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

THE EAST SIDE RAILWAY has advanced wages twenty-five cents a day.

DR. BRIGGS has been ordained a priest by Bishop Potter of the Episcopal church.

It is said that Reed may not resign after all. The West hopes that he will resign as it does not appear on his map of the country.

THE Nebraska regiment has asked MacArthur for a rest. Any one who has followed the war will agree that they deserve all that they have asked for.

It becomes more apparent as the matter is investigated that a boat railway at The Dalles will never be feasible and probably not be undertaken.

THE question of wireless telegraphy is agitating the scientists but from all developments it is safe to say that most of the business will be done on the old line.

It seems that the boys at Manila want to come home by San Francisco. They should come anyway they may choose. They certainly should have this privilege.

THE rioters at Wardner have been indicted for delaying the mails. These people should be given a strong dose of law. It is the only thing they can understand.

DEWEY evidently does not care for a series of receptions across the continent and will avoid it by taking the Suez route to New York. He will start in a few days.

THERE is trouble among the canneries. Those in the combine are trying to force the others to come in and the result is the fishermen are getting a good price for fish but the run is light.

THE indecision in Cuba is hurting business. Either the Americans should withdraw or annex the island. The greatest enemy of business is indecision and should be avoided at all hazards.

THE mill men of the city seeing an advance of wages elsewhere have asked that they have an increase. It is understood that the company are paying as high as any mill on the coast.

ROSWELL P. FLOWER, who died Sunday in New York was one of the leading politicians and financiers of that state. His position in the financial world was such that his death caused almost a panic in Wall street. He was an uncle of Mrs. H. E. Smith and held stock in the mills in this city.

PENNOYER is going to start his mill after its being shut down a long time. The lumber combine has gone to pieces and there is nothing coming out of that to him. He has kept his mill idle to

help the combine and at the same time preached hard times and the iniquity of trusts, but never has he forgotten to take his share of the profits.

THE Boers of the Transvaal have arrested eight Englishmen charged with high treason. England has had her eye on this South African republic for so long that she will not easily give up and this may be the beginning of the end. It is believed that England has been waiting for a long time for an excuse to crush the Boers and this may be her opportunity. Certain it is that British supremacy will be had in South Africa and the republic is in the way. Kruger has been an important figure but his strength is not equal to holding the British Empire in check.

THE Canby Independent has been frozen out and the list obtained by the Courier-Herald. It is a scheme of the silver democracy to utterly wipe the populist party out of existence in this county. First Fitch and now Stevens are refused support by the "union forces" and at the next county election the scheme is to make the ticket straight democratic. The national organization has just issued an address to the populists urging no further union with the democrats or any other party. After the experience had by the populists at the last election in this county it remains to be seen if the populists will be corralled and driven into the democratic fold. We think not. The subscribers of the Herald were leaving the Courier and going to the Independent hence the desire to get the organ of the populists out of the way.

THE question of fishing in the Clackamas is proving a serious one for the fish commissioner. All laws should be upheld, but when fishermen are so discriminated against as those at Oregon City were the sympathy of the people is with them. There is no reason why the Willamette should be closed longer than the Columbia and the closing of the thousand feet each side of the mouth of the Clackamas in the Willamette is very obnoxious as it interferes greatly with the drifting ground. If the Clackamas alone had been closed it would have been respected by a majority of the fishermen. It is a hard proposition to take the means of livelihood from the people here and not elsewhere. Then the fishermen here feel that they had been jobbed at the regular session by not having the changes made effective they had worked for so hard. These changes had been agreed on as a compromise and while not satisfactory they would have been accepted and lived up to but the whole law was made inoperative by someone and probably not by a mistake but by direct intention.

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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK

Friday May 12. Otis is ordered to force the fighting and kill or capture the rebels.

The matter as to where the Second Oregon will muster out is left to Col. Summers.

The signal corps has experimented with space telegraphy but it is not likely to supplant ordinary methods.

A senate committee is investigating the food adulteration question.

Gen. Joe Wheeler receives a great demonstration at Charleston.

The new Italian ministry is complete.

Lawton continues to push the insurgents.

A rear end collision at Reading, Pa., results in the death of about 15 persons.

The Second Oregon will come by the way of San Francisco.

Dewey will come by way of the Suez canal.

The prisoners at Wardner are trying to be released on habeas corpus.

Branton is executed at Eugene.

Sunday May 14. Still the insurgents shoot and run.

There is a heavy slump in Wall street.

Rosebery and Harcourt are both after the liberal leadership.

A train goes over the bank in Cow creek canyon.

The commercial treaty between the United States and Germany meets with opposition in Germany.

Monday May 15. Bryan democrats will fight Tammany.

Spanish garrison at Zamboanga attacked by rebels and the latter are repulsed.

Russia makes a demand for a concession for a railway to the Chinese capital.

Europeans will demand considerable money on account of losses in Cuba.

Union men are sullen over the situation in the Coeur d'Alenes.

Railroad censured for accident in the Cow creek canyon.

Tuesday May 16. McKinley will probably be here when the boys come home.

Rev. L. E. Rockwell uncle of the deceased pastor has been chosen pastor of Centenary church Portland.

The Wild West show has had trouble at Princeton N. Y. in their parade with the students who have not allowed a parade in fifty years.

English have trouble with Chinese at Kow Loon.

J. A. Hunter was killed by Mrs. Elliott at Lostine and the latter committed suicide by poison.

Nordstrom, who was first sentenced to death at Seattle eight years ago is now sentenced again. He has had four trials.

Wednesday, May 17. Col. Sumner's troop took San Isidro today.

Storey has been elected mayor of Portland.

A movement is started to present Dewey with a home.

Cuban leaders are excited and talk of armed resistance.

Rich copper fields exist near Baker City.

D. P. Thompson gives a library and piano to the school in Albina, known as the D. P. Thompson school.

Thursday May 18. The Americans are still advancing in the Philippines with little resistance.

The Czar's peace congress opens today.

This Woman Sot a Bird. A sympathetic woman, living on Indiana avenue, noticed an Italian peddling birds a few mornings ago. The birds were shut up tight in a box that appeared to be almost airtight.

"Wanta nice cana?" screamed the man, treating each prospective customer to a view of the birds by lifting a slit in the top of the box.

The old lady belongs to the Audubon society, and it is against her principles even to wear a bird on her bonnet.

"My! I think it is simply dreadful to keep those birds shut up like that without a breath of air," she said in a tone of severe disapproval.

"Oh, madam," replied the Italian, spreading out his hands in a deprecatory way. "don'ta you know a habit of ze birds betta zan zat? Birds hava no lung. Birds no usa air."

"Well, I know that if I were a bird I would want some air to breathe," said the old lady, unconvinced, but not very well up on ornithology.

"Oh, but, madam," said the Italian, shaking his head sadly and very emphatically. "you not a bird!"—Chicago Inter Ocean.

It is a Pity. Isn't it a pity that so many women fall utterly in understanding and being suitable companions to their husbands? They do not seem able to attempt to even pretend to take an interest in his hobbies or pleasures, though expecting him to be interested in their most trivial pursuits or domestic worries.

It is a solemn fact that some women seem far more taken up with the shortcomings of their cook or housemaid than in the fact that their husband has painted a famous picture or maybe written the book of the season. One such wife was heard to remark not long ago concerning her husband's picture. "Fancy my horror when I saw that he had painted baby in a torn pinafore and all his broken toys at his feet, just as if we were too poor to buy him new ones."

This sort of wife wonders as time goes on what is the reason, when their was a love match to begin with, that she and her husband are living such distinctly different lives. Not for one moment, however, does it occur to her that the remedy has always been in her own hands.—Philadelphia Press.

Icehouse Fires. Curiously, an icehouse is the most likely place in the world for a fire. Insurance rates are so high on ice sheds as to be almost prohibitive of any policies being taken out. Spontaneous combustion is responsible for the fires in ice sheds, according to some authorities.

When a layer of ice is melted around the top and sides in summer an immense amount of heat is set free. When conditions are exactly favorable, spontaneous combustion takes place. Others believe that a zone of warmth and moisture is created by the melting ice and that this attracts lightning. In any case an icehouse is a beautiful place for a fire.

Rather Close. "The stingiest man I ever knew was a fellow who in going up stairs always skipped a step in order to save his shoe leather."

"That's nothing! I once knew a man who was so stingy that he wouldn't trim his finger nails except when he could borrow a jackknife, because he didn't want to wear out his own."—Chicago News.

The artist who is in search of attitudes descriptive of torture, and poses depicting suffering, need not go to the Christian martyrs of old. If he could only see through the walls into tens of thousands of homes all over this land, he would see a more interesting and varied series of tortures in silence without complaining, before which the brief ordeals of the martyrs pale into nothingness.

No one but a woman can tell the story of the suffering, the despair, and the despondency endured by women who carry a daily burden of ill health and pain because of disorders and derangement of the delicate and important organs that are distinctly feminine. One of the worst effects of troubles of this kind is upon the nervous system. The tortures so bravely endured completely and effectually shatter the nerves. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is an unfailing cure for all weakness and disease of the feminine organism. It makes it strong and healthy. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration and soothes pain. It cures exhausting drains and tones and builds up the nerves. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. Good medicine dealers sell it, and have nothing "just as good."

"Since my last child was born, thirteen years ago, I have suffered from uterine trouble," writes Mrs. Paul Desrosiers of Detroit, Campbell Co., Tenn. "I consulted several doctors and took much medicine, but found no relief. I had very bad health for twelve years. Every month I was in bed a week before the monthly period and a week after. I was obliged to keep in bed for four months last summer. I was just like a corpse. I lost twenty-six pounds in four months. I was coughing so much I was compelled to consume. I suffered severely from pains in my back, bearing down pains in the womb, chills and cold sweats. After taking four bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery my coughing stopped, and after six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription my periods became regular and were passed without pain. Now I am fleshy, more so than ever before. My neighbors exclaim to see me in such good health after having seen me so low."

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Woman suffrage in England. Helen Blackburn, the editor of The Englishwoman's Review, has prepared a little sketch of the woman suffrage movement in England "in the light of the second reading of 1897." It appears that 15 members of parliament allow their name to be used as "parliamentary advisers to the Woman Suffrage union," which indicates that the movement has a dignified standing in the lawmaking body. As Miss Blackburn says, there are a few who really intend that this claim to the vote for women shall succeed. The policy of the National union is "to place the question of woman suffrage in such a position that no government of whatever party shall be able to touch matters relating to representation without at the same time removing the electoral disabilities of women."

Evening Hoods. No woman who has a genuine love of dress thinks her life complete now-a-days if she does not possess an opera hood and an embroidered card case. The last and prettiest phase of the hood is a large black satin pumpkin shaped coxy, having a band of the softest black fur, either lynx or Russian hare, encircling the face, and all the lumpy rear fullness overdaped with black net hung with gold colored spangles. The strings that tie on such a head protector are so long that when knotted under the chin their ends fall to the knees, and they are of chiffon or black liberty gauze and are edged with bright spangles.

"Widows' Retreat." Worcester, Mass. has a "widows' retreat," in which six elderly widows live happily together. The eldest widow is Mrs. Eliza Parker, 91 years old, and the next, Mrs. Susan S. Bridgman, 88. The "retreat" is simply a pleasant boarding house kept by Mrs. Lucy M. Underwood. Mrs. Underwood is a widow, and two of her sisters, widows, also live with her.

Mrs. Esther Herriman, an active member of the New York City Woman Suffrage league, has received honorary recognition by the International Society of the Les Sauveteurs of France. The decoration is a gold cross and star bearing the words "To Save or Perish." She has lately given \$10,000 to found a scientific institute.

All the judges of the Idaho supreme court have united in testifying to the good results of equal suffrage so far as tried. No counter testimony from Idaho has yet been offered.

Take your sizer down comfortable out often and hang them on the line when the wind is blowing fresh and crisp if you would have them retain their fluffiness.

A bill has been introduced in the California legislature to make the wife responsible for her husband's debts if she has any property.

Painfully Polite. The people of Dresden are very polite, so overpolite that they not infrequently bring down ridicule upon themselves. It used to be told in that city that a stranger was one day crossing the great bridge that spans the Elbe and asked a native to direct him to a certain church which he wished to find.

"Really, my dear sir," said the Dresdener, bowing low, "I grieve greatly to say it, but I cannot tell you."

The stranger passed on, a little surprised at this voluble answer to a simple question. He had proceeded but a short distance when he heard hurried footsteps behind him, and turning round, saw the same man running to catch up with him.

In a moment his pursuer was by his side, his breath nearly gone, but enough left to say hurriedly "My dear sir, you asked me how you could find the church, and it pained me to have to say that I did not know. Just now I met my brother, but I grieve to say that he did not know either."

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