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GETTING DOWN TO FUNDAMENTALS.

All the refinements of argument concerning the cost of living resolve themselves into the fundamental question of whether we cannot enjoy possession of more of the necessities of life until we produce more of those necessities.

MILITARY AND CIVIL TRAINING.

The Chamberlain-Kahn military training bill has such obvious points of superiority to that of Secretary Baker that it is not surprising that it should be preferred by congress.

TENDENCY TO CRIME.

It is a fascinating scientific program which the Journal of the American Juridical Society presents in a recent discussion of the association between criminal tendency and mental defect.

last to receive the relief which they deserve. In Czechoslovakia the harvest is now on and fear of famine, which haunted the people six months ago, is definitely removed.

STEELHEADS AND LEGISLATORS.

The governor of Oregon, we trust, did not fall to read the Mail-Tribune of August 5. That excellent newspaper is always readable, to be sure, but it is not every day that a newspaper may be expected to have an article of particular moment to a governor who is troubled by a demand from a few energetic women to get the eighty-nine male members and one female member of the legislature together in a hurry-up call to do something about the suffrage amendment.

A NOTEWORTHY CENTENARY.

The man who first gave public demonstration of the use of an anaesthetic in performing a surgical operation was born August 2, 1819. He was Dr. William Thomas Green Morton, a Boston dentist, and the credit of discovery belongs to him.

A JOURNALISTIC NON-PARTISAN.

The Oregon Spectator, the first newspaper published in the Rocky mountains, began its life as an experiment in journalistic non-partisanship.

searching examination. He had pleaded guilty and had gone his way to commit another crime which the scientists might have foretold.

THOSE WHO COME AND GO.

"The lumber game is about shot away down in my country," says H. E. Walker of New Orleans, who is at the Multnomah, and in two years the lumbermen of Oregon and Washington will be reaping a harvest.

MORE TRUTH THAN POETRY.

THE FAIRY FLEET. It won't be long till old Jack Frost comes sailing from the skies, and puts underneath his arms all smeared with glowing eyes.

IN OTHER DAYS.

Twenty-five Years Ago. From The Oregonian of August 9, 1894. Washington—After long weeks of debate in congress over the new tariff bill it is expected by everyone that an agreement will be reached tomorrow.

didates, each relying on his own friends to succeed as best he may, but it seems to have been discovered in that early day that there was virtue in organization, even along party lines.

THE BABY HOMES.

They call for love—oh, thousands call in vain. The little babes that came without desire to fill strange homes, where mothers do not return.

IN GRAYS, BLACKS AND WHITES.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson has always affected a certain aristocratic air, and whites and they are most becoming to her.

ALCOHOL AND RUSSIAN HISTORY.

When Peter the Great, greatest leader of all the Russians, went down to Holland to buy boats for his own ports he sealed the bargain with a pint of Flemish beer.

Western sheriffs are supposed to sport two guns, have a star attached to their vests and go careless. They also supposed to wear boots, knee high, with brasses tucked into them.

THE COMPLETE SUNDAY NEWSPAPER.

Important exclusive features are being published each week in The Sunday Oregonian. Frank A. Vanderlip's third article on reconstruction problems finds an important place tomorrow, and to the thousands that have been following this masterly series no further word need be said.

THE NEWS OF ALL THE WORLD.

THE SUNDAY OREGONIAN. The third regatta took place Saturday. The Minnie was first and the Nellie second.

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