

OREGON SENTINEL.

JACKSONVILLE:
SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 1882.

"KNOWLEDGE IS POWER."

In view of the above well founded truth we have a few suggestions to make regarding our present school system. Accepting the axiom that "knowledge is power" we hold it to be the highest duty of the State to give its children an educational outfit for the battle of life; that they may better cope with its trials and uncertainties and the easier reach its higher planes. We do not believe the State is under any obligation to provide for scientific courses or classical finish but we do say that it should make ample provision for an English education for every child; so that it may start in life not only with a foundation but a desire for future knowledge. Hitherto the Legislature has been exceedingly parsimonious in providing for the support of schools and have been more ready to squander the school fund than to increase it and the consequence is that our facilities for public education are far behind the most of other states. It is not necessary to debate the question of taxing the rich for the education of the children of the poor, but we take the broad ground; that such taxation is justified by economic public policy and that every advantage given in the struggle for life diminishes the tendency to crime and relieves the property holder from other burdens. Our present State tax for school purposes is insufficient and, in selecting men for the Legislature, the people would act sensibly if they made a reasonable increase for the school fund a prominent and paramount issue. Throughout the whole State there are many school districts where the "public money" is not enough to insure a three month's school and where the "rate bill" is really a burden to poor people, and experience shows that a three month's school is little better than nothing. The school tax should be, at least, five mills, and if people will look at the question right they will find it of vastly greater importance than that A, or B, or C should be Senator and, if they see it as they should, only intelligent advocates for the extension of education will be nominated and elected to the Legislature.

Attempt to Assassinate Queen Victoria.

London, March 2.—There was a large crowd of spectators awaiting the Queen's arrival at Windsor this evening. She had been in London since Tuesday, where she gave a drawing-room reception Wednesday in honor of the Princess Helena of Waldeck Pyrmont, who is to marry Prince Leopold. A crowd assembled at Buckingham Palace this morning in hopes of seeing the Queen drive out. The demeanor of the people was then as cordial as usual. Her Majesty arrived at Windsor station about 5:05 o'clock P. M. She walked across the platform of the railway station to a carriage which was waiting to take her to the castle. John Brown had already ascended to the seat behind the carriage when a man standing at the entrance to the station yard, among the spectators, pointed his pistol at the carriage and fired. To judge from the report the pistol was not heavily loaded. The Queen, who was probably not aware of what had happened, was immediately driven to the castle, but before she passed the man had been seized by the Superintendent of the borough police, who was standing near by. He was also violently seized by the crowd, and only rescued when three or four policemen came to the Superintendent's assistance. The pistol was captured by one of the crowd. He was taken into High street, and thence conveyed to the police station in a cab, followed by a large crowd of people. The would-be assassin gave the name of Roderick McLean. He is a miserable looking object. The affair caused excitement, and there was a great demand for extra editions of the newspapers containing accounts of the shooting.

Declined the Honor.

Mr. Conkling has effectually quelled the fears of those who thought him unfit for the Supreme bench. The gentleman considers it unfit for him and declines it, after appointment and confirmation by the senate. It is now said that Secretary Folger is to vacate the Treasury in order to make a place that the supercilious rostrils will not be turned up at. Mr. Arthur might, perhaps, reconcile this peculiarly airy American by asking him to take the presidential chair—perhaps not.

Hon. J. F. Watson received his commission as United States District Attorney for Oregon, on Wednesday evening and left Friday for Portland to enter upon the discharge of his duties.

FREE TRADE THEORIES.

The Portland Standard has abandoned its "anti-monopoly" doctrine and is now hammering away at the tariff. In speaking of the "tariff commission bill" that paper remarks:

"The open discussion of the question would soon inform the average Congressman that the people are laboring under a burden which they cannot bear much longer, and the first year we find our markets abroad closed against us, will result in the ruin of the producer as well as the manufacturer. The people will have no money to buy the protected goods, and hence there will be no market for them."

The very contingency above hinted at is the most potent argument in favor of building up home manufacturing interests. The possible failure of a market abroad should show the necessity for a market at home and the danger might, indeed, be very imminent if Americans were all agriculturists and wholly dependent on the necessity or caprice of foreign buyers. In a late speech of Mr. O'Connor, member of parliament, that gentleman said; that the poverty of Ireland was mainly due to the fact that her people were nearly all agriculturists and at the mercy of foreign buyers. To say: "that the people will have no money to buy the protected goods; and hence there will be no market for them" is to lose sight of a well established principle of "political economy"—money is not a value but its representative. The manufacturer has to eat and must have the products of the soil. If he has money he can buy them if not he can exchange his goods for them—so where is the difference? We admit cheerfully that people without money are in a sorry plight but, we ask the free trade theorists, if foreign markets were "closed against our products" are foreign manufacturers going to throw their goods into our laps for nothing just because we have not money to buy with? Free trade is very plausible in theory but it is notable that the most prosperous nations are those who do their own business and mind their own business, extending their business philanthropy only to their own people, encouraging varied production at home and placing, by protective duties, their citizens, as far as possible, beyond dependence on the uncertainties of foreign markets. In theory, free trade seems excellent, but in practice it falls far short of its proposed results. What school boy does not know that "scientific principles" raise water thirty three feet with a common pump! And what school boy don't afterwards learn that science can do no such thing! We do not doubt that the tariff needs revision. There should be no greatly unequal discrimination but there should be equitable and just protection to every American industry as would place it beyond the reach of foreign competition; for we are a world within ourselves and need care little whether the rest sinks or swims. Protection is an American idea and it will win.

The Railroad Land Grant.

The Oregon State Journal says: "The commissioner of the general land office has made a decision restoring the railroad land grant of the O. & C. line to the public domain, between Redding and Roseburg, by failure of the companies to build the roads within the time specified."

The land grant of the Oregon and California, from Roseburg south to the State line, has never been withdrawn and has always been subject to the operation of the homestead and pre-emption laws. On the contrary, the grant of the California and Oregon company, from Redding, north, to a point within nine miles of the State line, has been withdrawn for many years and applications for settlement on odd sections have been refused by the Shasta land office since the withdrawal. That portion of the grant lying in California will, therefore, be the only portion affected and the portion lying in Oregon will stand just as it always has and, without the road, not be worth a "hill of beans" to any one.

City Election.

The election for town officers last Tuesday passed off quietly resulting in a victory for the old Board and the election of Charles Schultz as Marshal. The following is the vote each candidate received.

TRUSTEES.	
J. S. Howard	122
T. G. Reames	110
K. Kubli	106
P. N. Ficke	98
E. D. Foudray	93
M. Menson	85
Henry Judge	81
Fred. Grob	79
D. Cronmiller	72
Chris. Ulrich	36
Scattering	19
RECORDER.	
J. Nunan	138
Scattering	44
TREASURER.	
H. Pape	180
MARSHAL.	
Chas. Schultz	100
Geo. S. Howard	80

The Portland Tragedy.

We briefly noted last week, the killing of a Portland saloon keeper, Henry Prang, by Annie Murray, a notorious woman of that city, and her attempted suicide after shooting her victim. It appears that Prang was her lover but, finding another woman of similar character, whom he liked better, his discarded mistress, maddened by jealousy, procured a pistol, followed him to his room and shot him dead. It is said that the parents of the murderer reside near, or at, Albany in this state, and are most worthy and respectable people. People have no tears to shed over the recital of events of this character—no sorrow to waste for the loss of a man who chose to herd with abandoned women and had not even the manliness to be true to them. It is the old story too often told and the natural ending of a self gratifying and dissolute life. It adds force though to the old maxim and people who will play with fire, whether they be male or female, are entitled to no pity if they get burned.

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Cupping, Leeching,
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BORN.

HUGGINS—On Jackson creek, March 4, 1882, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huggins, a son.

GOODWIN—On Williams creek March 1, 1882, to Mr. and Mrs. Julius Goodwin, a daughter.

NYSWANNER—At Phoenix, March 8, 1882, to Mr. and Mrs. Nyswanner, a son.

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