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ABOLISH THE PORK BARREL

A demand for investigation and systemization of river and harbor appropriations is made with force by leading newspapers and by forcible men in Congress that it cannot be much longer allowed to go on.

HOW TO SAVE MONEY

A conspicuously learned Democratic contemporary offers the argument that because Democratic Governors in Oregon have a record of appropriations that Republican Governors, it is a measure of economy to elect a Democratic executive.

OUR GIFT TO CANADA

The attention of those who imagine labor derives no benefit from the Republican tariff policy and suffers no injury from the Underwood Democratic tariff is invited to the condition of affairs in the shingle industry of Washington and British Columbia.

ROOSEVELT AT FIFTY-SIX

Theodore Roosevelt will be fifty-six years old on October 27, 1914. He is in the maturity of his intellectual power; he has passed the summit of physical vigor.

DEFECTS OF PRONUNCIATION

A suggestion is at hand that Oregon's now famous spelling bees should be supplemented by competitions in pronunciation. It is pointed out quite rightly that such contests would do much to prevent useless cruelty to the English language.

EVOLUTION OF THE BATTLESHIP

Centenarians are always interesting and useful in that they serve to take us back through the vista of years and emphasize the progress being made by the human animal in the various departments of life.

WHICH POLICY SHALL WE CHOOSE?

When President Wilson announced that his purpose was to uplift the oppressed \$5 per cent of Mexico, he by implication confessed that the Tampico incident was a candidate for interference in the internal affairs of Mexico.

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