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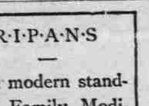

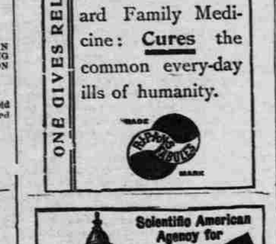

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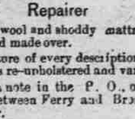

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The Democrat.

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Why should members of the State legislature be allowed 15 cents a mile, when it only costs 4 cents, in fact costs them nothing for they all ride on passes. A business man who would do things that way would soon fail.

The state league of republican clubs will meet in Portland on February 4. What will be done with the silver question in their little informal deliberations is a question of interest. It is probable though the meeting will be disposed o by keeping that in the background. f

When the DEMOCRAT is issued to-morrow night Loyd Montgomery will undoubtedly be the other side of the great divide, with the weight of a triple murder against him to face his judgment. Besides the crime committed he leaves behind an influence that is bound to work for bad.

A Benton county man wanted to see Loyd Montgomery hanged because he hated him so and applied for a card of admission, but of course it was refused. That showed a pretty small spirit, a morbid propensity by one knowing none of the parties concerned, but worked up by newspaper reports.

Owners of wheat should not forget that the market after all is uncertain and that you can't most always sometimes tell. If any one said he would sell when wheat was 50 cents he had better keep his word. Already there is an indication of a weakness in the market, and i tne price should go down it is liable to do so hurriedly.

P. S. But do as you please about it.

The Governor's private secretary gets more than the Governor, by $300; that is on the face of it. But as a matter of fact Governor Lord is said to make about $4000 a year by gobbling up all the allowances. While Gov. Lord was running wasn't there something said about his accepting simply the constitutional salary, or are we mistaken.

The expenses of The Dalles average about $631.45 a month. The expenses of Pendleton are more than this. Why? The Dalles is as large a town as Pendleton and just as expansive to govern. Government in Pendleton should not cost any more than government in The Dalles.—Pendleton E. O. One big item in Pendleton is its water works that most other cities do not have. At the same time the income more than offsets the extra expense.

When hard times strike a railroad like the O. C. & E., for instance, the management cuts down expenses in a lively manner. That's business; but when they strike the government as well, instead of curtailing expenses, they immediately begin talking about increasing ones burdens by raising the rate of tariff or tax. That isn't business. The government of the U. S. could be run on $100,000,000 a year less than now without an effort and then be paying too high for things. It's all politics, though, nowadays, and nearly everything is for political effect.

Writing of the sun, Sir Robert Ball says: For every acre on the surface of our globe there are more than ten thousand acres on the surface of the great luminary. Every portion of this illimitable desert of flame is pouring forth torrents of heat. It has, indeed, been estimated that if the heat which is incessantly flowing through any single square foot of the sun's exterior could be collected and applied beneath the boiler of an Atlantic liner it would suffice to produce steam enough to sustain in continuous movement those engines of thousand horse power which enable a superb ship to break the record between Ireland and America.—Ex.

The women regardless of opposition continue to fight for their rights. A dispatch says: The senate marble-room was completely filled today by ladies from the National Suffrage Association, who appeared before the senate committee on woman suffrage to present a plea for recognition at the ballot box. Senators Call and Peffer were the only members of the committee present, and they arrived late. The speakers were presented by Dr. Annie Shaw. The speakers dwelt upon the right of the female sex to equal participation with men in shaping legislation, and almost all referred to the injustice of taxing women without allowing them to vote. The delegation also visited the judiciary committee of the house.

As to the nature of the poison engendered by fatigue, some recent experiments have been made that are replete with interest. Maggiori and Mosso, as well as Wedensky and others, find that if the blood of a fatigued animal be injected into another animal that is fresh and unfatigued, all the phenomena of of fatigue will be produced. Wedensky has made a chemical analysis, and finds the poison to be similar to the ancient vegetable poison curare, into which the Indians used to dip their arrows, and a most deadly poison it proved to be. The poison engendered by fatigue is of the same chemical nature, and is as truly a deadly poison. In case it is created more rapidly than can be carried off by the blood the organism suffers seriously. —Ex.

The Corvallis Times tells of one way of at least trying to overcome financial setbacks: Landlord Wilkins is out with a proposition to complete the Hotel Corvallis. He proposes that the people of Corvallis and vicinity shall buy $1,000 worth of meal tickets at the price of four for one dollar, and $500 worth of street car tickets. Each dollar's worth of tickets is numbered, and when all are sold a $350 piano will be given to the holder of one of the tickets, the selection to be determined by lot. The $1,5 0 received for the tickets, less the cost of the piano will be applied to the completion of the building, and will, Landlord Wilkins says, be sufficient to finish up all but the business rooms on the first floor. The time for the redemption of the hotel property expires September 5, and Mr. Wilkins declares that he will be prepared to redeem it. Johns, the paper hanger, is now engaged in preparing the office and dining room of the hotel.

To Linn County Democrats.

ALBANY, Or., Jan 20th, 1896.

Editor Democrat:

The time is now drawing near, in fact is already at hand, when it behooves democrats to look around and see where they are at. The terrible Waterloo that the party experienced in 1892 seems entirely to have paralized the whole party. Can it be possible that the great democratic party, that survived the many and bitter defeats from 1860 to 1884, and who so nobly kept the faith and contended for the great principles of free government during these long years of trial, are now going to succumb to partial defeat and give up the fight? What has become of the great leaders who so nobly led the party in those days of despondency? Are they all dead; and are there no true descendants of those noble sires left among us to again volly us and lead to victory? What is the matter with the democrats of Linn county? The time once was that the slogan of democracy would rally the cohorts in old Linn, and they would meet the enemy and hold the fort here, whether victory or defeat was our portion in the general fight. The shades of Delazon Smith Enoch Hoult, Mart Brown, H. L. Brown, H. L. Rudd, Harvey Shelton, James Garrett, and all the Bilyeus, Crabtrees and Sheltons, of the forks of the Santiam, where are you, that you do not give some inspiration to your descendants and cause them to emulate the noble examples you have left in record for them to follow?

Democrats of Linn counnty it is time that you began to look around you and see where you are drifting. Some of our trusted leaders have gone off after strange gods, and some of the rank and file have grown tired of waiting, and because our National leaders have failed in their duties to the people, have gone off after something they know not what. We have been calling them names, and making mouths at them long enough; lets get down to business and try to get the wanderers back again into the old fold. We have crimmated and recrimmated long enough, now let us try to heal matters up, and get the democratic war horses of old Linn into line again, and go on to victory as of yore. Let National politics take care of themselves. The time will come when the right will assert itself and the party will come out in its true colors. Can't something be done? Lets hear from the brethren over the county.

A DEMOCRAT.

The Efforts For Law.

Sunday Feb. 1st.

Editor Democrat:

All ministers of the gospel have been appealed to to set aside Sunday, Feb. 1 as a day on which to show to youth the evils of tobacco. That the tobacco habit seems to be growing in many countries, the dangers from it more apparent, is manifest from the efforts made to hold in check.

France and Germany have made strenuous laws to keep it out of the hands of lads and children finding that the growth and development of the physical and mental powers are interfered with.

In thirty four states of the Union, laws have been enacted regulating the sale of tobacco to minors, including our own state.

A good and wise law means less in this country than in the old ones, unfortunately, as the enforcement rests with the people. If they are ignorant, lax and careless, the officers of the law are the same. A possible re-election confronts the officer, and he often will not jeopardise that, by making himself obnoxious to his electors.

Our children are therefore not given the protection that the law provides in this particular for fear of offending the tobacco renders.

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A remarkable case comes from Jacksonville, Flo., a remarkable city: To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thomas, who live in Oakland, a suburb of Jacksonville, a girl baby was born yesterday that talked at three different times in its life of six hours. That the child talked is attested by Dr. Peterson, the attending physician, its mother, grandmother and nurse. Dr. Peterson says:

"Immediately after the baby was born I handed it to the nurse, Mrs. Taylor, when it began to fret, and in a few minutes cried, 'O Lord; O Lord!' as naturally as I could have done. The nurse, superstitious dropped the babe, and I caught it: half an hour later, the baby cried, 'O Lord!' three times again. I was startled and determined to watch the case. The child remained quiet for several hours, and then rose suddenly to a sitting posture and cried 'mamma, mamma, mamma!' then fell back dead. I examined it and found it dead. The baby was Mrs. Thomas' 14th child, and her seventh daughter. Mrs. Thomas has been bedridden with rheumatism for some months, and for five weeks before the baby was born, suffered great pain In her paroxysm she cried, 'O Lord!' frequently. She frequently called 'Mamma, mamma!' addressing Mrs Black, her mother."

Dr. Peterson thinks these cries of the mother were responsible for the remarkable exhibition of the infant. He says that when born the child looked nearly a year old. He will prepare a statement of the case for the medical journals.

The DEMOCRAT does not intend to give much notice of prize fighters. They are only entitled to limited attention. The following from Peoria, Ill., will show how whisky will fit a man for the insane asylum: "At Davenport last night John L. Sullivan went out after the performance and got drunk. On the Rock Island & Peoria railroad this morning, about 11:20 o'clock, between Lafayette and Galva, he walked off the rear platform. The train was stopped and men started to help him out of the ditch where he was lying, but he threatened to fight any one who touched him, and he got up and walked on to the train himself. It was backed to Lafayette and a surgeon was called who dressed his wounds, but he tore the bandages off. At Peoria, another surgeon was called, but Sullivan would not allow him to touch him, and he went away on another train. His injuries are thought to be slight."

We anxiously await news from the California woman who was to die if Loyd Montgomery was hanged

Boys start right and keep right. A little wrong, often repeated, may mean the gallows, the consummation of disgrace.

The members of C. O. Brown's church in San Francisco have been having stormy times. "Forbearance in love should govern all deliberations."

The majesty of the law has been vindicated.

SATURDAY NIGHT THOUGHTS

But let justice be done
Private or public.
A scientific subject.
How one feels.
Like street talk.

The past has been an eventful week in Albany, one that will long be a mile mark in the history of Linn county. The first hanging for nineteen years and four days, and the DEMOCRAT hopes it will be the last for nineteen years and four days; but should occasion occur let the next hanging be within a like seventy-three days. In the event there is ground work for a dozen dissertations that come flying into one's mind. The DEMOCRAT is very emphatically opposed to murder and all practices and habits that lead to murder, and when they occur it will be found opposing the crime and the murderer where the evidence is so plain as to leave no doubt in one's mind of his guilt. The press must be emphatic on this point, and not display any of the sentimentality that induced many women to beg Governor Lord to spare the life of young Montgomery. In the first place it is justice, in the next place the public welfare demands it. There are indications that the recent execution will have a beneficial effect on the public.

On account of a limited number attending there has been a great deal of discussion as to whether an execution should be private or public, arguments being advanced on both sides. One peculiar argument in favor of the latter the DEMOCRAT man heard advanced was that the people paid for it and had a right to see it. Our belief is that the execution should not only be private but that it should be inside the walls of the state penitentiary, that the notoriety of the punishment is sufficient without the unpleasant details.

A matter that will be discussed scientifically is whether Loyd Montgomery was responsible for the crime in the fullest sense if it is found from a medical standpoint that his brain was sufficiently diseased to affect his conduct. Without leaving the matter to Dr. Grant the DEMOCRAT will freely jump where angels fear to tread by remarking that he has not the least doubt of the man's entire responsibility regardless of defect in the brain. The DEMOCRAT opines that the brain of the average drinker, for instance, could not be safely compared with that of the hanged man, and that in fact the brains of many people become out of sorts the same as other parts of the body. The central office of a vast nerve system it would be strange if it did not. And yet we are all individually responsible. The thoughts that come to us this Saturday night are that it would take a pretty dilapidated mind to take away the responsibility, though theoretically it may be materially lessened.

We have always imagined the sight of an execution was a horrid affair; but face to face with the reality one becomes nerved for the occasion and like the murderer displays sand. The DEMOCRAT man could not see an innocent man hanged, but to see a man eminently guilty meet justice is not a difficult matter, particularly when in the line of one's business.

These Saturday night thoughts are like the street talk of the past few days, all on one subject, and that is their inclination from week to week, unbiased ideas on current events, always tending to the improvement of mankind even if only in a small way.

Queen Victoria's Personality.

The heart of gold, the will of iron, the royal temper of steel, the pride, the patriotism, and the deep piety of Victoria have been enshrined in a small but vigorous frame, the mignonne aspect of which especially strikes those who behold her for the first time in these her "chair-days." It was reported how, when Prince Albert was dying, he roused himself from a period of wandering to turn with ineffable love to his spouse and Sovereign, saying to her with a kiss, "Good little wife!" And when the Prince Consort was actually passing away, after those twenty one years of wedded happiness, it was told how the Queen bent over him and whispered, "It is your little wife," at which last the Angel of Death stayed his hand while once again the dear eyes opened and the dying lips smiled. But though this be so, no one who has been honored by near approach to Her Majesty, or has ever tarried in her presence, will fail to testify to the extreme majesty of her bearing mingled always with the most perfect grace and gentleness. Her voice has, moreover, always been pleasant and musical to hear, and is so now. The hand which holds the sceptre of the seas is the softest that can be touched; the eyes which have grown dim with labors of state for England, and with too frequent tears, are the kindest that can be seen.

The half-forgotten Court gossip of the past is full of little tales of the tenderness which underlies the well-known force and firmness of Her Majesty. When, on the death of King William the Fourth, Queen Adelaide wrote to the young Victoria announcing the event, the acceded Princess replied by a gentle and respectful letter which she addressed to "The Queen of England;" and when a lady of the Court humbly remonstrated, saying, "Your Majesty, you only are Queen of England," the pretty reply was given, "Yes, but Aunt Adelaide must not be reminded of that by me." And when, at taking the oath of allegiance, the two Royal Dukes bowed low before her to touch her hand with their lips, she kissed them gravely, raising them from the ground, saying to the Duke of Sussex, "Do not kneel, dear uncle; if I am Queen, I am also your niece."—Sir Edwin Arnold, in the February Forum.

Why do cats die in flour mills is an interesting question. The Guard says: A student of the university thinks that the cats placed in the Eugene flour mill die because they lap up the oil from the oil cups. He says in all probability the cups are not covered over, and the lubricating oil used in the mill contains petroleum. Petroleum is a deadly poison to his catship, and after they lap up a certain quantity of the oil they die.

The city council of Albany has a serious matter to settle, the two suits involving the payment of the bridge warrants. The longer they are allowed to run the more it will cost the city, hence prompt action will be advisable if possible, and this is the spirit of the council.

Portland will play base ball this year. The league is being organized now. The DEMOCRAT predicts a spotted career for it.

MISFITS.

An 11¾ mill tax was levied by the Ashland school district. That fraction will make the clerk nervous.

Yesterday was certainly a live day in Albany. There was a hanging, a fight between two heavy weights, a runaway and a big time at the opera house. Besides the streets were filed with people.

W. W. Saunders has been appointed assistant district attorney of Spokane and will be married on March 15 to Miss Minnie Allison, so it is reported. He should have been Linn county's No. 4 and Montgomery No. 5.

An Albany man saw Pate executed near the Masonic cemetery when a boy. He waited until he heard the sheriff say "Pate, prepare to meet your God," then he turned, just as he heard the trap drop and ran for home, never stopping until he reached his parents house.

The Salem Post says Loyd Montgomery said in jail that he would have killed twenty men if they had been present when the murder was committed. He probably never said anything of the kind. All kind of stories may be looked for now.

An account of the hanging of Loyd Montgomery at this city yesterday morning appeared yesterday and this morning in all the prominent papers in the U. S. with extended accounts of the affair. That is one way to let people know there is an Albany, Or., as well as Albany, N. Y.

Sheriff Cathcart has received an invitation from J. A. McFeron, sheriff of Linn county, to be present at the execution of L. B. Montgomery, which takes place at Albany, Friday. Mr. Cathcart will probably leave on tonight's overland.—Roseburg Plaindealer. As his Brown was to be hanged tomorrow, but escaped, it is very proper for the sheriff to want to see some one stretch sea grass on that day.

Cripple creek, which is Colorado's greatest gold camp, and the one which is being 'boomed' all over the country, claims a yield of gold for 1895 of from $7,000,000 to $8,000,000, and the present population of the district is 35,000. If it took 35,000 miners—for the population is mostly miners—a year to take out $8,000,000, they did not nearly come up to what the California mines and miners are doing. In 1894 there were less than 14,000 miners at work in this state, and they produced $14,000,000 of gold and $6,000,000 more of other mineral products.—Call.

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TELEGRAPHIC.

In Favor of It.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—In an address tonight Salisbury said, with reference to Venezuela: "I have been held up as the denouncer of the Monroe doctrine. As a matter of fact, although the Monroe doctrine is no part of international law, my dispatch to Mr Olney, the secretary of state of the United States, supported it as a rule of policy in the strongest and most distinct terms."

Made a Report.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The investigating committee which was appointed several months ago to hear the charges preferred by Lord Dunraven against the owners of the victorious Yankee craft Defender, reported: Upon careful consideration of the whole case, the committee is unanimously of the opinion that the charge made by Lord Dunraven had its origin in a mistake; that it is not only not sustained by evidence but is completely disproved; and that all the circumstances indicated by him as giving rise to his suspicion are entirely and satisfactorily explained.

Weekly Report.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—R G Dun & Company's weekly review of trade says: Though business is still waiting, there are some signs of definite improvement It is now believed that the first payment for bonds will cause no further pressure, and the money markets are easier in respect to loans on collateral, though the difficulty of making commercial loans still checks operations.

Another Smooth Execution.

KALAMA, Jan. 31.—Charles Asimus, who murdered James Greenwood September 21 last, died on the gallows this morning. He slept fairly well last night, but woke up some four or five times, and asked the guard what time it was. He said he was glad the time was so near, and that he wanted to get up early, so he would be ready. Every detail passed off in the smoothest possible manner. About 30 people witnessed the execution, mostly sheriffs, doctors and newspaper men.

Another Crack.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 31.—An afternoon paper publishes a report that the Standard Oil Company is to be organized as a corporation with a capital of $2,000,000, twice the capitalization of the original trust.

An Enormous Trust.

TRENTON, N J., Jan. 31.—Articles of incorporation have been filed in the office of the secretary of state by the Standard Match Company, with a capital stock of $7,000,000, in 70,000 shares of $100 each. The company will have offices in New York, Chicago, Milan and Turin, and all the principal cities in Europe, Asia and Africa.

Important Reports.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The president today sent to congress, in accordance with the requirements of the statutes, the "commercial relations of the United States for the years 1894 and 1895," being the annual reports of the consular officers on the commerce and industries of their respective districts. Included with the reports is an introductory review of the commerce of the entire world, a feature of great value.

A Big Tax.

HEPPNER, Jan. 30.—A meeting of the voters of this school district was held for the purpose of levying a tax for school purposes. In order to pay outstanding indebtedness and to provide necessary funds for six months' school the coming year, it was decided necessary to levy a 15-mill tax. This, with the state and county levy, makes the tax for the ensuing year 37 mills.

Probably an Engagement.

HAVANA, Jan. 30.—The sound of what appeared to be a serious engagement was heard here yesterday between Seborucal and La Ceiba. It is believed the fighting took place at the Saladrigas farm. Much firing of artillery was distinguished, and it is supposed that the columns of Spanish troops commanded by Colonels Cannelas and Galbis have been engaged with the insurgents under General Gomez, who, it is understood, is making for the province of Pinar del Rio to reinforce the insurgents under Antonio Maceo.

A Man of Brains.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Right Hon John Morley, chief secretary for Ireland in the late Rosebery and Gladstone liberal cabinets, speaking at Arbroth, in Scotland, tonight, said that Lord Salisbury blundered in questioning the Monroe doctrine, to which America is strenuously attached. He added that if ever there was a case of arbitration it was the Venezuela boundary dispute.

Fortifying the Frontier.

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—A letter to the Herald from Caracas, dated January 20, says: "Venezuelans are still discussing the news from the frontier that the British authorities had reinforced the post on the boundary by sending 100 men and two cannons. The news came here by way of Trinidad, and although there is no positive way to verify it, there is every reason to believe that it is true.

Sin You Not Guilty.

PORTLAND, Jan. 30.—The case of Sin You, charged with the murder of Lai Sing, was given to the jury last night at 10:30 o'clock. At midnight the jury was locked up for the night. At 3 o'clock this morning the jury brought in a verdict of not guilty.

No Extra Session.

SALEM, Or., Jan. 29.—Governor Lord disposed of the extra session matter in the following conclusive language today: "There will be no extra session of the legislature. There is no public sentiment asking for it, nor have I any assurances, if I should call one, that its results would justify the expense. I have received numerous letters from taxpayers and influential citizens throughout the state, and, barring two exceptions, the sentiments expressed in such letters are averse to an extra session."

Poor Belva L.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Belva Lockwood, once a presidential candidate on the woman's rights ticket, and now a practicing attorney in this city, was today disbarred as a practicing attorney or agent before the pension bureau. This action grew out of a charge made against Mrs. Lockwood by the pension department, accusing her of having improperly accepted a fee of $25 in a pension claim.

Is Gomez Dead.

HAVANA, Jan. 29.—There is an insistent rumor that Maximo Gomez has died as a result of his illness. The friends of the insurgents place no credence in the rumor, and there is no confirmation of the report. It probably owes its origin to the fact that the insurgents tried to buy a coffin at San Antonian de los Banos, and the conclusion that it was intended for the burial of the leader of the Cuban insurrection has been jumped at.

Turkey and Russia.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 29.—It is believed here that a tacit entente exists between Russia and Turkey, by the terms of which Russia has engaged to support Turkey in certain events, such as the passage of the Dardanelles by the British fleet. On the other hand, it is understood Turkey has agreed to permit Russia to occupy and pacify Armenia. Russia's policy is held to be opposed to French interests.

Looks Gloomy.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Gloom pervaded the headquarters of the Cuban revolutionary party today. Leaders who would not admit last night that any filibustering expedition had met with disaster, freely admitted the reported wrecking of the steamer Hawkins correct. Thomas E Palma, the acknowledged head of the Cuban revolutionary party, said that about $100,000 had been expended in fitting out the steamer.

Coming This Way Now.

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The financial article in the Daily News this morning says:

"The White Star line steamer Majestic, which sails for New York from Queenstown today, will take £500,000 ($2,500,000) in gold to New York. The statement that gold is being shipped to America direct from Berlin and Paris is unconfirmed."

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