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institution and it will take a more vigorous hold on the affections of its city and state in proportion to its local fidelity. Indians, pioneers, voyagers and heroic characters like McLoughlin, Joe Meek and Joaquin Miller will surely be the predominant figures in the Rose Festival pageantry before many years have elapsed.

SAME OLD BARGAIN AND SALE. "This (Wilson) Administration," complains the North Yakima Republic, "seems to be about as willing to trade a principle for a job as any other."

The offense of Mr. Chadwick is chiefly that he remained a Democrat and Polndexter did not. There is no animosity so bitter as the apostate's.

President Wilson needs Polndexter's vote. A few days after he entered the White House he paralyzed the office-seekers by saying he would turn them over to the cabinet officers.

There is just one redeeming feature in the freeing from the penitentiary of thugs and murderers under long terms of the sentence.

Here is Blodgett, self-confessed author of premeditated murder, his victim a woman, his own previous record a blot on his name.

That citizen of Seattle was killed at that city in an automobile accident the other day, and the papers referred to him feelingly as "an old resident of the state."

There are fashions in pioneers and in tenderfeet, to be sure. In Oregon one has to produce the record of his arrival and settlement in the state.

Everybody must have remarked upon the wonderful popularity of the Pendleton "Round Up." A good part of its charm comes from its resolute fidelity to historic situations and local character.

The saline objection is made to the workings of the preferential voting system that no candidate for Mayor or Commissioner received a majority.

New York mail-order houses have offered suggestions for the improvement of the parcel post, most of which have merit, but one of which is not likely to be adopted without another struggle.

cannot vary so greatly as to make a great difference in total cost when added to expense of collection and delivery, but in a great country like the United States the variation is too great to be ignored.

COME FARTHER WEST, COLONEL. Colonel William A. Lytle, of Worcester, Mass., has returned after a tour of the country with the opinion that, if New England was exploited to 50 per cent the same extent as is the West.

War is on in New York State between progressives of all parties and the united machines of the two old parties. War was declared by Governor Sulzer when he vetoed the Blauvelt primary bill.

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The high price of meat has raised the cost of living in the zoos. We might save money in two ways by eating the lions, tigers and other carnivori.

NO SHORT CUT TO REGENERATION. Woman Suffrage, Thinker Writes. PORTLAND, June 6.—(To the Editor.)—After reading your editorial on the prospective disappearance of the social evil from the cities of the world, one wonders how women, merely because they have the ballot, are going to bring it about.

Of course the West owes much to exploitation, but in order to succeed it must have something to exploit and men who know how. The men who know how generally left the ruts of New England for the West.

In no matter is such a social philosophy more necessary than in handling property. When the majority of both illustration of this fact in the case of an iron plate with a hump, or corkle, in it. He asks: "How is this plate to be handled?"

Detention homes are a good thing, doubly so if medical examination and treatment are afforded. But what are you to do with the woman who refuses to be rescued? There are many such.

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Japanese Quotes Statistics to Show Mutuality of National Interest. PORTLAND, June 6.—(To the Editor.)—Owing to the limitation of individual thought and observation, the great sum of one's knowledge must be derived from the experiences of others.

The wealth of the Pacific Coast states is an enormous one. The Nation as a whole is the wealth of New England, New York and the northern states. In San Francisco and the city of Portland, there are the home places of the great steamship lines, which in connection with the Orient, are doing as much to develop the Orient as the United States.

On the other hand, Japan, shaking off the lethargy of centuries, has now entered the arena of cosmopolitan politics, and stands as one of the greatest powers of the world. No longer is she a hidden light. Her position cannot be ignored in the future politics of the Nation.

The United States is the greatest power of the Western Hemisphere, with the liberty of the sea, the power of the sea, and the Flewery Empire of the East is the power of the Orient, with the primary objective of the world.

It is the spirit of the anti-alien law in simple and unadorned language. The agitation of the people of California against the Japanese is a blow to the welfare of the Nation to us during the half century and she is also the patron of our civilization.

Hilberto what is called morality is a part of the American people, and they alone were considered able to understand the meaning of righteousness. Therefore, Americans are to be just, and justice and humanity are the foundation of the American idea.

ANY EASY JOB IS ACCEPTABLE. Applicant for City Position Is Strong for Corporal Position. PORTLAND, June 6.—(To the Editor.)—I read in the Oregonian that our Mayor-elect and Commissioners have met to lay plans for ruling this city.

Women Who Command Regiments. The Empress of Germany delights to surround herself at the parades with four "colonelles." These noble warriors are the Empress, his daughter, the Princess Victoria Louise, the Princess of Schaumburg-Lippe, and the Grand Duchess of Hesse-Darmstadt.

Change of Plans Undesirable. London Tit-Bits. Gibbs—It costs more to live than it did a hundred years ago. Dibbs—All the same, I wouldn't like to be one of those who lived then.

Half a Century Ago. From The Oregonian of June 8, 1868. The Lewiston people were greatly rejoiced last Tuesday at the arrival of a party from Boise, bringing \$35,000 worth of gold dust, who came through from the mines in 48 hours traveling time.

New York, June 2.—Port Royal, where the British blockade-runner, was discovered on May 29 and sunk before it could reach the bar by the Powhatan. The officers and crew are supposed to have perished.

New York, June 2.—A dispatch from the New Orleans Era, dated Port Hudson Plains, May 22, says yesterday Auger's whole division was engaged in a nine-hour battle at the mouth of the Bayou Sara road. The enemy were thoroughly whipped.

There was a large audience to witness the great Indian tragedy of "Neck of the Woods" Saturday night. From The Oregonian of June 7, 1888. St. Louis, June 6.—The Democratic National convention broke the record for the largest gathering of men ever witnessed in a similar body, when Grover Cleveland was renominated for President.

Rittville, W. T. June 6.—Rittville burned last night. Ten business houses, the hotel and a law office were destroyed. Salem, Or., June 7.—Fire broke out in Thomas Holman's electric light works and fanning mills this morning about 7 o'clock.

W. M. Killingsworth. Features for Sunday. Pink Whiskers—J. Hamilton Lewis' brilliant hirsute luxuriance is commonly reputed to have made him, but the Senator gives an interview in which he denies that all there is to him is those pink whiskers.

Champion Office Holder—He has been holding down public office for 55 years and is to retire only because he can't sit in a judicial chair any longer. Unknown Republic Found—Russian explorers, in the heart of Siberia, come out strange reports, peopled by descendants of early Russian convicts.

Are Men Chatterboxes?—Laura Jean Libby asks this question and proceeds to give a most interesting answer. The Messengers—A love story by RICHARD HARDING DAVIS.

Schools at Sea—How the United States Navy will be utilized to give finished educations to thousands of young men. Death and the Millionaire—A short story by Alfonso Courtland. Nature the First Inventor—Many great patents are inventions on Nature's plans. Gibson Pictures—The widow is disturbed by a vision which appears to be herself. Theodore Roosevelt—He writes the eleventh installment in his autobiography. Don't Swat the Fly!—That's the newest health cry. The thing to do is starve the fly.

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