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PUNISHMENT SHOULD NOT PROVE TO BE VENGEANCE.

There is much to do over the case of Hillman, of Seattle, missing the mails. And the papers that are having the most acute spasms over Hillman's error are figuring it up where he will get 65 years in prison and be fined \$12,000.

Did you ever stop to analyze that proposition, reader? Here is a man guilty of the offense of defrauding, and to do this he used the mails in his publicity campaign.

The purpose of punishment is for correction and not vengeance. The man or men who seek vengeance are as guilty of crime as the man under the ban.

To put Hillman in prison for a corrective punishment is humane; to put him there for 65 years is not corrective but for vengeance, and the man who advocates it has vengeance in his heart—or is ignorant—and is as guilty, though of a different form of crime, as the man whom it is sought to punish for the misdemeanor.

The law of the Israelite was one of vengeance, the law of all the ancient nations was built on that foundation. The older our own country becomes—the older our civilization—the greater the trend towards vengeance in the matter of punishment.

These mills, like the mills of the gods, are slowly but surely grinding to powder the domestic altars of the nation.

HUSBAND AND WIFE ARE SEPARATED ON THE MOST FLIMSY PRETEXTS, AND AS IF THE DIFFERENT STATES OF THE UNION WERE NOT SUFFICIENTLY ACCOMMODATING IN THIS RESPECT ONE STATE HAS THE UNENVIABLE DISTINCTION OF GRANTING A BILL OF DIVORCE FOR THE MERE ASKING OF IT ON THE SOLE CONDITION OF A BRIEF RESIDENCE WITHIN HER BORDERS.

I can conceive no scene more pathetic nor one that APPEALS MORE TOUCHINGLY TO OUR SYMPATHIES than the contemplation of a child emerging into the years of discretion seeing her father and mother estranged from each other. Her little heart is yearning to love. She longs to embrace both parents, but she finds that she cannot give her affection to the one without exciting the resentment or displeasure of the other.

gotten and whose teaching is so often lost to sight?

The Meas Trust attempted to do business in Australia but that country would not stand for the trust. Are the officials of Australia smarter than our own—of more honest?

It is really a joke what we will permit our officials to do to us from time to time; and it is equally a joke what we will allow our trusts to do to us without a protest. The investments of a man who has large holdings should be as sacred as the small holdings of men of small means; no more and no less.

When a United States Senator will lose a piece of evidence that he holds in his hand as evidence while speaking on the floor of the Senate, and then put up the plea that he doesn't know who took it out of his hand, but that some one took it and it is consequently lost, isn't it about time to impeach him as Senator and then send him to jail for criminal participation?

NO SATURDAY MEETING OF LOCAL FRUIT UNION

MANY PEOPLE IN FROM THE COUNTRY TO LEARN MORE CONCERNING FRUIT RAISING

J. E. Malloy, of Beaver Creek, was in the city Saturday to attend the Oregon City Fruit and Produce Union meeting in the Court House and listen to the discussion of the matters pertaining to the good of the Union and Union members.

Discussion of the question brought out the fact that four meetings a month are too many but that there ought to be a meeting every two weeks, and it is believed to be feasible to get speakers and a crowd to hear them twice a month.

Mr. Malloy suggested that it was wise to have the topics timely. Now is the time to talk spraying and trimming, and talk packing in the summer and fall. But now the most important topic is spraying, and unless it is talked the members do not learn about it.

Mr. Malloy is an old Hood River man and understands many of the wrinkles that have gone to make for success in the Hood River country, and he has cast his lot in Clackamas county and is anxious to assist in getting things on to a solid foundation here.

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At the Portland Theaters

LAST CAR LEAVES FOR OREGON CITY AT MIDNIGHT

NOTED ENGLISH ACTOR Edward Terry Opens Short Engagement Tomorrow at Heilig.

The coming of Edward Terry and his London company of high-class English actors and actresses to the Heilig Theatre, Portland, next Monday and Tuesday will provide an event of rare and exceptional interest.

Mr. Terry and his company are making a brief tour of this country under Liebler & Company's direction, and the tour was made possible by the fact that Mr. Terry is making extensive attractions in his own theatre on the Strand in London.

Edward O'Connor Terry was born in London, England, March 10, 1844, and made his first appearance in the farce, "The Lottery Ticket" in Christchurch, England, August 15, 1863, his salary then being \$2.00 per week.

He built his own theatre (Terry's) in London, and opened it with "The Churchwarden" in 1887. This was followed by Piner's "Sweet Lavender" which ran there for 670 nights.

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The Right Filias Club held a social at the home of Alma Richter Friday evening. Music and games were enjoyed by all present.

W. F. Green was in Oregon City paying taxes on his Oak Grove property Saturday morning.

LOGAN. With hens coughing, frogs singing and many other spring signs, yet the sun will only shine one day in seven.

Mr. Taccop lost one of his horses recently. Colic followed by inflammation of the bowels.

There are quite a number of grip victims in the neighborhood yet.

Mr. Bates and Mrs. Higgins are reported better. The former lacks only a few months of being 80 years old.

In a tussle with pneumonia to come off first best speaks well for his constitution. Mrs. Higgins is 84 years old.

Luther Mumpower, of Stone, is afflicted with the measles.

George, the little son of A. O. Hollingsworth, has the measles.

Henry Babler has returned from San Francisco and reports his brother's condition about the same.

Mr. Taccop has had a surveying crew at work this week surveying his land. If the Government had a better way to mark the section corners, a permanent way, it would save much expense.

The base ball boys will give an entertainment Saturday, March 18, at the Grange hall. Those wishing a good time come and have one.

Clear Creek Creamery paid the patrons 25c per pound for butter fat for February. The demand exceeds the supply for this brand of butter.

Mrs. O. D. Robbins and Mrs. J. Gerber are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. P. Steinman, of Curranville.

Frank Riehoff is nursing a very sore hand this week.

Quite a number here say they intend to hear the tax question discussed at Parkplace Grange. That is right, learn all we can, as education along this line is a safeguard against the obnoxious "single tax."

SALEM, Or., March 11.—The closing of the Willamette River from Oregon City to the point where it empties into the Columbia to salmon fishing from April 15 to May 1 not only affects the salmon industry but the sport derived by the people of Portland and Oregon City from catching steelhead salmon with hook and line is also prohibited during that period.

Those desiring to fish for sport will be compelled to go to Lewis and Clark, Youngs and Sklamon Rivers, where there are no restrictions put on that character of fishing.

The hook and line fishermen can enjoy the sport from this date until April 15, while trout fishing on the Clackamas River is allowed at all times.

Master Fish Warden Clanton will leave next week for lower Willamette River points to post closed season notices.

DUTY IS INCREASED. Japan's Move Will Curtail Shipments From Coast.

Beginning July 1, the Japanese government will impose a duty of 77 cents on every 100 pounds of wheat shipped into that country.

The present duty is 57 cents on 100 pounds of the cereal. The increase of 20 cents in tariff, it is predicted in shipping circles, will curtail the exports of the "breadstaple" from this coast to the Island Empire.

A corresponding duty will be imposed on flour on the same date.

ARMY ON THE COAST. SAN FRANCISCO, March 11.—The entire provisional regiment of coast artillery, composed of 1,295 men and 47 officers, encamped here in readiness to go to the Mexican frontier.

The regiment will be inoculated with anti-typhoid serum today, says the Call. The action is in accord with orders received from Washington yesterday.

The serum is the result of experiments which followed the Spanish-American war. The army medical corps avers the serum will check the mortality from typhoid in camps.

MUST CARRY LIGHTS. Men and Boys Who Ride Wheels After Night Must Light Up.

The police have been instructed to enforce the ordinance forbidding the riding of bicycles on the streets of

THE GRAND SUNDAY Sailors Return Three Sisters Bobby and his pal MONDAY Age Visits Youth Queen for a Day Western Courtship

Fathers: Teach your boys and girls the value of money. Let each child have its own savings account, and cultivate an interest in seeing it grow.

The Bank of Oregon City. D. C. LATOURETTE President. P. J. MYERS, Cashier.

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THE CHICAGO STORE. Pays the highest price for Second Hand Goods. We buy and sell Second Hand Clothes.

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LATEST MARKETS. Oregon City Markets. The general market tendency is downward, in certain instances very marked.

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AT THE BAKER

THURSTON HALL in "Quincy Adams Sawyer at the Baker all next week. Commencing Sunday Matinee, March 12.

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A Postponed Brotherhood Sermon. Several weeks ago Rev. W. M. Proctor, of the Congregational church, prepared a Brotherhood sermon for presentation at the evening service.

MILWAUKIE. Women of Woodcraft held a fine meeting Friday evening, initiating, and balloting on candidates with the routine of business.

OAK GROVE. Mrs. Dr. McFarland was in Oregon City Friday visiting the sheriff and paying taxes.