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AMERICAN SHIPPING.

The importance of American shipping interests is not generally appreciated by the farmers of this country who do not realize its magnitude nor the fact that it is closely allied to their interests. Anything that will leave the money in this country instead of permitting it to be sent abroad is in the interest of the American laborer and producer. When it is considered that this country pays away about 200 millions of dollars in gold each year to foreign ship-owners for transportation of our imports and exports, it should cause all citizens to stop and ponder. Most of this vast sum goes to British ship owners, who, with other foreign ships, carry nine-tenths of our foreign trade, leaving one-tenth carried in American ships. This sum that we pay to foreign shipping equals the value of our oat crop. If this 200 millions of dollars were paid to American shipping, it would annually employ a vast industry in building ships and a great number of men in operating them. All this would add to the home consumption of the surplus agricultural products that we now hire transported to foreign markets. By keeping at home this \$200,000,000 in gold the drain on our gold reserve would be stopped, and an immense addition of silver could be made to our circulating medium without running the risk of having the silver dollar sink below the gold dollar in value. It is apparent, therefore, that the farmers of the country, and especially of the West and South who furnish the bulk of our cotton, grain and provisions for export, are mostly concerned in the welfare of our marine. Any wise measure that would cause American ships to regain the foreign carriage we have lost, should be hailed with joy by farmers and planters, the more so as many of the new ships this would require would be built near the iron mines of Lake Superior, near the forests of the Pacific coast, or at southern ports adjacent to the vast timber and iron belts of the favored but as yet only partially developed Dixie land. Navigation and also insurance laws are needed that shall discriminate in favor of American ships just as England has for years discriminated to protect her marine in monopolizing our traffic. Then let the new tariff provide for a reduction of 10 or 20 per cent in the duties (whatever the rates may be) on imports brought to our shores in American built ships owned by Americans and manned by citizens of the United States. The whole country would soon feel the beneficent effects of this policy in better times, more work and more money, and it would not be long before our shipping would again become supreme in our foreign commerce as it is today in our coastwise trade and internal navigation.

FOR THE MIND CURISTS.

Charles Dudley Warner recently contributed an amusing and sarcastic article to Harper's which dealt with the financial situation apparent in this country at the present time and asks to have it remedied by the mind-cure people who promise so much for their pet plan. Among other good things he says: There never has been so fair an opportunity for the exercise of the mind-cure as in this country in the last few months. The disease has been real in its disastrous effects, and yet in the opinion of all the financial and economic doctors it has not been organic. The cotton has blossomed, the corn has ripened, the wheat has matured, and the pig has taken on his usual amount of adipose tissue. The weather has not been worse than usual, the public health has been as good as imperfect sewerage permits, clothing and food have been extraordinarily cheap, and, to descend to particulars, the watermelon has never been bigger or cheaper. And yet in the midst of health and of plenty there has come a paralysis in the body-politic. In the opinion of the wise, nothing has been the matter except want of confidence, though there is disagreement as to what caused this mental infirmity. The mind of the nation is alone responsible for the disasters of the nation. If the mind is cured, business will assume its accustomed channels and the industries will revive. In short, if we will stop thinking that anything is wrong, nothing will be wrong. It must be that the mind-cure is not put forth their powers. It may be

that the principles upon which they act are thoroughly comprehended only by a few persons, but there are a great number of women who are sufficiently adept for such a plain case as this, and who collectively might have exercised their influence. That they neglected to do this is evident from the fact that want of confidence continued. They cannot escape responsibility by the excuse of the lack of the right sort of material to operate on. For surely there cannot be a more flexible and impressionable kind to operate on than the great mass in this country that is able to believe that sixty cents are a dollar. And, indeed, their field is still more extensive, in the majority of a nation that thinks it can long prosper by cutting itself off from the vital currents and the commercial sympathy of the world in its persistence in the violation of the moral order by the demoralizing device of legal tender.

FOR GOOD ROADS.

A paper recently written by Governor Flower of New York on the subject of high-roads is well worth reading in this state, where we have about the worst country roads in the land. Governor Flower says that roads must be made either by the national government, which will not take the task; or by the state government, in which case the road bureau would become a source of extravagance and corruption; or by the towns, which would require the co-operation of two or more towns not often friendly to each other, or by the counties. To this last plan he finds fewest objections applicable, and he quotes the provisions of the statute passed by the last legislature of New York as a good example to follow. The statute provides that the board of supervisors of any county may formally adopt the county road system and designate as county roads such highways as they may deem best for the purpose outside of the limits of incorporated towns and villages. Thereafter the expense of keeping these roads in repair shall be a county charge, and the necessary amount for the purpose shall be appropriated each year by the county supervisors. The bill was at first opposed by the New York farmers on the ground that it would increase taxation. But when they were told that convict labor might be employed for the purpose they withdrew their opposition. They were all in favor of good roads provided some one else was to pay for them. The proposition to use convict labor on the roads in this state is not new, and, so far as is known, is approved by those who have considered it seriously. It would have the double advantage of silencing the cry of the labor unions against convict labor, and of conferring upon the state, in course of time, a system of roads so well built as to cheapen transportation. If the convicts in the county jails and state penitentiaries were set to work building roads we might have in the course of a few years a good system of highways in the principal counties. A few convicts would escape, but an example or two would minimize the number of runaways, and at any rate the convict population would return something for what they cost.

IT IS UNAMERICAN.

The American Architect was writing pretty close to the mark when it said, "We must confess that we never hear 'labor day' or 'labor's holiday' mentioned without a feeling of contempt and disgust for the impudent demagogism on one side, and cowardly servility on the other, which have brought the descendants of those who prepared and defended the Declaration of Independence down to the embodiment in legislation of the ideas that, instead of all men being created equal, there are two sorts of men in this republic, one consisting of the members of certain organizations, and the other including the miscellaneous persons who do not belong to these organizations, and that those who do belong to them are entitled to favor and recognition from the government which is not accorded to other people. In a community whose whole public system is founded upon the idea that there should be no class legislation it is certainly curious to find of late years, statute after statute enacted at the demand of the crafty and ambitious who control the forces of organized labor." For several years organized labor has had, or would have had but for internal squabbles, things pretty much its own way in the legislatures, but just now circumstances which neither legislatures nor walking delegates can control have given a very large number of citizens more leisure than usual for thinking, and there are indications that a good many of them are reflecting whether after all, they might not be as well off in the capacity of free and equal citizens of the republic as they are now in that of abject slaves of foreign tyranny which dictates to them when, how, with whom, and at what time they shall work; which prevents them teaching their own business to their own children, and which forces them to sit idle and see their families suffer when work is plenty for the sake of sympathizing with some other people of whom they never heard, and whose relations to them consist solely in a concerted scheme of their respective leaders for their private advantage.

The science of road-building has now reached a point which is almost perfection. A roadbed of broken stone hammered down till the fragments almost unite, and laid upon two feet of granite or sandstone, with deep ditches on either side for drainage, kept in constant repair, and relieved at the bottom of hills by hollows for the reception of surplus water—this can be hardly improved upon. With a suitable supply of labor many miles of such road could be built each year, and it is high time Oregon moved in the matter. THE Oswego Ironworker says: The condition of the roads in Clackamas county is disgraceful. Now that the subject of good roads is attracting the attention of county commissioners and road commissioners throughout the country, it is shameful to delay the making of good roads in a country where there is so much rainy weather; besides labor is cheap and men want work. A good system of roads in this county would enhance the value of real property tenfold.

We publish this week a communication from one of the residents of the Ely neighborhood criticizing the ENTERPRISE for an utterance in last week's paper. It seems to us that those who take this correspondent's view of the matter are going out of their way to find something to be offended at. The ENTERPRISE supported the republican ticket, Mr. Harrington along with the rest. Aside from party affiliations Mr. Harrington is esteemed as a man as highly as any one on the ticket, so that neither party nor personal reasons can be urged against the ENTERPRISE no matter what the case may be with the party at large. The figures do not show that Mr. Harrington was dealt treacherously with by his party, since in spite of the fight made on him he received a much larger vote than did two others on the same ticket including the head, and only two who were on the ticket with him received more votes. The criticism of the ENTERPRISE did not apply to republicans in that part of the city any more than it did to all others. It took it for granted that that neighborhood desired to have a member of the council, but instead of accepting the nomination of a man from there as an evidence of the disposition on the part of the rest of the city to accord them a representative the cry was started immediately after the nomination of Mr. Harrington that it was done to beat them out of a councilman. Instead of accepting the nomination in good faith and permitting the voters to choose between the candidates on their merits and as party representatives the bogtoboo of eligibility was raised against Mr. Harrington and to it may fairly be attributed his defeat. The fact of the matter and it is well known, is that the city election was not a party fight at all and was not so thought of by the mass of voters. Other issues dominated the election almost entirely, and the cry of party treachery as raised by Mr. Ranch is not warranted by the conditions existing at the time of the election.

The death of the noted scientist, John Tyndall, is now transpires resulted from an overdose of chloral administered by his wife in mistake for sulphate of magnesia. Mrs. Tyndall testified at the inquest that after he had taken the chloral, Professor Tyndall jumped out of bed and exclaimed: "Get a stomach pump." Mrs. Tyndall caused Dr. Winstanley to be immediately summoned, and gave her husband a mustard emetic. He was also given coffee, but became unconscious. Dr. Winstanley did all he could for him, and later in the day he regained consciousness and recognized and spoke to the doctors. The latter worked over him all day. Mrs. Tyndall gave the chloral to her husband at 8:30 o'clock in the morning, and at 6:30 p. m. all was over. Dr. Winstanley testified that he had used an electric battery on Professor Tyndall, and that his lungs had not been disabled he might have survived.

The New York Herald sees nothing to commend in the president's Hawaiian policy and recently supplied its readers with a cartoon showing Grover and Queen Lili standing in loving embrace on the island while Commissioner Blount was hurrying Minister Stevens from the shore so fast that he had not time to pick up his luggage which was strewn on the shore. The title of the sketch was, "Two Hearts that Beat as One."

EUROPEAN countries having become aroused concerning the danger which threatens, on account of anarchists in their midst are now taking active steps to eradicate the evil. The authorities here may as a result of this move in the Old World look for them to flock to the shores of America and in a short time after landing they will be ready to resume their reneaded schemes against the government and society.

A CHEAP labor cigar firm has adorned its cigar boxes with a photograph of Senator Stewart of Nevada and a labor organization of San Francisco has adopted resolutions condemning the goods, and a communication has been sent the senator demanding that he discontinue this means of notoriety on penalty of opposition at the next election.

FOR an illustration in its Sunday issue following Thanksgiving the San Francisco Call cartoons President Cleveland sitting in state surrounded by a lot of kettles tinkling him for a condition of affairs which had saved many thousands of them from being slaughtered on Thanksgiving day.

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Brown, Mrs Frankie	Scribner, N
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TREASURER'S NOTICE.
I have now in my hands funds applicable to the payment of all warrants endorsed prior to August 12, 1893. Interest will cease from date of this notice.
Treasurer of Clackamas county,
Dated Oregon City, Dec. 15, 1893.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, Dec. 7, 1893.
Notice is hereby given, that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim under section 2281, R. S., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, January 12, 1894, viz:

William G. Steel,
Homestead Entry No. 3880 for the N. E. 1/4, Section 24, T. 3, S. 8 East. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Francis C. Little, Oliver C. Yeom, Horace S. Campbell, of Salmon, Oregon, and D. Ludwick, of Holbrook, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.
In the County Court of the county of Clackamas, State of Oregon.
In the matter of the estate of Olive W. Marquam, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the final account of the administrator of the estate of Olive W. Marquam, deceased, has been rendered to said Court for settlement, and that Tuesday, the 30 day of January, 1894, at 10 o'clock A. M., has been duly appointed by said Court for the settlement thereof, at which time any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions in writing to said account and contest the same.
A. B. MARQUAM,
Administrator of the estate of Olive W. Marquam, deceased.
Dated this 25th day of November 1893.
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Our 10c grade outing flannel now sold for 7c.
Misses and children's pebble goat shoes with capped toe, former prices \$1.25 and \$1.45, now sold for \$1.00.
Ladies natural wool undervests reduced from \$1.25 to \$1.00.
Ladies' heavy wool hose, former price 35c now 25c.

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