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E. C. PENTLAND,

Is Oregon going to remain stag. ries to supply the home demand in Finish of nant on the assessment question or the United States. will public opinion demand a better law on the subject?

Prize fighters come high. Jack most important things existing to-day Dempsey now in Portland has been offered \$12,500 to fight Fitzmorris years ago." Tommy—"Us." by the Olympic club.

Let our people visit the Exposition at Portland, then contribute out! Put him out! Fligger de Pictus some of our products to show the people in Oregon that we exist.

town and no houses to rent. Why? mummy was all doubled up.-Texas Is the the mortgage tax law to blame, or is it because we are already too rich?

our road laws. Polk county could Epoch. have good roads at one-fourth their present cost if the work were done by contract and the road taxes paid in cash.

The Spokane Falls Exposition

Hiroller—"So Algy is dead?"

Tuffboy—"Yes, and some of the boys have clubbed together to get a monu-Washington. It is ahead of anything ever attempted in Oregon.

Give Washington the palm and it." Hiroller—"Why don't you put

The timber culture land act has been repealed. The anti lettery music went splendidly this morning. bill passed, also the river and har-Choir-master—'Yes; I flatter myself bor bill. A daily mail has been it did." Minister—'I am glad to see ordered from Falls City via Lewis-ville to Monmouth. The tariff bill the important religious work. There is no deception in such singing as has been passed. Congress ad that" Choir-master-"Well, no; journed on Thursday.

is worth \$20,000. He borrows of a friend \$10,000 and buys property in Seattle. He is assessed \$10,000 shall I play, Miss De Temps?" Sheand takes out this \$10,000 note, "O, I do wish you would play that

two rounds, caused our American | pride to fall. Let England find a Sunmatch for Thomas Edison rather than McAuliffe, but when she wants some warm work let our John L. Sullivan be trotted out.

are not found on the tax rolls the many victims of nervous prostration. inquiry naturally arises. Why! It is also wholly compatible, if brought Do these men gain anything by under any proper system, with good intellectual work. Moreover, the crebeing assessed by the sheriff? If ating and guiding of a home is the they do not, then they should have best gift the world has to offer. When their property go on record so that one thinks of the flood of bad art and their precinct may seem to pay its just share of the taxes.

this year amount to about \$3,200, whose price is the woman's the superintendence of her home. If 000. There are 1859 names on the she, with all the incentives of love tax rolls and only 1300 pay more and pride, despises the daily cares than poll tax. There are more men in Dallas and Independence whose hold, how can she expect them to be rightly met by a hired housekeeper, names are not on the tax roll than whose only interest is money-getting? any other precincts of the county and that makes it that Suver, Dixie and, therefore, it seems to me self-eviand Monmouth are away ahead in average wealth, being in the order to devote to it her best service. The

If the farmers of Polk county want to see how exemptions for indebtedness work just let them look at some of the assessments in Polk county this year. While There are women whose God-given those who live in the towns should talents require to tread a lonely path. pay their proportion of taxes they can show a larger indebtedness and can show a larger indebtedness and

When a man has the rheumatism side of the web, and watched the re- Soc. in his feet you do not expect to see sound conveyed to him over his telehim doing much in the way of phone wires; but how was he to know THE CRY OF MILLIONS running about, and so when a state on which particular wire the sound was has such an abomimable assessment law as we have you cannot expect the people to be enterprising. Take other end of which the fork was away the restrictions against sounding; then taking another thread money. Invite capital to come in, and then the name "Oregon moss back" will not be so frequently applied. The people of Oregon are fork. He was puzzled. He had exlaboring under a poor monitary pected to find a buzzing fly. He got on the fork again, and danced with delight. He had caught the sound of lack of enterprise is a chronic ail the fly, and it was music to him. -Our ment and that it cannot be remi. Young People. died. Tax all property, deduct no indebtedness, and very soon matters would regulate themselves. The WEST SIDEE JOB OFFICE Try it anyhow and it cannot be worse than now.

Polk county can make as fine a record in raising beets for sugar as she is now doing on hop raising. Let us hope that congress may do The Latest Improved in something in the present tariff legislation which will foster the sugar beet industry. Just think The ACORN of Germany having shipped us over \$16,000,000 worth of beet sugar last year. In an article on Heating another page it will be seen that Within a few weeks we intend when 32 tons of beets can be raised sending out statements and asking for to the acre, and they sell for \$160 ments will be based on the printed tag fair (!) profit in it even for an Oregonian. A refinery employs about 600 hands and costs half a million dollars, but it will take 700 facto-

HUMOROUS.

-Teacher-'Name some of the

-In a Labor Meeting-"You are working-men"-"Hooray!" "And be-

out! Put him out!-Fliegende Blatter -Watermelon seeds were found in an Egyptian tomb that was 3,000 years There was no doubt about their Still the people come to our being watermelon seeds, because the

-Lawbreaker-"Sambo, would a ten dollar gold-piece stop your mouth?" Sambo-"It might, boss, but I'se pow'ful feared it ud leak roun' Oregon needs some legislation on de aiges -you bettah try a twenty."-

-While we gaze in admiration
On a sweet and radiant lass,
And think only sweetest music
Through those coral lips can pass,
We're awfully shocked to see her
Down the garden pathway stride
And hear her cry: "Say, Johnnie, co
Or mother will tan your hide!" Or mother will tan your hide!

blame our assessment law for our backwardness. that line: 'Can storied urn or animated bust-'" Tuffboy-" 'Animated bust!' The very thing. That will remind every body of Algy."

-Minister (to choir-master)-"The should say not. You see, Mr. Thumper, I told the choir last night that as This is how it works: Mr. A. operatic manager would attend church to-day for the purpose of finding some

-He (sitting at the piano)-"What and takes out this \$10,000 note, which is not secured by mortgage and so our county gets no taxes.

Nice, isn't it?

The defeat of the American, Mc Auliffe by Slavin the Australian in two rounds, caused our American

"Wait till Leate Tom Brown.'—N. Y.

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"O. I do wish you would play that favorite of yours—'The Races,' I think favorite of the Park favorite o

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"No man can serve two masters;" dent that any woman who accepts the gift of a home thereby pledges herself neglect of her first duty and highest privilege can not lead to any true work

in other directions:

Passioned to exalt

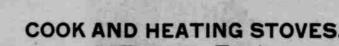
The artist's instinct in me at the cost
Of putting down the woman's, I forgot
No perfect artist is developed here

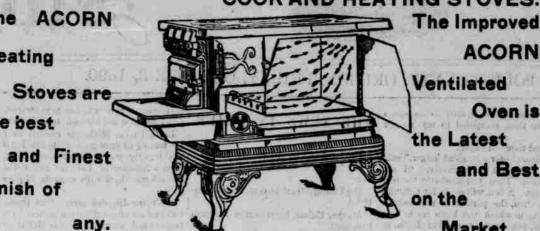
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fork, he touched a thread at the other

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supreme treasure of a home is decided.

But the best work of artist or poet or physician will ever spring from the hidden, passionate womanilness that appreciates to the full the greatness of the sacrifice or loss.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

When the Oregon legislature meets let it get up a short pithy assessment law. Tax real estate and personal property only; deduct no indebtedness; and only take out a mortgage when on record at time the board meets for equalization. Have precinct assessors, on day wages, and a county assessor paid by the year and also on a percentage. Provide for taking the assessment by precincts.

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SPIDER-WEB TELEPHONE.

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The Effect of a Toning Fork on a Hungry Old spider.

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Independence.

Oregon.

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ing in the use of linen, would never have been invented during the more general employment of silk. The fluttering of ribbon, the rustling and flowing skirts of silk, the silk kerchief. G. T. Waller has a neat store on the

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