STATE NEWS.

Heppner, Or., is still in the dark owing to the burnt out dynamo.

Warm Chinook winds are fast melting the snow in Eastern Oregon.

The total earnings of the Athena water works system for the two years, ending March 10, 1897, were $530.

Nine miles of telegraph wire from the old government line between Astoria and Fort Stephens, was sold at auction at Astoria Saturday, for $4.

Horace Mann's new paper, of Cottage Grove, has made its first bow. It will be a welcome messenger in the homes of many families in Oregon.

The work of experting the books of Lincoln county, from the creation of the county to the present time was begun last week by Expert Accountant George Kenzie, of Portland.

The Astoria Evening News has been sold to a company which will hereafter conduct it as a Democratic newspaper. Mr. Lee will be the editor, and Mr. Al Leberman business manager.

Harvey Hamilton of Holly, Linn county, while in Brownsville last week, stated that more than 70 horses had died within eight miles of Holly this winter. The affliction resembles blind staggers.

The Clatsop county court has paid over to the city of Astoria the road tax money collected for the year 1895. All road taxes collected hereafter in the city limits are to be deposited to the credit of the city.

The Coquille dairymen's union in annual meeting last week. elected J. J. Lamb, president, B. F. Lawrence secretary; J. W. Leneve, treasurer, and M. Kerrigan, S. P. Van Dyke and W H Waddington directors of the union.

Cottage Grove Messenger says San Francisco capitalists have purchased the Cameron placer mine—482 acres of ground—on the Applegate. H. D. Henderson and J. L. Kalfus negotiated the sale. The sum paid for the mine is said to be $50,000. It is announced that the new owners will put in a $25,000 hydrulic plant on the ground and operate it on an extensive scale.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Only two member of the new Cabinet are college graduates.

Ex-Secretary Herbert has settled down to the practice of law in Washington.

Iowa produced last year 322,000,000 bushels of corn, more than any other state.

Cuba would probably be willing to pay Spain $125,000,000 for its independence.

Hon. W. J. Bryan spoke to a crowd of about 10,000 persons at Little Rock, Ark., on Tuesday.

A scientist says a diet of carrots ameliorates harshness of charactor and reduces nervous irritability.

Grand opera Chicago has cost its managers about all of the $100,000 which they made in New Yock.

Miss Hanna, Mark's daughter, who rides on both sides of a horse at the same time, is to be married to a Toledoen.

Last year's exports of petroleum footed up to 331,960,436 gallons, the largest within the history of the port of Philadelphia.

A MAMMOUTH COIL.—The Salem Water company received an immense coil of rope on Monday. The entire coil consists of one strand 1¼ inches in diameter and 6,500 feet in length—over one mile of rope. The coil is about 15 feet in circumference and has a diameter of about 4 feet. It measures 4 feet across and weighs 3,111 pounds. It will be used to replace the old one when occasion requires.

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