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AMOUNT ISSUE

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Second: To organize, for the discussion of these problems, non-parti-san clubs in as many cities and towns worthy cause that requires national as possible throughout the country. the clubs in securing speakers for

their meetings. subjects discussed and to submit reports covering their findings. These can best be attained by such as two thirds.

of political conventions. Second: To have these issues fairly port with its lofty uses, and the and fully discussed before non-partiseructure alone will be a Mecca for san audiences in all parts of the couniovers of the beautiful everywhere.

the issues considered, and, through venient site in Washington of this the widest possibe dissemination of great institution will lift our national their findings, to furnish to the people in concise form such information as will assist them to reach intelligent conclusions and enable them to choose as their political leaders the men who are most likely to represent the country's best thought and ideals. five million dollars by the stockhold-

For the purpose of determining which of the subjects named below purpose of bettering their system is were of the most importance a vote has been recently taken. The preferential system was employed in order of any depression in business circles.

sources, 3 per cent; sixth, the tariff, seventh, the public school tics, 2 per cent; tenth, taxation, 3 per cent; eleventh, relation between employer and workmen, 3 per cent. As a second and final choice, direct elec-

The method of determining the preferential vote was as follows:

GEORGE WASHINGTON MEMORIAL ASSO-CIATION

For a number of years the National Washington's insistent wish for the Economic League has been perfecting plans for the education of the American people on economic and social problems. The project provides a means of securing an expression of the people on such questions, and it has already been tried in New England with satisfactory results. The has already been tried in New England with satisfactory results. The league is composed of some of the most influential men in the country—statesmen, scientists, sociologists and professional men—and they now have clubs in a number of the educational centers of the East. The plan of the recognization is briefly as follows:

| Use their means, time and influence to increase the general good,—not by indiscriminate chairity or public benevolence, but by promoting enterprises in which Americans who aspire to better their own conditions and to divarce their fellows may engage.

With Mrs. Dimock originated the recognization is briefly as follows: First: To form a national council, which has won the unequivocal enof intelligence and integrity type dorsement of public men invalid dorsement of public men, important national societies and leading edu-

by its members, the problems to be statement of its purposes. The use considered by the league.

Second: To organize, for the disand for which it will be designed is possible throughout the country. or international coventions, with sufficient auditoriums and halls to accommodate any size of assembly, and different conventions at one time should need arise: to provide central ports covering their findings. These can best be attained by such accommodations; to provide the most modations; to provide the most modations to printed and disseminated as widely as possible. what the League hopes to accomplish is as follows:

First: To have the great issues before the country directly initiated by the best independent thought rather than left, as now, to the eximancian able materials. Its style will comsan andiences in all parts of the country by the ablest speakers obtainable representing all sides of a question.

Third: To secure the judgment of impartial expert commissions upon mental work. The location on a continuous control of the control

KEEP THE BALL ROLLING The recent appropriation of seventy-

to obviate the necessity of a third ballot. The following is the result:

First—Direct legislation, including direct primary nominations, direct Southern Pacific in extension and im-First—Direct legislation, including quired control of the Union and direct primary nominations, direct Sonthern Pacific in extension and implementation of United States senators, in itiative, referendum and recall, 35 per cent; second, inefficiency and delay general to favor retrenchment whereof the courts in the administration of justice, 19 per cent; third, regulation and control of corporations, 8 per cent; foorth, centralization of power in the federal government. 7 per cent; completion of the Panama canal and in the federal government, 7 per cent; completion of the Fanama canal and office department is not supposed to be greatest prelates in the federal government. 7 per cent; the fact of the postnator of the country actual conditions in the mail service. The investingation ordered by the postmaster of the occasion of a grand ovation, and therefore continued yells of "Teddy for 1912".

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The senate unanimously passed the service, as incompetency and ineficiency in higher branches of the service, and it now awaits the president's suppearance was tention of the country actual conditions in the mail service. The investingation ordered by the postmaster of the occasion of a grand ovation, and there ex-President's appearance was tention of the country actual conditions in the mail service. The investigation ordered by the postmaster of the occasion of a grand ovation, and there exercises the occasion of a grand ovation, and the occasion of the ex-President's appearance was tention of the country actual conditions in the mail service. The investigation ordered by the postmaster of the occasion of a grand ovation, and the occasion of a grand ovation, and the occasion of the ex-President's appearance was tention of the ex-President's appearance was tention of the ex-President's appearance wa in the federal government, ? per cent; completion of the Panama canal and office department is not supposed to fifth, conservation of natural retwo or three transcontinental railway be a paying institution, but the fact lines now in process of construction that it was conducted at a loss of Catholic church, dies in Philadelphia, would relieve so many laborers in the nearly six million dollars last year is aged 79 years. system in relation to physical, intel- near future that there would be a reason for some sort of investigation lectual, civic, moral and vocational glut in the labor market and that the cyand sconomy in federal, state and municipal administration, 7 per cent; eighth, corporation influence in politics, 2 per cent; tenth, taxation, 3 per resolved to expand an immense sum such an engagement specific and an attempt to place it nearer a tor Bailey of Danville, strongly opposite the reciprocity treaty with profit for 1910 was over twenty-four million dollars, and there is apparation, 2 per cent; tenth, taxation, 3 per resolved to expand an immense sum such an engagement of investigation to Beaker Cannon in a letter to Senator Bailey of Danville, strongly opposite the reciprocity treaty with million dollars, and there is apparation influence in politics, 2 per cent; tenth, taxation, 3 per resolved to expand an immense sum such an engagement of investigation to Beaker Cannon in a letter to Senator Bailey of Danville, strongly opposite the reciprocity treaty with passing the reciprocity treaty with control of the country. Now that one of the million dollars, and there is apparation to paying basis. The British postal poses the reciprocity treaty with profit for 1910 was over twenty-four might seriously affect the prosperity profit for 1910 was over twenty-four of the country. Now that one of the million dollars, and there is apparation in a letter to Senator Bailey of Danville, strongly opposite the seriously and an attempt to place it nearer a tor Bailey of Danville, strongly opposite the seriously affect the prosperity profit for 1910 was over twenty-four of the country. condition it means that other roads The people will insist on good service will be compelled to follow their extion secured 50.5 per cent and inefficiency and delay in the courts 43.5 that there will be no check in our industrial conditions. Just think of it. Seventy-five millions of dollars to be expended by one corporation. A count was made of the first amount would be almost sufficient to choices for each subject, the result construct another transcontinental showing that direct legislation as a railway. More than twelve million first preference had secured 35 per dellars of this amount is to be expendent of all the votes cast. The balled in double-tracking and extending lots for the subject receiving the smallest number of votes were then oregon. Twelve million dollars exredistributed according to the preference of the voters and another count an equal amount by the Hill interests was made. This eliminating process was continued until only the two subjects receiving the greatest number of first, second, third and other votes remained.

an equal amount by the first limitateses are means much to Oregon. It will keep thousands of people employed for a jects receiving the greatest number of limitateses are much to Oregon. It will keep thousands of people employed for a jects receiving the greatest number of will be opened up in eastern Oregon will undoubtedly be the means of at-The result of the vote may be tracting untold numbers of settlers to unmed up as follows: summed up as follows:

As between the first and second subjects on the ballot a majority of the voters favored the first. As against extensions proposed by the Hill inall of the other subjects voted upon, terests in the Willamette valley and a majority of the voters favored the the wide advertising this section is

state of Oregon on the first proposi-tion has been brought to the attention of many of the legislatures now in session in many of the eastern states,

THE RECIPROCITY MUDDLE

the rent asunder by the secession of the so-called progressive elements, but now Senator Commins, the leader of the progressives, refuses to sanction the progressive attitude of the president, asserting that the farmers of the West have much to lose and nothing Senator Cummins' views to gain. have evidently undergone a change since the debate on the Payne measure in the senate, as at that time he was one of the leaders in favoring a reduction of the duties on all articles becessary to cheapen the cost of liv-ing. Senator Lafe Young, the other Iowa senator, is opposed to everything that Cummins advocates, but on the treaty question they seem to have had treaty question they seem to have had some sort of an argeement and both oppose the measure. The house bemocrats will unanimously support the bill, but the senate Democrats, white they are favorably disposed, are afraid that President Taft will gain some kind of advantage, and are besished of the original to the second choice, and the candidadte receiving the highest number of first and second choice votes students in the person of W. C. Cubic the bill, but the senate Democrats, white they are favorably disposed, are afraid that President Taft will gain some kind of advantage, and are besished of advantage. some kind of advantage, and are besi- university when completed. tating. All of which goes to show that the average senator does not care a rap for the country at large and is only looking out for some samil interests in the state he represents and his own chances of re-election. It is well enough for representatives to watch represent the whole people and favor such measures as will be of the most benefit to the masses. It looks benefit to the masses. It looks very much as if the old fight over the Payne bill will have to be gone over again, with very little probability of this congress taking any action. The next few days will doubtless decide

The Boy Scout movement throughout the country has increased so rapidly that they are now going to have a national annual convention, the first one of which will be held in Washington next week. It will gather together the leaders of the movement in various parts of the country, who will report on the growth of the movement and make plans for the enfair opens. sning year. The council will be re-ceived by President Taft, who is an conorary member of the organization, and he will probably deliver an ad-dress concerning the aims of the movement. More than 300,000 boys have been organized into troops unscoutmasters since last March, and thousands more are expected to be enrolled before another season closes. No other boys' organization ever developed so fast, because no other organization ever appealed to so many phases of a boy's life and at the same time developed his character and the spirit of service to his fellow

esolved to expend an immense sum such an enormous shortage in the opn keeping their roads in first-class eration of our postoffice department. at the lowest possible cost.

The Crumpacker resolution, increasing the number of representatives to 433 has passed the house and will probably pass the senate. Under this apportionment California gains three representatives, Washington two, while Oregon, with more natural advantages than either state possesses, gains only one. What excuse is there for letting our neighbors surpass us? Is it because they have more live wires, better roads, and have more extensively advertised these attractions? It cannot be the climate as Oregon's climatic conditions cannot be surpassed in the United States. Possibly Oregon has too much law to suit timid investors. There must be a reason, and whatever it is should be remedied if it lies in the hands of the people to do so.

J. Pierpont Morgan expects at some amjority of the voters favored the the wide advertising this section is first two. These questions, therefore, direct legislation, and inefficiency and belay in the administration of justice, may be considered to be the choice of the National Council as the subjects of greatest importance for consideration by the country at the present time.

The advanced legislation of the The wide advertising this section is feature from flattering notices future day to have a corner on air. He has started in on hot air, by purchasing a controlling interest in a number of the leading magazines, will not only spend \$75,000,000, but mumber of the leading magazines, will not only spend \$75,000,000, but mumber of the leading magazines. When you see to be well organized, and efforts should be made to distribute an abundance of literature setting forth the make up your mind that it emanates should be a grafter to the extent of make up your mind that it emanates said to be a grafter to the extent of from one of Morgan's hot air shops of the will not only spend \$75,000,000,000 copies. When you see the functional in a big newspaper based should be made to distribute an abundance of literature setting forth the make up your mind that it emanates said to be a grafter to the extent of from one of Morgan's hot air shops are clearly by the country and the present that their reads then an interview in Chicago, declares that their reads will not only spend \$75,000,000,000,000,000 on an an interview in Chicago, declares that their reads will not only spend \$75,000,000,000,000 on an an an interview in the mass tarted in on hot air, by purchasing a controlling interest in a number of the leading magazines.

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The advance from one of Mergan's hot air shops Wall street and that it was

The split in the Methodist church in 1844 over the question of salvery caused the formation of the Methodist Church and the Methodist Church South, The leading representatives of hese organizations in convention at Chattanooga recently claim that there no longer exists any necessity for two associations, and they have decided that their publishing houses in New York, Cincinnati and Chicago shall be known hereafter as the "Methodist Book Concern.

Vivian Gould Beresford is rapidly becoming a full-fledged society lady. She has acquired the cigarette habit.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

United States military posts in exas surrendered by General Texas surrendered by Twiggs to confederates.

Jefferson Davis inaugurated presdent and Alexander H. Stevens ederacy, at Montgomery, Ala. President-elect Lincoln arrived

n New York on way to Washingon. Lincoln arrived in Washington February 23. False reports of as-sassination were circulated.

Weston, the pedestrian, reaches Hartford on way to Washington to witness inauguration ceremonies.

session in many of the eastern states, and in a number of instances members of different state legislatures have been elected on direct legislation as when all the states will enact d rect legislative measures, but, like all great reforms, it will take time.

Canadam provinces for lack of informaction on concerning Oregon's advantation of the concerning Oregon's advantation of the farm takes the least from mals on the farm takes the least from mals on the farm and retours the most to the fa fertility, or in other words the cow ing for a count of the votes at pri fattens the land. A good cow, well mary and general elections to com

managed, will give a larger return mence within an hour after the polls for food consumed than any other open passed the house on Saturday Apparently the reciprocity agreement with Canada has placed the Republican party in a worse plight than it was in just after the passage of the Payne-Aldrich tariff bill. It was for the passage of the best means of maintaining the passage of the best means of maintaining the constitution of the best means of maintaining the constitution of the policy fertility of the soil.

President Taft is evidently on the eve of a rupture with the stand-pat element of the Republican party. In a speech at Springfield, Ill., on Lincoln's birthday the president warned the Republican party that if it persons the control of the Lane county delegation appropriating \$503,258 for increased maintenance and additional buildings for the University of Oregon.

The house has passed the bill of the Lane county delegation appropriating \$503,258 for increased maintenance and additional buildings for the University of Oregon. coin's birthday the president warned the Republican party that if it persisted in maintaining a high tariff in these days of high prices it would arouse opposition that would not cease until it had removed every vestige of a protective tariff. The president's remarks were received with

court.

GENERAL AND PERSONAL

Madame Emma Eames proposes to my \$100,000 to the discarded wife of Emile De Gogorza, provided she will release her claims on the great singer and permit her to marry her affinity. Congress has passed a law to put a stop to theatrical people putting characters on the stage dressed in the uniform of United States soldiers or

The California assembly unanimously passed a bill limiting the hours of labor for women to eight.

fair opens.
The Hampton Magazine, which was sued for \$250,000 on the charge of selling impore material to candy manufacturers, has made an apology to the Standard Oil Company and the matter will probably be dropped. Ten billion passengers were carried on the electrical railways of the United States during the year 1910. The Montreal Star, the leading pa-

per in Canada, strongly opposes the pending reciprocity treaty with the United States. Colonel Theodore Roosevelt delivered a speech at Grand Rapids, Mich.

on Lincoln's birthday and he took occasion to come out squarely in favor of the election of United States sen-The recent demands of railway mail ators by the people and also in favor clerks for shorter hours or increased of the reciprocity treaty with Canada

Speaker Cannon in a letter to Sena-

to register as a Democrat, claiming that while he holds office he belongs to no party. The new mayor of Seattle has

clamped down the lid and the unde-sirables are leaving the city. Colonel Goethels, chief engineer of the Panama canal, says the canal will be completed by September 1, 1913, at a cost of \$360,000,000. This is two years earlier than previous estimates and fully \$50,000,000 less than many engineers figured would be the total Because of the early completion Col. Goethels wants congress to at once prepare legislation under which tolls for the passage of ships can be

Two Democratic presidential booms were inaugurated last week-one for Wilson and the other; for Governor Harmon. Work on raising the wreck of the

Maine is now at a standstill on ac-Not satisfied with reciprocal rela-tions with Canada, President Taft now wants to include all the South American republics in treaties simi-

of the coast in helping to relieve the famine situation in China. Large quantities of food stuffs will be sent lar to that proposed for Canada.

Judge Lovett, president of the Harfrom that city to the sufferers, transportation companies having argeed to carry the supplies without charge. land is included in the plan of Municipal Architect E. H. Bennett, who is

ered certain. The Sulloway pension bill which written for a purpose. J P.'s phil-anthropic motives will be disclosed ravorably recommended for passage nent features of the plan. by the senate pension committee. The Mexican revolution drags subscribe \$1,000 each? to the 1911 Rose slowly along with an inninng for each side nearly every day. President of the North Bank announced the Hill

Diaz proposes to equip an army of 12,000 men and put an end to the in- officials say the \$1,000 formerly given Postmaster General Hitchcock wants usual. Both railroad systems are surrection. the postage on the advertising sections of the large magazines increased from one cent to four cents a pound, cause of the wide advertising that

claiming that this action by congress will be given the festival and the would put the postoffice department large number of tourists attracted this on a paying basis. The reciprocity bill passed the nouse

by a votel of 221 to 92. The Democrats dents of Portland are suffering with voted solidly for the measure, while the grip, and all of the physicians 78 Republicans voted for and 87 are working overtime on cases arising against the bill from severe colds and running into David Caplan, said to be one of the more serious illness.

The motorman of a car on the Haw en who participated in dynamiting the Los Angeles Times office, was ar- thorne avenue bridge lost control of his car on Saturday afternoon last and According to a report made to the the car dashed across the bridge and president by Commissioner of Corporations Smith, the Southern Pacific Railway, the Northern Pacific Rail-several others. B. F. Boone, an in-

way and the Weyerhauser interests surance man, attempted to jump from own 258,000,000,000 feet, or 11 per the car and was thrown under the cent of all the privately owned timber wheels of the freight car and lost both surance man, attempted to jump from in the United States. At the present rate of consumption the commissioner legs. He was taken to the hospital, but died in a short time.

The Portland Hotel is to have an estimates that in 55 years the supply annex to cost \$300,000 of the United States will be exhaust There is to be an exhibition in Port-land on Feb. 27 and lasting two weeks, of articles manufactured ex-

STATE CAPITOL GOSSIP The Huntington bill, providing for tories will have small working plants, he appointment of county education-

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disorders and weaknesses peculiar to women. It is the only preparation of its kind devised by a regularly gradu-ated physician—an experienced and skilled specialist in the diseases of women. It is a safe medicine in any condition of the system. THE ONE REMEDY which contains no alcohol and no injurious habit-forming drugs and which

relic of barbarism as the whipping

appropriating \$50,000 for the Astoria centennial celebration.

A bill has passed the house providing for a second choice at primary electors. It provides that where no candidate has received enough votes to constitute a majority of the total vote cast, then a canvass shall be made of the second choice, and the

Grangers in the house will support An exchange wants to know if women will change their opinions when they become judgesses of the court. College, The Buchanan bill providing for

protection against forest fires and appropriating \$60,000 for that purpose, has passed the house. Senator Carson's bill providing for

registration of voters by county assessors has passed the senate.

By a vote of 32 to 24 the employers' ompensation act was killed in the

The bill repealing the whipping post law passed the house over the governor's veto.

Agricultural College and there is a

large attendance of those interested in agricultural problems. Lectures and demonstrations of the greatest value to farmers are being given. These

cover stockraising, dairying, horti-culture, intensive farming, and prac-tically every branch of the industry. The attendance is much larger than

during the special short courses of for-

mer years and great interest is shown by farmers from all parts of the state. Central Oregon will hear the loco

motive whistle for the first time this

summer. Operation of the Oregon trunk will probably be commenced to

Madras early in March and somewhat

later the Deschutes railroad will run

trains to Redmond. These new lines

will mark the beginning of a new era

The formation of a syndicate to clear logged-off lands of Southwest

Washington and place them on the market is a step that might be fol-

lowed with profit on this side of the Columbia river. These lands, once

cleared, are among the most valuable for diversified farming, fruit growing and dairying. To put them in use in to make a great addition to the wealth of the state.

Two additional salmon hatcheries on the lower Columbia river are provided for in the bill passed this week by the United States senate, appropri-

measure passes the house it will mean

a great deal to the salmon industry of

the Northwest, adding largely to the wealth taken annually from the Co-

Grants Pass has subscribed \$74,500 to aid in the construction of the Grants Pass and Rogne River rail-

menced and a locomotive and a large

number of flat cars have been ordered

Last Thursday Will Windor of En-terprise murdered his wife and her sister and then killed himself. The

William Barbour, head of a liner concern in New York, writes to J. W.

Jook of Portland to the effect that he

does not believe the cultivation of

The Oregon trunk railway is now

completed to Madras, 110 miles from

Sherman county settlers who lost

their homes in 1890 on account of a ruling of the secretary of the interior

are to be reimbursed according to a

bill which passed the senate last

PORTLAND ITEMS

A city of 2,000,000 people at Port-

mapping out a greater city. His pro-ject calls for the segregation of the

various activities into districts and groups and the beautification of the

whole municipality. Parks, boule-

nent features of the plan.

The Hill and Harriman lines will

subscription this week and Harriman

way as a result.

Nearly twenty per cent of the resi

clusively in Oregon. Several fac-

just to show how things are made.

Portland is joining with other cities

flax in Oregon will prove profitable.

the Columbia river.

cause of the tragedy is not known,

Grading has already com

ating \$50,000 for the purpose

lumbia and its tributaries

of settlement for the whole region east of the Cascade moutains.

OREGON NEWS NOTES YOUR HOME This is farmers' week at the Oregon

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get it. Don't take a substitute of unknown composition for this medicine of anomy composition. No counterfeit is as good as the genuine and the druggist who says something else is "just as good as Dr. Pierce's" is either mistaken or is trying to deceive you for his own selfish benefit. Such a man is not to be trusted. He is trifling with your most priceless possession—your health—may be your life itself. See that you get what you ask for

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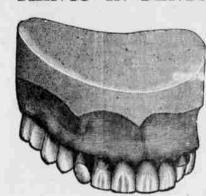
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