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**The Democrat.**

Durrant is to hang five weeks from today.

Mr. Bayard is losing his head, that is, his judgment is becoming very poor.

Mr. Bryan is to be on the coast in July. It is to be hoped he is induced to visit Oregon.

Marion county is in debt about $87,000. That is not surprising in a county run as loosely as Marion.

A New York Legislator has introduced a bill against bargain day advertising. He is evidently a freak.

A man named Gassonowitz who lives in Chicago is the father of 35 children. Thirty of the children are boys.

The tables have been turned. Instead of Greece taking a Turkish bath, the Turks have been having somewhat of a Grecian bath.

In its report of a funeral the Beaver County (Okl.) Signal remarked that "the corpse, tastefully arrayed in white, lay quietly in the coffin."

Some one has learned that Speaker Read has greater power than the president of the U. S. Hence he is called the czar, and in this land of the free.

Some papers unkindly continue to yell that we have had three years of free trade depression, and yet the average tariff has been over 40 per cent.

The weather bureau bulletins dealing with the great floods have been a factor in popularizing science in the Mississippi valley; they have saved both money and lives, says an exchange.

From the Lewiston Journal.

A traveling man tells the Bangor Commercial that he knows of one man in Waterville who is selling an average of $100 worth of liquor a day. That traveling man should be interviewed by the grand jury.

It is a strange fact that while paper is being used for dozens of purposes formerly monopolized by wood, even a harder material, such as car wheels, boxes, barrels, tubs, pails, etc, wood is rapidly driving other ingredients to the wall in the manufacture of nearly all the cheaper grades of paper.

From the Post:

"I want to find one N. Dingley," said a big, bushy truck driver, with a rubicund visage, as he made his way into one of the dark little rooms occupied by some of the employes on the basement floor near the center of the Capitol.

"What do you want with him?" asked one of the employes, after he had informed the truck driver that Mr. Dingley's residence address was the Hamilton.

"Oh, nothing much," answered the truckman, equivocally. "I guess he's pretty popular, isn't he?" he added, inquiringly.

Upon being assured that he was, he said, "I thought so; some feller way out in California has sent him a box of oranges, and I've got them out here in my truck."

And then the Capitol employes tried to make the man believe that was Mr. Dingley's committee room, and it would save him a lot of trouble if he would unload the oranges right there. But the truckman was not quite so young as he looked.

"I guess these oranges will go to the Hamilton," he remarked as he walked out.

**Greece and the Unspeakable Turk**

Prof. Thomas Davidson, in the May forum.

Since the first visit to Greece, twenty years ago, I have watched the life and progress of her people; and I know few things that are more encouraging. Despite all the vexations to which their guardians have subjected them, and all the obstacles they have thrown in their way, despite also their own natural shortcomings, they have shown, in both material and spiritual things, all the virtues of a progressive and civilized people. Their country, left them a desert by the Turks, has become, to a large extent, productive and beautiful. The population, now 2,600,000 has doubled in the last twenty years. In 1877, there were hardly a hundred miles of carriage roads, and only five miles of railway in the whole country. Today, there are roads everywhere, and hundreds of miles of railway. In 1377, it was hardly possible for the traveler to find a bed outside Athens; today, there are numerous hotels, with all European conveniences, in all the principal cities and towns. But the true test and proof of Greece's indomitable spirit of culture is her educational system. By that she stands or falls. I have visited Greek schools throughout the length and breadth of the land, from the infant school kept by the peasant in the open air, against a sunny hovel wall, to the Arsokeion, or girls' academy, and the noble university, with 2,200 students, which now grace and honor the city of Athens. Any one who will do the same, and listen to the records of the sacrifices made by rich and poor for the sake of education and culture, will not doubt for a moment that Greece is amply able to govern and civilize the lands now marred and wasted by Turkish misrule. The sums of money given by rich Greeks for schools, and the hardships undergone by the children of the poor in remote districts to avail themselves of of these, have no parallel anywhere, save in the United States and Scotland. Who dares assert of such a people that it is not capable of ruling its ancient patrimony—the first home of liberty—better than the barbarous Turk or the despotic Russian? There is but one just, beneficent, and effective solution of the Eastern Question, and that is the restoration of the Greek Empire to Greece, and the placing of a great civilizing Power, such as neither Turkey nor Russia can ever be, as guardian of the bridge between Europe and Asia.

Foraker has decided to accept the nomination for the presidency in 1900. This will save a great deal of fussing on the part of other candidates.

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**Popular Science.**

Some comets have more than one tail. The great comet of 1744 had six tails spread fan shape.

Jupiter is five times as far from the sun as we are, and the years on that planet are each as long as twelve of ours.

A ray of light from Sirius can reach us only after traveling for 22 years with a speed of 77,000 leagues a second.

The secretion of honey, as well as the perfume of the flower, is for the purpose of insect attraction; and flowers produce different kinds of perfumes which are peculiarly adapted to the attraction of certain kinds of insects.

The modern shark is deteriorating. In ages gone by there were ferocious sharks, such as would make a mouthful of you without blinking. Plenty of their teeth have been found which are five feet in length, whereas the biggest of the teeth belonging to sharks that exist at the present day are one and one-half inches long.

Java has thunderstorms, on an average, ninety-seven days in the year; Italy thirty-eight, Belgium twenty-one, Holland eighteen, France, Austria and South Russia sixteen, Spain and Portugal fifteen, England and the high Swiss mountains seven, Norway four, Cairo three. In east Turkestan, as well as in the extreme north, there are scarcely any thunderstorms known.

In pressing woolen fabrics, in order to give them a smooth, even appearance, both a uniform pressure and uniform heat are required. To attain this end recent experiments have been made with electric heating, which have been markedly successful. The fabrics are placed between metallic plates, through which sufficient current is passed while under hydraulic pressure to heat them slightly more than the temperature of boiling water.

The evening primrose—opening about dusk—has a very light linen-yellow color for the attraction of night-flying moths, by which, almost entirely, it is fertilized, although it remains open during the day to some extent, and may at that time receive some visits from bees, but it is peculiarly adapted to fertilization by night-flying moths. The other species of the primrose family (so called) are fertilized by bees, which, of course, are day flying.

**Curious Facts.**

There are three times as many muscles in the tail of a cat as there are in the human hand and wrist.

There are forty-eight diffent materials used in constructing a piano, which come from no fewer than sixteen countries.

In France hospitals for infectious diseases are furnished telephones, so that the sick may converse with their friends without communicating disease.

It is said the wound made by the tooth of the cobra species of serpent is a mere puncture and causes little swelling. Death ensues from paralysis of the nerve centres.

A French Canadian couple, Louis Darwin and his wife, now living in St. Paul recently celebrated the eightieth anniversary of their marriage. The husband is 107 years old and the wife is 101.

Fruit-eating bats eat fruit only, and are confined to Asia, the islands of the East Indian Archipelago being one of their principal habitats. They cover the trees in daytime in vast multitudes looking like a huge flock of crows.

It is said that the Eskimos have a queer custom in regard to doctors. At each visit the doctor is paid. If the patient recovers the doctor keeps the money; if the patient dies the money is returned to the family of the deceased.

It is believed that some of the camels imported in 1853 to run wild in Arizona are still in existence. Indians occasionally report having seen some, and lately the international boundary commission saw two with their spy glasses on the Mexican border.

Bank of England notes are made from new white linen cuttings—never from any thing that has been worn. So carefully is the paper prepared that even the number of dips into the pulp made by each workman is registered on a dial by machinery.

It is said that very stubborn cases of neuralgia may often be made to yield by applying a hot-water bag to the part, and inducing perspiration by the internal administration of not water, keeping the patient at the same time well wrapped in blankets.

The bicycle says the "Commercial Advertiser," has already worked radical reforms in society. It has done more to bring Americans out of their indoor, sedentary life than any other form of outdoor exercise. The American business and the American woman were formerly persons who took no more air and exercise than was absolutely necessary. In fact, what air and exercise they did get was inadvertent. The women went shopping and the men were sometimes obliged to walk on their way to their offices. Now the bicycle has changed all that. Men and women alike do not feel that their day is complete unless they have a spin on their wheels before breakfast or after dinner. In consequence, they are becoming more robust. The nervousness of the American race is not likely to be much in evidence so long as the use of the wheel continues. The advantages of riding this spring are greater than ever. Not only have bicycles been brought to a high state of perfection, and are offered at a comparitively low cost, but every facility for comfortably wheeling is presented in the drives and boulevards of the city. The bicycle is to be recommended to every man, woman and child who can learn to ride, but it is especially to be recommended to those who will be obliged to spend the summer in the city.

A claim for $34 against the estate of the late Joseph B. McCullagh of St Louis has been allowed to the editor's colored barber for one month's shaving and hair cutting. The barber charged the editor $1.50 a shave.

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**How to Become Rich.**

Last Sunday's New York World gives an interview with H. W. Corbett, of Portland. Two pictures are presented over the words "The Oregon politician tells young men that in a new country are found their best opportunities." We give part of the very striking interview to reflect upon this Saturday night:

Henry W. Corbett is a self-made millionaire from the far West. He is entitled to write Honorable before his name. So is many another man who answers to this same description. But Mr. Corbett is a solitaire.

While he was putting in the underpinning of his million he helped to create the State of Oregon It is too far away It is, however, a great and wonderful State, with untold riches still undiscovered.

Twice this wonderful State has got into a muddle over the election of a United States Senator, and twice the shoulders of Banker and Merchant Corbett, of Portland, have been found the only satisfactory resting place for the Senatorial mantle. Other men have gone to Washington as compromise Senators, but Mr. Corbett is the only one who has twice been fixed upon as the only solution of Senatorial complications.

His first experience came at the close of the war, when Sumner, Clay, Sam Fessenden and other famous men were numerous at the capitol. Then the Senator from Oregon was only forty, and one of the youngest members of the upper house. Now he is seventy and in appearance and manners like a picture of those times. He talks with the dignity of the old school statesman. He smiles with their graciousness, and when he speaks he insensibly assumes a real Sumner-Webster attitude. This time Mr. Corbett's right to represent Oregon is questioned, and the contest will be adjudicated as soon as the committee of the Senate is filled.

HIS FIRST $1,000.

While Mr. Corbett was being photographed for the Sunday World Thursday he opened the diary of his memory and submitted to a catechism. He told how he was seven years in saving $1,000 in New York City. On his first trip West, in 1849, he made ten times that in fourteen months, paying another $10,000 for the assistance of New York merchants to credit for $20,000. Two years ago the Senator gave a sum equal to that first year's Western winnings to have made for the Portland Art association the finest collection of casts of famous statues to be found in any museum west of Chicago.

Women count now among their ambitions that of "making their pile" Mr. Corbett tells what are the best opportunities for women as well as men. He tells how the friendship between West and East might be made stronger and how peace is of as great importance to the west as it is to the east.

Is it really possible for a poor young man to make his million in these days? I do believe so.

Then now? What would you tell such young men to do?

SEEK A NEW COUNTRY.

Go into a new country. There are always new sections in which to locate. Be industrious, self denying, frugal, saving. Save something every month. I can only tell you my own experience. I came to New York City in 1844 and worked one year for $3.50 a week in a store at Catharine street and East Broadway. I slept under the counter nights and I saved $1 every week. The next year I went into a wholesale house at $4.50 a week and kept on until I rose to $800 a year. I never went to the theatre or other places of amusement. I never have done much of that. It is wasted money. I advise young men to put aside the money they would spend in that way. When I had managed to save $1,000 I said to my employers, "I am going west, where I can do something for my own self." I had worked to earn their confidence. They knew I was saving and prudent, and they at once said, "Don't; stay with us." But I persisted. Finally I told them if they really wanted to show their confidence in me they might back me to the amount of a venture to Oregon. They did, and when I came back after fourteen months and divided $20,000 with them I had a chance to go into the firm. I staid in New York for one year and decided that the chances for making money in New York City were too uncertain to suit me, and I went back to Oregon. Whenever I have set out to do anything for myself I have always felt certain of accomplishing whatever I attempted. Self reliance and self denial will be of the highest importance to young men who want to build up a fortune.

There is no reason why a young man who goes into a new country in that way, invests his savings in well-located real estate with a view to its ultimately being available business property, keeping it free from mortgages, paying always for its holdings, using foresight in the selection, and also by engaging in such enterprises as naturally concern the growth and development of the country, should not gain a competency, to put it mildly. And women? Is that what you would say to them, too?

Yes But I know of some cases where they have made unfortunate investments. Yet men have done the same On the other hand I know of many instances where they have done better than men. I have in mind now a woman whose husband failed in business and has since been a clerk. She belongs to an old New York family. Her relatives sent her about $3,000, with which she bought a quarter of a block, 100 square feet, on which she had built a comfortable little house. They lived in it thirty years and a few weeks ago she sold it as business property for $80,000.

Will politics help a young man in a new country if he is in the money making business?

For myself, I say to young men let politics alone as far as office-seeking goes. Make a respected position by unquestionable business methods and the office will seek the man. If it does, then go with it.

Every man should give proper attention to the duties of citizens, but politics should be a side issue with a young man who is trying to make his fortune. Even in great cities this is true. I consider that the easiest and most certain way of making money is to find a new country, be honest, prudent, practise self-denial and follow legitimate business methods, letting politics for office alone.

If you had to live your life over again would you go about making a million as you did?

Yes I would. I don't think I could improve on the methods, not certainly as I saw the opportunities.

Where now is that new country in which poor young men can find their millions?

The rising generation will have to discover that for themselves.

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**MISFITS.**

Some one calls it the "single gold standstill."

There is talk of running trains on the S. P. by electricity. We predict not for several years. Perhaps sometime.

The democratic club of Portland has invited W. J. Bryan to speak in that city in July. He would be given a rousing reception.

Dr J M. Keene, of Salem, is a candidate for consul at Montevideo, Uruguy. Salary $3,000. He'll get his eye teeth pulled before he gets the place.

There is a possibility of a probability that work will be resumed on the Roseburg & Coos Bay R. R. One of the shovels has been cleaned.

In a ball game at Roseburg, Pitchford, of the Neversweats struck out sixteen opponents. Pitchford should change his name to Pitchball.

The DAILY DEMOCRAT yesterday began its 10th volume. The weekly is on its 32nd volume. These figures show the DEMOCRAT to be an established fact.

A California man a few days ago looked at a woman, that was all, and was horsewhipped. The rights of women must be respected. Down on the men who don't know their places. What right has a man to look at a woman anyway.

What has become of the attorney general? — Plaindealer The DEMOCRAT doesn't know; but it is pretty certain that his office ought to be abolished the same as that of railroad commissioner, which recently expired.

A friend was speaking to a Linn county official about an acquaintance who had the appendicitis, when the official sympathisingly said, "Well I had it myself recently and it nearly choked me to death."

Max Pracht is now being mentioned for inspector of salmon in Alaska. That comes nearer his size; but if appointed the salmon will be entitled to the sympathy of the public

The following enigmatical advertisement appears in the Jacksonville Times: "At the North Pole will be found a large assortment of the choicest summer drinks just received from Albany. Call and try them."

John Wanamaker pays a man $500 per month to look after his advertising, for which he expends $5,000 a week. It is safe to say that he don't throw away his money on bill boards and fences. News papers are good enough for John.—EX.

Senator Corbett is being noticed in the east by the great New York World. On our editorial page will be found a non-political writeup telling people how to become millionaires. We give it though we already have too many millionaires.

A man, wife and four children passed through Albany, from the north, in a wagon, drawn by two very hungry looking horses. He said he had been trying in vain to get work and was now on his way to Destitution. The ragged condition of his family indicated that he did not have far to go. There has been quite a demand for horses as well as farm hands and it looks as if he didn't try very hard.

The merchants of this city, none of whom are making a fortune, complain bitterly of the annoyance of fake advertising solicitors. Every day they are set upon by some fellow with some new paper scheme, or something else. A prominent merchant said he thought it was an imposition on the merchants and an injustice to legitimate publishers, and hereafter he didn't propose to encourage any of them.—Astoria Budget.

The new overland time card does not suit the people of Roseburg as well as the old, but the people of Josephine and Jackson like it better also the inhabitants of the towns on the north end of the system. Railroad people have not devised a plan whereby they could run their trains day and night and pass all towns in the day time. There is a fortune in store for the man who can accomplish this.—Roseburg Plaindealer.

The greatest secrecy is maintained as to the work at Fort Stevens, at the mouth of the Columbia. No one but employes are allowed near the grounds. The fortifications being built are said to be as fine from a defensive standpoint as any anywhere. The masonry is massive and the finest concrete and granite work known to modern engineering The work has been going on for six months or more, and when completed Fort Stevens will be as good a defensive point as any on the coast of the United States.

"Ninety-nine per cent of the American people are with Greece in its present struggle," said Mr. O. W. Latham, of Oregon, at the Normandie, Washington City. "I haven't heard a man express himself on the subject that is non sympathetic in his terms of denunciation for the Turk. But alas! our sympathy doesn't help the Greeks to win a battle and our moral support is impotent to aid them. But there is everlasting shame and disgrace on the European governments that permit the wrong and oppression, and sooner or later I should like to see retributive justice meted out to them."

The Statesman makes light of Dr. J. M. Keene's candidacy as consul to Uruguay In a satirical biographical sketch the paper says: "His profound knowledge of the conduct of affairs of business, his familiarity with international and commercial laws, especially such as relate to finance, eminently qualify him for the business side of the situation. But beyond and above all this are his commanding personal appearance and dignified bearing, qualities in a consul of which any country might well be proud." The Journal says he would fill the office well.

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**TELEGRAPHIC.**

**Farewell to Bayard**

LONDON, May 7.—The farewell banquet given this evening by the American society in London to Mr. Bayard, former ambassador of the United States, was attended by 270 guests. The company included Ambassador Hay, Mrs. Hay and all the members of the embassy, the lord bishop of London, Baron Russell of Killowen, the lord chief justice, Sir Francis and Lady Jeune, Sir Edwin Arnold, Sir Henry Thompson, Lady Randolph Churchill, Lady Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Vivian, and Miss Genevieve Ward, the actress. But the absence of the majority of the best known Americans residing in London was noticed.

**The Greeks Retreated**

PHARSALA, May, 7.— An engagement began early today near Velestino, and lasted several hours, the Greeks being finally beaten back. They have retreated upon Volo, sharply pursued by the Turks.

**Several P. M's Appointed**

WASHINGTON, May, 7.—Fourth-class postmasters have been appointed for Oregon as follows:

W. H. Harrison, Amity, Yamhill; W. D. Shaw, Aumsville, Marion county; C. E. Harwoe, Glenada, Lane; Carl Phelps, Gold Hill, Jackson county, Louis Rath, Highland, Clackamas county; A. B. Marion, Junction City, Lane; Lunette Johnson, Natron, Lane county.

**Better Outlook**

NEW YORK, May 7—R. G. Dun & Co's weekly review of trade will say tomorrow: Nearly all will be astonished to learn that the actual sales in April by leading houses in each line of business in cities east of the Rockies average only about 10 per cent less than in April, 1892, the year of the largest business hitherto, and were 6.2 more than in the same month last year; yet this is the summary of 657 reports, each covering actual sales of leading merchants.

**A Business Proposition**

BERLIN, May 7.—The Lokal Anzeiger says that the king of Greece has formally asked the mediation of the emperor of Russia. It asserts that the question of abdication turns on financial considerations. When King George came to the crown it was agreed that if deposed he should have an allowance of £24,000 yearly, but only one third of that amount if he should abdicate.

**America's Disgraces**

ALLEGAN, Mich., May 7.—The most brutal prizefight ever fought in Western Michigan took place this morning in a barn east of this city. Eddy Shannon, of Detroit, and L E Agnew, of Jersey City, were the pugilists. The men, dripping with blood, kept at it to the 45th round, when both fell from exhaustion. Shannon sprained his wrist in the 26th round, but continued to fight like a fiend.

**The Order Revoked**

WASHINGTON, May 6.—The senate today agreed to an amendment to the civil-service bill revoking the order of President Cleveland made on February 22 last establishing forest reservations aggregating 17,000,000 acres. The debate brought out much criticism of Mr. Cleveland' order.

The sundry civil bill was passed late in the day. It carries aggregates of $53,000,000.

**A Turkish Victory**

TURKISH HEADQUARTERS, BEFORE PHARSALA, May, 5.—7 P. M.—(Delayed in transmission.)—The Turks made a great attack upon the Greek position today. They were successful all along the line, and continued their victorious advance until nightfall. The Greeks retired in good order. The losses of the Greeks in fighting at Valestino and Pharsala yesterday were certainly 1000 killed and wounded. The Turks lost fully 600 killed and wounded.

**Two Boys.**

WALLA WALLA, Wash May, 6.—Fred Schonleber, aged 14, stabbed Carl Knudson late this afternoon, inflicting a dangerous wound. The boys were returning from school, and became involved in a quarrel. Schonleber stabbed Knudson in the right leg, between the knee and thigh, inflicting a wound about two inches in length Knudson was taken home, and tonight was reported in a serious condition.

**A Spokane Tragedy.**

SPOKANE, May 6.—The wife of Andrew Aspland, a wealthy farmer living four miles northwest of Cheney, was shot and wounded by George Webster, a farmhand, at 2:30 o.clock this morning. Mrs Aspland was taken to the Medical Lake hospital, and a telephone message tonight says that she cannot recover. Webster was brought to the county jail to escape a desperate mob that wanted to lynch him.

**The Turks Whipped.**

LONDON, May, 6.—A dispatch to the News from Valestino, dated Wednesday, says:

The Turks were repulsed after five hours' fighting, with a heavy loss. Simultaneously Edhem Pasha's main force engaged the Greek outposts at Pharsala, and the fighting lasted from 2 P M. until 7:30 P. M both armies retaining their original positions.

**Great Celebration.**

LONDON, May, 5.—The Athens correspondent of the Standard, under date of Wednesday, says:

There is great rejoicing over the receipt of the official telegram from Pharsala saying that the Turks have been repulsed and the Greeks hold their positions after a three hours' battle. The dispatch says Crown Prince Constantine and Prince Nicholos fought boldly in the front rank, risking their lives a hundred times, and that they had an ovation from the whole army when the fighting was over.

**The Treaty not Ratified.**

WASHINGTON, May, 5.—The senate today, by a vote of 43 to 26, refused to ratify the general arbitration treaty between the United States and Great Britian, negotiated by Secretary Olney and Sir Julian Pauncefote. The rules of the senate require a majority of two-thirds for the ratification of treaties. Hence, three more affirmative votes would have been required to secure a favorable result.

**The Paris Holocaust.**

PARIS, May 5.—The newspapers without exception describe the disaster at the Grand Bazaar des Charrite in the sober and simple terms befitting so appalling an event. Nothing comparable in loss of life has ever occured here, except the fire which destroyed the Opera Comique in 1887.

It is now estimated that there were about 1200 persons in the building when the fire was discovered, about one-half of whom escaped unhurt. Some estimates place the number of dead at 143, others at still a higher figure.

**Strike Spreading.**

CHICAGO, May 5.—The strike of the building trades has spread beyond Chicago, and is likely to involve important work in a number of other cities. Today the officers of the plumbers' union and of the junior steamfitters' union used the telegraph wires to stop work on jobs being run in St Louis, Syracuse, Worcester, Columbus and Indianapolis.

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**Religious Services.**

Rev. E J. Thompson, D. D. of Corvallis, will preach in the Presbyterian church morning and evening. Other services as usual.

At the Baptist church Sunday morning the subject will be "The Mission of the Holy Spirit to the World." In the evening a subject specially prepared for young people, entitled, "An Evening with the Young People."

U. P. church: Morning service 11 a. m. Sermon, "Casting Care Upon the Lord. Evening service 7:45 p. m. Sermon, "Bearing One Anothers Burdens." Sabbath school 2:30 p. m; Junior Endeavor 3:30 p. m.; Senior Endeavor 6:45 p. m. Preliminary prayer meeting C. E. prayer-meeting, Look Out and Missionary committee 6:15.

Rev. W. V. McGee will preach his second anniversary sermon, in the C. P. church of Albany, on Sunday at 11 a. m. beginning with his third years work. All the friends of the church are invited to be present. Every member is earnestly solicited to be present. Come. At 7:30 he will have an object sermon "Our Broken Plank," which will be instructive to all. Come and worship with us Sunday.

Rev. C. E. Kleiwer, will preach in the Pearce church tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Congregational church: Services tomorrow at the usual hours. In the morning the pastor's subject will be: What God Thinks of a Good Man. The evening service will be in charge of "The Men's Club" of the church. Miss Lillian Crawford will recite, Mr. W. E. Simonton will play a cornet solo. The pastor will deliver a short address. All are cordially invited to be present.

Regular services at the Evangelical church Sunday school 10 a. m.; preaching 11 a. m., subject, "The Cross." Young Peoples meeting 6:30; preaching 7:30, subject, 'Profit and Loss." In the evening revival services will be conducted. G. A. MANSHARDT, pastor.

Preaching at the M. E. Church South this evening at 8 o'clock and Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m Rev. C. U. Cross will fill the pulpit Sunday at 11 a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

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The meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday at 4 o'clock will be lead by one of the workers. Good talks and good music. Come out and help on the work. Subject, "Practical Christianity."

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