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SCHOOLS AND HEALTH.

Among his other good works the Russell Sage Foundation has published a little pamphlet which exhibits in plain and simple language the health of our cities.

would that it might be hastened in some way. Going fast are the blessed old days when little boys and girls were lured together in dirty, unventilated, miserably-warmed rooms to "study their lessons."

BASIS OF THE 1897 HOLD-UP.

Mr. Burton J. Hendrick, a traveling writer for McClure's Magazine, came to Oregon to inspect the initiative and referendum at home.

For example, the McClure writer, after giving a graphic account of the great legislative fiasco of 1897, participated in by Mr. Bourne and Mr. U'Ren, says the primary purpose of the hold-up was to defeat Senator Mitchell.

The Independent Enterprise is held enough to advocate the withdrawal of the power to pardon convicts from the hands of the Governor.

It is well to reward men who are not irreproachable in private, or who by exemplary conduct and willing obedience under prison rules show either repentance or a desire and purpose to do better.

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similar with Government methods and knew how to get what he wanted under them. The majority of the commission were also Army engineers and therefore could work with him.

GET SETTLERS STARTED RIGHT.

Publicity work done by railroads and commercial bodies has drawn thousands of settlers to Central Oregon.

Erstwhile there was to be found in a school reader a learned explanation of "how a fly walks on the ceiling."

MORE TROUBLE FOR RECIPROCIITY.

The rejection of the Root amendment by the Senate leaves the reciprocity bill as it came from the House and in fact as it was formulated under the President's direction.

The plan which they mean to begin with is to attach the farmers' free list and the wool revision to the reciprocity bill.

The belief that the agreement favors the manufacturers at the expense of agriculture is very generally held.

THE BEST "MONUMENT" TO THE LATE CHIEF CAMERON.

If the Senate decides to tack the free list and the wool revision to the reciprocity bill the composite measure must then go back to the House.

Gleanings of the Day

Courtesy by mail across the Atlantic between a German girl and a German immigrant was followed by a recognition through photographs at the first meeting on the Baltimore pier and marriage the same day.

Governor Hadley, of Missouri, discovered a "strange, rambling plant" on his farm and examined it thoroughly.

When a man handles millions of dollars of corporation funds, as Cooke did at Cincinnati, for a salary of \$20 a month, the Big Four's combination of responsibility and remuneration would appear to have been rather injudicious.

The Louisville Courier-Journal takes a fall out of Senator Nelson in regard to his anti-reciprocity speech.

The American financial experts will be able to teach Persia how to "trust" her industries.

A fund of \$107,000 has been raised to erect a tower at Princeton University as a memorial to the late Grover Cleveland.

THE CROPPERS' DILEMMA.

The crop of that most prolific of fruits, the loganberry, is reported to be short. Other berries, however, are so plentiful they will not be missed in the jam.

It is significant that John Galsworthy the author of really meritorious novels, should rest under the hand of the law.

One of the principal feminine characters in "The Patrician" is thus described: "A being already launched into a high-gate life which brings with it an early knowledge of the wrongs of the world."

One of the most active architects in the city-planning movement is John Nolen, of Cambridge, Mass.

Do You Get This One? Rytter-I never send a man out there to get me a pair of shoes—why not? Rytter—'I'm afraid if I sent it out the 13th time, it might come back—Exchange.

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LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE IN DOLLARS.

The most perfect example of landscape architecture in the world is John Rockefeller's estate in Pocantico Hills, says 30 members of the Architectural League of New York.

Advertising Talks

This experience, which throws an effective sidelight on the value of advertising, is related by a well-known professional man of Portland.

Some months ago I was summoned suddenly to the East. I got notice one morning, making it necessary for me to leave the next evening.

Country Town Sayings by Ed Howe

Give a boy a piece of chalk, and leave him alone with his conscience in front of a fence, and he will not write: "Praise the Lord." He will write something that the first man who comes along will rub out.

Half a Century Ago

From The Oregonian, June 28, 1861. The California State Republican convention was in Sacramento on the 18th of June. Leland Stanford, of Sacramento, was nominated for Governor.