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hat some of the aflicted who fall into
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A New Easge couple announced o
the oscasion of their golden weddin
that during their married life th that during their married life the
kitchen fire had to be buill 18,263 times that papa always built, and during that
period they had enever enjoyed a cross wood. If there is anything in the oity
of the New Jerusalem that that fond and outfering head of the house watt thea he gets there he will double
only have to meation.

Wz have received aeveral letters dur ing the past month from farmers and
others za Clackamas county, complain ing at the cost of maintaining the po
of the county. As we underatand Uhe county has no poor farm and patpers by a syatem of pensions. That of the fanda of the county for the une and benelt of the pauper as his neo ewities may demand. In aome cases pawsers receive an much as 88 per monti
is echer cases more and in others atill lens, This is poesibly the most expenless. Thist posesibly wasteful and extravagant eyytenang cosnty can select lor the mainten ban been tried in all uad wherever tried has been found to be developed in the East and North is for
counts to own a farm, erect suitable
baildings, employ a keeper of the county Insirmary, and keep all of the indigen good farm and a good syatem will in become self supporting. The old and Sufiram will secure a grod clean home
whove they can remain until death
can bo put to work in the gariens, froi
this way pay their owe board Many
man will accept a pension or a bounty
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| WHAT OF THE HARVEST <br> The cyes of the country are upon the great North Weet. W last masathe of aintar and early come more people from the stawe will joarney into this "Malk and honey" than bave enme over the mountains to the of che Weatern ocean in any on What is Clackamas county d sceare liar ahare of the vew She to rich in every nataral has fande and hoteen in abund att who come. Her real estate and all well wishers thould be bookuat during the early spri summer. By careful paintaking thomand famitier in a single se be added to the poputation |
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 roon for all, that land is cheap, timber of its dogmus and atond for all of its
pleatiful and water abandant. That
ismes, It matered not how corrupty cis is a poor man's paradise. He can the pur y g overned, or bow ar they swung
raise more and do less and on less away from the Constitution and the law, capital in Clackamas county than in any
other place on the American continent. Then let us be up and doing and reswift nor the battle to the strong' but
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THE CONQUEST It has been with a great deal of pleas-
ure that we have read the copy of the
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thorese, Mrs. Eva Emery Dye. It is facinating atory, poesibly more of a
history than a novel. It deanis with a history than a novel. It deals with a
period of the devalopment of our country
and with historical characters that ap. peale to the bebolar and the atudent a-
like. There it no more fascinating
period of American history than that period when our domain was expanded
towards the Weatern ocean by conguest discovery and parchase. Few it any
more picturesque character in all the more pictaresque character
history of tha country than George
Rodgers Clark and bie compatriote in the Lewis \& Clark expedition. The
tistory of thes exploration with its attendant dificulties and dangers, the
romantic and unkown country throgh
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were by force of neceesity compel'ed to pres and the hardesips by the way, ar
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real information from the Conquest of
country and historical characters that country and historical characters than
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that has falien into our bands. There
 passing interest for one from Kentucky the forest and make of Kentucky the ought and no doubt will do mucl
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future.
THE DELINQuENT TAX LIST.
The delinquent tax list of Clackamas The delinquent tax list of Clackimas
county, pubisished in the last issue of he Enterprise, in this city is a remark It cost fifteen cents per line to publish
ander the contract between the county
$\qquad$ almost ten pages of type with 240 lines
they will count nothing to a crowd of coats the tax payers of the county 82,160 00. It is remarkable from the fact that
amount due for taxes on a great portion of the less than $\$ 1$ in many instances, tax Bought to be collected is less than
50 cents, which means that it costs
more to ndvartise the property for only an outlying proviuce of repubicican party. In vain w
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only belong to those who vote the repub. 8 of the opinion that stateliood should
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lican ticket. amount of taxes owing the county on We sympathize with Arivona, and
delfinquent taxes is really small, con- $\begin{aligned} & \text { Wfer her our hope that the day } \\ & \text { sidering the size, population and wealth. } \\ & \text { not lar off when a democratic adminis }\end{aligned}$ sidering the size, population and wealth.
The Sherif of the county of whas done welt a demoeratic adm in
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in collecting his tux list so closely, As very fow of the farmers of the count
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repuire him to mail one copy of b
paper containing the list to every vot paper contuining the list to every voter
in the county. Poseibly it will not co as much to pablieh the list next year as it has this. The court is pledged to
the work to the lowest hidder.
THE DEATH OF THOMAS B. REEO. THE DEATH OF THOMAS B. REEO.
Thomas B. Reed, one of the in
tellectual athletes of the last quarter o tellectual atheress of the last quarter
a centary, has laid his nantle dov
and surrendered to the grim reape and surrendered to the grim reape
death. He was an intellectanl gian and a physical burcules. Big in brain
and tody ho impressed much of his
charactor upon the goneration in which he lived and acted his part. He
the leading Republican of his day.
wonopolizod the foot lights of Reputi an politice and for ten yoars bended and endless energy, He was an agres-
tive Republican and telieved that no
"MY OLD KENTUCKY Home."
The Pathetic Story of the Famous Son
The Weekly Record of Bardstown,
The song was written by Stephen Coeast of Bariatown. One beantiful manthe cornfeldi and the san was shining
with a mighty splendor on the wavigrass, frst giving it a color of light reswas seated upp
brother and a sister. High up in $t$
top of a tree was a mocking hind
den recense of a small bash the the hiasbof small ne
Whalse thant birds makes muste all the day:

 campletely enrajatured at the wonderf voice of the young singer. When the
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voice:


The darkies had laid down their hoe
and rake; the little tots had placedand rake; the little tots had placed
hemeelves behind the large, stalteringcees, while the old black women werpeeping around the corner of the hous
The taithful old house dok neverThe taithtul old house dol never tool
his eyss off the young singers. Every-his eyss of the young singers. Every
thing was still; not even the stirring ore leaver seemed to break the wonderful ailence. Again the brother and ain
ter took hold of the remaining notes anang in sweet nccents:
$\qquad$On tho meadow, the hull mad the shores
neey thing no more by tho silimmer of the moThen wy old Kenturks home, good nisht

own the old darkkies cheeks; the chil
ren orept from their hiding places b"OH, I dunno."
"OH, I DUNNOeyes es deep en' gray
gazin' far away
en I sees, "Say, Li
stay or ahall 1 goNow, she knows es
years en' years e
doubts en' fears,'Mm gettin pale e
Lindy with her
in', "I dunno!"other night we cu
I asks her fer ashe'l never mies
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