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From some of the extracts published, it seems as though Senator Sherman would have done better with his book if he had deferred its publication to some post mortem date.

Floors in children in the public schools of Portland is more a disgrace than the public whipping post for adult offenders in New Jersey.

The great popularity of Senator Mitchell is easily understood by those who meet him. His cordiality is the expression of a nature that is warm and friendly, and it comes to the surface without forcing.

It is reported that Secretary Olney is about to pass in his resignation. His brief tenure of the office of secretary of state is about the only bright spot in this democratic administration.

The constituents of William L. Wilson in West Virginia propose to vindicate him by again running him for Congress. They seem to think that the people of the United States have suddenly got hungry for another Congress like that sent adrift last year with Wilson conspicuously in the front.

The Oregon City Enterprise makes the statement that over 90 per cent of the premiums awarded at the state fair, other than for races, went to Marion county exhibitors. That is about the size of it. As a county fair it could have been considered fairly creditable.

Governor Sheldon of South Dakota says: "The Wilson tariff law is not favorable to wage earners." He also says: "No man in this country ever saw really good times except when every laboring man who wanted employment could get it at reasonable wages. That can never be as long as we go abroad to buy what we ought to make ourselves." Governor Sheldon's head is level.

Senator Sherman must have a very bad memory. He can't remember telling D. P. Thompson—our Dave—that there were not twelve men who knew that the act of 1873 demonetized silver and that President Grant did not know it for six months afterward.

Our democratic contemporary evidently doesn't like Binger Hermann. Machine democrats and democratic bosses generally do not like him. And Binger is to blame about it. He is the greatest democratic disorganizer and vote-grabber in the business, and they realize that as long as the republicans keep such men in the field their name is Dennis. Their fondest hope is that he may be beefed in the household of his friends.

Summary of Assessment for 1895. Table with columns: Description, No., Value.

Eastern people who read about the canning of horse meat in Oregon should not conclude that we are forced to the use of this meat though the stringency of the times, and that we have nothing better to eat. They should understand that it is manifestation of extraordinary enterprise on the part of Oregonians.

Popular sentiment appears to be crystallizing about John Evenden as a suitable person for the office of mayor. There is no doubt that he would endeavor to fill the place creditably and honorably, and there is not a particle of doubt that he would succeed.

The office of mayor is the reverse of a sinecure. It exacts of the incumbent much arduous labor without compensation and calls for constant and unremitting attention to all the details of the public business.

The excursion to the Portland exposition which was under the superintendency of Mr. Grisen will not run, owing to inability to carry out the conditions as exacted by the railway company.

O. P. Coshow is at Salem and Eugene this week on business.

OREGON NEWS AND NOTES.

The anti-gossip society has been started by six young girls of Pendleton. They will say nothing of any one, unless they can say something good and pleasant.

Oregon stands sixth in the list of gold producing states, and the development of new properties since the publication of the last report will probably advance her to fifth place.

The C. P. Church of Portland has taken an option on 1100 acres of placer ground in the western part of Josephine county. The price to be paid is \$45,000, and \$5000 has already been paid.

The Albany woolen mill has received the prize for the best exhibit of Oregon-made goods offered by the Industrial exposition at Portland. It is a beautiful silk flag with gold fringe.

Commencing this week the Southern Pacific put on a flying train from Portland to San Francisco to be run every five days. Its object is to compete with the O. R. & N. Co.'s steamer lines. First-class fare is \$20; second, \$10.

A horse-shoeing machine, invented and built by home talent, is being put in place at Milton. It is guaranteed to put shoes gently, but firmly, on the most cantankerous broncho that ever browsed old Umatilla's bunchgrass.

The steamer Yaquina arrived at Yaquina bay last week laden with a large amount of freight for Corvallis merchants, besides which there were two cars of sugar and one car of merchandise for Eugene. Eight Eugene teams transferred the freight to Eugene.

A peculiar state of things is reported in connection with the Toledo coal mine property in Lincoln county, from which it appears that the property after nine separate transfers and much litigation is likely to revert to the government because the original owner died before proving up on his claim. The Lincoln county Leader says U. G. Hale of Albany, who bid on the property at the sale for about \$5000 has found these to be the facts.

Concerning the proposed turpentine works in Albany, the Lebanon Advance says: "A company is being organized in Albany to engage in the manufacture of turpentine, rosin, rosin oil, brewers' pitch, caulkers' pitch, axle grease, oils of juniper, cedar, hemlock, peppermint, bergamot and tansy, fluid extracts of cascara and grape, etc. It is also probable that printers ink will be added to the list. This is a scheme to get Dr. Lamberson to move his manufacturing enterprises from Lebanon to Albany, and Lebanon cannot afford such a loss. A company should be organized here and the enterprise kept in Lebanon."

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

The business portion of Fairchild, Wis., burned on the 21st. Loss \$75,000.

Fredrick L. Billon, aged 95, the oldest Mason in the west, died at St. Louis on the 20th.

At the Baltimore convention of the W. C. T. U. on the 23d Miss Frances E. Willard was again elected president.

John W. Mackay, Jr., eldest son of the California bonanza king, was killed in Paris on the 18th, by being thrown from a horse against a tree.

President Cleveland and his cabinet are attending the Atlanta exposition this week. The consequent crowd of visitors is reported the largest ever assembled in any southern city.

Chicago has two epidemics—diphtheria and typhoid fever. The health department reported 330 new cases of diphtheria last week, of which 49-4-10 per cent were fatal. The epidemics are charged to impure water, and the health commissioner has issued a warning against drinking unboiled water.

Preparations for the casting of a mammoth church bell have been going on for some weeks at the Buckeye bell foundry in Cincinnati. The bell will be larger than the 134-ton bell at Montreal, which is now the greatest on the continent. In ornamentation it will surpass all bells in existence, and will be the largest swinging bell in the world.

A second hand goods dealer in Topeka, Kan., bought an old stove from a civil engineer of that city. In cleaning it up he found \$1,000 in greenbacks hid away in it. He reported his find to the civil engineer who thinks the money belonged to his deceased wife who had received a legacy from England, and some of the money was in English bank notes.

Senator John Sherman's new book, "Recollections of Forty Years in House, Senate and Cabinet," is out, and is receiving a storm of criticism because it intimates that Gen. Garfield worked for his own interests prior to the Chicago convention in which he was nominated for the presidency, while at the time pledged personally and by the instructions of the Ohio convention to support Sherman for the place. The charge is refuted by a number of delegates to the convention, among them M. H. DeYoung of San Francisco.

A Great Discovery Claimed.

Mr. Westinghouse, the well-known inventor, manufacturer, and capitalist, confirms the announcement recently made that he has "solved the problem of converting coal into energy without the intervention of steam." In other words, he claims to have discovered a simple method for generating electricity directly from coal. The reputation of Mr. Westinghouse is an ample guarantee of his sincerity. What he says he undoubtedly believes. And there is no man more capable than he of judging what a new device in the development of power will accomplish. It is therefore reasonable to assume that the time is at hand for the discontinuance of the use of steam generators in developing electric force.

With all the progress that has been made in steam engineering it has been impossible hitherto to utilize more than 10 per cent of the power of the coal consumed. The waste of energy is enormous, beyond calculation. Of every 100 tons of coal consumed under boilers on sea or land ninety tons are lost. It is claimed that Mr. Westinghouse's discovery will save more than half this waste. If this claim should be verified by experience, the discovery would mark an era in human progress. Let Mr. Westinghouse but demonstrate that he can make one ton of coal do the work for which two tons are now required, and his name will be inscribed with those of the immortal few who have given to the world its greatest inventions.

The Pittsburgh Dispatch asserts that the discovery is not limited to electricity as a means of applying the energy developed. It says that although electric power can be developed in the coal fields much cheaper than at the mouth of Niagara Falls tunnel, yet it is not at all necessary to convert the gas energy into electricity in order to make it available for stationary engines. It says that "friction can be saved by the direct application to the power, displacing the present use of steam. For railway purposes, of course, the conversion to electric energy and back to motive power will be advantageous, because of the economy and ease of transmission."—Washington Post.

So far as the foreign relations of this country are concerned, the general demand is that President Cleveland "play ball."

Proceedings of City Councils. Pursuant to call of the city council a caucus of the voters of the city of McMinnville was held last Friday evening at the opera house. On motion E. C. Walker, S. A. Manning, N. E. Kegg and J. G. Eckman were chosen tellers.

The ballot was spread for mayor, and after taking three ballots without nominations, Wm. Christman received 61 votes out of a total of 111, and was declared the nominee.

Two ballots were taken for recorder, the leading candidates being W. T. Vinton, A. H. Pape, J. A. Campbell, and J. W. Hobbs. On the second ballot Vinton received 72 out of 112 votes and he was declared nominated.

C. H. Neal went in on the first ballot for marshal, by a good majority. Mr. Christman was called upon for a speech after his nomination, but thought that the time to do that was after his election.

Upon motion the councilmen in each ward were requested to call a caucus in each ward for the purpose of nominating a councilman to succeed the outgoing members.

The city election occurs one week from next Monday, Nov. 4th. All territory south of Fourth street constitutes the First ward. All north of Fourth and west of D is the second ward, and all north of Fourth and east of D is third. Polling place in first ward will be in the building opposite the Grange store, in the second ward at Jones & Adams' lumber office at foot of Third street, and the third ward in the Wisecarver building on D street.

Yamhill's Endeavorers in Session. Another town in our county has been made to realize the strength and spirit of idealism. Dayton was called upon to entertain about 100 christian endeavorers that met there Friday and Saturday of last week to hold a convention "For Christ and the Church." A well arranged program was carried out, with few disappointments. At each coming together the crowd increased until many were compelled to go away disappointed, not being able to get into the house. T. G. Brownson handled the Boston convention. Those Newlin, "Tomperance for Christian Endeavorers." This address was full of good suggestions and American loyalty. Miss Ribbie Hinckman led in the junior work and the Christ spirit, "Feed my lambs," was brought near every heart.

The committee on resolutions advised a county lookout committee, and district conventions. The former will be provided for at an early date. The committee on nominations recommended the reelection of all officers: Mand Simpson, secretary; Elmer E. Thompson, president.

The convention adjourned Saturday evening to meet at Newberg in April, 1896. All voted the Dayton convention the best in the history of the union.

E. E. T. The assessment returns of the county just footed, show a decrease of taxable value, compared with 1894, of \$679,373. There is an increase in the number of polls of 52.

Judge Hewitt's court reconvened yesterday. Mrs. Rutan was granted a divorce; the sale of land in the Cochran estate was confirmed; likewise the case of The First National Bank of Hillsboro vs Campbell.

Messrs. Calbreath, Goucher and Wright have figured out the net proceeds of their prune shipment and find that for those that went to New York and Montreal they received between 30 and 35 cents a bushel, while the Philadelphia car brought them out slightly in debt to the transportation companies. The need of lower freight rates on this class of business is manifest.



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