

John H. Reagon Dead.

John H. Reagon, the last of those great men prominent in the South in 1850, is dead.

Mr. Reagon was a native of Tennessee, he removed to Texas in his young manhood, where he entered upon the practice of law, and attained to distinction as a jurist.

Mr. Reagon was Post Master General in the Cabinet of Jefferson Davis and was 80 years of age, and was much loved by the people of Texas.

Investigation Goes On

The report made by Mr. Garfield in affairs of the beef trust has no bearing upon or relation to the investigation being made by the Chicago grand jury.

Mr. Garfield's men, District Attorney Morrison says, "were not sent out to find violations of the Sherman act."

A Defaulter.

The Oregon Journal says: Former county clerk of Multnomah county, E. Cader Powell, is proven by the records in the county clerk's office to be a defaulter.

It appears that Mr. Powell is behind in his accounts with Multnomah county, \$8000.

Must Go.

Mayor Williams of Portland announces that all slot machines "must go."

The chief of police has been ordered to "close all slot machines of whatever character or for whatever purpose."

Wednesday, March 23rd has been designated as the day of meeting of Willamette valley Commercial Clubs, in the city of Portland. The call announces as the object of the convention of Clubs, "the better development of our communities; the uniting of our forces along all lines that need promotion and advancement; encouragement of new industries; the establishment of rural telephone lines, and other desirable utilities."

All honor then to the yellow and red apples of the Rogue river valley, and speed the day, when the valley will be solid orchard and alfalfa fields from Table rock to Ashland, when irrigation from many sources will serve to make it what it should be, "the garden spot of the world." This is but the first series of articles which will appear in The Mail concerning the diversified resources of Rogue river valley. Next week we will take up another industry. — Medford Mail.

James Howard, the "under the bed" man, was given seven years in the penitentiary by Judge George of Portland. This man was in the habit of finding his way into bed rooms in day time, finding himself under the bed, when the occupants of the room was asleep he quietly piling up the apartment and left.

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Senator Fulton Censured.

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The meeting charges Mr. Fulton with having deceived the President and with concealing facts.

Of Doubtful Propriety.

Germany is moving for reciprocity in trade with the United States. Her people need our agricultural products, but want to exchange manufactures for them.

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Irrigation Does This.

D. P. Greer of Troy, Idaho, writes to a Spokane paper that his orchard of twenty-five acres of apple trees will net him one hundred dollars per acre.

Mr. Greer also says that he could select several acres that would net five hundred dollars per acre.

The Sunny Side.

The motto which governed the life work of J. Cook was, to "always look on the sunny side." He believed in men, and in his country.

He lost everything at one time, but confidence in others and himself. With this for a basis, he built up again, a large fortune.

The office of the County Clerk of Multnomah county is a source of income to the county. The accounts when balanced at the close of last month showed a net profit over expenses of \$3207.



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