

## STATE AND TERRITORIAL.

Wood \$9 a cord in Lewiston, Idaho. A good many idle men through the Sound cities.

Trains are still snow-bound in the Blue Mountains.

Wheat \$1.35 per bushel at Tacoma. Flour \$5.80 to \$6.50.

The Chinese at work on the railroads in Eastern Oregon are accepting the situation at 80 cents per day.

Counting over a band of 16,000 sheep in Eastern Oregon, it is found that less than 40 died during the winter.

One thousand dozen of eggs in the hands of ranchers on the Nooksack, W. T., and no way of getting them to market.

Settlers in Pacific county, W. T., on the peninsula between the ocean and Shoalwater Bay, are going into cranberry culture on a large scale.

Last week Prineville had a narrow escape from a conflagration. That the fire was started by some evil-minded person, appears to be beyond doubt.

The Northern Pacific Coal Company was badly outgunned in the Holston Land Office last week, while trying to gobble some Bull mountain coal land.

The harbor of Draton, W. T., is the most northerly one on Puget Sound. It has an area of 3700 acres at low tide and extends to the southern boundary of British Columbia.

It is reported from Seattle that the recently discharged railway employees if not paid on a second demand will attach company property. The company owe these men \$60,000.

The Whatcom, W. T., Reveille reports the probable opening of a coal mine on Lake Whatcom, and the building of a railroad to it from Bellingham Bay for the shipment of its product.

During the recent spell of cold weather the stock throughout Lane County suffered considerable, and a few perished. If the snow had continued ten days longer the loss would have been great.

From the Coos Bay, Oregon, News we glean the following items: The keel of the new vessel being built at North Bend is one piece of timber, and measures 165 feet in length. Trees grow high on Coos Bay.

Big kick in Whatcom county, W. T., there is a ton of mail accumulated at the New Whatcom postoffice for towns along the Nooksack, which the mail contractor, Victor Roeder, refuses to carry, because, as he alleges, there is no money in his route.

Says the Spokane Falls Chronicle: Beef sells at fifty cents per pound. Venison is becoming scarcer. Snow is so deep there that nothing is being done to open the mines, but every one is busy building cabins and clearing timber away. Laborers are in demand at \$5 a day.

Says the Independence West Side: With the completion of the O. P. R. R. from Corvallis to Yaquina Bay, the people will have the benefit of what we deem will be truly a competing line. Colonel Hogg certainly deserves credit for the persistent and indefatigable energy with which he has brought up the work thus far under so many adverse circumstances. We have the assurance that early in October next the road will be completed.

Printers heretofore have loathly declared their freedom from the encroachment of the Chinese into the domain of "type-sticking," but recently one of the pagans invaded the Olympia Courier composing room, captured a case and went boldly to work on the hieroglyphics of the writer, and quickly demonstrated his ability to do good and rapid work as a compositor. He says he learned the trade in China, however, he has not applied for a "sit" as a "regular" or a "sub."

From parties down from Whatcom this morning, says the Tacoma News of the 27th, we gather the particulars of a fiendish murder, committed last Sunday. J. C. Bell, proprietor of a small store about two miles from the Nooksack, was the victim, and it is believed he was killed for the purpose of robbery. Some of his neighbors discovered the building on fire and reached the place in time to drag the body of Mr. Bell from the house. It was then discovered that he was shot through the head, the ball entering just above his right eye. No clue to the murderers.

Speaking of the wreck of the Lizzie Marshall, the Port Townsend Argus says: The Indians of the west coast where the vessel went ashore are reported to be the most despicably wicked and mean, taking the clothing off the backs of the poor seamen, and having apparently but one aim, viz: to get everything of value. Mrs. Bergman and the crew saved only the clothing on their backs at the time of the wreck and the Indians even went so far as to refuse to give them any of the provisions that drifted ashore, until frightened into doing so by threats that a man of war would be sent there. During the first night the vessel was in danger, a steamer came close and whistled. A flash light was shown on the bank, but the tug failed to see it. At that time the vessel could have been saved.

Some time ago, A. M. Cannon and J. J. Brown skipped quietly out of Spokane Falls, and disappeared in the direction of New York. The object they had in view has now developed—petitioning Congress for the right to incorporate a company to build a railway between Spokane Falls and the Cour d'Alene mines. The petition sets forth that an extensive and valuable mining region has been discovered recently at the head waters of the Cour d'Alene, Idaho Territory, to which a large and increasing population is now tending; that the district is now without railroad and other transportation facilities; that the most available route by which the district can be reached would be a line from Spokane Falls, W. T., easterly via Cour d'Alene lake and the Spokane and Cour d'Alene valleys, with branch lines to several mining districts the length of which would be about seventy-five miles; that the Cour d'Alene, Spokane, St. Joseph and St. Mary's rivers, and Cour lake, contain navigable waters which could be used in connection with the railroad, and that there is no law in Idaho under which a railroad company can be incorporated.

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## A MARVELOUS STORY

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**FROM THE SON:** "28 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 28, 1882.  
"Gentlemen: My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the enclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

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has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

**FROM THE FATHER:** "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

**Ayer's Sarsaparilla.**

Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and scrofulous sores. The humor caused an incessant and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to cause the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the Sarsaparilla in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 75 years of age. Many inquiries what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 21, 1882. Yours gratefully, HIRSH PHILLIPS."

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HORACE FAIRBROTHER,  
Rockingham, Vt., July 15, 1882.

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"While in the country last winter my little boy, three years old, was taken ill with croup; it seemed as if he would die from strangulation. One of the family suggested the use of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, a bottle of which was always kept in the house. This was tried in small and frequent doses, and with delight in less than half an hour the little patient was breathing easily. The doctor said that the CHERRY PECTORAL had saved my darling's life. Can you wonder at our gratitude? Sincerely yours,  
MRS. EMMA GEDNEY,  
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## FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, January 30, 1884.

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 Monday, March 17, 1884, viz: William B. Gilpin, Homestead Entry No. 3260, for the E 1-2 of N E 1-4 of Sec 24, T 2 S, R 4 West.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: C. H. Parker and James A. Gerrish, of Gaston, and Alfred Flory, of Wapato, Washington County, and Jas. W. L. Hutt, of North Yamhill, Yamhill County, all of Oregon.  
L. T. BARIN, Register.

## Notice to the Public.

Notice is hereby given that A. H. Hodson holds a note against the firm of Jones, Hill & Co., for the sum of \$91.45, given on or about April 1st 1882. That there was no value received for said note by Jones Hill & Co., and that they have sold the same to the undersigned, who will not pay the same.  
JONES, HILL & CO.,  
McMinnville, Jan. 24, '84—45w4.

## SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Yamhill County.

JOHN PETCH  
vs  
THOMAS BARNES,  
AMELIA GIBSON,  
HARRIETTE BARNES,  
MILFORD BARNES,  
MRS. MILFORD BARNES,  
JOE GIBSON,  
JANE SEVIER,  
WILLIAM SEVIER and  
T. L. JONES, Administrators of the estate of Mary Petch, deceased, and THE OREGON & CALIFORNIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

Suit in equity.

**TO the above-named Defendants:**  
In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the first day of the next regular term of this Court, to wit: The fourth Monday in March A. D. 1884. And if you fail to so appear and answer, as above required, for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, which is in substance that certain lands described in said complaint be decreed to belong to the Plaintiff, and that Defendants be required to convey the same to the Plaintiff, and such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable and just, and for costs and disbursements of this suit.

This Summons is published by order of Hon. Raleigh Stott, Judge of the Fourth Judicial District, made on the 11th day of December A. D. 1883, in the absence from the State of Hon. R. P. Boise, Judge of the Third Judicial District.  
McCANN & HURLEY,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

## SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Yamhill.

ERASTUS DOWNING,  
Plaintiff,  
vs  
J. W. Sparks and Nancy M. Sparks,  
Defendants.

Suit in Equity.  
To the above-named Defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the first day of the next regular term of the above entitled Court, to wit: The fourth Monday in March A. D. 1884. And if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint as above required, for want thereof the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in his complaint herein, which is in substance: That a certain mortgage described in the complaint and executed by the said J. W. Sparks and Nancy M. Sparks on the 12th day of December 1882, to secure the payment of a certain promissory note made by them to Plaintiff on the same day, for \$1,370, Gold Coin, with interest from date at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, and described in the complaint be foreclosed; and that the premises conveyed by said mortgage be sold as by law provided, and the proceeds thereof applied to the payment of said note and interest thereon, and costs of suit; and also that the said Defendants, and all persons claiming by, through or under them be barred and foreclosed of all right, title, claim, lien or interest in and to said mortgaged premises, and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable and just.

This Summons is published by order of the Hon. R. P. Boise, Judge of the Third Judicial District, made on the 30th day of January 1884.  
J. E. MAGERS,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

## Administrators Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by authority of an order of the County Court of Yamhill County, Oregon, duly rendered on the 9th day of January, 1884, I will, on  
**Saturday, the 16th day of February**  
A. D. 1884, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon, in front of the Court House door, at Lafayette, Oregon, proceed to sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real property belonging to the estate of T. M. Wright, deceased, to wit: A part of the Donation Land Claim of T. M. Wright, Notification No. 1,574, Claim No. 40 in Section 18, T. 3 S., R. 4 W., in Yamhill County, State of Oregon, and bounded as follows: Beginning at the South-east corner of said claim: thence West 21.50 chains to Range line of T. 4 S., R. 3 W.; thence North on said Range line 40 chains to a stake; thence East 21.50 chains to a stake; thence South 40 chains to the place of beginning, containing 86 & 40-100 acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-half down at day of sale, and the balance on or before October 1st 1884, secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.  
LEE LAUGHLIN,  
Administrator.

## Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a decree of foreclosure of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Yamhill, made on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1883, duly enrolled and docketed in the Clerk's office in said County, on said day, in favor of Thomas B. Carey, Plaintiff, and against J. W. James, Defendant, for the sum of Three Hundred and Fifty-two and 50/100 (\$352.50) Dollars, U. S. Gold Coin, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the 2nd day of October A. D. 1883, and the further sum of Forty-three and 45/100 Dollars damages and costs, and an execution and order of sale duly issued out of said Court, therein attested of date January 15th, 1884, I did on the 17th day of January A. D. 1884, seize and levy upon the real premises described in said decree being to said Defendant, to wit: Lot No. four (4) in Block No. twelve (12) in A. B. Faulconer's Addition to the Town of Sheridan, Yamhill County, Oregon. Now therefore, by virtue of said execution, on

**Saturday, the 23rd day of February**  
A. D. 1884, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, at the Court House door, in Lafayette, in said county and state, I will sell at public auction, for cash in hand, the above described real premises of said defendant to satisfy said decree, costs and accruing costs.  
E. B. COLLARD,  
Sheriff of Yamhill County.

Dated Jan 22nd, 1884.

## FINAL PROOF.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, January 30, 1884.

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 Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday, March 12, 1884, viz: Robert Mulligan, Preemption D. S. No. 3,893 for the S 1-2 of S E 1-4 and E 1-2 of S W 1-4 of Sec 1, T 8 S, R 9 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: George Tharp, Nathan Russey, Francis Mercer and C. D. Ackerson, all of Grand Ronde P. O., Polk County, Oregon.  
L. T. BARIN, Register.

## Executor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed, Executor of the estate of William Woods, deceased, by the County Court of Yamhill County, State of Oregon, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to Geo. G. Bingham at his office in the city of McMinnville, Yamhill County, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.  
Dated this 2nd day of January, 1884.  
JOHN McDONOUGH,  
Executor.

Geo. G. BINGHAM,  
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