

TOPICS OF THE DAY.

There are 15,000 mortgages on record in Linn County. Thermometers marked 98 and 100 at Walla Walla the 24 inst.

Lane county has \$7,968.03 in her treasury after all outstanding orders are paid.

The King county W. T. assessment roll foots up \$2,780,195. Taxation amounts to \$120,781.

The auditor of King county issued 65 marriage licenses during the first six months of the present year.

The first white woman ever buried in Oregon was the wife of Rev. Jason Lee, who died at Salem in 1883.

The Carbonado coal mines are employing about 300 men, white and Chinese, and a good output is being made.

A crowd of Indians camped near Dallas organized a cutting affray. One of them by the name of Willie Smith received severe cuts.

A Nez Perce Indian preached to the Umatillas at Winnum's house on the reservation Sunday. He preached of Jesus Christ on a Protestant platform.

On last Monday at Union a stranger got drunk and laid down on a bridge and rolled off into the water where it was about ten inches deep, and was drowned.

J. J. Martin, who tried to pass a forged bill on Werning & Boscow, and who was put in jail at Hillsboro, has made his escape by cutting out with a jack-knife.

Over 600 hundred sea lions have been killed on Port Orford reef this season by the sealing vessels Sierra and Laura. About 3000 gallons of oil have been secured, also some fur seals and otters.

The last spike on the road which runs from St. Paul, Minn., to Portland, will be driven on September 8th at a point fifty miles west of Helena, but it will not be open to the public in its entirety until after the ceremonies on the 8th of next month.

Mr. Harry Ploeger, of Empire City, has a watch supposed to be 451 years old, which he has lately repaired and put in running order. It is a gold repeater, and strikes the hour, quarter and half. The works are without jewels, and in the case is a metal bell with the date 1432. Harry has had the watch repaired and restored to usefulness, and is much pleased with the old curiosity.

The clerk for the committee of ways and means has furnished the following analysis of the public debt statement for July. The close of the first month of the new fiscal year shows a reduction in the public debt since July 1 of \$8,000,000, in round numbers. This reduction, however, is not real, in a sense that the obligations to the amount named have been discharged, and the debt columns show no real change worth noticing since the beginning of the month. The reduction is produced by the payment of about \$8,000,000 for accrued interest, and an increase of about \$5,000,000 available cash balance, which is now \$155,727,196. The treasury has now nearly \$203,000,000 in gold coin and gold bullion, an increase during the month of nearly \$5,000,000. Against the gold fund there is outstanding \$60,000,000 gold certificates, an increase of \$21,000,000 for the month. The accumulation of standard silver dollars in the treasury goes steadily forward, the number of these pieces now held being over \$113,000,000, against which there is outstanding nearly \$74,000,000 in certificates. Of \$2,300,000 silver dollars coined in July, each half went into the treasury, including \$28,000,000 of fractional currency. The weight of silver coin now in the treasury is 5,84 tons. The receipts of money compared with those for July, 1882, show a falling off of over \$4,250,000. This loss is mainly an internal revenue receipts, which the operation of the new tax law, by which the tobacco tax has been reduced one-half and certain other taxes abolished, will explain. In the custom receipts, there was an increase over last July of nearly \$1,000,000, caused by a reduction of duties on merchandise which was held in bond until after July 1, in order to secure the benefit of reduced rates under the new tariff act.

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FINAL PROOF.

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 Clerk of Yamhill County at Lafayette, Oregon, on Thursday, Aug. 27, 1883, viz: Ruth A. Holdridge, Homestead Entry No. 3177 for the Lot 1 of Sec. 7 T. 5 S. R. 3 W.

Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land. U. S. Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, June 28, 1883.

Notice is hereby given that John H. Jackson of Clatsop Co., Oregon, has made application to purchase the S. 1-2 of S. W. 1-4 of Sec. No. 39, Township No. 2 South of Range No. 10 W. W. Mer., under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3rd, 1878, entitled "An Act for the Sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and in Washington Territory."

Notice of Final Proof. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, June 23rd, 1883.

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 Clerk of Yamhill County, at Lafayette, Oregon, on Tuesday, Aug. 14, 1883, viz: Sam'l Robbins, Homestead Entry No. 2,236 for the N W 1-4 of S W 1-4 of Sec. 2, T 8 S R 4 W.

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