioner. He is blessed with a Tanner mouth?

ELECTRICITY IN WARFARE.

The greatest known depth of the sea is in the South Atlantic ocean, midway between the island of Tristan d'Acunha and the mouth of the Rio de la Plata. The bottom was there reached at a depth of 40,236 feet, or 8 1/2 miles, exceeding by more than 18,000 feet the height of Mt. Everest, the loftiest mountain in the world. In the North Atlantic ocean, south of Newfoundland, soundings have been made to a depth of 4580 fathoms, or 27,480 feet, while depths equalling 37,000 feet, or 6 1/2 miles, are reported south of the Bermuda islands. The average depth of the Pacific ocean between Japan and California is a little over 2000 fathoms; between Chili and the Sandwich islands, 2500 fathoms; and between Chili and New Zealand, 1540 fathoms. The average depth of all the oceans is from 2000 to 2500 feet.

In the October Scribner appeared a very interesting article on electricity in warfare, written by Lieut. John Mills. In speaking of photographing cannon balls in flight he says: "Photographs of the interior of the gun are taken by means of the electric light, and the information obtained by these means is most valuable, and is manifestly more satisfactory than that given by the method of taking impressions of the bore in soft rubber. Photography has also been made use of in studying the motion of the projectile. In the case of large guns instantaneous views of the shot during its flight have been successfully taken by means of a camera provided with a quick-acting shutter. This method is not applicable, however, to small arms. A rifle bullet is a very small object, and the camera must be very near its path in order to obtain a true sufficient size to be of use; but the nearer the instrument is placed to the more rapid is the image over the plate, and no 'instantaneous' or quick-acting shutter could possibly be made to operate with sufficient rapidity, or at the proper instant, to give a sharply defined picture. The desired end is accomplished, however, by the aid of electricity. The camera is provided with an extremely sensitive plate and placed in a dark room, through which the bullet is made to pass. The instant the bullet is in front of the camera it breaks an electric circuit, producing a spark which illuminates the bullet for an instant, and its image is impressed upon the sensitive plate. The duration of the electric spark is almost infinitesimal, and since the plate is affected only during the continuance of the spark, a well defined photograph of an object moving at a greater velocity than that of sound is obtained. Such pictures show the condensation of the air in front of the bullet, the vacuum behind it, and the eddies and currents produced in the surrounding atmosphere by its motion; and they afford information which is of value in determining the best shape to be given to the projectile in order to reduce to a minimum the resistance which the air opposes to its flight and so increase its range and effect."

By virtue of authority of an execution and an order of sale duly issued out of the circuit court of the state of Oregon, for Yamhill county, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1889, upon a decree of foreclosure duly rendered, enrolled and docketed in the clerk's office in said county, on the 24th day of September, A. D. 1889, in favor of John Aspinwall, plaintiff, against George L. W. Burton, George L. W. Burton and E. J. Burdette, defendants, for the sum of \$12,000 twelve thousand dollars, U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon from December 1st, 1887, at the rate of ten per cent per annum, and the further sum of \$50 attorneys' fees, and the costs and disbursements of this suit taxed at \$2.50, and accruing costs. I did on the 21st day of October, A. D. 1889, (as by law provided) duly seize and levy upon the following described real premises, described in said decree and order of sale, to-wit: The Alford Job donation land claim, being designated as claim No. 51, and parts of sections 32 and 31, in township 2 north, range 4 west of the Willamette meridian, and claim No. 78, being parts of sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 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AMILICARE CIPRIANI. The most striking figure, from a physical point of view, at the recent workingmen's congress in Paris was that of Amilicare Cipriani, says the London Star. Cipriani was born at Rimini in the year 1844. Nominally he is a journalist; actually he is a fighter. A socialist since he was 15 years old, he has for thirty years fought and suffered. Twice he has been condemned to death, once to New Caledonia for life—actually ten years; to twenty-five years' hard labor in Italy—actually eight (chained to a log). He was delivered from this last by the persistence of the Italian people, who nine times elected him deputy. To defend his people against the triple alliance of Russia, Germany, Austria, on the one hand, and against Boulangerism on the other hand, Cipriani has started a universal federation of the people—a movement that has already spread widely in Italy, France, Spain and Portugal. He is a giant in physique, but with a beautiful tenderness of manner. His eyes, hair and beard are black, and the last two are graying here and there. He speaks French perfectly and with great energy and fire.

A NEW CANDIDATE. Mr. Harvey Scott has retired—ostensibly—from the editorship of the Oregonian, for the purpose, it is generally supposed, of becoming a candidate for the United States senate next year against Senator Mitchell. Mr. Scott has fairly "earned" the promotion. He has abandoned the principle of a life-time; he "supported" candidates from president down to constable, whom he has denounced as dishonest, incompetent and dangerous; he has bowed his head and bent his journalistic course abjectly for a year and a half now to the dictates of the Simon-Dolph ring; has forsaken honest and independent journalism and become the sycophantic servant and tool of every scheme of plunder, corruption; he has also made a great deal of money. Why should he not be senator?—E. O.

President Eliot, of Hartford, renounces the republican party and in a neat speech said he was henceforth a democrat and party wholy. He said the principles of the party were the principles of his own earnest conviction. Contrasting Cleveland's administration with Harrison's he declared the latter could not bear the comparison. He praised Cleveland for being the first to stem the tide of vast expenditures in the pension office. He had prevented a waste of the nation's wealth at the sacrifice of his political welfare. While on the subject of pensions President Eliot said that so far as himself was concerned he was in favor of pensioning not only soldiers, but old office-holders who had outlived their usefulness after faithfully serving the nation; and not only them, but school-teachers and all other persons included in the category of servants of the republic. But in these days of pension extravagance, an old and inveterate pensioner in the application for and granting of pensions, it was impossible, he declared, to tell the difference between the fraudulent paupers and the honest sufferers from wounds sustained or diseases contracted in the war.

A most remarkable engineering project was suggested at the recent meeting of the iron and steel institute in Paris. This is nothing less than the erection of a great bridge between France and England, from Cape Grimes to Folkestone. An idea of what is involved in this gigantic undertaking may be gathered from some estimates prepared by the proposers of the project. The length of the bridge would be 24 miles, the number of piers 120, the headway for ships 180 feet, and the height from the foundation to the top of the structure 600 feet. It is proposed to build the bridge entirely of steel. To do this 1,000,000 tons of steel would be required, and the cost of the bridge, it is estimated, would amount to about \$175,000,000.

The following is a definition of the tariff published in the Boston Transcript: "It is a compact under which the people agree to starve rather than eat the fruit that hangs over the wall between themselves and their neighbors' gardens, in order that Farmer Jones, down at the corners may get a better price for his apples."

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