

THE WEST SIDE.

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TO ADVERTISERS.
Independence is located at the head of navigation...

EX-GOVERNOR A. P. MORROW, of Missouri, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a pocket knife...

LONDON papers are assuring their readers that the United States can export 400,000,000 bushels of Indian corn...

Porter's census, which will cost \$3,000,000, is pronounced on all sides the greatest swindle of the age...

The locomotive is at last heard on Coos Bay, that for the Coos Bay, Roseburg & Eastern railway having arrived...

We are much pleased to say that our worthy state superintendent, Hon. E. B. McElroy, has nearly entirely recovered from his late sickness...

Up in Spokane, Washington, a newspaper, the Review, is housed in a building which cost \$160,000. The Review owns the building, and it is paid for...

The settlers' cabins on the "Red S." lands in southeastern Oregon have been torn down, the homesteaders and their families have been driven off...

JAMES MACKAY is a resident of this city now, and is stopping at the Exchange Hotel. He is 86 years of age, and is entitled to the distinction of having assisted in building the first railroad in the U. S...

CALIFORNIA has the right kind of a law to reach train-wreckers. It provides that any person who places dynamite or any obstruction on any railroad in the state...

In a school blank printed by the State printer we notice the following: "Form of order on district clerk for the payment of money issued by the chairman of the board and district clerk by order of the board of directors..."

THE communications in this issue of the West Side from S. S. and T. H. S. show that there is some political thought afloat in Polk county concerning some of the main topics of the day...

tions, and writing short articles. We reserve the right to refuse anything that may be written, not calculated, in our judgment, to further the interests of our whole community.

A WOMAN in Brooklyn, New York, has asked for a divorce from her husband on the ground that he is starving her. She secured a divorce from a former husband because he shot her. Marriage, in her case, has apparently been a double-barreled failure.

REPUBLICANS AND FREE TRADE.

Except in giving free trade in raw sugar, the McKinley bill increased the restrictions imposed on trade by the high tariff it superseded. And it is a notable fact—the most notable in connection with the current discussion of the tariff—that this simple free-trade provision is the only success claimed for the bill by its supporters...

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A GRAND OPPORTUNITY! THE FINEST OF THEM ALL! Heroes of Unknown Spas and Savages. By J. W. Buel. The grandest subscription book ever introduced on the coast...

BINGER HERMANN.

We have heard of rumors of the declination of Mr. Hermann to any longer serve as representative of the people of Oregon in the Congress of the United States. We are inclined to disbelieve the rumor, and for one we hope all such rumors will prove unfounded. Mr. Hermann has served well and acceptably, and the people are not disposed to replace him with a new and untried man...

of Republicans to rally to the support of him who has heretofore been so successful in carrying their standard to victory. He has been tried in the balance and not found wanting, and now, when he is better prepared than ever to serve the people most efficiently, it would be a blot upon the escutcheon of the Republican party to substitute for Hermann, the name of any new and untried man...

This is no time for swapping horses, for we know we have one, true, sound, and capable of most efficient labor. Let us not swap him off for one that might prove balky, unfit for service, and withal ready for treason, stratagem, and spolia. We have had our say who is disposed to criticize what we've said, or take exception thereto, has the wide, wide world in which to do so.—T. H. S.

ON A TRIP.

We learn from the Oregonian that Brother Wannamaker is on an extended trip, and his place of rendezvous is not known. The paper above referred to has this to say of some promises the postmaster-general made when he was in Portland:

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