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BOOSTER DAY.

Knock and the World Knocks with you. Boost, and you boost alone; And the busy-body 'll have nothing to do. When the spirit of progress is gone. There's going to be a big day in town next Saturday. A portly gentleman conceived the idea of getting the merchants to chip in and make up a little fund to defray the expenses of an all round good time.

There are a few of this latter class doing business in Oregon City. It is coming time that they should understand that the very "tight" fellow is a load for the community to carry, a damper on its progress, and if they don't choose to "get in the game" the community by keeping severely aloof from them should give them a hint to move on.

We have said that a man's failure to subscribe to any particular enterprise does not classify him as one of the mill stones in the community's neck. But let us also suggest that the public carefully avoid the fellow who is well known to take no part in any of the functions or public enterprises that have for their object the up-building of the community.

Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Shadow. The latest reports from Dunn's Review puts a much better light on industries throughout the country and a general living up of sales and why shouldn't it come there is really a groundless fear of some radical or improbable change which has caused and does cause every four years this partial stagnation and business depression, the partial closing up of activities every fourth year is more a habit than a logical necessity.

We are fearsome timid people and it seems we can be thrown into a panic on the slightest provocation. But we should banish these troublesome and injurious fear-thoughts and apprehensions of calamity when everything doesn't go just to our liking. Nothing suddenly disastrous could happen as a natural and proper consequence of the election of any man, of either party, as president—though powerful groups might make this an excuse for trying to worry and oppress the people.

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Andrew Carnegie says that iron is the most useful of all metals and that copper comes next in usefulness, but in spite of this arrangement, Americans will continue to dig for the root of all evil.

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At the same time the new Ayer's Hair Vigor is a strong hair tonic, promoting the growth of the hair, keeping all the tissues of the hair and scalp in a healthy condition. The hair stops falling, dandruff disappears. A splendid dressing.

ready gone. No one knows better than Uncle Joe the calamity that will befall the country and the rout that will befall the party if there should be another financial panic during the presidential campaign.

It will be a matter of sincere regret to every friend of reform that a bill enforcing publicity in all expenditures for political purposes was not enacted at this session of Congress. The bill presented by Representative McCall was reasonable, simple and undoubtedly within the power of Congress. There could be no objection to it. There was none. But there was a feeling that the passage of such a bill might interfere with political plans, prospects and expenditures.

A bill has been passed over the President's veto. The bill was in favor of extending the time for completion of private enterprise, a dam over Rainy River in Minnesota. This is the first bill passed over a President's veto since the time of President Chester A. Arthur.

Mr. Gompers' paper, The American Federationist, the organ of the labor unions, it is said, holds Speaker Cannon responsible for the death of the Anti-Injunction Bill and an amendment to the Sherman Anti-Trust law. There is no doubt that the Speaker is responsible and gladly so, for a great mass of legislation proposed by this Congress that has failed to become law. More than a year ago, when Mr. Gompers and other distinguished walking delegates of the labor organizations went to Congress and addressed the Speaker of the House, Uncle Joe replied in a speech telling them in his usual picturesque language that while their interests would be considered with those of all the other working men of the United States, their organization was not the whole shooting match, and that there were a few millions of laborers, men, women and children, in the aggregate, about ten times as many as in the labor unions, that must come in for consideration.

From every city of any size on the Coast, delegates have come to Portland to attend the session of the Pacific Coast Ad Men's Association. It is being held in the Convention Hall of the Commercial Club Building, and the Association enjoyed a unique dinner at the Club Monday night—their banquets are probably the most unusual and interesting given by any convention—they have been compared to similar affairs of the famous Grid-Iron Club of Washington—and since the Portland Ad Men claim to have the largest Advertising Club in America, they are making special effort as hosts.

A communication went out last week from the Portland Commercial Club to the organizations of the state asking for a supply of literature issued by certain community. Special files of these publications are kept for the information and benefit of newcomers, who naturally come to the larger cities first and to whom such a distributing bureau will be of the utmost advantage. The whole Pacific Northwest is included in this scope of their work.

A few weeks ago President Roosevelt declared "that when compared with the question of anarchism every other question slinks into insignificance." And nothing has been done. This is another occasion when congress has failed to get excited over one of Mr. Roosevelt's superlative exclamations that something or other is the most important or the most pressing, or the momentous of present questions.

Contractors for the new Denver Auditorium where the Democratic National Convention is to be held this month, will walk out of the building the seventh of the month with their work completed. It will take a week more to clean up and arrange the seats, and then the big convention hall will be ready for the people.

The Albany evening Journal (New York Rep.) states that the State of New York is now Democratic by fifty or one hundred thousand, and will cast its electoral vote for the Democratic nominee for President.

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W. F. HARRIS WRITES OF TRIP. Journey to Old Home in Wales Being Enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harris and child who left Oregon City about two weeks ago for a visit to their old home in Wales, have arrived safely in New York. Mr. and Mrs. Harris are well known in Clackamas County, and their friends will be interested in their travels and of their safe arrival.

New York, May 26, 1908. I will mention a few of the numerous points of interest passed through on our long railroad trip. First, we left Portland at 2 o'clock P. M., May 19th, and left Seattle, Wash., at 9:30 P. M. the same evening over the Great Northern. There is one feature I do not like on the Eastbound train, and that is, we crossed the Cascade mountains by night, as also the Rocky Mountains, but outside of this the route was quite interesting.

One day before we reached North Dakota, we experienced a fearful storm, and we traveled about 15 hours in eight or ten inches of snow, and it looked very pretty on account of the grass being green in the low valleys, where there was no snow at all, but as we traveled East the snow disappeared, and thousands of acres of fine farms, and I should judge from the appearance of the fine buildings that the farmers of these farms were very prosperous.

The section of Minnesota, through which we traveled, was a very pretty and fertile country, but Oh, my! when we reached that smoky Minneapolis, the smoke was dense, and I don't think that a mosquito would prosper there. St. Paul is somewhat better, and is a very pretty city. A fine depot has been erected for the accommodation of such a railroad center. At St. Paul we left the Great Northern Railroad and took the Wisconsin Central Railroad for Chicago. This railroad travels through some good looking country, but not as good as we traveled through heretofore. We arrived at Chicago on Saturday morning, and spent a day in that city, and took in what sights we could in that short length of time. Lincoln Park is worth while to see. It is certainly a beautiful Michigan Boulevard is also great, and it would pay to send your honorable county commissioners East to see this well kept road, as a sample, but C. G. Huntley will soon be running 60 miles per hour on the Boulevard when he comes to vote for Roosevelt, (and don't you forget it, Clyde).

I must leave Chicago, as I could talk upon this city all day, and it will certainly be the greatest city on earth in time to come. We now go to take passage on the Grand Trunk for Niagara Falls, and it was here that the agent told us that we would get our money's worth, and we are not disappointed. A very nice ride through was partly good farming country, but there seemed to be a great deal of gravel in the soil. It took about eight hours to travel over this road. The country between Chicago and New York is cut to pieces with railroads.

From Buffalo we came over the Lehigh Valley to this city, New York. Pennsylvania was the poorest state in appearance in agriculture than any other state we passed through on our trip here. We arrived in the city of New York on the evening of the 25th inst, and the following day we took buses in the sight of the most unusual city we visited were the Brooklyn and Williamsburg bridges. The Brooklyn bridge is a great structure, and is about the longest bridge in the world. The streets of New York are poorly planned, running in all directions.

We sail on the 27th of May at 2 o'clock on the Lusitania, and will write you more at the end of our journey. W. F. HARRIS.

OF INTEREST TO DEMOCRATS.

The National Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee has begun active operations at its headquarters at Washington, D. C. In addition to its regular work it is now preparing a Campaign handbook which it hopes to have ready for distribution by July 1—two or three months earlier than heretofore.

The committee is charged with the duty of assisting, in every way possible, the election of a Democratic Congress. We wish the active cooperation of every voter in the United States who believes, with us, that the election of a Democratic Congress would greatly benefit the country. We must rely upon the people to sustain our work by giving information as to local conditions, and suggestions for our guides.

Each individual can at least aid us by making a contribution. Will he not do so and interest others in helping us too?

We wish our Campaign handbook distributed as generally as possible, and we will furnish a copy, as soon as published, even to one who contributes to our Committee.

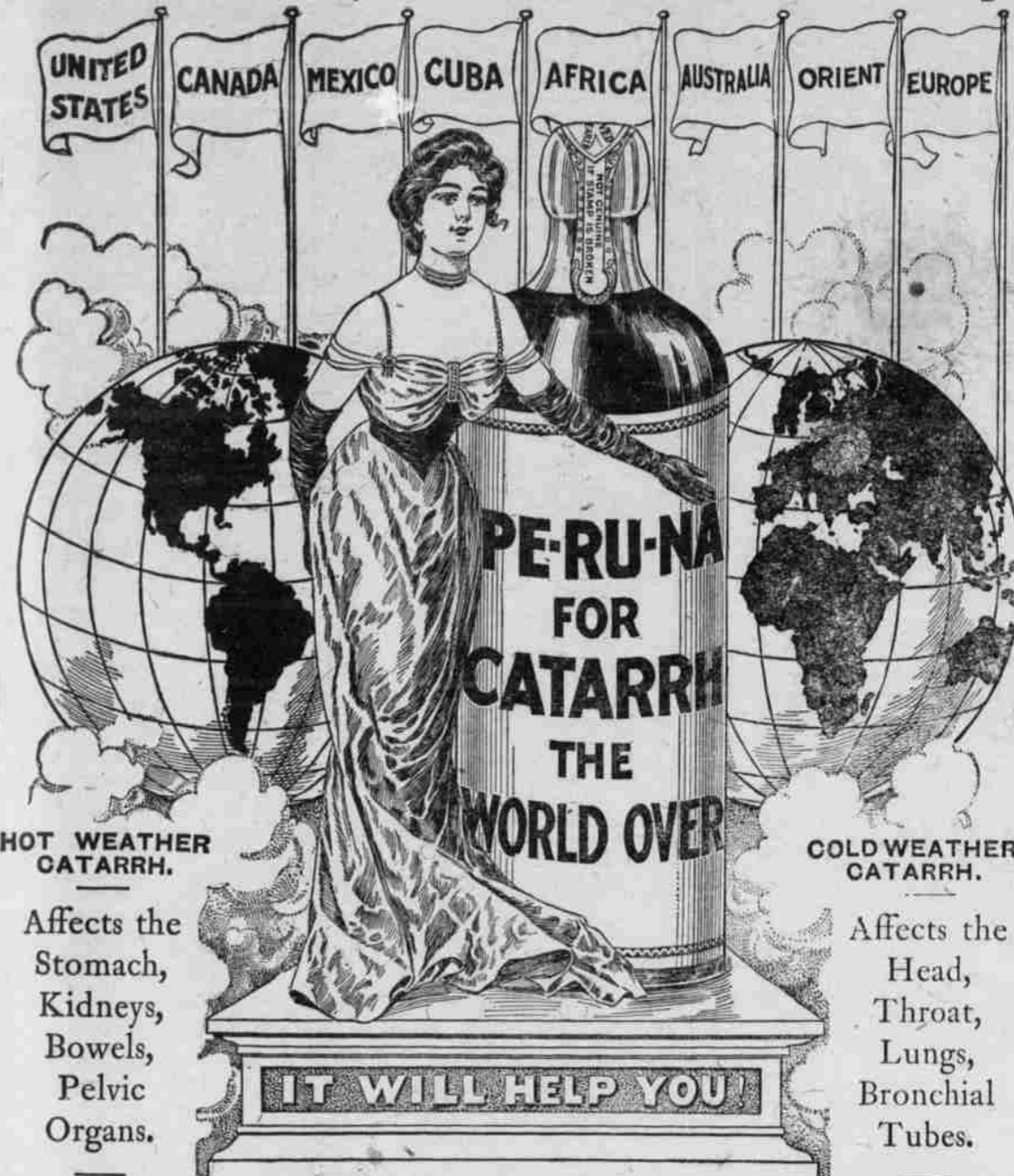
Send remittances to me at Washington, D. C. JAMES T. LLOYD.

Mrs. Eddy Not Ill. Baseless rumors to the effect that Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, discoverer and founder of Christian Science, has been seriously ill, have been circulated for several days. The inspiration for the rumors appears to have been a dispatch published in a New York newspaper which said that Mrs. Eddy was suffering severely as the result of a cold and had been unable to go out for a drive for two weeks.

Each statement in the dispatch referred to was denied most emphatically. She is apparently stronger physically and quite as alert mentally as she was 11 months ago. There is no visible indication that the passage of 11 months time has in any way affected Mrs. Eddy adversely. Here eye is as bright, her handclasp as strong and hearty and her voice as full and steady as on June 15 of last year. If there has been any change in Mrs. Eddy's physical condition during the past 11 months it has been for the better.

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Sunday Morning—"The History and Teaching of the Baptists."

Sunday Evening—"The History and Teaching of the Disciples."

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Andrews Carothers, who arrived about two weeks ago from Emery, Mont., and who is visiting with relatives and friends in Canemah, returned Saturday evening from a few days' visit on the Sound. Mr. Carothers spent several days in Seattle and Tacoma before going to Victoria, and while in Seattle visited on several of the warships of the fleet while they were at that place. Mr. Carothers left Oregon City ten years ago for Montana with his parents, for Garnet, Mont., and after residing at that place for some time he went to Phillipsburg, where he attended the High school for three years before going to Emery, his present home. Mr. Carothers will probably leave for his home in a few weeks.

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