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It has been suggested—and the suggestion is a wise one—that hereafter the general appropriation bill be composed only of such items as related to the conduct of the public institutions, supplies, salaries, etc. In fact let it embrace only such items as direct statute makes it incumbent upon the commonwealth to pay. Then let the normal schools, baby homes, attorney fees, etc., come each with a separate and distinct bill appropriating the sum deemed requisite. By this means each item will stand upon its own merits—every tub will rest upon its own bottom. Members of the legislature will then be able to vote upon these measures upon their own merits. The governor will then have a chance to veto or approve, as suits his pleasure and in conformity with law, justice and the best interests of the state.—Salem Sentinel.

The new law reducing interest to six per cent has cut down the selling price of county and city warrants a few cents, eight per cent paper being worth more than six. It should discourage the investing of capital in warrants and turn it toward manufacturing industries. Until factories are established our natural resources cannot be developed.

The loss of the Maria Teresa will be regretted by all Americans and will cause greater efforts to be put forth to raise another of the sunken fleet. The breaking up of the vessel demonstrate what a terrible fire was rained in her by the Oregon. The American people should have at least one memento of the great naval battle.

The good prices realized for apples and prunes this year has stimulated tree planting and thousands of trees are being set out this fall. Winter apples and petite prunes are the favorites as they command good prices in foreign markets. Oregon is a natural fruit country and for size and flavor leads the world in apples and prunes.

The official investigation of the war has brought out the fact that Sampson is entitled to the credit of bottling up Covera's fleet and not Schley as was generally supposed. Schley was in a position to do effective work in the destruction of the fleet and made the most of the opportunity.

There is a hitch in the peace negotiations at Paris. The Spaniards should reflect that if the business of negotiating for the Philippines is given back to Dewey, he is apt to take the islands at ruinously low prices.

The returns from Tuesday's election indicate that Washington, California and New York have gone republican. The national house of representatives will be very evenly divided, the senate will be strongly republican.

Personal Mention.

Capt. P. A. Baker, of Stafford, was in Oregon City Monday on a business trip. Mrs. J. N. Graham and daughter, Mildred, after a few days' visit with relatives in this city, returned to their home in Portland Monday. Mrs. Frank Rigler, of Portland, was visiting relatives in this city Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Ira Wishart, who was called to Oakland, Or., on account of the illness of her father, has returned to this city, her father's condition being much improved. Mrs. Harry Moody and son left for McMinnville Saturday afternoon, where they will hereafter reside. Mr. Moody left for that place several weeks ago, he being in business there. Miss Bertha Goldsmith left for Eugene Tuesday, where she will spend several weeks. Mrs. H. Westervelt and children, of Portland, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reddick last week. Mrs. Fuller, of Portland, was visiting Mrs. Chas. Burns Friday and Saturday. Squire McCarter, a former resident of Oregon City, was visiting relatives in this city for the past week. Robert Bonnett, of Milwaukie, attended the benefit ball given at the arroyo last Friday night. Chas. Barclay is expected to arrive in this city this week from England. Mr. Barclay spent his boyhood days in this city, where he has relatives. Mr. Barclay has not been home for about eight years, and has many friends in this city, who will be pleased to see him once more. J. H. Daley, of Macksburg, was a business visitor to Oregon City Tuesday. David Will, of Barlow, was in Oregon City today. Mrs. Wm. P. Hawley spent Sunday with relatives at Barlow. Mrs. P. Parrish, of Clarks, is the guest of Mrs. F. Caldwell for a few days. Mrs. Barton, of Seattle, is in the city on a business trip.

CORRESPONDENCE

From All Quarters for the Press Readers.

A New Corps of Writers Give the News of the County—A Letter From the Model Village.

SCOTTS MILLS.

A box social given by the young people of the Christian church on Friday night, was largely attended by the Scotts Mills. The dainty baskets prepared by the ladies, were sold to the highest bidder, and the proceeds, over \$12, turned over to the church. Among the visitors from abroad was Mr. Wells, travelling agent for the Oregon City Press. Misses Gertrude and Nellie Atkins are spending the winter in Portland. Miss Anna McDonald, of Hubbard, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. R. Dimick. Those who attended the reading circle at Mrs. Commens' report a very pleasant evening. Our enterprising merchant, Mr. Miles, and Mrs. Miles made a visit to the metropolis last week. November 2 I.

OSWEGO.

Last Friday Mrs. W. M. Gray visited Mrs. H. L. Gill at Canby. Miss Eunice Garfield is attending the St. Mary's Academy in Portland. A Smith, a mining engineer from Rosland, B. C., who for a few days was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans, left this week for Australia. Miss May Mark, of Oregon City, was the guest of Miss Elsie Walling on Sunday.

SANDY.

These rainy days are times when farmers make cider and apple-jack by the barrel full, and perhaps this winter a chap will also get full. Sandy is taking a boom spell. Everything is livening up since it has been reported that the Sandy river will soon be used to furnish power for a large electric station. Surveys are being made and it is said that enterprise is a sure thing. A lumber company has been making surveys and have a route up Trout Creek for a lumber flume. Anton Stein, a well-known painter of Portland, is busy painting the new church of Sandy, which looks very pretty. Our stage driver was in a sad predicament last Saturday, his team having been locked up until the feed bill was paid. He however secured a pony by which he managed to get the U. S. mail on time.

NEW ERA.

Although the Press has many subscribers in this vicinity, we have not seen any New Era news, so will make bold to tell the readers something of the happenings of this quite little burr nest among the hills on the banks of the Willamette. Not in a spirit of gossip, but of that kindly feeling which should prompt each of us to be interested in what is of interest to his neighbors.

MILWAUKIE.

Mr. Ketchum is moving his household goods to Oregon City. Frank Welch, who has been confined to the hospital in California, returned home Sunday, accompanied by his mother, who has been caring for him for the last two weeks. L. E. Moore visited County School Superintendent H. S. Strange at St. Vincent hospital Saturday. Mr. Strange thinks he is improving. Miss Ethen, of Portland, is visiting Miss Wetzell for a few days. There will be thanksgiving services conducted by Rev. Fisher. All are welcome. John L. Bernhard died at his home near Courtney, Nov. 1st, of heart disease. He was 59 years old and leaves a wife, son, and daughter to mourn his death. Countess friends followed him to his last resting place near Milwaukie, and covered his grave with a profusion of flowers. The enthusiastic young people, of Milwaukie, have commenced preparing for Christmas exercises. Mr. Hennimen has returned from Walla Walla. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ketch were visiting in Milwaukie Sunday. Nov. 7. We'ens.

MARQUAM.

Webfoot is still recommended for rain and prospects that the roads will not be dusty very soon. The blacksmith's hammer sounds familiar again in our burg. Rev. Stulise is holding meetings at Malola this week. A. Gray is still very low. Miss Eliza Miller was thrown from a horse on Saturday. Her injuries were not dangerous. I. D. Larkins met with an accident while standing on a box tipping grain out of a bin. The box turned and he

NEEDY.

The rains of the past week have been quite a help to the farmers on the hill lands. We were over toward Marquam last week and called on P. J. Ritzings. Most of the work on his large ranch is completed and things are being put in

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A Full Line of Shoes. Has just been placed in stock and will be sold at Rock Bottom Prices. Please give us a call and be convinced. I am now located in the Canfield bldg next to Huntley's.

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