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ONE ROUND OF POLITICS.

There wes a time when political all changed, and one political comedy is not off the boards until another is on. The smoke of the battle of '96 had not cleared away before the armies were being drafted for the battle of '97. That has passed, ranged for the fight of '98, in which consistencies of its own creation, it pictures of the witnesses, and every Oregon will fire the first gun.

And so it goes, and so it seems it and thicker year by year. It is not It prates of inconsistency and virtu ago were considered of not much to me, but plain as a pike-staff," importance, have come to be con- Dogberry himself would be shamed Durrant was woven a chain of cirsidered of national import. The into admiration of such wonderful election of Greater New York brought out as many votes, or about as many, as were cast in the whole thirteen original states. The city elections in and other large states are of as large proportions as the state elections of H. Tanner in order to ail Mitchell, a few years ago.

politics, and business will have to be abandoned.

The telegrams announce that - Durrant will be, or was, taken this morning before Judge Bahrs at San Francisco to have the date of his execution set. It was the impression that there would be no further delay, and that Friday, Nov. 12th, would see the remains to be seen. He is stolid, unmoved and remorseless, and will of the curtain

for gold into the inhospitable regions would join the United States in to fill, and consequently are only in of Alaska, where transportation of adopting bimetalism. The Orego- the market when offerings come supplies is almost an impossibility, nian does not want to be answered within a reasonable price. Reports can be short of provisions; but how by Mr. Ellis, because no answer he from the country show that at all or why men with a sailing vessel to could make would satisfy it, and the points buyers have reduced limits, earry hundreds of tons, should get in senile drivel it is indulging in is and are more cautious in their operathis condition is inconceivable. The simply unanswerable, because sense- tions. The outward movement poor devils of sailors are, of course, ess. The only answer Mr. Ellis from here is satisfactory, while re not to blame, but if the owners of could make would be that "Upon the ceipts from both sections continue the vessels, who, moved by greed happening of any of these pending very large .- Gommercial Review. atone, fail to provide their ships, and threatened events, I would do

and they should be indicted and hanged whatever the Oregonian dictated." if death is caused by their acts. This THEODORE DURRANT. would stop the practice of sending

UNTO ITSELF A LAW.

whelming conclusions.

illy equipped vessels into the Arctic. In all probability Theodore Dur the Oregonian yesterday, and "with show that a final attempt was made Mr. Rogers could not be more rhap-The Dalles CHEONICLE a few words yesterday by habeas corpus proceed- sodical in his expressions of grati campaigns were incidents, when, like more." This being the time of year ings to still further delay his execu- tude to Divine Providence for campaigns were incidents, when, like more. This being the time of year ings to still further delay his execu-Christmas and Thanksgiving, they for the dead leaves to rustle, we are tion, but it is not likely that it suc- "blessings bestowed." Which goes ORCHARDS... had their times and seasons. This is glad to note that those of the Orego- ceeded. His case, or rather his trial, to show that the governor is either nian act on natural principles. The was a peculiar one. During its sloughing off his Populism or acquirtrouble with out big contemporary is progress the newspapers of the city ing a love of cant .- Telegram. that it has gotten upon so lofty a published the full testimony, and pinnacle that it, like the laws of the their pages were filled with pictures Medes and Persians, cannot be read of the murdered girl, the church, the or understood of mortals. Having rooms, the clothing, shoes and books but already the lines are being ar- lived and matured surrounded by in- of the dead school girl. There were fails to realize that they are mcon- harrowing detail pertaining to the sistent, but they are the single stand- murder was dwelt upon lingeringly is to continue to go, getting worse and by which it measures all things. and lovingly. Public feeling was worked up to its highest pitch, until because we are turning our attention ally says, "An inconsistency is a there was but one all pervading subto politics as a nation, but because thing inconsistent; but if I create an ject in the city, but one idea and elections that thirty or forty years inconsistency, it is not inconsistent demand-that the murderer of the young gill be hanged. Around

premises and such clear and over-Let us see. The Oregonian says,

and quotes from itself to prove it, committed this crime, for no one Astoria offers \$50,000 and a site for New York, Chicago, Philadelaphia that in 1890 the free silver plank was else is suspected! Hang him! Hang the mills, together with a guaranty not decide; nor are we familiar enough inserted in the state platform by A. him!" .

The jurymen on his case knew and that few members of the conven In the course of fifty years or less, tion knew it, and those few preferred pected them to find him guilty, and out for new industries; will she negif the country continues to grow, not raise a disturbance about it. The that their own lives would not be lect to hold fast that which she has? the neighborhood of an Indian war life will become one joyous round of Oregonian called attention to it, said safe did they not do so.

it was a wrong principle, but sup-He may have been, probably was, ported the ticket. It did the same guilty: but guilty or innocent, he thing in 1892, and in 1894 the Ore- did not have that fair and impartial gonian editor admits having assisted trial which is guaranteed him by our in making the state platform, which laws. He should have had a new is a member of the grand jury, went reaffirmed the national platform of trial, and would have had it had the into the county jail for the purpose of contradict his statement that they were 1892, which platform, it asserts, was, judiciary of California regarded seeing a friend of his from Hood River, "out of sight." "on any fair interpretation, a gold their oaths of office more and their standard platform." Was it? If so, chances of being re-elected less. entered the jail corridor the door was why should it need any interpreta- Guilty or innocent, he was entitled locked behind him, and Deputy Sheriff sentence enforced. The Durrant tion, fair or otherwise? If it was, to a fair trial by unprejudiced and Kelley being busy, soon forgot all about ing in this city, gave a dancing party in case presents some remarkable fea- why was it not written in that clear uninfluenced jurors. That he did him. tures, and the conclusion reached by and plain style pervading the Orego not have, and could not have in San off, taking the keys with him, and when congenial persons imaginable were presthe jury that Durrant was guilty has nian's editorial comments, which it Francisco. On his conviction the Button wanted out there were none to ent, and the dancing was thoroughly quotes? Why was it not made clear public rage was appeased. He was Leed his cries. Frank waited as paapproval. If he is guilty as charged, and distinct so that it needed no in credited with not only the murder of tiently as possible, but discovered that a pleasant variation the services of the he is certainly one of the most cold- terpretation? The fact is, the plat- which he was convicted, but of that an hour in jail when he wanted to get musicians who are now visiting the city he is certainly one of the most cold-blooded and depraved creatures that form, like most recent platforms, was of Minnie Williams also, and there hour he had passed in conversation blooded and depraved creatures that ever appeared in human form; and a jugging one, made so that it meant all attempt to solve the mystery of when he knew, or thought that he knew, the more speedily he is removed all things to all men. If it was so her murder was dropped. Yet it be could get out when he desired Jailor which were greatly appreciated. from earth the better. We have al- constructed as to require interpre- does not seem possible that the same Fitzgerald came around in an hour, but ways believed that Durrant could tation, why had not Senator Mitchell, persons committed - both murders. tell a story that would implicate Congressmen Hermann and Ellis as The murder of Blanche Lamont was others, but whether he can, or will, much right to interpret for them- accomplished without the shedding selves as the Oregonian for itself- of a drop of blood and might be and everybody else? The editor of classed as scientific. That of Minnie probably keep his lips sealed, and the Oregonian assisted in making Williams was brutal and bloody. In pose as an innocent man to the fall this inconsistent platform, hence, as we the Lamont case every effort was have said, it is not inconsisent-to made at concealment; in the other him. none. In the Lamont case the body Again, he supported the tickets in was placed where it would decay 1890, 1892, 1894 and 1896, yet none without attracting attention, the lock ises to be the great magazine feature of them were single-standard plat- of the door leading to the belfry was of 1898." It is entitled "The Inner forms. He asserted the principles broken, and it is probable the body Experiences of a Cabinet Minister's wrong, at times, but he submitted to would not have been discovered for Wife." That ought to be a prolific the will of the majority and support- months but for the subsequent mursubject, especially when it goes to ed the tickets. We do not inquire der of Minnie Williams. It may be describing her wrestlings with cholera into his motive for doing so, but state possible that both murders were commorbus, colic or an overdose of cham- the fact. Putting him in the most mitted by the same person, but it is pagne. These modern journals are unfavorable light, did Senator Mitch- fair to presume that the murderer of getting to deal with some queer sub- ell do more than this when he said Blanche Lamont, after taking all the ject; some of them, as in this case, he stood squarely on the national steps he did to conceal the murder, platform made at St. Louis? Does would not commit another murder Ellis more than this when he asserts that was sure to bring the first one to McClure's for November contains that he will stand by that same plat- light, and this within two weeks of the first. new book, which shows that his pen The Oregonian arrogates to itself has not lost its trickery or his mind the right to do all the thinking for THE WHEAT TRADE. its store of plausible fiction. In fact everybody and has over-taxed its All markets have been depressed, he says that one of the misfortunes thinker. This is why the dead leaves easier, with a downward tendency. order dismissing the bill. of his literary career was that he rustle around the Oregonian office, Locally there has been but very little could never tell a lie that anyone and this is perhaps why it takes THE business done_during the week, and would doubt, or a truth that aryone CHRONICLE to task for its position. trading has been exceedingly small. which means that the government pays would believe, and right on top of Our big contemporary thinks the It is reported that a good part of the As Mr. Murphy is about to retire from this he tells the story of a cold spell CHRONICLE editor content "to support erop in the country is out of farmers the office of United States district aton the Atlantic when the mate's that which is false against that which hands, and held by interior ware- torney, he will leave any further action shadow froze fast to the deck and is true under leadership congenial to housemen and speculators, who seem in the proceeding to be taken by his sucreptile journalism," and this in spite to be firm holders, having confidence eral at Washington directs the cases. of the fact that we have never folin an improved market later on. If This order virtually closes the case lowed the leaders congenial to the reports are correct of prices hetofore and quiets the title to the land in conpaid by these dealers, it will take troversy. It will no doubt be a source

There is nothing in the Thanksgiving proclamation just issued by the governor of the state of Washington to indicate that its author is disder of Blanche Lamont in San Fran- If Bryanism and all it represents "A few more loose leaves," says cisco in April, 1895. The dispatches were controlling the nation's affairs,

The supreme court of this state Monday rendered a decision that following: marriages contracted by divorced persons within six months after the decree is made, will be invalid in marriage may be solemnized. Heretofore it has been a common practhis state under this decision.

Pendleton has the credit of being up the cry, "It was Durrant who of its most important industries. there instead of in Pendleton. Out this, they knew that the public ex- neighboring city is great in reaching

HE WAS LOCKED UP.

A Grand Juror from Hood River Gets In Juil.

whom he had assisted in indicting for assault and battery. Of course when he



rant was hanged today for the mur- pleased with this country's condition. Cheapest and Simplest Gate on Record

Eor Simplicity, Durability, Ease of Operation and Cheapness of Construction, it is unequeled. Can be operated without dismounting. Parties wishing to see large gate in Operation can do so by visiting Sunnyside Orchards. State and County rights for sale by



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Monday's Mountaineer contained the

Not Out of Sight.

Oregon, no matter where the second for the reason that it was a "closed session. Now the writer of this article, being a

"jiner" of secret organizations, did not tice for divorced persons to go out intend to disclose what she saw and of the state to have the second mar- heard of that "stag social," but when riage ceremony performed. All such Brother Douthit make such a bold statemarriages would be held invalid in ment in his journal, we wish to correct him and say that it might have been a

closed session, but not closed windows, and a view from Third street, through cumstantial evidence, backed up and a real live wide-awake town, but (when the hands of the old time piece the open windows of the Elks' hall strengthened by some testimony un- just at present it seems to be over- were rapidly nearing the midnight hour) doubtedly false. The public took locking the fact that it may lose one to passers by was a scene of curiosity. mingled with enjoyment. Whether they were trying to sing "Auld Lang Syne" or "America" the writer could of wheat, if he will re-build his mills with the Elks' language to know whether the sounds that made the walls of that massive structure of the Vogt building tremble, was intended for a medley or a "soothing lullaby" that one hears in dance. But suffice to say we could distinguish Judge B-d-w's voice, and others too numerous to mention, and if there were a quartet of spectators uninvited sharing the Elks' pleasures, we Last evening Mr. Frank Button, who fully agree with Bro. Douthit that The Dalles Elks know how to entertain ; but XXX.

In Honor of Miss Holverson.

The young gentlemen friends of Miss Supper time coming on, Kelley walked hall. About thirty couples of the most

their mighty waters, and remarks : "Few prople on this side of the Atlantic realize the magnitude of the trade on the great American lakes. Comparing the average number of vessels passing through the Suez canal with that of the Soo canal, the traffic of the former is inpassing through the Egyptian waterway is 3434, while those using the connecting channel of the lakes number 17,956; and If we come to tonnage the American canal shows 16,806,781 tons, against the Suez canal's 8,448,246. Five years ago there was not a vessel on the lakes of 5,000 tons displacement.

DURRANT NOT HANGED.

He Gets a Stay of Proceedings From the U. S. Circuit Court.

Theodore Durrant was not hanged Friday, a petition for a writ of habeas corpus being filed in the United States circuit coort Thursday, and Friday morning the petition was heard and the writ granted. A stay of proceedings was also granted pending the settlement of the habeas corpus matter. Durrant now has the distinction of being the most sentenced and least hanged man in the United States, and it is not at all improbable that he will yet get a new trial.

Regardless of the fact that the trial would cost a large sum, the sentiment is growing that he should be tried over. There is another sentiment that the murder of Minnie Williams should be inquired into. Now that he has gotten a stay of proceedings, in spite of the decision of the supreme court of the United States he may well hope to save himself from the gallows.

Resolutions of Condolence.

FOREST OF MT. HOOD CAMP.) NUMBER 59, W OF W. THE DALLES, Nov. 2, 1897.

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from us by death Neighbor S. H. Thompson, therefore be it Resolved, That Mt. Hood Camp, No.

A postal card received from the Ladies Home Journal announces that that paper has "secured what promreally sensational.

a chapter of two from Mark Twain's form? Most assuredly not. anchored him.

The whaling fleet having been caught in the ice in Behrings sea, Oregonian. steps are being taken towards sending the men on the imprisoned vessels

The Oregonian devoted a column considerable of a raise to fetch them of great relief to all those interested.

relief. It is stated that the ships are yesterday to asking Congressmen out even on their purchases. As for all short of supplies. It can be un- Ellis what he would do if Mexico or the shipping class, they have large at Maier & Benton's. derstood how men in the wild rush Bolivia or the South American states stocks on hand, have no urgent wants Subscribe for THE CHROSICLE.

Kelley had the keys, so he could do criminal kangaroo. He was fined what tobacco he had, and undoubtedly would have been compelled to disgorge a dollar or two, but as the boys knew he was him of having it.

He was let out during the night, and comfortable it was.

The Dalles Wagon Boad Wins the Suits.

Judge Bellinger made a final order The Dalles Military Wagon Road Company and fifty-five others, involving John Booth and Miss Cad Booth. 150.000 acres of land. The suit was decided for the defendants upon demurrent September 7th, and at that time the

United States district attorney was allowed sixty days' time to further move or plead.

The case was called up Saturday morn-

Recently a law was passed requiring these suits brought by the United States. the costs of settling the controversy.

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New line of carving sets just received

guests with several vocal selections,

Shortly after midnight the dancing ceased, and the following persons seemed nothing for him. Then the inmates of delighted with the evening's pleasure: the jail caught on to the fact that they Judge and Mrs Bradshaw, Mr and Mrs had a sucker, and proceeded to organize A N Varney, Mr and Mrs A J Tolmic, a kangaroo court and try Button as a Mrs Hilton, Misses Lizzie Holverson, Virginia Marden, Mary Lav, Nona Ruch, Mattie Cushing, Rose Michell, Etta Story, Minnie Lay, Laura Thompson, from Hood River, they didn't suspect Lizzie Schooling, Clara Davis, Georgia Sampson, Maybel Mack, Alice Lyle this morning insisted on the grand jury Cushing, Messrs G Bonn, J Bonn, G rived here last night in charge of Mr. J.

Nov. 6th in favor of the defendants in R J Gorman, Lewis Porter, L Heppner, with a seven feet fall will furnish fortythe case of the United States against Dr. Logan. Among those who were

Circle Pointers.

The Pacific Circle, Women of Woodcraft, Pacific jurisdiction, is a fraternal and beneficiary order that is thoroughly wide awake. On April 1, 1897, it had

but seven members, the originators of

ing by Attorney F. P. Mays and Chester the order. Today in the nine Pacific V. Dolph, when United States Assesist- states it numbers three thousand, nearly ant Attorney Schnabel stated that the all of whom are carrying protection cergovernment declined to further move or tificates-protection for those who replead. The court thereupon made an main behind these members in case of death, and depending on their careful management to insure against actual want for their families. The Pacific Cir-

cle expect to overlap the five thousand mark by January 1, 1898. Their amount of insurance is from \$500 to \$2000, and an enduring monument similar to that of the Woodmen, will be placed at the grave of every deceased beneficiary lady member. The the future of the Pyx .- Baker City Demorder has paid all death claims in full ocrat. this year, Two in Oregon during September.

Immense Lake Traffic.

to have awoke to the fact that we have cost of this advertisement and proving not only large lakes in America, but that property. we have a few ships and steamships on

59, extend to his wife and family their deepest sympathy in this, their hour of affliction and sorrow.

Resolved, That while we will not see him again on earth in the Forest of Woodcraft, we all remember him for his faithfulness in the past.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to his wife and family, and that they be spread upon the minutes of this camp. G. CLAUD ESHELMAN,

D. H. ROBERTS, JAMES SNIPES. Committee.

The Tygh Mill.

Mr. F. S. Gordon who came in from Annette Michell, Beulah Patterson, Tygh yesterday, this morning loaded ten wagons with the machinery for his new mill, and this afternoon it is on its way Alma Schanno, Myrtle Michell, Mamie to its destination. The machinery arvisiting the jail in a body to see how un- Mays, F W Wilson, J F Hampshire, J. Ross, representative of the Case Man-G A Clarke, Chas Clarke, R H Lonsdale, ufacturing Co, of Columbus, Ohio, and John Weigel, Fred Weigel, Ferd Dietzel, it certainly is of the very finest quality Frank Cram, A L Gude, Thos Purdy, made. The power for the mill will be Victor Marden, A McCully, H Parkins, furnished by a turbine wheel, which horse power. Mr. Gordon expects to spectators were Messrs M Moody and have his mill running in ten days, everything being ready for the placing of the machinery, and when it starts the Tygh Valley mills will undoubtedly produce a brand of flour that will rank with the best.

A Strike in the Pyx Mine.

The news of a new and rich strike in the Pyx mine was received in this city yesterday. A discovery in the 100 foot drift was made yesterday morning in this promising property, and if present indications count for anything this mine will elicit considerable attention in the near future. The Pyx is the propety of Mr. A. Geiser, manager of the famous Bonanza mine, and was recently bonded to Senutor Howard and eastern assoclates, but a few days since was released. This property has produced some of the richest ore that has ever been extracted from our mineral lodes and the new strike means considerable in measuring

NOTICE.

I have a stray horse, a roan, 9 years old, branded with a figure 2 on the right hip, at my place on three mile. The A London daily paper seems suddenly owner can have the same by paying the SETH MORGAN. The Dalles.