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HURRAH FOR HERMAN.

The Appropriation Bill Passed the Point of Danger today.

The following telegram was received by Col. N. B. Sinnott, from Representative Herman, this afternoon :

WASHINGTON, May 9 .- The river and locks completion. Accept congratulations for this great victory.

The passage of the river and harbor bill is of immense import to The Dalles, and Eastern Oregon. Now if the senate does not load it down with amendments that will defeat it there, it will surely pass that body and then-The Dalles will take a spurt in material advancement such as she has never seen since George Francis Train walked across the Columbia on the backs of the salmon.

MAY'S INFLUENCE ON A PORT-LAND EDITOR.

From an editorial in a late issue of the or warmest night temperature of any Telegram we infer that the editor is a place in Oregon, and in the next ten column. tried to please him anyhow, but county. "stormed and wept and tore her hair, and screamed and wailed most of the ious May," and wants to get away from he feared that May might question the ing of the human heart for some authormeaning the children, we suppose, and such as no mere mortal ever had a right only kept her company till May would life, his death, his resurrection, were asserts itself and he addressed a post- whole. If false, his life, despite the morhe was busy in the office: "May is was either a miracle of divinity or a mirhappy children, be better and brighter." dle ground. It only remains for us to add, as we do with much tender sympathy for this lorn brother editor that May appears has by more than \$200,000 the smallest to be, either a grass-widow with no hope of a divorce, or a real widow with a family of children of her own or, possibly, is given as \$1,685, as against \$300,000 for the editor expects his mother-in-law to come and live with him for he says, not we imagine without a touch of plaintive sadness ; "we cannot have her all to ourself but we can have as much of her as any one can; and so we cannot com-plain."

Wasco county, especially in that portion cannot compare, and is not to be menthat borders on the Columbia river and tioned in the same sentence with R. M that borders on the Columbia river and stretches from ten to twenty miles southward, will never be fully appreci-ated by the outside world till men visit this region and see with their own eyes

what has already been done in hundreds of places, in comparatively small patches and with all the disdvantages of a lack of sufficient capital for the proper de-velopment of this important industry. The earlier orchards were all planted on creek bottoms or on the margins of streams, because the first settlers had no idea that anything, let alone fruit, and excepting only bunch grass and sage brush, could be grown on the hills and plateaus. Now it has been proved by years of actual experience that our very best fruit and grain lands are on the best fruit and grain lands are on the

slopes and benches so long despised and neglected. We have now passed the experimental stage with these lands and harbor bill has just passed the house. the product of tens of thousands of grape A contract is required for the Cascade vines and fruit trees of every variety possible to be produced in this latitude abundantly testify that no better fruit country than this exists on the American continent. At the Portland exposition of 1891 the fruits from this section took the first premium over the entire Northwest. In a paper read last fall by B. S. Pague, chief of the United States signal service for Oregon, at a public meeting held in Salem, the following testimony is borne to the climatic conditions of this section : "On a strip of land extending from the Cascade ranch on March 8th inst. I will pay the Locks to about fifteen miles east of The Dalles, and extending southward three

to ten miles, can be found the highest

Telegram we infer that the editor is a widower with a large family of young children. It appears he had been pay-ing attention to a Portland lady named ing attention to a Portland lady named and more peach trees, considering the April, when a stranger, called May, probably from Eastern Oregon, visited the webfoot metropolis and fairly cap-tured the will be planted here than in any area of ground of equal extent in the state." Mr. Pague should have said, He has them from \$2.00 up. 2-26wtf tured the widower's heart. A Telegram not that in ten years something is going compositor found a couple of love letters to be done, but that even now this secwhich the editor recently addressed to tion is producing the best peaches grown the two damsels and, weaving them into in the state, and this is no truer of a "leader," placed both in the editorial peaches than it is of pears, apples, That gave the whole snap plume, cherries, prunes and strawberries. away. The editor frankly tells his Alas! that after all, so few should apformer flame that he has no more use for preciate the wealth that lies in the her. She is too old for him. She never valleys and rugged hillsides of Wasco

The tendency of modern thought, both time." She had become jealous, too, of among a widely extended class of sothe widower's attention to her younger called religious teachers and amid the and fairer rival. And so he determines busy crowds of men whose perceptions to cast her off but, as if afraid of the of the unseen and eternal are being coneffect of his rejection on one so supreme- stantly blunted by their absorption in ly sensative, he advises here to take a things material and transient, is untwelve-month's sea voyage, hinting the doubtedly drifting away from a belief in while that if she comes back better tem- the miraculous. The old argument of pered, with more smiles and less tears, Hume, that it is easier to believe that he may talk business to her. But he the earlier witnesses were deceived than -does not mean a word of it, and his let- to believe the marvels of New Testament Grange Store. ter to Miss May-whoever she is, proves story, holds sway over millions of minds it. He tells the latter, as if marking the who are conscions of its power, though contrast between her and her jilted they may be unwilling to adopt and rival, that she is "young, fresh, fair, smiling, beautiful; that she never weeps, make a solution in the second se unless, perchance, "just a drop, lost we know that those first witnesses were next moment in a dimple." Then the not deceived? Would that we had been Burnt RANCH, the well-known FARM old fool fairly slobbers over with spooni- there to test the presence of the superness and he calls his new flame, "bright, natural for ourselves! Such is the attibeautiful, graceful, happy, radiant, glor- tude of many who would hardly care to be classed as anti-christian or infidel. the print shop, and be with her always, And yet, if words have any meaning, if and kneel down before her and make- written records are to be construed with an all round lunatic of himself. Then a any relation to grammar or conventional jealous thought flashes across his mind usage, nothing ever can be clearer than or, possibly it was only resentment at that the Christianity from which the some wrong that a member of the Port- miraculous is eliminated is not the land branch of the weather bureau had Christianity of the New Testament nor done to Miss May, and he calls them a set of Christ. If the miracles are the pro-4-99w8t of coarse, brutal, ugly creatures, (while duct of a credulous and non-critical age, the world knows that Pague, at least, is a or the fruit of hysterical fancy, distorting handsome man,) and wants every natural phenomena; if the crowning mirmother's son of them to prostrate them- acle is a lie, and Jesus of Nazareth still selves before her and be thankful they sleeps beneath the stars of a Syrian sky, are permitted to live while she remains then the religion of the bible, like every in the country. Then once more, as if other, fails to answer the universal longsincerity of his affection, he says: "To itative and God-given pronouncement on tell the truth and it is a truth so welling the great facts of human existence, with and swelling in our heart, I'm dead all their attendant contradictions and stuck on you," or words to that effect. perplexities. The miracle of all mira-Then he gets awful bad and blubbers cles is Christ himself. In the story of something about "gazing with awesome His life the miraculous and the natural tenderness into the unfathomable depths are so intimately blended, who shall of her azure eyes," and something more draw the line and tell where fact ends about being bewildered and entranced, and fiction begins? He spake as never which is quite likely, for the next man spake. It is no truer that he lived moment he asks May to be kind to "us," than it is that he claimed prerogatives swears he never liked April a bit, he to claim. If these claims were true his Third Street, opposite the old Liebe Stand come. Then finally the father's heart one divinely and morally consistent scrip to his motherless children, expect-ing, likely. May would send it to them, as a living lie and himself an impostor. He use either a miracle of divinity or a mirhere," says the postscript, "revel all ye acle of imposition, and there is no mid-

The possibilities for fruit culture that Speaking of Binger Herman, the Wel-lie hidden in the valleys and hills of come perpetrates the following joks: He

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A census bulletin just issued devot. to state indebtedness shows that Oregon indebetedness of any other state in the Union. Oregon's indebtedness in 1890, Washington and \$2,522,325 for Calif. Oregon's county debt is \$905,711, her municipal debt \$1,386,444, and her school district debt \$186,020.

A special meeting of Columbia Alliance No. 1, will be held at Eight-mile school

The wicked editor of the St. Louis house on next Saturday, the 14th inst.

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