STARK'S HOT SHOT.

Terse and Timely Comments With a

Hunch Behind Them. If I were to tell you that I was "up a stump" for copy material you would not believe it possible when such tremendous news is exploding around us. close to about a column of matter, not because the editor has set me that us that if any new contributors should bid for space I am to be set aside, because it is more important to hear what you have to say than what I will say. For you may have an idea on public questions which are of more benefit to us all than what any contributor has as yet brought forward. And unless you speak out we can never know what that idea is. You remember the remark about putting your light under a bushel-well don't!

Just compare the Courier of say Feb. 28 with the papers a year ago; at that time the Editor was appealing for the public to use the paper with for through reading he might find out but few subscribers. In fact nearly all his true condition and the crime of the matter of real interest, which was slavery. At present, while most of us splenetic haste he never notices that ing system on a national basis but of home product, was by the editor. happen to know, he had a hard job to either books or periodicals, so while hold down. But look at it now. You we may read freely our information would think some muckrake magazines or the metropolitan dailies had lost some large part of their staff.

That is the result of united effort We have co-operated without any form of organization, outside of the regular print shop force. Don't you think it has been a grand success? Then think, suppose we had a compact organization, we would still have done better and we will do better in the future, now that we have got started and are getting a little training and some courage coupled with the thought that our inermost thots will be heard in so many homes in this county. Won't you join us? The swimmin's

Who said the Democrats would do nothing for the common people? All ready they have passed a bill to coin a carload of half cent pieces. Getting close to China, eh? If my guesser is in working order I will say if all our legislators, State and National, past pieces each day our money would have would not have value received.

We are informed that President Wilson was opposed to military demonstration at the inaugural but was over-ruled.

Let me see who was it that we heard was to be chief executive the next four years, was it Ryan or some such person or what was that New Yorker's name who was at the convention in Baltimore? You see my dear and verdant Democrat, there is a power behind the throne even in such small

What will it be when it comes to rapping big business across the finger nails? Do you see the finish of your cherished Democracy? If you don't then indeed you are dead.

We are told that Wilson's anti- too monopoly bills, seven in number, I think perhaps an improvement passed the New Jersey legislature would be made by cutting out the lobwithout any opposition, yes and they by as it seems to have made more are, by that same token, absolutely trouble and expense than anything to the people. Nothing but a sort of blue sky flim flam. Now keep your have done some good work and I think will see for yourself.

cold blooded assasination of Madero. I heard a man say yesterday that Yes. It would seem to be something he believed \$50,000 would buy any like that-but let us who live in stone man. I do not think that, or any other

Indiana and the governor refused to line up there but I imagine the lawhonor extradition papers? Did you yers are in the majority and the ever hear that this same gentleman granger in the minority, and possibly was finally pardoned without a trial differ in opinion a little as to justice. and pardoned of the crime of mur- I do not belong to either but would der but never tried for it? Funny pro- take the chance if they ever were left cedure, eh, my country men? Yes in- to make the laws. The governor may

our ouwn premises awhile. It may when he was running for governor I nerves a little. Besides if we want to vote for him and I did and would do fight anybody there are the miners in it again. West Virginia who are out on strike for a little more pay. Let's go shoot them, they are unarmed and we will find it safer.

I really wonder what the U.S. minister Wilson had to do with the affairs to suggest what should be done with Madero? Was it any of our bus-

You remembered what happened to Lord Sackwell West, when he express- | vaccine virus with which one is vaced an opinion concerning presidential cinated is the running sore of a sick

Of course the American exploiters if anyone but a doctor would attempt in Mexico are not overlooking any- to put that in the system of a healthy thing that we can see at this distance, human being aand furthermore ask which may account for the sudden and the law to help him, he would be put successful palace revolution. I am of in a lunatic asylum. You cannot sow the opinion that it was not entirely disease in the blood without reaping purely lofty statesmanship which disease. Nature tries to throw out of maintained neutrality in Washington. the body all foreign matter but the Let us wait and see.

hand of the Gila monster a few years Some doctors think that the great ago, for reasons we may guess, that spread of cancer is due to vaccination some of the captains of industry need- Ask some of the old ladies of 50 years ed an official understanding.

killing of Madero but nothing is said vaccinated and how it made them of the thousands who took no part in vaccinated and where the doctors got the affair yet were slaughtered and the vaccon virus an dread and find perhaps carted out to some ditch. I out all about vaccination before you wonder why we hear nothing about consent to have your innocent and by taking Electric Bitters, and you these? Can it be that they were poor healthy children vaccinated. Just try a will not be troubled with the pains

and therefore unimportant? Some of the government's talk dieting and bathing and see how many about government by murder. Yes, ills it wil cure. that's about it all right. Only I would like to know where "government by murder" is not the rule? It must be some part of the earth not yet pene-, this smallpox. Vaccination is dangertrated by such Christian influences ous to health and even life. Our Unitas twelve inch guns Bibles and brandy ed States Army during the Spanish bottles. Show us the spot in the War is the best argument obtainable "jawguffy" oh editors wise and good. against vaccination.

the federal judges are nearly all ap- just the same. pointed by Roosevelt and Taft. The courts are in a position to block all useful legislation; also do not forget the Democrats have upheld the "sanc- in Oregon City Sunday.

tity" that is the the infalibility of the

takes a high grade of intellgience to hold down the important political jobs in consequence of which we must pay big salaries. You will observe that Well, it is this way. I try to keep likely that the ex-president gets\$3,500 advertising.

Now you see it was proposed to give him from \$17,000 to \$25,000 for loafing around congressional halls as a lobbyist for big business under the high sounding title of adviser. It was nothing but a steal. When he is thrown in private life none will pay much for his superior wisdom.

Nothing is so important to the human race as knowledge. Nothing is so feared by tyrants as knowledge.

During chattel slavery times it was unlawful to teach the slave to read, is doctored so we fail to reach actual prohibited by the postal deportment. You see knowledge is still a crime; ignorance is still legally a virtue. So the Call printed three columns blank under the heading "What every Girl Should Know"-nothing, by order of the postoffice.

A long time congressman is authority for the statement that this country has paid out for war purposes since 1886 over \$5,500,000,000. or, as he says, this sum of money would have built one hundred lines of railroad from the Atlantic to the Pacific. But I suppose the railroads are at present mismanaged are more desirous to life than war.

At the time this is written I have no positive information as to the personell of the cabinet but if can find one that is a working man please imand present, were paid one of those part the information. You see working men furnish the most of the votes been ill-spent-that is to say we and pay all the taxes; do all the useful work but never sit in the conventione nor do they hold offices. They are nobodys.

The moral atmosphere of Portland has also reached the sky-scraper altitude. Only the other day a bunch of women of the underworld were arrested and had their pockets picked by the police department. This explains the opposition to the conventional type of macque who, it would seem, beat the police to it at times, which is highly immoral of course. JOHN F. STARK.

Abolish the Lobby. Editor Courier:-

We hear a great deal of talk of law and justice, legislation and lobby also and some talk about the governor

I think perhaps an improvement worthless so far as being of benefit else and I think the legislature would be better off without its service. They shirt on just a little while and you there would have been more if there rill see for yourself.

You have heard a lot of noise about members of the legislature.

houses be careful how we throw glass. sum, would buy some men but why Did you ever hear about Bill Goebel should we make temptation so strong being shot in the back? Did you hear unnecessarily? I have never been to that a Republican politician fled to Salem and I do not know how they not keep right on the line all the time Bring out a broom and let us clean and wabble off a little but as I said, steady our overwrought could not help him out much but

R. M. C. B.

VACCINATION.

Keep Healthy and Clean and You Won't Need Blood Poison. Editor Courier:-

Is vaccination healthy and good for the healthy blood? The so-called pure higher priced instructors and a larger month, election? He got his passports P D. Q. cow, which is poison to the blood and plug the disease p doctors Meanwhile let us not forget that into it. Vaccination causes tetannus, Taft made a special trip to shake the (lockjaw) and many other diseases. d an official understanding.

A great cry is being made over the it made them feel when they were

> There were 90 items in the Wed. morning Enterprise of filthy places to be cleaned up. That is the root of

The soldiers were vaccinated every It is just as well to remember that six weeks but there was smallpox

J. Lammers, of Beaver Creek, was

LAW STUDENTS PAY.

Him a Free Education.

Editor Courier:-The writer of "Is it Worth the Taft is no longer intelligent as his pay is reduced to \$5,000. It is not un
or may be right in stating that pay is reduced to \$5,000. It is not un
or may be right in stating that not appear to me that we will be appreciated by the of that and Taft \$1,500 and then perhaps he would not have gotten the limit, in fact it is understood between job at all had it not been as a piece of those, who get a higher education, ly room for greater of limit, and the second process are could send. The englosed nictures are could send. The englosed nictures are but he is misinformed and blunders have efficiency of production before concerning his main topic: that the have efficiency of production before aska is not all ice-bound, as so many of our friends think. taxpayers are paying \$1,000,000.00 or the investment in land together with The Courier is like a weekly letter more a year mainly to loose a drove fair wages. Getting a fair proportion from home and is full of the news one of lawyers and doctors.

Our friend is not aware that our legal and medical schools of the University of Oregon are in Portland and year's appropriations for the Univer- vestment. sity, yet it seems that prejudice has It may be truly stated that the colmisled and blinded him, for in his leges have not established a market- has had. can and do read, the exploiting class the Legislature has not given a dollar they are eager to support and encour-

vance, these students paid between fair co-operative movement.

IN DEFENSE OF THE O. A. C. You have, no doubt, heard that it University of Oregon Does Not Give Writer Says it is Doing Good Work Interesting Letter from an Oregon Interesting Figures and Comments and Should be Sustained.

> Editor Courier:-The Farmers Society of Equity is Editor Courier:-

will help but we must have some sur-

ment is self-sustaining; indeed these ployees of the college. They should be tramp to the Gastineau mine powercould, and perhaps should, be a sur- at least neatly dressed. We do not ex- house, coatless and clothed no warmer plus since private law schools charge pect men teaching in even a country than for ordinary Oregon weather.

less for their instruction than the Un-school to go about clad in dirty over-Juneau is building up remarkably. iversity does. Although the latter has alls and using a razor perhaps once a We have now about a population of

The Lull Before The Storm

FFROM ALASKA.

City Girl. Juneau, Alaska, Feb. 23,1913.

"When' a state gives a boy or girl not appear to me that we will help I am sending you several copies of could pay for it. And there seem to ly room for greater efficiency of probe no other but local and personal duction. But few men want to culti- real and are the vegetables raised by reasons to cause opposition to the vate two acres to grow that which our Klukwan Indians, not from Skagconsolidation of the two state schools; they could grow on one. We must vay. From this you can see that Al-

of the price that the consumer pays really cares about.

These pictures were taken by W. G. Beattie, District Superintendant of It is not the amount of money that South Eastern Alaska Government that the students in these branches an institution requires that is impor- Schools, who was an Oregon City boy, pay tuition. He gives the list of this tant but what it returns for the in- a brother of Mrs. C. Schuebel. He is considered by all his teachers the most year. I will give my good friend a efficient superintendant the district few items of working mens' wages:

Let me assure you, no matter how I has control over most publications, for law or medicine. No doubt Nemark age co-operation among farmers. I snow lasting a month or so, the theresis will some day bring him into have to hear of the first man con- mometer never reached zero and it is and bosses get a little better than court and also lead him to his grave. nected with an agricultural college really not colder than our Oregon The catalogue of the law school of that is opposed to co-operation. I be- rains. The snow does not keep one in- \$1,500 per year out of these wages I truth. Only recently the New York the University gives an enrollment of lieve that the authorities of the Orelieve that the Authoriti and since all fees are payable in ad- ready to assist and encourage any Except on the mountain it has now entirely disappeared and we are enjoy-\$12,000.00 and \$13,000.00 It is therefor not suprising if the law depart- Equity page to the well dressed emseveral of us enjoyed a twelve mile

FROM UNION MILLS.

From Courier Reader.

As no news from these diggins has been seen for some time in the Courier I thought a few items from this outside world.

It does ye scribe good to see the long that when they begin to assert land and Oregon City papers, but untheir rights, the graft class, which has had both feet on their necks for has the health officer failed in his would have the gall to want what was theirs by right! Not only the little county grafter but the state and U. S. grafters want to watch our smoke.

I see a little item in the Courier where the average working man's wages would not exceed \$1,500 per

Mill workers all kinds \$1.75 to \$3.00 per day; R. R., \$1.20 to \$1.50 per day construction work \$2.00 to \$3.00; these wages. If my friend can figure would like to borrow his arithmetic.

By the way, what has become of our late Union Mill's scribe? He must have been no hold-ups or robberies here lately. Hence no news. Our sawmill man, D. L. Trulilnger

s busy these days getting ties ready for the new railroad. Albert Durst, our miller, has moved

his family into their new home. It will for kidney trouble."
be a cozy house when completed. H. H. Mr. Noble is only one of many Orbe a cozy house when completed. H. H. Husbands is architect and builder. Our road boss used a road drag on our roads Saturday, which was a

with it Charley! The tortoise won the

building an addition to his house and getting married this fall. Get busy with the cigars, John, the boys are waiting.

J. D. French, living at Molalla River Bridge, is farming in this section this spring. Dave is one of our best

A. J. Culbertson is adding more apples, cherries and berries to his mmercial orchard.

Death has again visited us, and left as enshrouded in gloom. The one claimed by the almighty hand was Richard Johnson, one of the most estimable young men, who died at his homehome Wednesday at 10:30 A. M. Services were held at the family home Friday at one o'clock and as the sun was sinking low in the heavens his body was laid to res tin the Colton

The Forty Year Test.

An article must have exceptional merit to survive for a period of forty vears. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was first offered to the public in 1872. from a small beg ng it has grown in popularity until it has attained a world wide reputation. You will find nothing better for a cough or cold. Try it and you will understand why it is a favorite after a period of more than forty years. It not only gives re-lief-it cures. For sale by Huntley

"Had dyspepsia or indigestion for ears. No appetite, and what I did eat distressed me terribly. Burdock Blood Bitters reached the cause."—J. H. Walker, Sunbury, Ohio.

"WHITEWASHING" SCARLET FEVER.

(From Page 1.)

and brimstone, and all because his

office has been criticised. Your paper has gone before the State Board of health also the testimony of your physicians, and the testimony of others. If the State Board of Health feel like giving me a rebuke will have it published in all the Porttil then we will believe that not only duty, but that at least two other physicians by their own testimony If you want names and dates we are now prepared to give them.

My other article cites the cases for ordinary purposes.

HENRY SPIES. Large display of spring millinery, Johnson & Linquist, corner Main and Ninth St., Oregon City.

GREAT MASS OF PROOF. Reports of 30,000 Cases of Kidney Trouble, Some of them Oregon City

Each of some 6,000 newspapers of the United States is publishing from week to week names of people in its particular neighborhood, who have used and recommended Doan's Kidney Pills for kidney backache, weak kidneys, bladder troubles and urinary disorders. This mass of proof includes be dead, starved out or I guess there over 30,000 testimonials. Oregon City is no exception. Here is one of the Oregon City cases.

L. Noble, 14 Main St., Oregon City, Ore., says "Doan's Kidney Pills have been used in my home and I am glad to say that they are a good medicine

egon City people who have gratefully endorsed Doan's Kidney Pills. If your back aches-if your kidneys bother great help to them.

Chas. Allbright at odd times drives a few nails in his new dwelling. Stay

AN'S KIDNEY PILLS, the same that Mr. Noble had-the remedy backed by home testimony. 50c all stores. Foster It is understood that our good Millburn Co., Props., Bufallo, N. Y. neighbor, John Keller, is thinking of "When your back is lame-Remember

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Vinol makes weak stomachs strong because it strengthens and tones up the weakened, tired and overtaxed nerves of the digestive organs. Vinol is easily assimilated by the weakest stomachs, and is delicious to the taste. Try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that your money will be returned if it does not help you.

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number of them, this should be offset by the large attendance and the little, if any rent, for the lectures were given in the court house.

Surely our friend ought to rejoice and pay his taxes cheerfully, even tho If the money is efficiently and propsome grafter may get a share of them for the law student at least must get of some of it being misspent he should out and dig for it, and is not getting make the fact known. his education at the expense of the

PAUL C. FISCHER.

The Causes of Rheumatism.

Stomach trouble, lazy liver and deranged kidneys are the cause of rheumatism. Get your stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels in healthy condition little fresh air, sunshine, exercise, or rheumatism. Charles B. Allen, a school principal of Sylvania, Ga., who suffered indescribable torture from rheumatism, liver and stomach trouble and diseased kidneys, writes: "All remedies failed until I used Electric Bitters, but four bottles of this wonderful remedy cured me completely. Maybe your rheumatic pains come from stomach, liver and kidney troumended by Huntley Bros.

> Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

lege who have not further value than be near to 6,000 a year hence. Mining, number and length of lectures and to dress exceptionally well and draw of course, is the leading industry tho recitations; only three hours a week salaries it would be well to mention dairying and truck farming are enor ninety hours a year. Furthermore, their names and have them removed. gaged in extensively. until last year, the law school paid Any one having the desired information would confer a favor on all tax- venes here early next month. payers by making the fact known.

erly spent all right. If any one knows

"They can spend money, Gosh yes.

When something is wrong bring out When something is wrong bring out the facts and figures and not sweep-

ing generalities Very respectfully, W. W. HARRIS.

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stomach. Is it not suprising that that cured him. It will help you. Only many suffer for years with such an 25c. Recommended by Huntley Bros. ailment when a permanent cure is within their reach and may be had for

If there are employees of the col- double of last year and doubtless will Our first territorial legislature con-

Agencies

Everyone is eagerly awaiting the announcement of who will be our next governor. C. A. Sulzer, from Sulzer

near Ketchikan, is believed to be slated for the office. I sincerely hope The motto of the Farmers Society he will be. He is a thorough Alaskan of Equity is "Equity and justice to and I see no reason why Alaska can't all." So we should apply this to colleges as well as other institutions and staunch Democrat too, but who wouldn't be? ELNORA G. GINTHER.

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bles. Electric Bitters will give you a trifle? "About one year ago," says Pneumonia Follows a Cold. prompt relief. 50c and \$1.00. Recom-P. H. Beck, of Wakelee, Mich., "I but never follows the use of Foley's bought a package o fChamberlain's Honey and Tar Compound. It stops Tablets and since using them I have the cough, heals the sore and inflamfelt perfectly well. I had previously ed air passages, and strengthens the used any number of different medi-lungs. The genuine is in a yellow cines, but none of them were of any package with beehive on carton. Re-