I said her teeth W Well, strange as it may see Although that girl is just as fair.
With eyes as bright and blue as them
And clustering curls of midnight. Though every charm the an my
Its pristine freshness all retains Its pristine freshness And though her temper's sweet I or And all her innocence re Yet now my heart doth never beat
When noting her unconscious grace;
And with a cold, indifferent eye,
I look upon her childlike face. Her kisses are insipid now, Her hand I never care to press; Sometimes I deign to notice her, And just bestow a slight caress. I wonder what has changed me so "Tis true, I lead a fastish life; But this is how it is, you know : It is because she is-MY WIFE. THANKLESS.

Once, when was a little boy, I sat me saw to cry, Because my little rother had "The bigges piece," of pie; Twas not but that I had quite enough, But then I couldn't see The reason why a partial nurse Should give him more than me. They said I was a naughty boy, But who has not seen men

Behave themselves as foolishly As I behaved then? Too often we are thankless for Rich blessings, while we sigh To think some luckier neighbor has " A bigger piece" of pie. PACIFIC SLOPERS.

Smallpox in Utah. Eugene is soon to have a hearse. Willamette University has 260 students.

The epizootic is raging in the southern counties. Work on the Capitol at Salem will

soon be commenced General Miller and staff returned

home last Saturday, Virginia City, Montana, is 5,227 feet above the sea level.

Susan O'Gorman has been sent to grace to our generation. the Stockton Insane Asylum.

The State Temperance Alliance meets at Salem, on the 20th inst.

· Portland is revelling in fresh lettuce and radishes from San Francisco. The Surveyor-General of California

returns the population at 657,821. Salt Lake is seven feet higher than

when the Mormons first settled there. A California man who weighs 94 has six months' baby that weighs 96 etc., etc., furnished to all applicants. pounds.

Ten words can be sent to any State, on the Western Union Telegraph line, for \$2 50.

The Multnomah Circuit Court calen dar, for the February term, contained 219 cases.

J. D. Burnett, of Douglas county, has saved 180 lambs, this season, from a flock of 72 ewes.

Vallejo, Cal., claims possesion of the embalmed body of an emperor who ruled China 3,000 years ago.

Eugene has raised but \$7000 of the \$20,000, necessary for the erection of

the State University building. Bierstadt has just finished an observatory on one of the hills of San Francisco

where he can study sunset effects. Governor Booth of California has offered \$500 reward for the arrest of Rufus Sweet, who murdered J. B

Gray, at Marysville, in 1868. The stages now leave Roseburg in

the morning, allowing passengers to rest at that place one night, after the two hundred miles of railroad ride, before starting by wagon.

The Mercury says the reason Mrs. Duniway don't talk about "Manly Women," as well as " Womanly Men," is because her native modesty will not permit her to talk about herself.

"Why should we celebrate Washington's birthday more than mine" asked teacher in one of our Sunday Schools the other day. "Because he never old a lie," shouted a bright eyed urchin.

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in their professions, and permitted

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a, and steal away the pearl of their

high position. We also observe that it

is not always men of great talent that

reach these high positions. Why is it,

that those of far less natural ability

should shel in these great works of the

world? This on account of their absti-

nence from those evils that are calculat-

ed to impair their health and weaken

and foundation of wisdom. To illus

trate this more vividly to the mind, we

will take for this purpose the students

of some institution of learning. There

is a class of perhaps twenty students,

all of good natural sense, and able to

perform their respective tasks, but some

with much more ease than others. These

pupils work their way through college,

and go out to labor for themselves. It is

in the power of these young men to fill

honorable positions in life; but from

past events but few of them would do

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let us not squander these talents en-

trusted to our keeping, and end our days

as paupers and drunkards, being a dis-

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