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IF SO, WHY?

A few years ago the growth of the West in population was marvelous and the most common theme of orators. But the westward march of empire has come to a pause, if it has not retrograded.

COATS OF MAIL.

And now it is stated that our American millionaires are going back to the ages of chivalry, and are wearing coats and vests made of light steel chain mail.

Someone defined dirt as being "something out of place," and while this definition may not be technically correct, it is undoubtedly true that things out of season become noticeable by contrast with the natural and existing order of things.

with sleeves larger than ever, a skirt with godet plaits, a jaunty yachting cap, but no veil. And then we gazed out of the window at the snowy streets and falling flakes, and our heart was moved to pity for that summer damsel.

SPANISH THREATS.

Senor Canovas, the great Spanish secretary, talks in an extremely boisterous manner, about thrashing the United States whenever the handful of Cubans whale Weyler.

With 160,000 troops in the field against possibly 15,000 and a whaling the result of every conflict, the calculation as to what Spain would do with this country becomes a question of mathematics of microscopic importance.

The La Grande people are making a vigorous and determined effort to have a beet sugar factory started in their town. The Commercial Club that has the matter in charge, seems hopeful of securing the subsidy required, and in a recent report showed that good progress had been made toward the desired end.

The Weekly Democrat of Baker City has completed its 26th year, and justly feels proud of the fact that it is the third oldest paper in the state.

The senatorial election, to come off next January, is troubling some people considerably. Notwithstanding Senator Mitchell's speech at the Hirsch banquet, there are those who still insist on the senator outlining his position on the silver question.

The scientists are daily discovering some new microbe, bacteria or pest of some kind. The latest noted is that of Mr. G. W. Shaw, of the Oregon experiment station, of a butter fungus.

Jonathan Bourne is said to be a candidate for the position of speaker in the next legislature. It strikes us that Jonathan has aspirations that are doomed to defeat, as he stands with

the minority wing of the dominant party. Still politics furnishes some remarkable paradoxes, and Jonathan is somewhat of a hustler.

We are not disposed to find fault, but it does seem strange that the locks cannot be operated on a legal holiday. It takes but ten or fifteen minutes at most to pass a boat through, and as there are only two boats to pass daily, it should not be considered an extravagant demand to ask that now the river is open it should be kept open all the time.

The Oregonian and the Salem Statesman are having a discussion anent the retiring of the greenbacks. Hurry the matter along, gentlemen, and let us have it settled before congress meets, or it is liable to hang on all winter.

It seems quite probable that an extra session of congress will be called soon after President McKinley takes his seat. Something must be done to provide revenue, and it is not now expected the Dingley bill can be passed.

And now comes the report that Portland is to have another morning paper, with full press reports, etc. This rumor has grown decidedly antique, and Oregonians will believe it when they see it, but not before.

And still that proposition to purchase a diamond drill and test our coal fields remains unsettled. Gentlemen, let's get a move on, and by the time spring arrives have the coal question settled.

The Weather Clerk's Negligence.

The weather clerk was evidently invited out to dinner yesterday, and it is also evident that he accepted the invitation, and went off without leaving anyone in charge of the office. As a result, the weather went on a spree, kicked out of the traces and remarking "It is a cold day when I get left," proceeded to pop the sidewalks, burst the water pipes, frost the window panes, set humanity stamping its feet and blowing its collective nose, start the oldest inhabitants tongue wagging about the winter of 1492, and the unaccountable freaks of the thermometer, since that time.

The Ideal Panacea.

James L. Francis, Alderman, Chicago, says: "I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as an Ideal Panacea for coughs, colds and Lung Complaints, having used it in my family for the last five years, to the exclusion of physician's prescriptions or other preparations."

Ca-h in Your Checks.

All county warrants registered prior to July 11, 1892, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after Oct. 20, 1896.

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Conditions Which Would Necessitate New Engines of War.

The invention of Herr Dowe would tend to bring out the athletic force of men in battle if put into practical use.

If we are right in our reasoning, and if, again, there is not some latent but fatal defect in Herr Dowe's system, the result on warfare will be a very remarkable one. Since the object of war is to kill—"to place hors de combat" is only a less crude way of putting the fact—new ways of killing infantry and cavalry will have to be devised.

It is obvious, however, that the chief effect of bullet-proof soldiers on the circumstances of a battle would be to increase enormously the amount of hand-to-hand fighting. But hand-to-hand fighting means an advantage to the strongest and most athletic force.

One day when I was feeling as bad as usual, I got a box of Pink Pills, and shortly before going to bed I took one pill. I cannot tell you what a surprised man I was next morning. Then I put on my shoes with ease, a thing that I had not done for forty years.

In the navy, no less than in the army, the cuirass should be of enormous importance. During a sea fight a great many things will want doing under a storm of rifle fire, but will hardly be done except in one of Herr Dowe's jackets.

Possibly, however, all we have written is destined to be quite beside the mark, not because of any flaw in Herr Dowe's system, but for a totally different reason. Suppose that the gunsmiths retaliate on Herr Dowe by making a gun that will send a bullet through his cuirass? In that case, the present conditions will remain.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1896.

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76 YEARS OLD AND VIGOROUS

A Veteran of the Late War Adds One More Name to the List of Striking Cures by Pink Pills in Michigan.

AN OLD-FASHIONED, LARGE FAMILY OF THIRTEEN CHILDREN.

From the Courier-Herald, Saginaw, Mich.

A few years ago a wave of La Grippe swept over the land and brought thousands of its victims to the grave.

Terrible as was the disease, its after effects were yet more appalling, as it sought out the weaknesses of the constitution and left thousands shattered wrecks of their former selves.

We can do no better than quote his own words, which are as follows: "About seven years ago I was taken down with the Grip, and it fastened on me very hard. For about half the winter I was so bad that I could not leave the house. I was chilly all the time, and could not get warm. I felt as if I was frozen solid, and could only breathe with great difficulty."

"This condition alternated with sweating spells of great violence. There was an almost continuous pain, and it would shoot from one part of my body to another, with great suddenness, and cause me intense suffering. Sometimes it was in my hips, then in my legs, and again it would go to my head and pain me in the eyes. It was so intense that it even affected my sight."

"I called in medical assistance, but this was fruitless, as I received no benefit from physicians. From then on I tried various preparations that were recommended to me, but they did me no good, and my condition was as bad and painful as it was before I tried them."

"Finally I saw an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and I read with much interest of the wonderful cures that they had effected in so many cases. I had tried so many proprietary preparations that I had no faith in it, but tried it, as I had so many other things, to see if they were of any use."

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"I am now seventy-six years of age and unusually active for a man of my years. I own a fine farm near Akron, Ohio, and have been working on my forty-acre farm and experience no trouble from the work. I want to say a good word for Pink Pills, as they helped me where all else did no good whatever. Since my illness and cure a number of my neighbors have used them, and say that they have been greatly benefited."

"Mrs. Smith, the veteran's wife, who sat near by, confirmed the words that her husband had spoken and added her testimony to the good that the pills had been to the family. The worthy couple are old and respected residents of Tuscola County, where they have lived for thirty years. Mr. Smith is a sturdy pioneer, and cleared up a 200-acre farm near Akron. He yet lives there surrounded by twelve of his thirteen children. Thanks to Pink Pills, he has a prospect of many years of usefulness."

"Another sufferer with the same malady was Neil Raymond, a prosperous and leading farmer, residing near Columbiaville, Lapeer Co., Michigan. Speaking to a representative of The Courier-Herald, Mr. Raymond said: 'Three years ago last June, one night I suffered an attack of paralysis, brought on, I think, by overwork and as an after effect of la grippe. After a week my condition was so bad that I summoned a physician and doctored for about six months, with but little relief. For some time I had seen in the

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