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consummation of the Federal Commonwealth no proposal for the erection of a unicameral legislature obtained any support.

place prepared for them, where their fate as prisoners of war would have evoked many a protest in our day.

vice to get around the adverse vote of consumers. The latter were unwilling to pay a quarter's rent in advance.

Half a Century Ago. From The Oregonian, October 25, 1864. The three Bush brothers have each been indicted in the United States District Court in Vancouver.

Mr. Minkley Tells of Normal School Results in Reply to Mr. Hodson. PORTLAND, Oct. 23.—(To the Editor.)—W. F. Hodson in a letter to The Oregonian asks advocates of the Western and Ashland normal schools to answer seven questions.

From The Oregonian, October 23, 1888. The Canada cable is to be laid in a few weeks, according to the announcement out of Ottawa.

PORTLAND, SATURDAY, OCT. 24, 1914. A BOON TO CANADIAN INDUSTRY. The Underwood tariff has been a godsend to British Columbia lumbermen.

SINDICATED BOSSES. The direct primary is not in danger, except from its false friends and self-appointed champions.

FOR SHERIFF. Thomas M. Hurlbut was nominated for Sheriff of Multnomah County by a large vote.

THE TWILIGHT SLEEP. Medical opinion is swinging favorably to the "twilight sleep."

FINAL STAND OF OLD MACHINE. Insultations and Intimidations Used by West-Chamberlain Combine. PORTLAND, Oct. 23.—(To the Editor.)—In a few days we will express our political sentiments by ballot.

WHERE POOR WOMAN GOT AID Appeal to Mayor Answered With Loan and Hospitality. PORTLAND, Oct. 23.—(To the Editor.)—Some of our readers are unfortunately—or possibly very fortunate.

Bewildering War News. O, the war news in the papers in these blood-soaked days.

More than twice as many shingles were exported to the United States in the first six months of 1914 as during the whole year 1913.

OUR ARTFUL DODGER. To a bystander not wholly disinterested, it would seem that the challenge of Colonel Wood to debate with Senator Chamberlain the issues of the campaign ought to meet a ready and grateful response.

THE WATER ORDINANCE. Although the Standard Oil Company has been dissolved and is now nothing but a phantom memory.

Way to Grow Fall Strawberries. SOUTH BEND, Wash., Oct. 23.—(To the Editor.)—I have a half acre and a half acre in strawberries discovered by accident.

Water Ordinance a Fraud. The water ordinance is a fraud. Its real purpose and effect do not appear on its face.

War Features and Photos. The greatest military struggle in history continues to be the center of interest.

Defense Invites Attack. A technical article on warfare written in a popular vein and most illuminating of modern battle methods.

AN EXAMPLE FROM AUSTRALIA. One of the most instructive lessons on the relative merits of a unicameral and a bicameral Legislature is to be drawn from the experience and example of Australia.

CUTTING BOTH WAYS. There is now a war tax, with no other tax in a way that is a pork-barrel tax, a deficiency tax—a deficiency created by Democratic waste, mismanagement, extravagance.

Water Ordinance a Fraud. The Daly water ordinance, on which the people are to vote next week, should be defeated.

Old Story Retold. Persons interested in celestial affairs will enjoy reading Anatole France's new novel, "The Revolt of the Angels."

First Degree Murder Without Penalty. MEDFORD, Or., Oct. 22.—(To the Editor.)—In reading the recommendation on the editorial page in The Oregonian I noticed in "eight-hour day for workers" 322 yes, 233 no. It says "Vote 322 no."

Another Color Map. Are you saving the color maps in The Oregonian? If so, you are able to follow every battle and troop movement, no matter how obscure the point may be geographically.

Free Music Lessons. The third lesson in The Oregonian's series of 12. Are you playing these simple and easily-mastered choruses?

Queensland, which has an upper house appointed for life by the Governor on nomination by the Cabinet, provided a referendum, allowing the people to overrule the upper house.

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Weather folk are working with the "flying squadron."

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