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

Gov. Geer does right in refusing to help the demagogues out by demanding the recall of the troops at the Philippines.

That the grand jury did not find a single indictment at the present term of court is the best evidence of the good citizenship of the inhabitants of this county. It is a record breaker for Clackamas.

Bryan visits Buffalo and makes a speech similar to the one made at the New York dollar banquet. He is getting familiar with the town at which he will get off during the next campaign.

Canada wishes to change the Alaskan boundary as a temporary settlement of the trouble. It is believed that this is for the purpose of further unsettling the matter. Washington has refused to make a temporary change.

The recent murder and outrage in the South with the awful fate at the hands of the mob of the murderer has aroused the South. Means and methods are discussed as to how these crimes of the negroes can be prevented as well as the barbarous practices of the mobs in their awful retaliation.

Quay has reaped a signal victory over his enemies. Not only was he acquitted on the charge of conspiracy but the governor of Pennsylvania promptly appointed him senator to fill the vacancy caused by the legislature failing to elect the trouble like all political quarrels undoubtedly has two sides.

J. J. Hill, of the Great Northern Ry. while a democrat, is one of the most ardent expansionists in the United States. The great business men of the county are nearly all expansionists, except a few who reside in and think New England the whole of America. The newly elected senator from Florida is not only a democrat but an expansionist.

The lengths that the enemies of the administration will go in order to discredit the president and thereby try to gain a political advantage is shown by the messages sent to the Philippines, encouraging the volunteers to demand a recall and urging them not to re-enlist. These things are going too far and may lead to serious trouble for their authors.

All the friends of Captain Phillips and Lieutenants Campbell and Martin will be glad to learn that they have all been promoted on account of the vacancy caused by the resignation of Captain Pickens. All reports go to show that these men richly deserved their promotions and that they are very popular with the men in the company. Captain Pickens was very weak on arriving in San Francisco weighing only 125 pounds, but is getting stronger and will probably be home in a few weeks.

GERMANY has filed a protest concerning the remarks made by Captain Coghlan relative to the trouble Dewey had with the Germans in Manila bay. While the remarks of Captain Coghlan may be true they should not have been made as nothing is gained by stirring up matters of this kind. It is reported the state department will take no notice of the incident but leave the matter entirely in the hands of the naval authorities. It may result in Coghlan losing his position.

ENGLAND and Canada are very anxious to get an outlet to the Klondike country through American territory on Lynn canal. They will insist on some concession in Alaska as an equivalent to the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty under which England claims rights that might interfere with the building the Nicaraguan canal. This treaty is practically obsolete and can be abrogated with one year's notice anyway. The objections are strong and will be stronger if it is known that the Canadians are to be given a port of entry in American territory.

Oris has cabled that the regulars in route will be sufficient to pacify the islands and that the volunteers can be sent home, embarking some time in May. While we all want to see the boys home at the earliest possible moment and believe they should be relieved by regulars as quickly as possible still, it is known that a large part of the "demands" that have been made over the country have been incited, acuated and fostered by demagogism that expected to make political capital out of any sentiment of dissatisfaction that might be engendered. These demagogues care nothing for the effect on the filipinos that this seeming sentiment in this country favorable to them will have. The fact that the war may be prolonged and made more difficult to bring to a successful termination makes no difference so long as these individuals can embarrass the administration and make political capital for themselves. These demagogues are working on the love of friends and relatives trying to engender or prejudice them against the administration. Friends and relatives must not forget the needs and responsibilities of the government in this trying hour.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich. tells how such a slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaranteed. Only 50 cents. Sold by Geo. A. Harding Druggist.

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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK

Friday April 21.

The fate of Gilmore and his party from the Yorktown have not been ascertained.

A special postage stamp will be issued for the Philippines.

Oris cables that the regulars in route will be sufficient for her purposes and the volunteers will be sent home.

Quay case goes to jury with no testimony put in for the defense.

Yellow fever appears in Havana.

Wholesale counterfeiting in cigar revenue stamps is discovered at Lancaster Pa.

Saturday April 22.

Miles' charges about the beef will not be sustained.

Bryan and O. H. P. Belmont speak at Buffalo.

A wealthy woman is slain at Panama, Ill.

Gov. Geer refuses to demand the recall of the troops at Manila.

Virgil Earp finds his wife and daughter in Portland after a separation of 39 years. Both had married a second time.

Donald McKay a famous Indian scout died at the Umatilla reservation Wednesday.

Sunday April 23.

Messages have been sent to the volunteers that sound like treason and sedition.

A big copper trust is formed.

The German meat inspection bill is causing talk of retaliation on the part of America.

Portland is inaugurating a crusade for pure milk.

Monday April 24.

The unreasonable action of certain people in this country in sending messages to the volunteers is being investigated by the cabinet.

The Spaniards will leave Cuba if American troops are withdrawn.

A negro who murdered a white and outraged his wife was burned at the stake at Newman Ga. after horrible mutilation.

A fruit peddler is cut in two by a train at Pendleton.

The Glenogle cuts the City of Kingston in two at Tacoma harbor in a fog.

Tuesday April 25.

If England abrogates the Clayton-Bulwer treaty she will want an entrance into Alaska through American territory.

D. M. Burns appointed senator from California by the governor.

The beef inquiry is being summed up before the board of enquiry.

Wednesday April 26.

Gov. Lindl demands for the return of the troops is a political play.

Strike at Wardner becomes more serious.

A bad explosion in benzine works in Philadelphia takes place.

Lester V. High, of Ashland, who was on the Oregon dies from fever at a hospital in Cuba.

Portland is preparing for a great demonstration on the Fourth.

Thursday April 27.

General Miles may be sent to the Philippines to take command.

Trouble increases in the Wardner mining strike and arms have been brought into use.

The administration will be sustained by the beef inquiry court.

Coghlan is reprimanded by the navy department for his speech.

The brokers in theater tickets are taxed out of existence at Portland.

Pneumonia, la grippe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough readily yield to One Minute Cough Cure. Use this remedy in time and save a doctor's bill—or the undertaker's.

Geo. A. HARDING.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Geo. A. Harding's Drug Store. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

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Promising Pupil.

Some years ago a well known American pianist gave a concert at which he played a duet for two pianos with a pupil. The pupil, a young man of great talent, had come from a small town, and one of the well to do natives of the town went to the city for the sole purpose of attending the concert. On his return he was asked what he thought of the young man's musical achievements.

"He's doing as well as anybody could wish, and he'll do better yet," replied the prosperous townsman, with decision. "He played a piece with his teacher that was 20 pages long. He gave the teacher the start by five minutes, and then he clipped in, and they came out at the end nip and tuck, if you'll believe me. Well, sir, when I heard that, I made up my mind we needn't worry another mite about how George would succeed."

"His teacher's considered the best piano player in this part of the country, and if George could do what he did at that concert it won't be many years before he'll beat him out and out, you can just rely on that."

"I'd be willing to bet, if I was a betting man, that in two years' time that teacher won't dare to undertake one of those two piano pieces with George unless George gives him a good ten minutes' start of him!"—Youth's Companion

Can't Twiddle Their Thumbs.

The gorilla and chimpanzee, which belong to the higher order of apes, have many points of resemblance to man, but there is one thing they cannot do—that is, twiddle their thumbs.

In the gorilla the thumb is short and does not reach much beyond the bottom of the first joint of the forefinger. It is very much restricted in its movements, and the animal can neither twiddle his thumbs nor turn them round so that the tips describe a circle.

There are the same number of bones in the hand of a gorilla as in the hand of man, but the thumbs of the monkey have no separate flexor or bending muscle. This is why a monkey always keeps the thumb on the same side as the fingers and never bends it round any object that may be grasped.

In the gorilla the web between the fingers extends to the second joint, the fingers taper to the tips, and there is a callosity on the knuckles on which the animal rests when walking on all fours.

There are many other strong points of resemblance between the ape and man, but—well, we wish to be charitable to our fellow man and will therefore drop the subject.

True Gratitude.

The fellow who dwells within his little eight by ten creed can see the whole thing at a glance, but the man on the high hill of truth realizes there is much that lies beyond the range of his vision and the power of his comprehension.—L. A. W. Bulletin

Easy.

Sea Captain—Now, Pat, what would you do if you were left on a barren rock in the middle of the ocean?

Pat—I'd pull out my teeth an live on their roots.—Harlem Life.

French judges and judicial officials are prohibited by the etiquette of their profession from riding in an omnibus.

About 400,000,000 pounds of soap are used in Britain yearly.



Many people burn the candle of life at both ends. Some men who never go into vicious dissipation use up their energies just as much by overwork or late hours, and nearly all women are compelled by circumstances to use up their vital powers beyond all reason. It may be in housework; or social demands; or the bearing and rearing of children. At any rate the candle of life is too rapidly consumed.

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BIRD FLIGHT.

They flock upon the bay air, Silent of note and purposeful of wing. Nor gossip of the nesting time, Disturb their rhythmic, air born swing.

Across the drying fields light shadows fall. That, for a moment's space, obscure the sun. Then swift—a graceful troop—they wing their way. Pursued in haste by some belated one.

Now all the stubble land turns twilight gray. A hum with mystic tones and harvest rills. Above the watching world a tiny speck. Grooves rills and fades against the southern hills. —Elizabeth Alden Curtis in Philistine.

WAR AND MATRIMONY.

Cupid is Much the Hottest in Times of Peace and Prosperity.

"There is a close connection between marriage and the price of wheat, beef, pork, beans, corn and other things which go to make up the main portion of human food," writes Professor D. R. McNally of "The American Girl's Chances of Marriage," in The Ladies Home Journal. "As the prices of these commodities go up the number of marriages goes down. From 1851 to 1854 times were good, food was cheap, and the marriage rate in Massachusetts went up to 26 per 1,000. Between 1855 and 1859 there was great depression of trade, and in 1858 the marriage rate went down to 17 per 1,000. The years from 1873 to 1879 form another period of depression. Factories were closed and manufacturers of every kind suffered severely. In one year, at least, crops were short and the prices of food were high. The result was immediately seen in matrimony, for in 1874 the number of marriages went down from 21 per 1,000 of the population to 18, and in 1876 and the following two years declined to 15 per 1,000—a tremendous falling off from 26 per 1,000, the figure attained in 1854, which was the banner year in the state of Massachusetts for matrimony.

"Almost as unfavorable as that of hard times is the influence of war upon matrimony. Whenever Mars is in the ascendant Cupid's stock goes down. During the civil war the number of marriages in this country fell off from 20 per 1,000 of population to 17 per 1,000, and immediately after the civil war was ended, in 1865, the number rose to 22 per 1,000, declining in 1869 to 21. The woman who is looking for a husband has a better chance of getting one just before or just after a war than at any other time."

With the Fading of Beauty.

A 16-year-old girl imagines that she is an angel and never gets over it. After a woman gets old she thinks of how she was admired and complimented in her youth and feels that some great wrong was done her because she did not remain as pretty as she was at 16. If she is married, she is apt to lay the blame on the brutality of her husband; if she is an old maid, she lays it on her father, who was poor, and thus forced her to work, which resulted in a stooping figure and harsh features. A man never has this experience. He is at his worst at 16 and does not reach his best until he is 26 to 30. By that time he has acquired a little sense, and never mistakes a compliment for the truth.—Athens Globe

Sunday School Gems.

Stories of strange and amusing answers given to examination questions are frequently told, but we do not so often see recorded the equally surprising answers given by children in Sunday schools, and yet they are frequently original enough.

A teacher, lately wishing to turn the young idea toward the mission field, asked, "What are good men called who leave their homes and go to foreign lands to teach the heathen?" "Prodigal sons," was the prompt and triumphant reply.

A class of boys when asked, "What were the ten plagues?" answered with more fervor than gallantry, "The ten virgins, sir."—Westminster Gazette

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