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able and to call upon it for instant remedy. The long winters are too inclement for work out of doors.

Lloyd George incurs all the resultant criticism and unpopularity. His lack of allying discontent is rendered more arduous by the fact that he heads a coalition of political extremes.

The optimum temperature for physical work being around 60 to 65 degrees, and for mental effort around 50 to 55 degrees, it follows that the ideal climate for physical and mental progress is that which oftenest approximates these temperatures.

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Those Who Come and Go.

When it comes to holding fairs Malheur county is getting up to the minute, and the round-up that is scheduled to come off at Ontario no so many days from now is going to have an alternate along with the buckaroos and bulldozers.

Resides liking fish in streams, Dr. J. H. Barr, of the Oregon State University, thinks thousands of them in ponds would be something worth while seeing.

A private little victory celebration in the form of a complete circuit of the United States is being enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Horace Reed and their three boys.

W. E. St. John of Sutherlin lost one of the titles he has been privileged to sign after his name yesterday when he disposed of the Sutherlin title.

Winnipeg has almost recovered from the effects of its recent strike, according to B. J. Jessell, who, with his wife and daughter, is stopping at the Multnomah.

It took tremendous effort on the part of Albert E. Parker to coax his automobile to travel over the rough roads from Seattle to Portland and now that it is here the price of the car is going to be a good deal higher than when he bought it.

With the intention of maintaining peace and quietude in the town, five of the town's most prominent citizens gathered at the Benson yesterday.

In Salem when you mention Oregon guard they'll tell you to see Colonel A. T. Woolpert if you want to know anything about it.

Both the city of Newberg and one of its principal hardware stores had to get along without their chief executive yesterday while George Larkin was in the city.

Brigham Young, even if it is near Salt Lake city, The fact of the matter is the former town is headquarters for an enormous copper camp.

Next to being famous for the manufacture of Indian blankets and as the site for the Round-up, Pendleton can claim renown as being the home of Lee Moorhouse, who registered at the Perkins yesterday.

W. E. LINNETT.

In Other Days.

Twenty-five Years Ago. From The Oregonian of August 21, 1894. Receiver McNeill of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation company has admitted a new scale for engineers to a committee of employes, proposing increases from \$7.75 to \$9.00 and from \$9.00 to \$10.00, and it is believed this will be accepted.

George H. Sargeant, secretary of the state board of horticulture, sighted a half-grown bear galloping along the ridge near his home on Willamette Heights Sunday.

The Madison-street bridge, which has been closed for repairs, will be thrown open to the public again today.

The head camp of the Woodman of the World spent yesterday in discussing constitutional amendments and will end their session today.

Fifty Years Ago. From The Oregonian of August 21, 1869. Trenton, Yesterday, The National Society of the Oregon pioneers held a meeting here, with 1000 male and female teachers present.

A large sawmill is in process of construction at Cementville by owners of the cement works.

The schooners Kinskanine and Eleonora are discharging at the O. S. N. wharf the first cargoes of stone for the new United States building in this city.

Literature received here from San Francisco urges the adoption by congress of a new postal telegraph bill, the claim being that rates may eventually be reduced to 2 cents for a 20-word message sent anywhere in the United States.

More Truth Than Poetry. By James J. Montague. When a town in the state of Kentucky went dry, the officers emptied the whisky supply in a swift little stream, and the fishes therein.

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Next morning the Petersons—numbering nine. Came issuing forth in a waverling line, their voices raised as they sang to the moon.

The Standard. By Grace E. Hall. What's in it for you—this shall decide.

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