YAMHILL COUNTY REPORTER.

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McMINNVILLE..... OREGON.

An Interesting Collection of Items From the Two Hemispheres Presented in a Condensed Form.

The Dallas, Or., woolen mills will resume operations.

The arrest of Chief Harjo is expected to end the Creek uprising.

A Forest Grove. Or., flouring mill will be moved to Portland.

Enovys at Pekin reached an agreement on the question of punishment. Volunteers who enlisted in the

Northwest may be mustered out at Vancouver. A bad train wreck on the Baltimore

& Ohio was caused by the engineer going to sleep. The Cable Cove mining district in Eastern Oregon has taken on a new

lease of life. Judge Caples has resigned his position as consul at Valparaiso, and will return home.

The crown prince of Germany was decorated with the Order of the Garter at Osborne house.

The Oregon supreme court has deecided that the Multnomah county bicycle tax is illegal.

An intoxicated man at Colfax, Wash., attacked another with an ax and seriously wounded him.

Premier Roblin stated that the Mantoba government was making attempts to purchase the Northern Pacific Railway in Manitoba but so far, he said, nothing def_ite has been done.

George W. Kingsbury and Anthony Smale were instantly killed near Butte. Mont., in the L. E. R. mine by falling from the cage while being hoisted toward the surface. It is supposed they were overcome with gas.

Charles H. Ferguson, a well known insurance man of Louisville, Ky., and president of the National Association of Underwriters, is dead. Mr. Ferguon had been in failing health for a year. He was born in Oswego, N. Y., August 13, 1846.

Orders have been given to put the cruiser New York in commission at the ew York navy yard. This vessel is dergoing extensive repairs preparary to her departure for the Asiatic tation, which will be her cruising ound for the next two years. She has been selected as the flag ship of Rear Admiral Rodgers, who is to have mmand of one of the two divisions of the Asiatic fleet.

At Ilo Ilo 50,000 Filipinos have eworn allegiance.

tana, was run down.

are being enlisted at Victoria. Filipinos in arms after March next

will be ineligible to hold office.

Baldwin has completed arrangements for his Acrtic expedition.

In a battle with Kentucky moonshiners two officers were killed.

Germans believe Roberts' frank avowals hastened the queens' death.

Sixty skaters broke through ice near Brooklyn, and two boys were drowned.

There is much speculation in Washington as to the probabilityof an extra sion of congress.

Fire in a Washington hotel entailed loss of \$3,000. All the guests escaped uninjured.

A sympathetic strike, which means complete tie-up has been voted by orthern Colorado miners.

The revenue cutter Grant has started tification.

Emperor William of Germany, has been appointed a field marshal in the British army as a thou ay token.

Owing to the mine, thousands have died and there has been great distress in the province of Shan Si, China.

The leader of the Creek Indian uprising has been captured and it is boil over and burn the cook. thought this means the end of the insurrection.

A bill providing for a bounty of 1 cent per pound on sugar made from July 12 to 16 next. This will be immediately preceding the Trans-Missis-house of the Idaho lgislature.

Compulsory education in New Zealand is considered a success.

The Georgia state university at Athens celebrated its contennial.

Yale's fotball' association last year paid out 1, 294, 93 for medical attendance an \$749.30 for "shoes and re-

pairs.

GUISSIPPE VERDI DEAD.

Composer of Some of the World's Finest Operas Passes to the Great Beyond.

Rome, Jan. 28. - A special dispatch to the Patria says that Verdi, the com- Engineer's Carelessness the Cause poser, is dead. He was born in 1813 near Parma, at the foot of the Apernines. At 11 he was the organist of Roncole, his native village. He first of the theater of La Scala. For 50 years he has made the villa of St. Agotha, near Busseto, his favorite resi- Mistook the First Section of a Passing Train dence. After the death of his first wife he married Mme. Strepponi, who played in the first performance of his 'Nabucco," at Milan, over 55 years ago. Verdi's father was the keeper of

"Ernani," Rigoletto," tore," "La Travaita," "Alda"—these gineer was asleep at his post and misnames tell the story of peace and pleasure the Italian of humble original he wrote the "Masnadieri." It was his death. composed for Jenny Lind, and was All five men killed were pinned unsung at Her Majesty theater in Lon- der the wreck and at a late hour todon with the great soprano in the prin- night only one of the bodies had been cipal part. "Trovatore" is his most recovered. popular opera. "Aida" is his greatest The accident occurred in a cut on work, but opinions vary on this point, a curve on a heavy down grade and at as they vary about the greatest of the end of a bridge. The third sec-Shakespeare's plays. Signor Verdi did tion of No. 87 was on the siding at Peother things than write music. He troleum with orders to wait there until was a member of the Italian parlia- the second section of No. 98 had ment, and served his country in the passed east. Engineer Davidson wito capacity of minister of public instruc- escaped with slight injuries was the tion. France gave him the legion of engineer on No. 87 and went to sleep honor, Russia gave him the order of on the siding. When the first section St. Stanislaus, Italy the order of the went by he thought it was the second crown, and Egypt the order of Osman- and started out onto the main track. ieh. Australia presented him with a His fireman and forward brakeman, cross of commandership of the order both of whom were killed, must also of Franz Joseph. Of late years Verdi have been asleep, for they allowed him wrote works that are almost as well to take the train out. The conductor known as his earlier efforts. They are of the first train No. 98 after he passed, "Othello" and "Falstaff." The lat-

HANGING OF STICKEL.

79 years of age.

me: take me now.

Washington Man Who Mnrdered Three People -Confessed His Crimes.

Kalama, Wash., Jan. 28 .- Martin murder of W. B. Shanklin, near Kelso to save his life. in November, 1899. Stickel was taken from the cell at 9:45 by Sheriff Hunt- around the wreck by way of Moundsington and four attendants. He ville and the Ohio River Railroad. walked to the scaffold unassisted, and ascended the steps with steady tread, showing that he was determined to die like a man. He stepped to the center of the trap door, stood erect and said: 'Gentlemen, I bid you good-by. God help you; God forgive me. This is the last time I will see you on this shore. Jesus help you all; Jesus take

The murderer of Sheriff Summers, in cap over his face, and the noose around

his neck. At 9:57 Sheriff Huntington grasped Recruits for Transvaal mounted police trap. The condemned man fell seven selves, and children suffered in the feet, and his neck was almost instantly broken. At 10 o'clock doctors pronounced life extinct. The body was cut down and placed in a coffin, to be turned over to the murderer's mother and brother. It will be tken to Catlin for burial.

The hanging was private. Everything worked like clockwork. There was no trouble in any respect. The spectators were very quiet. There was

no talking or demonstration. Stickel was born in Adams county, Iowa, February 9, 1870. He had resided in this section about 12 years. The condemned man slept well last ered. night and ate a hearty breakfast.

Death of a Hero of San Juan.

New York, Jan. 28 .- After suffering will anxiously await her return, for the battle of San Juan hill, has just graduate of the Harvard medical she goes in search of missing vessels died in a Newark hospital. He concoast are missing, supposedly driven San Juan Rosetsky fought in troop C. Vessels from Alaska report the Sixth cavalry. His clothes were cut entire west coast of Vancouver island, by bullets, and while he was ascending 250 miles of rocks and reefs, strewn the hill with a number of other solwith wrackage. The Grant will ex- diers, a shell exploded close by them. amine every square inch of Vancouver A lump of earth struck the young solcoast as far norsh as Cape Scott in dier in the side, knocking him sensesmall boats and launches, and will less. After the battle he was personsearch every piece of wreckage for iden- ally complimented for his courage by General Wheeler.

Collier's Weekly in South America.

With the idea that South America may supplant South Africa and China as a war news center, Collier's Weekly sent a special correspondent and a special photographer to Venezuela. Tempests in teapots are common down there, but this is one that looks like it might

Tenth National Irrigation Congress.

The Colorado Springs National Irrigation Congress is antounced to meet

Bush Fires in Australia.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 28 .- A special from Vancouver, B. C., savs: The destruction by bush fires in Australia, according to mail advices by the running up to 115 and 120 in the shade, hundreds upon hundreds of families have been burned out, some of the lines will follow with the new steam-country residents destroyed being costly structures.

ASLEEP AT HIS POST

of a Bad Train Wreck.

married the daughter of the conductor FIVE PERSONS WERE INSTANTLY KILLED

for the Second-Fireman and Forward Breakman Were Also Sleeping.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Jan. 30.-Five an inn, a fact which would seem to persons were killed and one severely prove the theory of some men of injured and two engines and 10 loaded science that all human beings are born cars were wareked by the mistake of a equal in possibility. What Verdi has train crew this afternoon between Pedone for mankind cannot be measured. troleum and Volcanic Junction, on the "Il Trova- Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. The eny and took the first section of a passing train of the for the second. Thinking both had s brought passed he pulled his train on to the to his kind. His compositions have main track and sped onward to what been very numerous. As early as 1347 would seem to have necessarily been

ter was written when the author was wave him to stop, but failed. The conductor of fourth 87, seeing the third section pull out ran forward after it as fast as possible his engineer whistling down brakes and the conductor of the wrecked train ran over the tops of the cars until he reached the car next to the last one wrecked in his attempts to stop the engineer, but none of them Stickel was hanged in the jail yard at attracted his attention in time. Con-9:37 o'clock Friday morning, for the ductor Lang managed to jump in time

The fast trains tonight were passed

BROKE THROUGH ICE.

Sixty Skaters on Large Pond Near Brooklyn-

Two Boys Were Drowned. New York, Jan. 30 .- Sixty skaters, including many women and children. broke through the ice on a large pond back of Evergreen cemetery, today, By the time the last words were and in the wild struggle for life two spoken, the sheriff and his attendants boys were drowned. The ice over the had strapped Stickels legs together, center of the pond, where the water his hands to his sides, placed the black was deepest and where the skaters were assembled in greatest numbers, sud-

denly sank. The whole crowd was panic stricken. the lever and suddenly sprung the Men and women fought to save themnnogul struggle. The screams of the skaters were heard by men employed in a factory near by, and they ran to the pond. They dragged long planks with them which were pushed toward the center of the pond. Along this footing a life line was formed. Effort was first made to rescue the women and children. By twos and threes they were taken from the water and hustlad along the planks to the shore. The police reserves and surgeons arrived in ambulances and succored many of the half-drowned skaters. The bolies of the two boys were recov-

She Turned on the Gas.

New York, Jan. 30. -In a flat in West Thirty-sixth street, there died as for more than two years with Cuban the result of inhaling illuminating gas fever, Alfred Rosetsky, who is said to a woman whose son says she came of on one of the most perilous voyages have been the first American soldier to one of the most distinguished families ever undertaken. Shipping men and ford San Juan creek, where the fierest of Tennessee. She was Mrs. Anna underwriters of the entire Pacific coast of the Spanish fire was directed, in Terry, the widow of Dr. C. C. Terry, a school, and until his death, eight years and distressed mariners. Twenty-five tracted the fever in Santiago, and was ago, one of the most distinguished vessels bound for Puget sound and the a mere skeleton when he got home. At surgeons in New Enlgand. Dr. Terry's death was accidental, his brain having been pierced by the foil of a fencing master with whom he was engaged in practice. Mrs. Terry was found dead in bed. The house was redolent of the odor of gas, and the stopcock in Mrs. Terry's room had been found turned on A policeman, who was sumfull. moned, reported the case as one of apparent suicide.

The Danish Antilles Deal.

Copenhagen, Jan. 30 .- It appears that only a single member out of the 15 comprising the finance committee islands against their sale is largely artificial, and, therefore, of the much weight.

New Steamer Left for No New York Jan. 30.—The freight steamer Hawaiian, of the New American-Hawaifan Steamship pany, sailed on her maiden trip from steamer Aorangi, has been appalling. this port this afternoon for fan Fran-While many people are dropping dead from heat apoplexy, the thermometer is in command of Captain Banrold, Oregon and Arizonian.

sian System.

St., Petersburg, Jan. 30.-The in Finland in conformity with the system adopted in the empire at large. It is expected that it will be put in

force early in the year. Governor-General Bobrikoff has ly issued instructions to the govern of the provinces in Finland up stricter enforcement of the or of last July regarding public blies. The complaint is not this ordinance is evaded under prete of amusements and Among the amusement permits may be reck which social, scient which social, scient and economic questions are discuss it or where addresses are made. Assemblies which are permitted must be watched over by

are permitted must be watched over by the police, whose duty is will be to suppress demonstrations.

In order to meet the boycott of unpopular officials by houseowners and hotelkeepers, Governor General Bobrikoff has purchased, for \$250, a dwelling house in Helsingfors.

For the purpos of cultivating el relations with Bulgaria, the government has entered into an agreement with Prince Ferdinand's government reducing telegraph tells from 40 to 23 centimes a word, and introducing an ment year. international money order system similar to that in vogue in Russia.

ARRESTED FOR OLD MURDER

California Man Must Return to Texas for Trial

-Confesses His Crime. Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 30.-Frank Hyatt was arrested here tonight for the murder of Steve Pressley, commit-1889. Hvatt has made a full confession, claiming self-defense. He had been residing in this city for the last the Watt hills east of Amity on the nine years, and was employed in the site of a supposed gold mine. railroad shops under the name of Charles Eaves. He has a wife and stepson. In his signed confession, he claims that it was his intention to return to Texas next year and stand trial for the killing. He says the quarrel between himself and Pressley, who was the stepfather of his former wife, occurred over some building material. Pressley picked up a large stone to throw at him. He struck at Pressley's arm with a club, to make him drop the stone, and the latter, in dodging, was struck on the head and died Hyatt claims that he feared he would not get a fair trial, as all the witnesses were relatives of Pressley, so he fled.

THE G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT.

Cleveland, O., Preparing to Receive 450,000 Visitors Next Fall.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 30 .- Members of the subcommittee of the national G. A. R. conneil of administration, who are in the city, predict that 150,000 local committee expects 450,000 visitors to come to the city during the encampment. The members of the subcommittee, who are General F. M. Sterritt, of St. Louis; Colonel James Scott, of Fairfield, Ill.; and Colonel Armstrong, were in conference today with the local committee. The city will be asked to raise a fund of about \$75,000 for the entertainment of the soldiers. Free accommodations will be provided for about 10,000 delegates. The Erie Railroad, which is not a member of the Central Passenger Association, has announced that it will grant a rate of 1 cent a mile for the encampment.

Piracies Near Canton.

Washington, Jan. 30 .- The following cablegram was received at the state department today from United States Consul McWade, at Cauton, dated to "Pirates at Simyonkec, near Kamchuk, attacked a European houseboat early Sunday. They killed a Chinese boatman and wounded severely Brockhurst and Spalinger, Euro-peans. Piracies occur daily in the vicinity of Canton."

Judge Caples Coming Home.

Valparaiso, Chile, via Galveston, Jan. 30 .- The United States consul at Valparaiso, J. F. Caples, of Portland. Or., has resigned. The United States minister, Henry L. Wilson, of Spokane, Wash., is going to the United States on leave of absence. Messrs. Caples and Wilson will both sail on the next steamer from Valparaiso.

Carnegie's Tube Project.

Pittsburg, Jan. 30 .- The Pittsburg "Negotiations are pending Post says: in New York at the present time which of the Folkething opposes the sale of if successful, will result in the Carnegie the Danish West Indies to the United Company abandoning its plan of build-States. The objector is starting a ing a great steel tube plant in Connwespaper campaign in favor of their neart, O. Joshua Rhodes, chairman of retention, but the finance committee of the board of the National Tube Comthe Landsthing will shortly report in pany, admitted that the officials of favor of the sale of the islands. The that company were making overtures agitation of the inhabitants of the to the Carnegie Company for the islands against their sale is largely abandonment of the Conneant plan. How far along these negotiations have is to be progressed Mr. Rhodes could not say. at once.

Crushed to Death by Elevator.

Chicago Jan. 80 .- Stella Thoms, 20 ears old, was crushed to death today by the elevator in the Young Woman's Christian Association building. She had watched a physician vaccinate the inmates and took the elevator to go to her room. She fainted, and falling forward, her head caught between the floor and the ascending car. head was badly crushed and she died within five minutes.

MUST SERVE IN THE ARMY. NEWS OF THIS AND NEIGHBORING STATES.

law to regulate the military service in Finland in conformity with the Cities and Towns in Washington, Oregon

and Idaho.

OREGON.

Canyon City has a new fire bell.

Jefferson will levy no tax for the

The Toledo tax levy has been fixed at 5 mills. The Eugene Military Club has in-

corporated. The Southern Pacific tie plant at Latham is running again.

Baker City school electors have voted in favor of a 10-mill special tax. The 9-year-old son of H. S. Filton,

of Lost Valley, was killed by a falling There were nearly 600 mining locations recorded in Josephine county last

The receipts of the Canyon City postoffice last year amounted to \$27,-

181.99. The bridge across Trask river at the Stillwell place was washed out by the

freshet. Lumber is being delivered on the ground for the new hospital building at Eugene.

The Standard mill at Baker City, with a capacity of 40,000 feet per day, is nearly finished.

James Yates has sold his farm of 80 ted in Elrath county, Texas, July 7, acres, near Irving, to Mr. Hurd, late of Iowa, for about \$3,500.

Local miners are sinking a shaft on

Free-milling gold ore has been covered in the mountains just west of

Lostine. Test show the ore lite

filled with black suphurets. Miss Elizabeth Giesy, an Oregon pioneer, aged 75 years, died at her home in Aurora. Deceased was a sis-

ter of Dr. Martin and Jacob Giesy. A large amount of drift lodged against the railroad bridge, worth of Lebanon, and 15 mm bave been at work all week dislodging it.

A telephone line is being built by the Sunset Company from Jacksonville to the Upper Applegate country, and will probably be connected with the Grant's Pass-Williams line.

J. W. Parker, who has a rich appearing quartz ledge near Leland, under bond from Burnett & Hudson, is making preparations to equip the property with an electric plant.

C. A. Parker and James Buchanan have secured a contract to cut and deliver poles for the telephone line which is to be built from Pleasant Hill via veterans will attend the encampment Jasper and Natron to the main line at Springfield. The long looked for English par-

tridges arrived at Independence and were taken to the O'Brien farm, a few miles north of that city, and turned loose. The birds appeared very wild. apparently owing to their long journey. Reports from the country surround-

ing Albany are general that the fall wheat is in excellent condition, without any indication, at this time, of an enemy of any kind Notwithstanding the poor crop of last year, the acreage

After an illness of several years, James A Cauthorn, at one time a prominent grain dealer of Corvallis, died at his home in that city. His ailment was rheumatism, and under its effects the deceased had been an invalid for several years.

An effort is being made to have the mail route changed between Long Creek and Pendleton so that the route will go over the Yellow Jacket road from Pendleton to Ukiah and via the lower gulch road from Ukiah to Long Creek and supply Ritter from Long Creek.

A deal of considerable magnitude was consummated last week at Tillamook between C. and E. Theyer an the Beals Land Company. About \$40,000 worth of agricultural land and town property was transferred to the company, and will probably be placed on the market.

Owing to the recent high water on the Coast Fork which caused the loss of many thousand feet of logs, Messrs. Geer and Rouse, the saw mill men at Amos, are arranging to erect a tem-porary saw mill at Cottage Grove and will drive the logs there. The boilers and engines of the new light plant may be used.

The owners of the Red, White and Blue mine, at Malheur, will push developments as rapidly as possible. ranch owned by David Locke as There are two parallel ledges, one ispell. The loss is estimated measuring 12 feet and the other three \$1,000. feet, and the owners believe that deing plant. The capacity of the mill is to be increased and a pump installed

WASHINGTON.

The business men of Wenatchee have taken the first steps toward organizing a commercial club. At the first far none of the thieves b meeting over 50 prominent citizens prehended. were present.

William M. Bacon, an engineer on the Spokane Falls & Northern, who injured in the collapse of the bridge between Merers Falls and Marcus, July 23, 1900, has sued the company for \$75,750 damages.

WASHINGTON.

There is talk of a new national at Ellensburg.

Work on the new Seattle Labor Temple will begin within 60 days. Hoquim will soon have a night tele-

phone service. A creamery with a daily capacity of 2,000 pounds of butter is to be built at

Everett. Charles Neymeir has moved his mitt from Machias to a site near Woodin-

ville Junction. Mrs. Julia Paden, a resident Rosalia since 1880, is dead at her in that city.

It is announced that a foundry and machine shop to east \$50,000 will be erected at Everett.

The bank of Harrington received last week a time lock safe which is sup-posed to be burglar proof. The Harrington Flour Milling Co.

pany has finished an order for 3,500 barrels of flour, which is to be send 1 China. Ex-Sheriff F. W. DeLorimer, of Ten Mile, has been appointed state land

spetcor by Land Commissioner S. A.

Callvert. J. M. Hall has resigned the office of Yakima county surveyor, and the missioners have appointed H F. Marble to succeed him.

George Pangburn, a pioneen of Washington, dropped dead from heart failure at Endicet, 20 miles west of Callar ile was 66 years old.

W. P. Damon was knocked down in front of his residence by a tough, who

struck him on the head with a club, rendering him insensible. Men engaged in working on the T

J. Hawley road, south of Kent, discov-scret a vein of coal while blasting on the side of Crow hill. It is about four inches in diameter. Fred Lyman who had been working on the steam shovel on the railroad. north of Arlington, was instantly killed. A landslide occurred and he was warned, but did not have time

get out of the way. A third interest in a group of five claims located on Iron creek, sight miles from Keller, has been sold to A. A. Redmond, of Republic. The claims are the Mary Mack, Luckie Four, Last Chance, Copper King and No. 5, and are owned by H. P. McCarthy and Fred Beaudreau. The terms are kept

a secret. The West Coast mill, at Ballard, which has been closed i weeks, has resumed work. During time the mill was closed many provements and repairs were in to the engine and machinery, by me of which the output of the plant will be greatly increased. The mill building was also repaired and a new foun-

dation put under part of it. The O R. & N. engineers, who hav been making surveys along the the Ilwaco Railway pany, have finishe force of men are on the conter Besides the re trestle is to docks to b

to be put on

state, is dead. George W. Hunt and Frank of Oro Fino, arrested on a charg

According to reports from D scene of recent the placer strike, properts are excellent. Nuggets he pects are excellent. been picked up worth \$7 and

The result of a disputed road

in Kootenai county has been de were the claimants. The ers flipped a coin to deter

The Potlatch country 50 with cattle thieves again, coming from the surroundi that a few head had been

It is reported from Nez Messrs, Croizer and Schaffe pleted arrangements for be hogs on the prairie. They ground out of the city they have erected building of the stock