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The cable tells us that the Boers have bagged another lot of British. "As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be."

The "shirt waist for men" idea seems to be languishing. It's advocates forgot to supply a summer along with it.

Of course General Walderssee will leave Pekin sooner or later. What the Chinese want to know, is how much he will leave.

New Jersey is driving out mosquitos and Pennsylvania is getting rid of tramps. This is all right for the two states involved, but how about the rest of the country.

Don't forget to read the offer to teachers of Crook county made in connection with the JOURNAL. Vote for your favorite teacher. We want to add 250 new names to our list under this proposition.

The feeling is growing that if the Monroe Doctrine does not prevent the requisition of coaling stations in the West Indies by European powers, it should be extended until it does so. Self preservation demands this.

The July number of the Delineator is one of the finest specimens of the printers art we have gazed upon for some time. It is illustrated by a number of three colored pictures of the Buffalo exposition buildings that are simply grand.

Naturally the big papers will not object to having the premium giving little ones debarred from the mails. But Congress has its ear close to the mouth of the country editor, and it will not tolerate the the new restriction proposed by the Postoffice Department.

The chances are that it will be held that the Spooner law, passed by the last Congress, delegating to the President power to govern the Philippines, gives him authority to establish a tariff against them. If this is so, no extra session will be necessary to bar the free trade seemingly brought about by the Supreme Court decision.

For true adherence to the principles of republicanism Yamhill county ventures to boast of a man the counterpart of whom cannot be produced. Mr. H. P. Webster, a respected citizen of this county, a man who bore a musket in defense of his country's honor during the civil war, will be 73 years of age next September. He cast his first vote after attaining his majority for Fremont and Dayton, the old free-soil presidential candidates. The free-soilers were merged into the republican party of today, and during all these years Mr. Webster has never missed voting at an election, nor cast a vote for a candidate other than those of the party of his choice, the republicans. Democrats boast of their staying qualities, but believe the republicans will have to make long and tireless search to beat Yamhill's record for party fealty.—Reporter.

LET US THEN BE READY.

Every evidence at hand points to a larger immigration this year than has ever been known in this part of Oregon, and it is of vital importance that we should be in a position to take advantage of the changed conditions that will arise in this county. Instead of being an isolated community we will become one of the great centers of population of the state; railroads will be constructed through the county and many other radical changes be made. In order to utilize all these changes we must be ready to fall in line with them as they come, and not wait until they are here and then find that some outside has got ahead of us. Such things only happen to decaying communities. The world of today has no use for silurians or fossils except to place them in cabinets. We may safely predict that Crook county is now on the eve of one of the biggest booms that ever struck Oregon and the only fear is that it may be over done and the people not be in a condition to take advantage of it, consequently it will react with bad effect. Let us be ready for it and then the good work will keep going on and the country continue to build up, for there is no doubt that the natural resources are here to build it if they are properly developed.

STRETCHING OUT.

A. M. F. Kirchheimer of the Antelope Republican is branching out in the newspaper business, and if he continues will rival Hearst of the Examiner, who now conducts three papers in the United States. Mr. Kirchheimer has purchased the Prairie City Miner, and we understand will soon go to that place to take personal charge of the same, and will also continue to run the Republican at Antelope. We wish the brother all kinds of success, but it appears to us he is stretching himself considerably. —Shaniko Leader. The good brother might buy the Ukiah Sentinel and begin a series of triangulated newspaper work.

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