nation to the president was taken by leading Republicans in the most matter-of-fact way. One of the leading members of the house merely said when he heard the news, "Well, if he has resigned we shall hear definitely about it before night." He did not question the truth of the story in the least. One of the officers of the government said: "Nothing that Mr. Blaine does now need be at all surprising. The great man has been taken at his word, and his retirement from public life at any moment will be looked on as a matter of course."

EXPENSIVE TRIALS.

OROVILLE, Cal., Feb. 12.—Trials have been going on here for nearly two months over stealing a band of cattle. Two men on the same evidence were sent to prision, one was acquitted, and in two cases the jury disagreed. The district attorney stated he will move to dismiss the remaining prisoners, four in number. Seventy witnesses have been examined, and the trials have cost the county nearly $20,000.

NEED NOT CRIMINATE HIMSELF.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 12.—In the contempt of court case of Richard Dowle, general manager of the Great Eastern fast freight line, of Detroit, on investigation before the United States grand jury regarding an alleged violation of the interstate commerce law by cutting rates, Judge Allen, in the United States district court, decided that Dowle need not answer questions that would criminate himself.

HOW THEY SHOULD ACT.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 12.—The house of delegates adopted a resolution expressing a sense that the national house of representatives should act upon the tariff question in harmony with President Cleveland's message in 1887, and the Mills bill.

WILL BE TAKEN BACK.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 12.—Sheriff Prince of Olympia, Wash., left here yesterday morning, having in custody Joseph Caspers, a young barber, who is wanted on a charge of obtaining a diamond ring by false pretenses. Caspers has been here for four months. Two months ago he married a girl in Oakland and set up housekeeping.

NOW THE STRONGEST ON EARTH.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The late coup of President McLeod is the greatest in the history of railroad financiering and makes the Reading as strong a corporation as there is in the world. The gross receipts of the Philadelphia & Reading system will hereafter be $20,000,000 annually, and the number of its employers will approximate 100,000, being more than is employed by any corporation on this planet. It is now plain what was in Mr. McLeod's mind when he acquired the Poughkeepsie bridge and the lines tributary thereto, which, through the Reading and its entire augmented system, goes into the very heart of New England, giving it the only all-rail route from the Middle and Southern states to the East, with connections with all the important New England roads, and enabling it to virtually control the coal traffic of that entire region. Mr. McLeod has had in this matter the hearty support of A. J. Drexel and the banking house with which he is associated, of John Lawler, J. R. Maxwell and George F. Baker, and the New Jersey Central people, who have secured the largest holding there is at present of the Deleware, Lackawanna & Western railroad. The success of this combination, backed by the strongest financial institution in this country, is assured.

THE DUTY ON BARLEY OR HOPS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—There is practical unanimity among the Democratic members of the ways and means committee in favor of the bill reducing the duty on barley and hops and there is little doubt that this measure will be favorably to the house.

M'CALL ELECTED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—John A. McCall, formerly state superintendent of insurance, was unanimously elected president of the New York Life Insurance company.

SCROFULA

Is that impurity of the blood which produces unsightly lumps or swellings on the glands of the neck; causes painful running sores on the arms, legs, or feet; develops ulcers in the eyes, ears, or nose, often causing blindness or deafness; is the origin of pimples, cancerous growths, or the many other manifestations usually ascribed to "humors;" and fastening upon the lungs, causes consumption, and death. Being the most ancient, it is the most general of all diseases or affections, for very few persons are entirely free from it.

How Can It Be CURED

By taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, which, by the remarkable cures it has accomplished, often when other medicines have failed, has proven itself to be a potent and peculiar medicine for this disease. Some of these cures are really wonderful. If you suffer from scrofula or impure blood, be sure to try Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"Every spring my wife and children have been troubled with scrofula, sores breaking out on them in various places. My little boy, three years old, has been a terrible sufferer. Last spring he was one mass of sores from head to feet. I was advised to use Hood's Sarsaparilla, and we have all taken it. The result is that all have been cured of the scrofula, my little boy being entirely free from sores, and all four of my children look bright and healthy." W. R. ATTERBURY, Passaic City, N. J.

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WAS ALGER DISMISSED.

Sockless Jerry Scores Congress.

PENNOYER ON THE SITUATION.

Cheaper Sugar, A Suicide, Graves' Faithful Wife, Now The Strongest on Earth, Sorry too Late, Robbed a Streetcar, Tin Mine Discovered, Monmouth Burns, Lynch law, Sherman's Statue, Foreign and State News, Etc.

THE FEDERAL JUDGSHIP.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—(Special to the JOURNAL.) It is expected the president will appoint a judge for the sixth district today.

[The Oregon candidates for the federal judgeship have been Judge Lord of the state supreme bench, Messrs. Simon and Gilbert, of Portland. The influence of Judge Thurston, of Omaha, chief counsel at Omaha of the Union Pacific and a representative of Jay Gould, and a Blaine boomer has been exerted for the latter. His declination in our dispatches to be a candidate, ostensibly because Blaine has withdrawn is indication that he has been "turned down" and that Gilbert will not be appointed. Simon, a supposed representative of Villard interests, may yet receive the position if any Oregon man is chosen.]

THURSTON IS OUT.

OMAHA, Neb., Feb. 12.—Hon. John M. Thurston yesterday morning in an interview formally declines to allow his name to go before the convention as a candidate for vice president, owing to Blaine's withdrawal. He predicted that Harrison will be the nominee, and says there will be a stubborn fight. He fears the Alliance will be strong enough to cause a Republican defeat.

WAS ALGER DISMISSED.

DETROIT, Feb. 12.—The New York Sun yesterday contained an editorial discussion on the military career of Gen. Russell A. Alger, disclosing the existence among the official records of the war department, with a recommendation of General Custer, dated twenty-eight years ago, that General Alger be dishonorably discharged, being absent from his command without leave. The editorial says Alger was discharged from the service, Sept. 20, 1864, as the result of this recommendation. The text of the editorial was telegraphed Alger, and he last night made an explanation of the charges made against him, stating he was honorably discharged and not dismissed as stated. In his denial, Alger said: "In August, 1864, at Sheppardstown, Va., on the Potomac I had been ill, but was on duty. I went into camp that night, and not being able to march next morning, was sent with others who were sick to the hospital at Annapolis, and after remaining there a few days I was detailed on court martial at Washington, where I reported and served a little time, and then resigned, as I was not able to enter the field and did not like court martial service. Along in June and July, 1864, General Custer requested me several times to have his brother Thomas appointed lieutenant in my regiment, as he wished have him to serve on his staff, I declined and in the hot controversy about it one day he told me I would regret it some day. I said to him I would rather resign than to have an outside officer promoted in my regiment when I had deserving men in the ranks. I never knew or suspected there was the slightest question about my being properly sent with the large number of sick and wounded sent to Annapolis and at General Custers recommendation. If he knew the facts it was one of the most cruel outrages ever perpetrated upon a soldier."

SOCKLESS JERRY.

WASHINGTON, Feb, 12.—The Farmers' Alliance arraigned the Democratic and Republican parties in the house yesterday on the charge of extravagance in public expenditures, and insisted that these parties were ignoring the principal legislation of the session in order to provide lucrative positions for favored henchmen of the dominant parties. Representative Simpson, whose sobriquet of "The Sockless Statesman," has won him national repute, was the man to prefer these charges against the dominant parties, and his speech was the most amusing and exciting incident of the day. The question of expenditures came up under the resolution reported by the committee on accounts to appoint Walter E. Hallock, an ex-union veteran, to the position of assistant doorkeeper of the house.

Simpson took the floor. He charged the two leading parties with log rolling and dividing additional positions equally between Democrats and Republicans.

"It appears," says Simpson, "that legislation is lost sight of in this attempt to inaugurate a new system of reciprocity. Why, Mr. Speaker, I have a constituent of my own from Kansas who has done more for this country in valuable services rendered in war than any man recommended to a position in this congress. He actually saved the army of General Pope from destruction in 1862, and saved the city of Washington from capture by the rebel army. He was in the employ of the secret service, and went through the lines into Richmond and got intelligence that saved the army of Pope. Notwithstanding this, I have been unable to obtain even a messenger's position for that man, simply because he does not belong to the party in power; simply because he is neither a Democrat nor a Republican (laughter and applause). Yet the great congress of the United States has been consuming two or three days together making positions for some men because the members on one side or the other want to get their friends into office."

Simpson's speech had the effect of overwhelmingly defeating the resolution.

PENNOYER.

PORTYAND, Feb. 12.—Governor Pennoyer yesterday spoke freely and enthusiastically about the portage road scheme at The Dalles. He believes that if the whole press of Oregon would harmoniously and unanimously advocate that plan as a means of opening the Columbia river the portage road bill would pass the house, and our senators, notwithstanding they favor the boat railway scheme, would see that it passed that house also. It certainly would be a great benefit, and there can be no harm in carrying out the idea of advocating it. Asked about congressional nominations, the governor expressed the confident belief that if the Democrats acted wisely they would beat one or both of the probable Republican nominees. He thinks the Alliance party will have some influence in determining the election.

DR. GRAVES' FAITHFUL WIFE.

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 12.—The wife of Dr. T. T. Thatcher Graves, accompanied by two or three friends, left Denver yesterday for Canyon City. She looked pale and nervous. Since the supersedeas was issued the doctor has not been closely confined as otherwise he would have been. Dr. Graves will try to induce his wife to return to her home and relatives in the East. She will probably remain at Canyon City several days, as the climate is warm and the change promises to be beneficial. When Mrs. Graves arrived at Canyon City she was so weak that she had to be lifted into the carriage which took her to the hotel. She is very feeble and shows plainly the great suffering she has undergone. Her physician and friends who accompanied her are giving her careful attention, as her critical condition demands it. It has not yet been decided when she will be permitted to visit Dr. Graves at the penitentiary, but it will not be until she has rested from her journey from Denver. The doctor has been apprised of her arrival and is very anxious to see her.

SORRY TOO LATE.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 12.—Charles Waterbury, who was at the bottom of the kidnaping of his little relative, Ward Waterbury, has broken down. Soon after he was put in jail he began to show signs of despair. The guards were surprised to find him crying piteously one day, and since then he has cried almost all the time and can't sleep. It is believed he is really penitent and not shamming. He told Jailer Wells he wished he was dead and he knew his disgrace would kill his wife. Undoubtedly Waterbury is greatly disappointed because his plot did not materialize. He has told the guards that he would kill himself if he got a chance, and they watch him closely, believing he is desperate enough to do so if he has an opportunity. Everything that he could accomplish self-murder with has been taken away from him. State Attorney Black has not received a demand from the New York authorities for the kidnaper yet, but it is expected daily. The request will probably be granted, as public opinion desires that he be more severely punished than the Connecticut laws will permit.

ROBBED A STREET CAR.

FRESNO, Feb. 12.—Yesterday a car on the fair ground line was held up by two men on Ventura street while making the last trip out. One man stopped the horse and the other mounted the car, at the same time holding a revolver to Driver Kerr's head and demanding his money. Kerr showed fight, but was overpowered by the second man and gave up what change he had, about $5. Three passengers were in the car, one of whom, an Armenian, thrust his head out of the window to see what was wrong. He had no sooner done so when one of the robbers placed a pistol to his head and fired, causing him to fall back into the car. The wound is thought to be fatal. The robbers escaped.

TELEGRAPHERS DEMAND AN INCREASE.

DENVER, Feb. 12.—A committee from the Rio Grande railroad telegraph operators has been in attendance on the Rio Grande officers endeavoring to obtain an increase of 10 per cent. in salaries. This has been refused, and Chief Telegrapher Ramsay, it is said, will make a formal demand for the increase, and, if refused, will order a strike.

TIN MINE DISCOVERED.

DENVER, Feb. 12.—The discovery of a big vein of tin is reported from the mountains about fifty miles north of here.

DEATH OF AN INVENTOR.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 12.—Dr. Newmann Horton, inventor of the reclining chair for railway cars has died.

THE CHILIAN MESSAGE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The house today passed a resolution providing for the printing of 6000 copies of the president's Chilian message, and also passed the military academy appropriation bill.

MINISTER TO JAPAN.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Feb. 12.—Major George E. Bonebrake, of this city, will very likely be appointed minister to Japan.

CHEAPER SUGAR.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Owen Scott introduced a bill in the house yesterday. He regards the measure as unconstitutional and as class legislation, and on these grounds will urge the passage of his bill.

A SUICIDE.

PORTLAND, Feb. 14.—Mrs. E. D. Love, for many years matron of the Portland hospital, committed suicide yesterday by taking strychnine. Despondency is the supposed cause.

LYNCH LAW.

ROANOKE, Va., Feb. 12.—Will Lavender, a colored man who attempted an assault upon Alice Perry, a white girl, on Monday night, was taken from the officers this morning and hanged to a tree. He made a full confession.

FOR SHERMAN'S STATUE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—An appeal to the Grand Army of the Republic for contributions to aid in the erection of a statue in Washington to the memory of General Sherman has been made by the committee appointed at the meeting of the society of the army of the Tennessee in October last.

MONMOUTH BURNS.

MONMOUTH, Ill., Feb. 12.—At the fire last night the entire opera house, with four stores underneath, was destroyed. The losses will aggregate $50,000, partly insured.

MARKETS.

PORTLAND, Feb. 12.—Wheat valley, $1.55@$1.60; Walla Walla, $1.50@$1.55.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—At close wheat was firm; cash, 86½; May, 97¼.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Wheat buyer season $1.68¾.

"Capt. Swift"

will be the attraction at the opera house this evening with Mr. Arthur Forrest in the title roll by Mr. A. M. Palmer's company of players.

Of the play the Rochester Post Express, Saturday evening, Sept. 7th, says: "Captain Swift" won instant recognition as a work of unusual power, and from its first enthusiastic welcome it became the success of the season. Haddon Chambers, the author, an Australian himself, has found his hero in the person of an ex-bushranger who, leaving a career of crime behind him in Queensland, attempts to force his way into society and respectability in England.

His struggles, his successes, and his ultimate defeat form the story of the play—and an absorbingly interesting story it is.

REAL ESTATE MOVEMENTS.

January transfers.....$176,220 50
February to date.....$101,269 55

FEB. 12.

T D Allen and wife to C W Rice, 1¼ a Allen's add to Silverton, $700.

Edward Martin, Portland, to Frank Sperling and Mose Meyer 56-100ths a 7 s 3 w, $500.

B Oswald and wife to Olive M Cone, 1 8 add Woodburn, $400.

G W Hollister and wife to N Whitney and W W Elders, bl 12 add Stayton, $79.

John Green and wife to Salome Feldmuree, 1 a Wm Shaw d l c, $175.

P S Knight and wife to Shaw and Downing, ls 11, 12 subdivision ls 29, 30, Capitol Home, add Salem, $250.

Geo D Radabaugh and wife to Jennie A Skinner, 1 5 blk 56 University add, Salem, $2,200.

A Million Friends.

A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds.—If you have never used this great cough medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all disease of throat, chest and lungs. Each bottle is guranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Trial bottles free at Daniel J. Fry's drugstore, 225 Commercial street. Large bottles 50c and $1.00.

SALEM HONORED.—While the capital city did not get the department commandership, the city is honored by the selection of Comrade Crossan for second place, and will have a voice in the department council.

Smokers' headquarters, the rarest cigars in the market at C. W. Hellenbrand's.

Baby cried,
Mother sighed,
Doctor prescribed: Castoria!

As Staple as Coffee.

"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is as staple as coffee in this vicinity. It has done an immense amount of good since its introduction here." A. M. Nordell, Maple Ridge, Minn. For sale by G. E. Good, druggist.

DIED.

MOTHORN—At the family home, four miles south of Salem, Thursday, February 11, 1892, from la grippe, George Mothorn, aged 67 years. Deceased was taken sick two weeks ago.

The funeral was conducted from the residence at 10 a. m., Friday.

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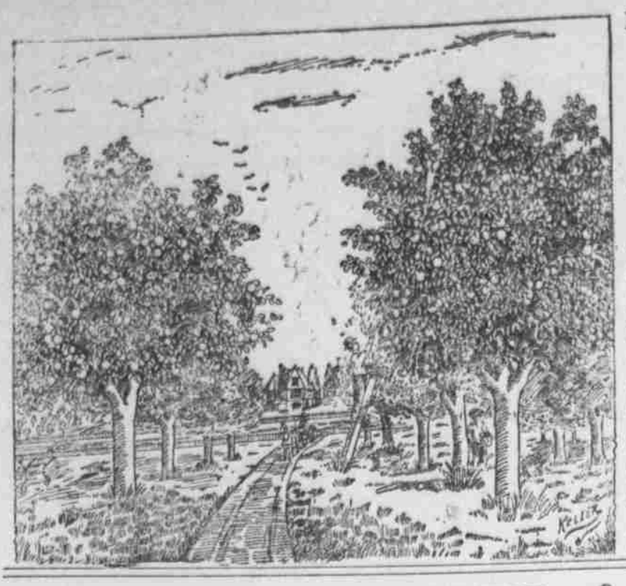

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Hon. Phil. Metschan, state treasurer, Salem, Oregon.
Hon. E. B. McElroy, superintendent of public instruction, Salem, Or
Hon. W. A. Cusick, president Capital National bank, Salem, Oregon
Hon. Napoleon Davis, president First National bank, Salem, Oregon
William & England Banking Company, Salem, Oregon.
Thos Kay, president woolen mills, Salem, Oregon.
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Hon. J. A. T. Hull, congressman, Des Moines, Iowa.
Hon. Geo. D. Perkins, congressman, Sioux City, Iowa.

ROPING WOLVES.

A Cowboy's Lively Experience on the Back of a Bucking Broncho.

Perry Stiff, a cowboy employed on George W. Baxter's ranch, was in town with three gray wolf skins and three coyote skins, all of which netted him $26.25. The county pays three dollars bounty for wolf scalps and seventy-five cents for coyotes, and the Stockmen's Protective association pays five dollars for wolves.

Baxter's ranch is about fifty miles northeast of, here, on Little Horse creek. Mr. Stiff says there are plenty of wolves there. The skins he brought in were from wolves which he roped while riding the ranges. As a wolf hunter the cowboy has so far been more successful than the members of the Cheyenne Wildcat club, and his experience with the animal has been much more thrilling. While riding a broncho Mr. Stiff saw a pack of wolves chasing a bunch of horses, in the rear of which were an old mare and colt, the object of the chase being fresh colt meat. Stiff got behind a hill, and, as the frightened horses flew by, he put spurs to his broncho, and singling out the biggest wolf in the pack, made the chase.

As the cowboy's horse was fresh and the wolf already tired, it was not long until the noose was dropped over the head of the big gray. The animal's forefoot went through the loop, however, and the rope tightened around his body in such a way that he was able to make a strong pull. Finding himself at the end of the rope, the brute, after failing to cut it with his sharp teeth, made a dash for liberty in another direction. The movement drew the rope about the broncho's hind legs and tail, and the natural result was some very hard bucking.

Between the bucking horse and the wolf Stiff had his attention pretty well taken up. He held to the bucking strap and finally got straight, with the wolf at the end of the rope and square in front of the horse. By this time the wolf refused to run, but sat up, and, showing his long, sharp teeth, was ready for a fight. This was just what the cowboy wanted. Riding up close to his wolfship to get as much slack as possible, he turned quickly and applied the spurs. When the rope tightened the wolf turned a couple of somersaults and was almost broken in two, but the rope held firm to the saddle horn.

By a series of such maneuvering the wolf was finally worn out and dragged to the ranch. Mr. Stiff says he has seen as high as nine wolves in a pack. Not long ago four of them killed a calf in Baxter's pasture. Stiff made a suggestion to another cowboy that while the animals were full of calf meat was a good time to chase them down. The suggestion was acted upon, and after a chase of nearly three miles a big fellow was caught. Mr. Stiff also roped three antelopes during the summer. He says that if the Cheyenne boys will come out they can have plenty of sport. Wolves are seen every day, and there would be no trouble in getting up a chase with hounds. He thinks some wolves may be found about ten miles north of the P O ranch.—Cheyenne Leader.

An Indian Legend.

There was once a man who lived in the forest far from the rest of his tribe. He lost his wife and was very lonely. After awhile he made a wooden doll about her size, dressed it in the clothes she used to wear and set it up in front of the fireplace. Then he felt better. So a year passed away. One night he came home and there was his wife sitting in a chair in place of the doll. She spoke to him, saying, "The Great Spirit felt sorry for you, so he let me come back to see you, but you must never touch me, for if you do you will kill me." They lived thus together for a twelvemonth, but one night he attempted to clasp her in his arms. Behold, he was holding a wooden doll! She did not come to life again and he was very unhappy ever after.—Washington Star.

GREATE CONCERTE!

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SALEM MARKET REPORT.

A Synopsis of the Markets—Buying and Selling Prices.

REVISED QUOTATIONS.

RETAIL PRICES.

Shoulders, Sugar cured, per lb, 10.
Breakfast bacon 15
Hams—Sugar cured, per lb, 1[illegible]½c.
Beef—5@12½
Pork—8 @ 1
Mutton—6@12½c.
Veal—10 @ 12½c.
Timothy seed—Per pound, 8c; selling
Red clover seed—Per pound, 14c.
White clover seed—Per pound, 20c.
Alsike—18c per pound.
Red top—10c per pound.
Lincoln Grass—12½c per pound,
Rye Grass—10c per pound.
Orchard Grass...17c per pound.
New potatoes 40c per bushel.
Canned Fruit...Peaches, $3 00; apricot, $3 00; blackberries, $3; corn, best grades $2 00; tomatoes $1 50; string beans $1 50; green peas $1 85; per doz. In two lb cans.
Fresh Vegetables.—Potatoes 40c; carrots 50c; parsnips 75c; onions 5c per lb.
Fish...Salmon 8@10c per lb; Sturgeon 5@7c per lb; small fish 10c per lb; salt salmon, 7@10c per lb.

BUYING PRICES.

Wheat—Cash 83c., storage 81c.
Flour—Per barrel, $5.00, best 196 lbs.
Oats—Per bushel, 30@35c.
Barley—Per bushel, 40@50c.
Bran—Per ton; $21 00 at mill, sacked.
Shorts—Per ton, $23 00 " sacked.
Chop—Per ton, $26.00 " sacked.
Wool—17c to 22c.
Eggs—20c per dozen.
Potatoes—Per bushel, 20c
Corn meal—3c per pound.
Cheese—12@14c per pound.
Dried plums—Per lb, 8@7c.
Dried prunes—Per lb, 10@12c.
Butter—25@30c per pound for good
Lard—10@12c per lb
Hams—Per pound, 11@12c.
Bacon sides—9@10 per lb.
Shoulders—8@8c per lb.
Chickens...7@10c per pound.
Turkeys 10 to 12c lb,
Geese 7@8 per lb.
Ducks, 12½ per lb
Hops, 10@21c.

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A WARNING—DON'T USE BIG WORRS.

In promulgating esoteric cogitations or articulating supernacal sentimentalities and philosophical or psychological observations, beware of platuditous ponderosity. Let your statements possess a clarified concisiveness, compacted comprehensibleness, coalescent consistency and a concentrated cogency. Eschew all conglamerations of flatulent garrulity, jejune babblement and asinine affections. In trying to impress upon others the superiority of the Wisconsin Central Lines, and why you and so many others use this thoroughfare from St. Paul and Minneapolis and Duluth and Ashland to Milwaukee, Chicago and points east and south, it is not necessary to use jawbreakers. Let your extemporaneous descantings and unpremeditated expations have intelligibility verscious vivacity, without rhodomontable or thrasonical bombast. Sedulously avoid all polysyllabic profundity, psittaceous vacuity, ventriloquial verbosity and vandiloquent vapidity, shun double entendres, prurient jocosity and pestiferous profanity, obscurent or apparent. In other words, talk plainly, naturally, sensibly, and truthfully, say the Wisconsin Central Lines is THE route, and that ends it. 1 16 1y

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Administrator's Notice of Appointment.

NOTICE is hereby given, that at the December term, of the County Court for the County of Marion and state of Oregon, for the year 1891, the undersigned was duly appointed an administrator of the estate of Henry Geiss, late of Marion county, deceased. Therefore all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same for payment, duly verified, to the undersigned at his residence in Salem, Marion county, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. And all persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate settlement with the undersigned administrator at his residence aforesaid.

Dated this January the 2d A. D. 1892.

T. C. SHAW,
Administrator of the estate of Henry Geiss, deceased. 1-2

Oregon Land Company's Price List.

10 acres of land 5½ miles south of Salem (postoffice) best fruit land, nearly all cultivated. There will be 100 acres set to fruit, immediately adjoining this tract, this spring; price, $50 per acre, $100 cash, balance easy payments.

Choice of four ten acre fruit tracts five miles south of Salem (postoffice) one all in cultivation, very sightly; two other three-fourths in cultivation, balance good timber; one three-fourths in cultivation balance in pasture, $45.00 per acre, ¼ cash, balance easy payment and long time.

Choice of 40 ten acre fruit tracts six miles south of Salem (postoffice) best fruit land, very desirable location; springs and running water, adjoining The Oregon Land Company's model 100 acre orchard farm, three miles from steamer landing. First choice $60 per acre, ¼ cash, balance on eight years time, enabling purchaser to pay for land out of the fruit crop This land will be set out to fruit trees and cultivated two years in a first-class manner, by the Willamette Valley Fruit Growing company so that a two year old orchard, complete in ever respect, will cost the pur haser $125 per acre, including a good fence around it.

The Willamette Valley Fruit Growing company has now more than 300 acres set out in this way, and will take pleasure in showing anyone, who takes an interest in fruit growing in the Willamette Valley, what they are doing and how their orchards look. The people of Salem and their visiting friends are cordially invited to call at the office of the Willamette Valley Fruit Growing company, in the Gray building with the Oregon Land company, and take a ride to Sunnyside and see what is being done in the way of fruit raising in the vicinity of Salem, Oregon. You will enjoy the ride to Sunnyside and see something worth seeing.

Thirty acres best garden and hay land, good two story house of nine rooms, hard finished, good barn, good orchard, springs and running water, 2½ miles from Turner, price $2500.

35 acres of timber land 2½ miles from Turner, $20 per acre, ¼ cash, balance in three equal annual payments.

19 80-100 acres cultivated land with house, spring and orchard 3 miles from Turner, $60 per acre, ¼ cash, balance in three equal annual payments.

18 40-100 acres cultivated land with barn and running water, $45 per acre, ¼ cash, balance in three equal annual payments. First payment will be taken in work.

16 96-100 acres cultivated land, running water on land, $40 per acre, ¼ cash, balance in three equal annual payments. First payment taken in work.

39 68-100 acres pasture and timber land, all good land, with running water, 3 miles from Turner, $25 per acre.

6 fruit tracts ranging from 12 to 14 acres each, all cultivated, 200 fruit trees on each lot, land all plowed, $45 per acre, ¼ cash, balance in three equal annual payments.

Work such as carpenter work, cutting wood, making rails, building fence, setting out and cultivating trees taken in part payment on land; also horses, harness, wagons, or buggies taken in part payment on land. Also good city property, when unencumbered by mortgage or other claims, taken in part payment on land.

MAIL LETTINGS.

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Post Office Department,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 15, 1892.

PROPOSALS will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until 4 p. m. of March 24th, 1892, for carrying the mails of the United States upon the routes, and according to the schedule of arrival and departure specified by the Department, in the state of Oregon from July 1st, 1892 to June 30th, 1894. List of routes, with schedules of arrivals and departures, instructions to bidders with forms, for contracts and bonds, and all other necessary information, will be furnished upon application to the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

JOHN WANAMAKER,
Postmaster General.

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