NORTHWEST NEWS.

Topics of General Interest in the Four New States and Elsewhere.

The next annual encampment of the G. A. R. of Idaho will be held at Shoshone.

Commissioners are now looking for a site in Washington on which to erect a state reform school for incorrigible children.

A colony of sixty people from Mount Pleasant, Isabel county, Mich., will leave on the first of May for Oregon. They are expected to settle in Linn county.

The Dillon *Tribune* says a very fine strike of ore was made recently at the Waseogo mine, in Vipond district. This district is fast coming to the front as a mineral producer and the coming season's developments may be enormous.

The valuable valise belonging to Rev. Father Bohn, which was lost from the stage near Lewiston, Idaho, a few days ago, was found in a cabin, but of the contents $800 was gone. Five Chinamen are under arrest as accessories, the main thief having made his escape.

Census Supervisor Jenkins and Chief Clerk Bear of Washington estimate that in the 19 counties west of the Cascade summit, comprising the Puget Sound district, the June enumeration will show a population of 224,525; that eastern Washington will show about 130,000, making a total of 354,525 inhabitants in the state of Washington.

The official boiler inspector at Pierre, South Dakota, found the bleached skeleton of a man in the mammoth boiler at the gas-works. The boiler has been in constant use since January 1, and the identity of the man and how he came there is a mystery that nobody seems able to solve. The flesh was all boiled from the bones. Boots, shreds of clothing and a few coins were also found in the boiler.

The Union Pacific asks Vancouver, Wash., to raise $50,000 bonus, grant the right of way through the city, and secure fifteen acres of land for depot grounds and terminal facilities. In return the managers promise that an air line road from Vancouver to the sound will be completed by December 1, 1891, and a bridge across Columbia river at Vancouver May 1, 1893, work to begin within one month after the acceptance of the proposition.

An interesting sight was witnessed on Tuesday last, occasioned by the removal from the east to the west side of the river of a lodge of Chippewa Indians on their way to Half Moon. The nomads were thoroughly equipped for the march, a feature of the scene being a troop of patient and well trained dogs, each packed male fashion, with fifty or more pounds of camp goods appertaining to the tribe.—*Demersville Inter State.*

The Washington *Standard* of Olympia says: Several years ago Mr. G. A. Barnes, of this city was compelled to pay an alleged shortage in the accounts of Joseph Cushman, receiver of public moneys a quarter of a century back. It was afterwards ascertained that the accounts balanced, and that the apparent deficit was an error of the department. The house committee after a delay of several years has reported favorably on a senate bill refunding to Mr. Barnes the amount wrongfully collected of him, and he will doubtless soon receive his money.

A writer in the Fossil, Oregon, *Journal* aptly observes this is a country of magnificent distances. C. A. Cogswell, living at Lakeview, traveled 300 miles by stage in order to attend the democratic state convention. He came through the central empire by the way of the Dalles. He could not well cross the Cascades to Ashland, on account of the snow. When a man has to travel by stage 300 miles to reach the metropolis it brings to mind what a big undeveloped country this central empire is. In area western Oregon is a pigmy by the side of it—even that part that is not traversed by a single railroad.

Fergus county can boast of being the banner sheep-raising county in the world, says the *Argus*. She can point with the finger of pride to horses, cattle and mines galore, but when one comes to marrying the startling fact becomes apparent that not one priest nor parson throughout the county is authorized to weld two seething hearts into one composite chunk. The situation is indeed humiliating as well as alarming when we consider the number of justices of the peace who are now sending in their resignations. The time may come when Romeo and Juliet will hie themselves across the border to seek a full-fledged parson who can tie the Gordian knot.

The people of Shoshone, Idaho, are preparing for active work to build up their town. A board of trade has been organized, a number of strong committees appointed, and a programme laid out for advancing public improvements and steps taken towards securing capital for the construction of large canal enterprises. Among other enterprises suggested as being desirable at Shoshone is a banking institution, a lumber yard, planing mill and fence factory, a harness and saddlery shop, a creamery and cheese factory for supplying mining camps and the intermountain country, a feeding and slaughtering company for the purpose of fattening sheep and swine on a large scale and shipping the meat products to Montana and Idaho points, a wholesale nursery and tree-growing enterprise.

On his trip to Camas Sheriff Rose stopped off at Beaver Canyon and while there ran across the impersonation of what is known in jolly cow boy vernacular as a "dead tough man," says the Dillon *Tribune*. He had been arrested and brought before a Beaver Canyon justice of the peace for some depredation. Not liking some of the sarcastic remarks of the diminutive prosecuting attorney he gave vent to his pent up feelings by knocking the Blackstonian down. The constable interfered but was bested in a few rounds a la John L. Sullivan. Then the grave justice, seeing that something must be done, fined the man for contempt of court. This was too much for even the bold, bad man and he proceeded to mop up the floor with the judge in a manner not set down in the statutes. There was crape on the door when Sheriff Rose arrived on the scene, but on being told of the circumstances, he started out to find the b. b. m. and—he found him. The b. b. m. showed fight but the sheriff applied a persuader and the cause of Beaver Canyon's sorrow now languisheth in durance vile in Camas.

BONDS AND STOCKS.

Ups and Downs in Market Values on the New York Exchange.

NEW YORK, April 30.—The stock market showed some increase in trading to-day, but that was all in the afternoon while it was feverish and irregular during most of the time, and for the first time in many days final changes show a majority of losses, though they were confined to fractional amounts in all cases. The leading features of the day were St. Paul, Rock Island, Northern Pacific Preferred and one or two others which are the only ones showing any improvement at the close of the day.

Governments were steady.

Petroleum—May opened steady at 84½, advanced and closed steady at 84½; spot oil was dull and neglected.

Bar silver—$1.01½.

Copper—Dull; Lake, $14.50.

Lead—Irregular; domestic, $4.10.

Tin—Easier; straits, $20.25.

Closing stocks:

U. S. 4's registered	122	N. P. Preferred	80½
U. S. 4's coupon	122	Northwestern	114⅛
U. S. 4½'s reg	122¾	Preferred	146
U. S. 4½'s coupon	123½	N. Y. Central	108
Pacific 6's	116	Oregon Impm't	49½
American Express	115	Oregon Nav'g'n	105
Can. Pacific	77⅜	Oregon Short Line	49¾
Can. Southern	57½	Transcontinental	138⅞
Central Pac	35	Pacific Mail	43½
Burlington	107¾	Reading	42⅛
Lackawana	140¼	Rock Island	94⅜
Denver & R. G.	118	St. Paul	73⅜
D., L. & W	.....	St. Paul & Omaha	33¾
Erie	27⅛	Texas Pacific	21
Kansas & Texas	12	Union Pacific	65¾
Lake Shore	109⅞	Preferred	.....
Louis. & Nash.	90⅝	United States Ex.	.....
Michigan Central	99	Fargo Express	140
Missouri Pacific	74⅜	Western Union	84½
Northern Pacific	33½	Am'n Cotton Oil	127

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Aspen	9 00	Holyoke	.....
Amador	1 00	Independence	.....
Belcher	2 00	Iron Silver	2 00
Best, Belcher	3 00	Mexican	3 00
Brunswick	1 20	Mutual	1 60
Caldonia, B. H.	2 00	Mt. Diablo	2 25
Chollar	2 90	New C Coal	9 00
Crown Point	2 70	North Belle Isle	1 00
Cashier	.....	N. Com'wealth	1 15
Colorado Con	.....	Ontario	40 00
Con. Cal., Va.	4 50	Ophir	3 60
Commonwealth	3 60	Occidental	1 10
Comstock, bid	32 00	Plymouth	4 50
Comstock, t s c p	30 00	Potosi	3 00
Delmonte	1 25	San Sebastian	.....
Deadwood Ter.	1 40	Savage	1 90
Eureka Con	3 50	Sierra Nevada	2 25
El Cristo	1 25	Small Hopes	1 00
Father Desmet	35	Sutter Creek	1 50
Freeland	1 00	Union Con	2 50
Gould, Curry	1 70	Yellow Jacket	2 60
Hale, Norcross	2 20		

Boston: Closing:

Ath, Tpk. 1st 7's	39⅝	Mex. Cen. Com	23⅛
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Burlington	77¾	San Diego	23

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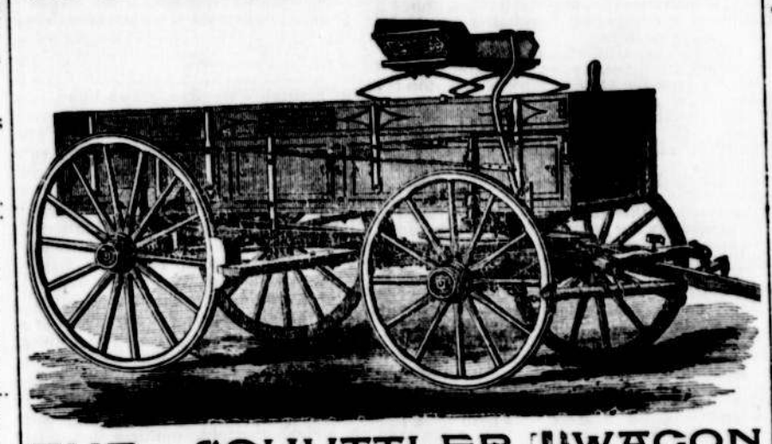

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