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OREGON NEWS AND NOTES.

Senator Maxwell has introduced a bill appropriating \$5,000 for a high school in Tillamook.

X. N. Steeves was released on bond Saturday. Mrs. Mary Mason and O. V. Allen are his sureties. Each qualified in the sum of \$10,000.

Prof. Shaw of the agricultural college has received the rare honor of election as a member of the American chemical society of New York.

On January 29th J. C. Hall of Nestucca drowned himself in the Nestucca river. An unbalanced mind due to debts and attachments is given as the cause of suicide.

The medical department of the Willamette university has obtained a supply of Behring's diphtheria antitoxin, and is offering it free to physicians having cases of this disease.

Those members of the legislature who voted for Dolph one day and against him the next were probably trying to please both factions of their constituency. At any rate this is the easy manner in which Benton county apologizes for her man Cooper.

Bills have been introduced in the legislature for the creation of three new counties. One from the northeast corner of Umatilla to be known as Verna, one from part of Crook, Wasco and Grant, to be known as Sutton, and one from south half of Linn county, to be known as Calapoola.

It is very probable that \$16,500 will be expended on the improvement of Tillamook bay this summer. The money is ready, and Captain T. W. Simons is advertising for bids for the work. If some Tillamook man gets the contract the greater part of the money will be left in Tillamook county.

Corvallis people are demanding that all Southern Pacific right-of-way deeds from that city to Junction City be declared null and void because through failure to complete the railroad in a reasonable time there has been no valuable consideration. The S. P. is threatened with a competing line in that territory.

Thursday morning, between the Locks and Hood river, the wires had been carried by a falling pole across the track, and every individual wire sought out some different part of the locomotive to grasp hold of. The train was delayed an hour and a half, while the wires were cut loose and unbound from their various positions.

A new postoffice has been established called Spruce, at Henry Peters' place, on Beaver, with Mr. Peters as postmaster. Mrs. Peters will be deputy, and will attend to the office most of the time. A new route will be made via Sand Lake, or Hembree, to Woods, and in this way the people at those places will get their mail much sooner.

A recent operation upon M. P. Taylor of Albany, performed at the Portland hospital by Dr. Maston of Albany and Dr. Cauthorn of Portland, in which 4 1/2 inches of intestine upon which was a growing tumor was removed, is likely to prove a successful one, the patient being reported as recovering. This operation was a wonderful one, probably not excelled in extent in the United States. The work was done in the presence of several surgeons of Portland and the senior class of the medical department of the Willamette University.

Capt. Symons of the United States corps has made an official report in which he declares that Yaquina bay is unworthy of further improvement by the government. He says: "The plan for the improvement of Yaquina bay, as proposed by a competent board of engineers, has been practically completed, and the improvement of the bar has been all or more than the board hoped would be accomplished. There is now a permanently located channel with from twelve to fourteen feet depth at low water. In my opinion it is beyond the power of man to make it a harbor of sufficient capacity for deep draft ships engaged in foreign commerce or in fact to give this entrance a bar channel depth appreciably greater than that now existing."

Mr. Gates of Washington county has introduced a railroad commission bill which is creating considerable discussion. It provides for three members to be first appointed by the executive council—governor, secretary of state and state treasurer—but on and after June, 1896, they shall be elected one from each congressional district and one from the state at large, the latter to be a civil engineer, each to hold office four years. The salary of each commissioner is fixed at \$2,000, and their secretary \$1,200 a year. The expense of the commission shall be borne by the several corporations operating railroads in the state, proportionate to the number of miles operated, which by due process shall be assessed and collected as

other taxes. The bill combines the best features of the Massachusetts and Iowa railroad commission laws, after which it is patterned, and both of which have stood the test of the highest courts.

A Salem man forged the first aluminum horseshoe ever made in Oregon. It is a revelation to the horsemen of Salem, being only one-sixth the weight of a steel shoe, at the same time being superior to the baser metal in all qualities of strength, ductility and resistance to wear. A horse with a complete outfit of these admirable foot-guards is in a condition to do better and more work than it could possibly accomplish without them.

School superintendents have been notified by State Treasurer Metschan that there will be no further apportionment of state school money for the present. The reason assigned is that there has been but very little of the semi-annual interest due January 1 on the state school fund now loaned out paid in, and, owing to the hard times, the state does not feel disposed to push its collections, as the accounts are all good, and suing would not hurry matters, but produce a lot of foreclosures with no one to bid on the land. He is unable to say just when there will be another apportionment, but the probabilities are that it will not be for some time.

More gold will be taken out of Josephine county this winter than ever before in its history, says the Grant's Pass Courier, although in 1895-6 it is said some 3000 men were engaged in mining near Waldo and Kerby. The modern appliances put in operation make many old abandoned claims pay well, while the hundreds of sturdy prospectors are constantly unearthing gold dust in all directions. Old timers whose words are above question aver that anybody can make "grub" in almost any gulch with pan or rocker, with a good show to strike it big enough to earn good wages. Who would ride a brake-beam and beg his food at back doors while this chance of a many occupation and good living remains open?

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France's Congress.

The process of legislation in the French chambers is very simple. Each chamber may initiate legislation upon any subject except the finances; and a bill upon any subject whatsoever must be passed in all its parts by a majority vote in both chambers in order to become a law. This is not only necessary, but it is also sufficient; i. e., the president of the republic has no veto power upon the legislation of the chambers. The constitution provides a period of thirty days between the passage of the law by the chambers and its necessary promulgation by the president of the republic, and reduces this period to three days in case the chamber should vote that promulgation is urgent. Within these respective periods the president of the republic may demand of the chambers a reconsideration of the measure, and they are required by the constitution to accord the request. If they re-pass the measure by majority vote, the president must yield and promulgate the law.

The chambers can also initiate the call of the national assembly for the purpose of amending or revising the constitution. The chief question which has arisen in the exercise of this power is whether the chambers can limit the action of the national assembly by their agreement beforehand upon the subjects in regard to which the constitution may be amended or revised. The affirmative view of this question would be a security to the rights and powers of the smaller body, the senate, since the national assembly is composed of the members of the two chambers in joint assembly, but the more numerous deputies have espoused with great unanimity the negative view; and it must be recognized that they have the logic of the matter with them. National assembly is the sovereign power in the constitution and cannot be limited by a branch of the government, or even by the whole government, in its action. The national assembly may consider any subject it will when once it is organized. The chambers in joint assembly also elect the president of the republic.—*Chautauquan.*

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FROM THE COUNTY PRESS.

Amity Blade.
The petition for a hook and ladder device for Amity is being liberally signed and ere long Amity will have adequate fire protection.

Miss Mattie Martin left for Portland yesterday to be gone several weeks. Most of this time will be spent in the trimming department of the wholesale millinery houses, copying pattern hats for the Amity trade. She will also attend the millinery openings in that city.

Newberg Graphic.
At the meeting of the council last week the electric light question was postponed indefinitely.

It is rumored that the Methodists will build a parsonage on the lot just south of their church.

The furnaces at the public school proved insufficient to heat the building Tuesday morning and school was dismissed. They will be torn out and larger ones put in.

C. A. Wallace, in company with Fuller & Son of McMinnville was in town Wednesday. Fuller & Son were here trying to buy an interest in the new steamer Gray Eagle.

At the school meeting held on last Saturday a 5¢ mill tax was voted. A \$1000 bond is to be paid off, and the incidental expenses for the year are to be met from the taxes collected.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Newberg Fair Association held last Monday, the shares of stock were reduced from \$100 to \$10. The object is to get more people interested in the fair if possible.

State School Superintendent G. M. Irwin has accepted an invitation to deliver an oration at the college on the anniversary of Washington's birthday. Mr. Irwin is a fine orator and his oration on this occasion will be well worth hearing.

The steamer Grey Eagle will be ready for a run in a few days; just where she will go is not yet decided. Some parties from Eugene were down last week trying to buy or lease her for the Salem-Eugene run to connect with the steamer Eugene at Salem. If she does not go there she will tow logs for Charley Spaulding two or three months.

Rev. Jas. Price received a letter from parties he is acquainted with in Nebraska asking for immediate assistance for those who are in danger of starvation. Twenty-five dollars in money was raised at Friends church Wednesday afternoon and night, which was forwarded at once, and a box of clothing is being prepared to send forward.

The town council passed an ordinance at their meeting last week giving a telephone franchise to Nicoll, Bros., Barber & Co., of Portland. The line will start at Portland, run through Oswego, Sherwood, Middleton, Newberg, Dayton, McMinnville, Salem, Silverton and back to Portland. This company has absorbed the Bradley Co. that first asked for a franchise. Mr. Shafford, one of the company from Portland, was in town last week and said that they would probably have the line in Newberg inside of six weeks. They are working on the poles at present.

Dayton Herald.
Dayton's dealer in and shipper of fruits, D. A. Snyder, shipped to Tacoma, on Tuesday, 116 boxes of dried apples. Mr. Snyder has but little green fruit to ship any more.

The Baptist church of this place has engaged Rev. A. J. Hunsaker, of McMinnville, as pastor. He is now conducting a series of revival meetings here, in which there is a good deal of interest apparent.

B. Gabriel, who went to San Francisco last week by steamer, arrived in that city on Saturday. Mr. Gabriel went there partly to see what could be done with potatoes in that

market. He writes that there is really no marketable potatoes here. It appears that 28 or 30 cents a sack is the best that can be done.

North Yamhill Record.
A camp of Woodmen of the World was instituted in North Yamhill on Tuesday evening, with a good, strong membership.

Seigle Fairchild, of Fairdale, killed a she bear in the mountains last Monday, and captured her two young cubs, which Johnnie Wright the mail carrier says were of such diminutive size that Mr. Fairchild and his companion carried them home in their mittens.

Quong Hop, the only Chinaman of which North Yamhill can boast, celebrated the Chinese New Year's this year in a manner different to what he has heretofore. His custom in the past was to have a "high old time," with "hurrabs" seasoned with gin, etc. During the revival meetings Quong was converted to the Christian faith, and on Thursday and Friday evenings, in remembrance of his native New Year, he gave suppers at his home to which about seventy-five of the ladies and gentlemen of our town were present. He will have the right kind of encouragement from our people. He says "heap good time christian style."

The name One Minute Cough Cure suggests a medicine that relieves at once and quickly cures. Its use proves it. Rogers Bros.

Relation of the Dairy Industry to Prosperity in Oregon.

The time has come in Oregon when radical changes must be made in our system of farming. The methods adopted a quarter of a century ago were well enough suited to the conditions as they then were. The conditions have changed and our methods must change. In producing wheat for export we engaged in a most disastrous competition with cheap labor on virgin lands in Argentina and Russia, countries nearer the consuming market than we are. Every person who has given the subject serious attention sees that the hope of the future lies in smaller and more productive farms.

Oregon is by nature one of the best dairy states in the Union. Its warm winters and cool summers are peculiarly favorable to the industry, and no state can surpass ours in the amount of first-class feed that can be produced per acre. In spite of hard times we are not supplying our own market in full with butter and cheese. The development of commerce and manufacturing will greatly increase the demand for dairy products in this section. Condensed milk is now brought to the Pacific coast in train-load lots—much of it for export. There will probably be a rapid increase in the demand for dairy products in Alaska and the Hawaiian islands.

The magnitude of the dairy industry is not generally appreciated. The facts brought out by the United States census of 1890, show that the aggregate value of our dairy products in 1890 was not less than \$800,000,000. The consumption of dairy products per person amounts in value to about \$12 annually. In California a recent study of the value of the agricultural products of the state brought out the fact that the value of the dairy products of the state exceeds the value of the deciduous fruits grown in the state. The growth of population in Oregon for the next ten years will surely average 40,000 per year. It follows that the increase in the value of dairy products consumed in the state will amount to \$500,000 per year.

Theory may tell us that all that is needed to develop the dairy industry of Oregon is to let it take care of itself, but in these days we have learned to deal with conditions instead of theories. If we investigate

the condition of the dairy industry in the world we find that it is prospering only in those countries in which it has been developed by educational work and is protected against the disastrous competition of fraudulent counterfeits. By wisely directed educational work, Denmark—less than one-sixth as large as Oregon—has increased its exports of butter from 12,000,000 pounds 30 years ago to a little over 100,000,000 pounds last year, for which it received an average price of between 24 and 25 cents per pound. By a thorough and energetic educational work and by the absolute prohibition of the manufacture of adulterated cheese, Canada has increased its exports of cheese in 15 years from \$4,000,000 per year to \$14,000,000 per year, and has so improved the quality of its products that at the Columbian Exposition 479 awards were granted to Canadian cheese as against only 45 awards to cheese made in the United States, and 130 exhibits were pronounced superior to the best exhibit from the United States.

In Wisconsin a great educational movement, started by W. D. Hoard, and consisting of dairy instruction through the medium of the State Dairy Association, aided by the state; a great double system of farmers' institutes in which dairy instruction was made a prominent feature, and finally the fine dairy school of the state agricultural college, has resulted in raising the value of the dairy products of the state from less than \$2,000,000 per year 23 years ago to \$30,000,000 in 1893.

Whatever theorists may say, level-headed men will conclude that the way to develop the dairy industry in Oregon is to follow the example of those countries in which dairying has become a great and successful industry and a prime factor in maintaining general prosperity.

Dairying has become one of the most progressive and intelligent industries of the day. The old time methods which are yet so prevalent in Oregon must go. The countries which put the most brains into the dairy business are the ones which will make a success. We need such educational work as will lift the business.

The dairymen must also know that their legitimate industry will be protected against the makers of such counterfeit articles as oleomargarine, or butterine, and filled cheese. Competition with cheap labor is not so disastrous in its effects as competition with fraudulent counterfeits.—*Rural Northwest.*

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A statistician finds that 2,500,000 people in Europe are living in countries other than those in which they were born, while in the United States, according to the census of 1890, 11,500,000 persons had migrated from their native states. Two-thirds of those born in some of the New England States are scattered in other parts of the country.

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