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the new vegetable shortening, is indeed a boon. By the use of this new and wonderful food-product the disagreeable effects of lard-cooked food are altogether avoided. The features of economy, convenience and adaptability, emphasize the above, and demand the attention of careful housekeepers to COTTLENE.

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PARISNEWSPAPERS ARE LAUGHING OVER SOME OF THE PRESENTS SENT TO THE PRINCE BISMARCK

Paris newspapers are laughing over some of the presents sent to the Prince Bismarck for his birthday. Not only have the gifts been more or less costly carpets, clocks, stoves in marble and bronze, a deluge of flowers, wreaths, etc.

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Taxes should be payable in two installments, where over \$30, one by the first of April the other by the first of October.

Big headed people are never appreciated by any one but themselves. If your head is swollen, young man, look it.

If the actual cost of a \$100 bicycle is \$15, as is being alleged, the law of supply and demand is a costly one to the people.

There will always be strikers; but the number will grow less during the next few years. But for the foreign element in the U. S. strikes would be almost unknown.

An exchange is making one of the issues of the next campaign the abolition of the railroad commission. This is decidedly a good job, in view of the fact that it was one of the issues of the last campaign. It has gotten so it makes little difference what a candidate promises before election.

A dispatch says that Lord Sholto Douglas, the youngest son of the Marquis of Queensberry, is now in Victoria for a few days. He was accompanied by the wife of the Marquis, who is a well known beauty.

It is said that newspapers are published to suit the times, just such "stuff" being published as the public demands. If a general newspaper were to jump ahead of the times and put on a leafy aspect to every thing it is doubtful if any one would read it.

The following interesting statistics have been collected from the annual address of the president of the National Association of Manufacturers, Mr. Margaret E. Kellogg: There have been 15 new lodges instituted and one reinstated during the past year, making a total of 50 lodges with a membership of 3,038 in Oregon.

Speaking of the decision of Judge Hewitt in the railroad commission case the Salem Statesman says: "After ascertaining that the decision had been rendered a reporter for the Statesman called on Secretary Kincaid for the purpose of ascertaining what he had to say about it."

The trustees of the First Congregational church, of San Francisco, have issued a circular letter, approving the attitude of their pastor, Rev. C. O. Brown, D. D., toward Prof. George D. Herron, of Grinnell college, Iowa. With regard to Prof. Herron's utterances to which exception is taken, the trustee's say:

"Our city and state have suffered quite enough from such agitation in the past. To have such words proclaimed in the name of religion seems to us entirely undesirable. Such words as many of Prof. Herron's, ought to stir the indignation of every loyal citizen."

The Oregonian with its usual pig-headedness has been criticizing Justice Jackson of the supreme bench. Scott has to be criticized some one, that is his religion; it is also his long expander; he would die from suffocation otherwise. He prefers attacking dead men, being a regular buzzard in that respect; but occasionally he actually stings a live man, like Jackson E. R. Skidmore, formerly his boss.

I am somewhat surprised that you persist in asserting that Justice Howell E. Jackson is a lawyer of very moderate attainments and a much better local politician than a jurist. If your statement is true, it is strange indeed that Jackson was elevated to the supreme bench. If he is a politician he is a "democratic politician," and everybody is curious to know why President Harrison (who is himself an able lawyer) nominated him to his present high office, and why a republican senate confirmed him. Your statement cannot be correct; you underestimate Justice Jackson's legal ability. While he was a member of the United States senate it was generally conceded that he was the ablest lawyer in that body from the South, and when a vacancy occurred in the Western district of Tennessee, President Cleveland promptly appointed him to said vacancy; and so ably and faithfully did he discharge the duties of his office that President Harrison nominated him to be associate justice and the senate confirmed him unanimously. It is probable that a republican president and republican senate would thus honor a local democrat like Justice Jackson.

I never heard a contrary opinion save by the Oregonian. I will venture the opinion that you cannot find a single attorney in Oregon of any standing at the bar that will agree with your recently expressed views concerning Justice Jackson.

SATURDAY NIGHT THOUGHTS.

The editor was thinking when he saw the big excursion party leaving the wharf of the number of people who go on excursions, to the circus, theater, etc., who are detest. While many are abundantly able to indulge in excursions there is a class of people in every city who are not, who are the first to say: "We're to try and collect a dollar of one of that class you would not even hear the flaps of the eagle's wings. Of all people in the world the creditor is entitled to first consideration. The honest poor man who does the best he can is entitled to the best company the world affords; but the dishonest person who does the worst he can and always acts as if he were trying to get out of meeting his obligations deserves by all rights to be put in the penitentiary."

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MISFITS.

An Albany man complains because the acrobat last night in his long speech failed to mention how he stood on the free coinage of silver.

The Corvallis Times is not particular enough in its descriptions. It says the groom was dressed in a celluloid collar. An Albany man is confident he had also a pair of spurs on.

The early bird catches the worm. J. V. Wilson sold an Ajax bicycle to Mr. Peterson, a school teacher at Peoria, before 6 o'clock this morning, and the owner immediately left on the wheel for home.

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