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The way to build up Oregon City is to give Oregon City People your Patronage.

In counting up laurels won in the war Miss Helen Gould will come near ranking next to Dewey.

Two American daily newspapers are being published at Manila, and the rival editors will soon be leading each other a merry chase for the county printing.

THERE are rival revolutions in some of the Philippines and the northern and central provinces of Luzon are against Aguinaldo.

THE late senator Brice is the only man of very large means that has died since the war revenue tax went into effect.

FROM all sections of the Union come reports that the blizzard of a few days ago, accompanied by an intensely cold snap, exceeds in severity anything of the kind had in several years, even in localities where cyclones and blizzards are incubated.

AGUINALDOS' representative now at Washington certainly must have known that it was the purpose of President McKinley to dispatch an emissary to the Philippines to teach him what the real intent of the United States is with reference to the betterment of the condition of the Filipinos in every conceivable respect.

Handkerchiefs of all description cotton, linen, embroidered swiss, for ladies gents and children at the Racket store.

recognize only the diplomacy of might. The only way we can make them loyal, says the Evening Telegram, is to pursue almost the same course we did with the American Indians.

The Americanization of Puerto Rico is in an encouragingly progressive state. The inhabitants seem to welcome and appreciate all measures designed to further their social and civic well-being.

In order to raise the money to build a railroad, the city of Paducah, Kentucky, issued municipal bonds for the necessary amount. The issue was properly authorized and promptly subscribed, but when the interest became due, the city attorney, having discovered a technical error which made the bonds legally worthless, ordered the city council not to pay it.

A city whose business men maintain so noble a standard of civic honor and duty as this deserves to rank as one of the great cities of the country, no matter what the figures of the census report may say about the number of her population.

The Consent of the Governed.

The inhabitants of the Philippine Islands have never been engaged, except in the most rudimentary sense, in tasks of government. Time must be an element in the establishment there of autonomous institutions.

The consent of the governed is a little maxim that has always heretofore been used with reference to peoples in a certain stage of political advancement, who themselves insist upon employing such maxims on their own behalf.

WHY NOT WEAR FOR LADIES or GENTLEMEN. The Easiest Shoe on Earth. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS. OREGON CITY, OR. McKittrick "The Shoe Man," Sole Agent.

Dreyfus Affair Explained.

Incidentally it may be stated here that it is these quick-firing guns which are to a great extent responsible for the Dreyfus case. At the time when, several years ago, France first resolved upon adopting the quick-firing cannon, Russia asked for the plans and drawings.

These attempts were successful, and it was the knowledge that the plans and drawings had been obtained by Russia through underhand means that gave rise in Paris to the public charges of treachery against the French war department.

It is because the French authorities know that the publication of the secret dossier containing evidence of the underhand attempts on the part of Russia to obtain the drawings and working plans of the new gun would bring about the rupture of the Franco-Russian alliance that they are so anxious to prevent the nature of these documents from becoming known.

HE COWED THE BULLY.

Harold Frederic's Encounter With a Lordly Prussian Lieutenant.

Harold Frederic's self confidence and power of dominating strangers stood him in good stead in one of his first visits—if not his very first visit—to Berlin. The incident as he related it seemed natural enough to an American not brought up in awe of a military caste, but to those who knew Germany it was almost surprising that he came through it with his life.

In a towering passion he went to the lieutenant, stood over him and pointed to the object on the floor. "Pick up that hat, sir!" he roared. The officer stared amazed; the waiters were paralyzed with terror at hearing one so much more than human so addressed by a civilian.

Money to loan at lowest rates. HEDGES & GRIFFITH.

STUCK IN THE SNOW.

Dangers of Travelling by Sledge in Siberia in Winter.

Travelling by sledge in Siberia in winter has its perils, as the experience of Mr. Robert L. Jefferson and his friends goes to illustrate. The incident is told in "Roughing It in Siberia."

The driver's perch was empty, and just then I stumbled over one of the horses, which was lying buried up to its neck. It was clear that the driver had fallen from his seat, and that the horses had wandered from the track.

It was a terrible experience, but we regained the road and finally reached the village.

DIALECT.

Critics, pray do not reject What is writ in dialect. For the common people's thought Should in common speech be wrought.



A robust, manly son and a cooing baby girl nestling in her bosom—what more can any womanly woman ask? It is a boon that Heaven intended should be granted to every woman.

FAST MAIL'S FLIGHT.

IS CARRIED FROM OCEAN TO OCEAN IN LESS THAN FOUR DAYS.

Under the New Schedule the Run From New York to San Francisco, 3,342 Miles, is Made in 92 1-2 Hours.

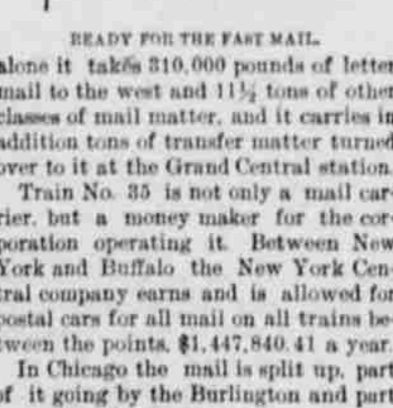
According to the new mail schedule adopted by the postal authorities on Jan. 1, San Francisco is now 13 hours nearer New York than it was before—that is to say, the running time of the various trains which carry the transcontinental mail has been shortened more than half a day.

This is the greatest achievement in long distance rapid transit for mail matter that the world has ever seen. It is not merely a spasmodic test. It is an established schedule, a daily race against time.

At Chicago the mail is transferred. There is no waiting, however. The moment the train stops the doors open and the air is full of flying mail bags.

Formerly this run of 3,342 miles between New York and San Francisco was made in 103 1/2 hours. Now it is made in 92 1/2 hours.

Probably the greatest gain is made by the "white mail." It clips 3 1/2 hours from the schedule. Not only does this train start out with the important letter mail of the great east, but four times a month it carries 20 tons of British-Australian mail which crosses the United States and is reshipped to Australia, New Zealand, China and Japan, from San Francisco, Tacoma and Vancouver.



alone it takes \$10,000 pounds of letter mail to the west and 11 1/2 tons of other classes of mail matter, and it carries in addition tons of transfer matter turned over to it at the Grand Central station.

It must be remembered that this new schedule works both ways, from west to east as well as from east to west. Not only does it benefit New York and San Francisco people, but it shortens the time between all points interceding.

But the limit has by no means been reached. Inside of two years, a postal clerk predicts, solid mail trains, without change of cars, will be running from ocean to ocean.

Howard Spence Sinclair.

YOU TRY IT.

If Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure, which is sold for the small price of 25 cents and 50 cents and \$1.00, does not cure take the bottle back and we will refund your money.

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