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HAS PORTLAND THE SLEEPING SICKNESS?

The manner in which Portland conducts herself in matters of statepart of the two hundred or so fellows who constitute the live ones

in the state metropolis. We have the latest instance before us just now, the matter of a half million for a building in which to house the Pacific International Livestock show

This show is one of the finest intitutions that could be situated in State or a city, is worth more to Portland than she realizes, yet the "patronage," the paid advertising, which was done at a huge expense, a hrge amount of space being bought. was all placed in Portland papers, while as usual the up-state papers were fed reams of free matter telling how good the show would be and how the State should support it.

The up-state papers used this mat-ter too, because the proposition merited it, but were not even given a **bok-in** in the paid advertising.

Where will Portland get her fat eers, bulls and the rest of the stuff to fill that building, without the aid of the state press? Where will the for the state press? Where will the crowds come from to fill the hotels if the state press does not help to "sell" the idea of atending the show to the live stock people? It is a no-torious and shameful fact that the live stock show to this time has been PUBLASHED EVERY THURSDAY a struggling failure because of the lack of attendance from Portland her-

self. We up-state fellows, all progressive stockmen and many others attend these shows at an expense that would perhaps average not more than \$75 each, yet the manager of the average Portland business house will not pay the eleven cents necessary each way to attend, even for a part of a day. This is a fact, and a shameful one that Portland will not wish to admit. It is necessary on various occasions for we who are attempting to make a country out of Oregon, "outside of Portland" as they like to put it sometimes in the metropolis, to journey to that city in an attempt to se-cure cooperative support for various enterprises, in most instances.

outerprises, in most lustances. As soon as we are introduced to the managor of the average business house there, a disinter-sted attitude is assumed, and while we are usually given courteous treatment, the result is usually a refusal or a statement of uncertain tone that does not lend assistance to any venture "outside of Portland." Portland.

We believe it is a fact that the heads of ninety per cent, of the Port-land concerns have never seen ten per cent, of the ferritory in the State outside of the Willamette valley.

We believe it is a fact that half of these men would not make a trip through the interior of the State if their expenses were paid on that inpection tour.

We believe that without the aid of a map most of these men would not be able to tell whether Prine-ville is situated on the eastern or the southern border of the state, when as a mater of fact it is in the geographanducts herself in matters of state-inter or an admission of an ignor-tate, or an admission of an ignor-that is difficult to believe on a part of the two hundred or so ellows who constitute the live ones a the state metropolis. We have the latest instance before s just now, the matter of a halt

awake to their gross and shameful ignorance of the true conditions in the State, its resources, its possibil-ities, and with the hope of stirring some of these worthy gentlemen out of their apparent sleeping sickness, these few lines are written

SOME PLAIN FACTS

Some of the plainest statements of facts regarding the Oregon Land Fraud trials that were held in this state during 1905 that have yet been published have recently appeared in the Portland Telegram.

There is nothing new in these state-ments of fact to most of the people

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Is Your Money Supporting the Government?

At this critical period in our history our manufacturers are offering their mills and our young men are offering their services to the United States government. Would you like to do your share and help, by putting your money where it will support the new Federal Reserve Banking System, which the government has established to stand back of our commerce, industry and agriculture?

You can do this by opening an account with us as part of every dollar so deposited goes directly into the new system, where it will always be ready for you when wanted.

Member Federal Reserve System

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

We Beg to Announce

THAT THE

Central Oregon Title & Loan Company

Has taken over the Abstract and Insurance Business of the

Crook County Abstract Company

And will be found at the former location of the **Crook County Abstract Company on** Court (Third) Street

CARS OVERHAULED

Now is the time to have your car overhauled and put in shape for the coming season. Rates Reasonable, services right. Cars stored by the day or month... Autos for hire.

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INLAND GARAGE. SECOND AND B STREETS

manner with the chell, one of the truest and most able contact in some Heney-Burns machine, their gang of detectives and spies. statesmen that ever represented Ore-gon in Washington was sent to his

The State was done a mighty There is nothing new in these state-ments of fact to most of the people of this county who resided here dur-ing those years. Most of us came in

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gon in Washington was sent to his grave by the work of the machine, dying as they said of a broken heart, C. W. Fulton the ablest perhaps of the old Oregon delegation, and our own representative J. N. Williamson, who was in a nonition is harden. who was in a position to become a mighty power for the development

of the eastern part of the State, all killed politically by men who stuffed the jury box as a part of their misdeeds to gain the end sought in the cause of right. The loss of this part of the State was especially great be-cause of the fact that Mr. Williamson is the only representative we ever have had and being especially qualified to work for the needs of the in terior.

In publishing these facts the Telegram has done a service to the people of the State, and at the same time showed the hand of the Port-land Journal, which publication, regardless of the show recently made to do the people of the State a favor in attempting to have these old cases reinvestigated, does not dare to print knows regarding them, for fear all it of being thrown in a decidedly unfavorable light.

We believe every man is entitled

