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SOONDS OF THE SABBATH BELLS. Oh, no, there is no flaming hell! Said the Universalist bell; Look up to heaven this holy day, Attend this church and learn the way; There are no fires, no fiends to blight; The hope within the heart that's right; No hell no bell; no hell no bell!

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BOLD FINANCING. "Manners," says Emerson, "are the happy ways of doing things; each, once a stroke of genius or of fire, now repeated and hard-into usage." And again, this nice observer declares that good manners are made up of petty sacrifices.

THE BOTTOMLESS LAKE. A Wonderful Sheet of Water High Up Among Mountains. Pyramid Lake is nearly forty miles in length by from fifteen to twenty in width. It is but 4000 feet above the level of the sea, while Lake Tahoe is 6216 feet above the sea level.

Passage of the Dardanelles. The London Standard publishes the following letter, written by an officer on board one of the iron clads, describing the maneuvers of the fleet when ordered to the Dardanelles.

Two Sides.—Somebody proffers the following excellent advice to somebody else: Remember that all questions have two sides; one is the right side, the other is the wrong side; one is the side of justice, the other of injustice.

A JOKE ON AIMER.—The Milwaukee Sentinel tells a very good story at the expense of Aimee. She was traveling east from Chicago on a Pullman sleeper, which was next to the express car, in which a tame bear was confined.

A GOOD IDEA.—A telephone has been placed in the House of Commons to enable the editors of the leading London newspapers to hear by word of mouth the latest news of the Parliamentary debates.

ATTORNEY GENERAL DEVENS' office is to be purified by the fire of a democratic house committee.

SEAL-SKIN "Boston bags" are the newest convenience for ladies' shopping excursions.

Two New York thieves have got five years apiece for stealing a contribution box.

THE WHEAT CROP OF 1877.—The report of the national department of agriculture for 1877, now in course of publication, states that the yield of wheat in the United States for the year was 300,000,000 bushels, or 22,000,000 more than was ever before produced.

THE HEAVIEST SNORER we have heard, is the man up town whose wife woke him up during a tempest, saying she did wish he would stop snoring for she wanted to hear the thunder.

THE GUESTING VIRGINIA LAYWER who wanted to look into Kate Stoddard's mild blue eyes and defend her, has black eyes now. His wife colored them.

A MAN MADE a bet that he could ride the fly-wheel in a saw-mill, and as his widow paid the bet she remarked: "William was a kind husband, but he did not know much about fly-wheels."

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THE NATIONAL PARTY. The political organization known as the greenback party, or soft money party, have met in convention and named themselves the national party.

LONG PRIMER HALL, after an absence from Oregon for nearly a century, has turned up at Salem, where he flourishes as editor of the Record.

WEN BADE, the old Ohio abolitionist and former senator, is dead. Had the impeachment of Andy Johnson succeeded, Wen Bade would have filled out the unexpired term.

DELEGATES TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION. In the third judicial district the republicans have nominated Edward Eldridge, of Whatcom, to represent the territory at large in the constitutional convention.

TEXAS PACIFIC RAILROAD. There is great rejoicing at Washington among friends of the Texas Pacific railroad subsidy bill over the action of the house Pacific railroad committee in deciding by a vote of 7 to 6, to report in favor of Tom Scott's scheme.

FOR WAYS THAT ARE DARK. The conviction is again gaining ground that Senator Mitchell's action on the railroad bill is exceedingly dark and incomprehensible.

PAYING THE SOLDIERS. The Pennsylvania legislature has just passed a bill appropriating \$710,000 to the military of the state for suppressing the July riots.

EXPENSIVE ROBBERIES. Secretary John Sherman, senator Stanley Matthews, congressman Garfield, and two other of the Grant-radical committee, appointed to go to New Orleans, in the winter of 1877.

THE DIFFERENCE IS COST. The American Journal of Education, for February, learns that the average cost of convicting, sentencing and delivering every convict in the Missouri penitentiary, is about \$1200.

HAYES IS IRRITATED. The Post-Intelligencer is unusually irritated and nettled by the summary disposition of his veto. He said to a silver senator that he did not expect such indecent haste.

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER. WASHINGTON, Feb. 21, 1878. EDITOR STATESMAN: Messrs. Garfield and Hale yesterday demonstrated the wisdom of the people in giving us a democratic house of representatives.

THE GREAT FRAUD. The cool effrontery of Hayes, to the effect that if the prosecution of the returning board felons is not stopped, he will cease his conciliatory policy toward the South, is refreshing.

JUMPING LAND CLAIMS. Amid so much and so good land as there is open for settlement in this section of country, it would seem that well disposed persons could easily select claims that would not interfere with the vested rights of others.

THE SILVER BILL. On the 28th, the President sent in a veto of the silver bill, and in the course of his argument against it, the monumental fraud of the age pronounced the act as it passed both Houses of Congress a fraud.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S VIEWS. An English gentleman, who has been sojourning for a year in the South, writes home to the London Standard his views on things generally.

FATALITY. Two sons of the man who calls himself governor Peckard have died in New Orleans within three months. The last one, about five years old, died while his father was in Washington.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION. The republican convention for the second judicial district, was held at Kalama, February 28th. Nominations for delegate at large being first in order.

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The O. S. N. COMPANY gets the contract for carrying the mails from Portland to the Dalles at the yearly compensation of \$7487.

J. F. BOYER, Esq., the banker, has returned from Washington, and reports a pleasant trip. We are gratified to see our friend at his old post in the bank and looking well.

THE PENDLETON INDEPENDENT has a "pocket outside," and in its issue of this week the second page is devoted to a single speech, and yet it is about as good a paper as usual.

Just—On Thursday, March 7th, on Main street, between Straight's jewelry store and the Farmer's hotel, a pair of gold enameled cuff links. The finder will please leave the same at the Farmer's hotel.

REV. W. F. WEST, of Salem, Oregon, will preach to-morrow, in the Presbyterian church, at 11 A. M., and deliver a discourse on Bible history, illustrated by a pictorial chart of history, at 7 P. M.

GOOD AS WHEAT.—We hear of an amateur farmer who wouldn't pay his debts last fall because what was only 75 cents a bushel, now brings his creditors to take out their claims at about 60 cents.

DAYTON is to have a second newspaper. "Independent transfer, would not one suffice?" It is the able boys that head the new enterprise, and the knowing ones predict that Abbott will go down in a puff.

LAWYERS.—We call attention to the law card of Judge Noble, in another column. Please to come here Mr. Noble was a member of the Stockton bar, and stood high in his profession. Give the new comers a chance.

JUDGE GERRARD'S card of withdrawal appears elsewhere. It is due Judge Guichard to say that he would have withdrawn his name immediately on being apprised of his nomination, but was urged by friends to hold the matter under advisement. He now pre-emptorily withdraws.

DELIBERES.—We understand that Judge Wingard declines the republican nomination to represent the territory at large in the constitutional convention. This leaves Col. George the sole representative of Walla Walla republicanism. We presume the gallant warrior will give equal to the emergency.

MAIL CONTRACTORS.—It is understood that Barlow, Huntly & Co., the present contractors, have lost the carrying of the mails on the route between the Dalles and Kelton. These gentlemen have held the contract for a period of eight years, and it is just to say that they have carried the mails with great regularity.

OPPOSED TO SUBSIDIES.—A correspondent writes us from Yakima city that a public meeting had been held at that place, and a resolution unanimously adopted, declaring that the people of Yakima county are opposed to voting a subsidy in aid of the Walla Walla and Seattle railroad. The resolution further declares that they have no confidence in the projectors of the enterprise, and concludes with the expression of the belief that our only hope is in the early building of the North Pacific railroad.

HEAVY TAXPAYERS.—Mr. J. T. Dooley, of the firm of Dooley & Kirkman, of this city, pays taxes in Baker county, Oregon, amounting to \$670. We happened to be in the express office one day this week, when his partner enclosed this sum to meet his taxes for the current year. Messrs. Dooley & Kirkman are also heavy tax payers in Washington territory, their aggregate contributions to the public revenue being considerably over \$1000. It is needless to say that these gentlemen are wealthy—the taxes they pay tell the whole story.

MAIL CONTRACTS.—The contract for carrying the daily mail between Kelton and the Dalles has been awarded to O. J. Salisbury, at \$18,000 per annum. From Boise city to Wing, Lemmon, H. White, contractor, \$30,000 per annum; Eagle Rock to Salmon city, Thomas McDevitt, \$1750; Lewiston to Pine Grove, McCoy & Stanton, \$3320; Lewiston to Pierce City, S. E. Huntly, \$1175; Indian Valley to Washington, Calvin P. White, \$1775; Washington to Mount Idaho, H. J. Elliott, \$1270; Lewiston to Mount Idaho, John Hailey, \$1990; Katsamak to Atlanta, J. L. Liner, \$1788.

OUT OF LUCK.—We hear of an old settler named Miller, living near Dayton, who has literally lost all his possessions. His pre-emption claim was "jumped," and on examination of the papers it was found that he had never held the claim properly described. He next fell back on his "homestead," of which he had been in possession between eight and nine years, and here again the papers were at fault, and so at the end of half a generation he finds himself without an acre of land that he can call his own. For years we have known that great carelessness was the rule in relation to land matters, and now the outcome is that many settlers will lose their claims and will have a plentiful crop of lawsuits. The lawyers have the prospect of a rich harvest ahead.

THE TIME OF IMMIGRATION has turned this way, and it now begins to look as though the country is to be overrun by people seeking new homes. Last Sunday the boat and cars brought as over one hundred strangers, and Wednesday's train added fifty more to the number. A large majority of the new comers are stout, able-bodied men, who come to find good and cheap lands. This class of immigrants will do well, and it is scarcely possible for too many of them to come. Our valley offers peculiar inducements to the tiller of the soil, but to the professional man, the mechanic, and in fact all the non-producers, the openings are limited, and if a word from us can reach this class, our advice is to remain where they are. In a few years, when the country is settled up, there will be openings for professional men and mechanics, but for the present we have all the non-producers that the country requires.

LAND JUMPERS.—We learn that a number of land jumpers have gone into the country above Dayton, and that very great excitement exists in relation to disputed titles. The old settlers, to the number of eighty, have organized for the purpose of resisting the jumpers. On the other hand the squatters have organized, and both parties being well armed and determined, a fight is liable to occur at any moment. We already hear of old settlers being dispossessed of their lands on account of some trifling informality, and, as a matter of course, this causes very bitter feeling. One of the old settlers informs us that an officer of the land office is very much to blame in this matter. The statement is that this officer furnishes the jumpers information as to land that is liable to be jumped, and in that way has aided in bringing about the present ill-feeling. Whatever may happen, we trust that the excitement will be calmed down, and all questions in dispute settled quietly and amicably.

PERCHERON HORSES.—Mr. Bruce, of this county, started for Illinois in the early part of the week, where he goes for the purpose of purchasing two or more of the celebrated Percheron horses. He expects to return by the 20th of April, and will have the horses here in time to make the coming season. Mr. Bruce was among the first to introduce the breed of Norman or Percheron horses, and his success has been such as to induce him to make further investments in that line. These horses are of immense size, and crossed with good American mares, must make a noble breed of animals. Dr. Mack, by introducing "Bellfounder," contributed largely to the wealth of this valley, and in that way greatly benefited the public. Mr. Bruce, by his enterprise in introducing the Norman breed of horses took a step in the same direction for which he is entitled to great credit. In the near future Walla Walla valley will be to the Pacific coast what Kentucky has long been to the Atlantic slope—the great breeding district for fine horses, and when that time comes the men who had the sagacity to lead off in the movement will be duly honored. All researches in the history of the horse show that it is in high dry climates, not exposed to the extremes of heat or cold, that the noble animal attains his greatest perfection. This valley answers all these conditions, and hence we feel confident that this is destined to be the great horse producing country of the Pacific slope.

IMMIGRATION.—From California we have reports of immense preparations for immigration to this country. In Sonoma county a colony is now being organized that is to number 2500 persons, to move in a body to this valley. At San Jose a colony is being formed that is to start for Walla Walla before the end of the current month. These colonists are in the main small farmers, who are disgusted with the huge land claims and uncertainty of crops in California, and come here in search of cheap lands and with the knowledge that our crops never fail. At a moderate estimate, California alone will send us twenty thousand immigrants this year. From Iowa, Wisconsin, Nebraska, and the whole tier of Western States, we hear of a perfect train of immigrants, nine out of every ten will head for the great Walla Walla country. Forty thousand souls is a moderate estimate of the gains we may reasonably expect before the close of the current year, and with the advent of this host of strangers the settlement of the country will date. To those of us who have lived east of the mountains for the past twenty years this thronging host of newcomers will be the realization of what we have long looked for, and many of us like the old patriarch will be ready to exclaim—"Now let thy servant depart in peace!"

NEW LIVERY STABLE.—Mr. Tom O'Brien, of the brick hotel, has leased the extensive stables on Main street, nearly opposite the hotel, and is now having the same fitted up as a first class establishment. Whilst in San Francisco he bought a number of single and double-seat buggies, all of the latest style and handsome finish. He has already secured a number of fine horses, and as soon as his arrangements are completed he will be able to furnish his friends and patrons with the finest kind of "turnouts." Strangers will find his establishment convenient, and careful drivers will always be in attendance to take them to any part of the country they may desire to visit. In this matter Mr. O'Brien has exhibited his usual enterprise, and we are sure he will be well patronized.

DR. SOUVILLE MATHIEU, the eminent French physician and surgeon, and inventor of the Paris Spirometer, will arrive in this city Sunday, March 10, and will have rooms at the Stine House, where he can be consulted free of charge. The following is from the *Oregonian*, February 27, 1878: "Dr. Souville Mathieu, the eminent French physician, whose wonderful cures have appeared in our columns, will benefit the people of Walla Walla, W. T., and vicinity, with his wonderful instrument called The Paris Spirometer, which we know has cured several hundreds in our state. That instrument conveys medicated inhalations direct to the seat of disease. That wonderful instrument is a blessing to mankind, and a credit to his name. We recommend the doctor very highly to the afflicted. The doctor will be in Walla Walla a few days only."

BOB INGERSOLL boasts that he has received \$20,000 as the fruits of his lecture against christianity and hell combined. The \$20,000 is good, but Robert should remember that it won't buy him ice in the next world. And this reminds us that at Walla Walla the ice crop has entirely failed. Not a pound of ice put up where with to make lemonade and other temperance drinks the coming summer. It is enough to make a fellow shiver to think of it.

KIMBALL'S MUSIC STORE.—We call the attention of all who desire a first class cabinet organ to our new and beautiful "Prince" organ, styled the "National," an elegant 10 stop organ in high top case for \$200. Musical properties unsurpassed. Mason & Hamlin, and other plain style organs, for from \$150 to \$175. See us, we will sell you a good organ cheaper than anybody. We have a full stock of the smaller musical instruments at reduced prices. — KIMBALL & SON.

PROBATE COURT.—The following were the proceedings in the Probate Court, during the week: In the matter of the estate of Andrew Pitts, deceased; estate assigned to Sarena Pitts, deceased's widow, subject to community debts. In the matter of the estate of Thos. K. McCoy, deceased; D. S. Baker, Wm. Stevens, John F. Boyer, A. H. Reynolds and Fred Stine, cited to appear March 23, 1878, to testify as to certain property belonging to said estate.

WATER COMPANY.—The district court has been in session nearly all week taking testimony in the case of McCalley, et al, vs. J. C. Isaacs, involving the right of the water company to take water from Mill Creek for the purpose of supplying our citizens. The case is very important and will be contested inch by inch.

LIST OF LETTERS Remaining in the Postoffice, at Walla Walla, March 9th, 1878: August, C. Lyman, Chas W-4; Andrew, Fred Lyman, Alfred; Biehstaidt, F. McDonald, N; Balch, Danford McElroy, Jno H; Bell, Thomas Moore, Prof A L; Clark, Charles Molinae, H G; Chapman, M J Miller, Henry; Cowan, Charles 2 Payne, William; DeForest, Franklin E Palmer, James; Hunt, L L Robeder, Rupert; Hart, John Stilwell, J S; Hillee, W F Taylor, J H; Howden, Jno-3 Wagener, John W; Johnson, Taylor White, Orby; Keeney, Jno-2 Willis, A L; Winn, Wm B Wilson, Mrs Julia; Winn, Wm B

PUGET SOUND POLITICS.—The Thurston county republican convention met in Olympia, Saturday, February 23d. Fourteen delegates were chosen to attend the Kalama convention, consisting of Marshall Blinn, J. S. Allen, S. G. Ward, John Chipman, James Longmire, G. F. James, B. F. Dennison, H. G. Struve, Elwood Evans, N. S. Porter, J. C. Horr, Wm. McLane, T. M. Reed and S. D. Ruddle. Of these about half went over to the convention and the remainder sent their proxies. As three out of the fourteen delegates have not cast a republican vote for years and one of these is a "bedrock" democrat of the most uncompromising type, it cannot be said that party lines were drawn very closely.—*Courier*.

ON THE DOWN GRADE.—A private letter from Washington addressed to the editor of the Walla Walla STATESMAN, brings the information that Hon. Selah W. Garfield, former delegate from that territory, is running a "faro and poker room" at Washington. He is a professional "card sharp," and handles the chips with great dexterity. His strong suit is to rope in strangers from the Pacific coast, and when they are robbed of their last dollar he considerably informs them that they are "out of luck." We hesitate, says the *San Jose Argus*, to believe this story true. Garfield is a man of splendid ability—a good lawyer and magnificent speaker, and has held many places of honor. He once resided at Colaba, El Dorado county, and was highly respected. The *Argus* omitted from its list of Garfield's former occupations that of preacher. He used to be a very golly person, and represented El Dorado in the assembly in 1853.—*San Francisco Examiner*.

CITY PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The editor of the STATESMAN is authorized to offer a number of desirable city lots for sale: 1. A corner lot on Main street, 60x120; a most desirable location, and the best lot in the business part of the town not permanently improved. Price \$5000. 2. A lot on Main street, below Third, with a two-story building; size of lot 30x120. An excellent business stand. Price \$3500. 3. A lot on Main street, below Second, well improved; lot fronts 16 feet and extends back to Mill Creek. Price \$2400. 4. Lot on the corner of Fourth and Rose Sts.; size of lot 120x120. Improvements, a large and comfortable dwelling house, and the yard planted with fruit trees and shrubbery. A beautiful location for a retired home, handy to business and every way desirable. Price \$2000. Any or all the above lots will be sold at the figures named. To a person desiring to make money to place money where it will double in a very brief space of time. For terms, etc., apply to the editor of the STATESMAN.

Being unofficially informed that my friends of the republican convention for the first judicial district, which met in this city on the 28th day of February, have placed my name, as a democrat, on their ticket, as the delegate for the Walla Walla council district to the constitutional convention, and having subsequently seen by the published proceedings of the republican conventions, held on the same day at Kalama and Seattle, that said judicial district conventions have made strict party nominations, thereby frustrating the good intentions of the republicans of this judicial district to harmonize the political elements, it now becomes my duty, in order to disembarass my republican friends, and for the further reason that I believe the movement premature, to decline the honor conferred upon me. R. CRITCHFIELD, Walla Walla, W. T., March 4, 1878.

WANTED.—Two young men who have a large size spring wagon, a double harness, and a traveling outfit, would like to make up a party of three or four persons to travel over the country in search of a good location to settle. Anybody having a team of horses, or two persons each owning a work horse will have a good opportunity of traveling the country and finding a good location, at a very small cost. Apply to M. C. Harris, at the STATESMAN office.

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MORE RELIEF.—Senator Voorhees is not disposed to let the senate rest with the passage of the silver bill. He has given that body notice that the silver bill having been passed, the repeal of the re-emption act is next in order, and there is no doubt but that he will urge this matter on to a successful issue. Senator Voorhees appears to have gone to the senate for the purpose of doing something for the benefit of the people, not to sit down and idly dream of the presidency and future personal glory, as so many other senators are doing. He seems to think that it is a senator's duty to work for the relief of the distress that prevails throughout the country, while many other senators do not seem to be aware of the fact that there is any distress to relieve.

AMERICAN BONDS.—The Boston *Advertiser*, a strong goldite paper, agrees with senator Thurman that the coming of American bonds home from Europe ought to occasion joy rather than sorrow; and it argues that they "are coming to pay what Europe owes us—to adjust the balance of trade," which has been running in our favor. If we can spare the money to hold these bonds, and three millions of idle capital in the country, it is much better that the interest should be paid at home than sent to Europe.

THE story of the Toledo postmastership, is not very creditable to the administration. Mr. Dowling, who was removed to make way for Mr. Reed, was an excellent official, and Mr. Reed had no experience whatever and no qualifications which fitted him for the position. He owned a couple of newspapers, however, and Mr. Stanley Matthews was in his debt politically. Hence his nomination. This is hardly the reform banquet to which the country was invited.

SENATOR PENDLETON, of Ohio, is reported to be very ill. Hope he won't disappoint everybody by dying just when he is wanted the most.

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