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East **Chedman**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1902.

LIGHT, MORE LIGHT.

Had the coal barons known what a depth of villainy on their part, the anthracite investigation would reveal, they would have undoubtedly agreed to some terms with the miners.

Nobody except the suffering miners and guilty operators knew what the exact conditions in those infernal regions of the earth were. Nobody except maimed and crippled men and children, whose bodies have been mutilated, is capable of telling the whole truth of that loathsome pit. The newspaper correspondents who told the truth were branded as liars. The labor leaders who appealed to the public for relief were branded as anarchists.

But the broken stories of these blind men and widowed women are stirring the nation's indignation to its farthest depths. How those brazen men who claim to be "captains of industry" can face the public is a wonder.

How they can stand before that tribunal of amazed and wondering commissioners, listening hour after hour to recitals that "harrow up their blood," is a study in human nature. Their absolute disregard for the commonest claims of humanity is revolting. Children that are driven to work at a tender age, are made to pay the debts forced upon their dead fathers by unjust prices for the necessities of life. Age, sickness, tender infancy—nothing turns aside the consuming greed of their degenerate nature.

Revolting as it is, the testimony in this strike settlement is the best bit of literature that has been furnished the public for years. It will open the eyes of the people and they may take lessons from it that will benefit them in the future.

WELCOME.

The people of Pilot Rock are to be congratulated upon the progress and growth which justifies the establishment of a newspaper. It is an announcement which will be greeted with pleasure by Umatilla county. It is a certain evidence of increasing business strength. There is a rich section tributary to our neighbor city which deserves every recognition. The Pilot Rock Record, published by McManis and Brown Bros., is now before the public. The East Oregonian welcomes it warmly, and places it upon the growing galaxy of Umatilla county institutions, worthy of support and representative of a most progressive people and district.

WHAT IS YOUR STANDARD?

An exchange contains the following wholesale arrangement of public tastes in journalism: "The average man is an idiot, therefore the newspaper must be idiotic. The people would rather read evil than virtue. They prefer sensation and depravity. They would resent serious discussion. If this is the standard of the masses if this is the mission of the news-

paper, the quicker press censorship comes, the better.

But do the people accept this as the true portrayal of their moral tastes. Do they wish to let this idea of depraved journalism gain credence among the children of the land.

If so, give vicious principles the reins. If not, bar them from the light of publicity. The slow poison will taint the blood of social and moral health, if it is allowed to spread.

THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

The tax-payers of Pendleton have a plain, business-like, thorough statement of the sewer question before them. The sewer committee of the council is to be commended upon its painstaking efforts to put the entire situation before the public. There are many doubts as to the efficiency of a \$20,000 sewer system. It cannot be made to cover the entire city within that amount. The need for sewers is so great and the task of building them of such vital importance to the city that many of the most practical and far-seeing business men of Pendleton doubt the wisdom of building an incomplete system at this time. If sewers are not to be extended to the entire residence and business districts, the menace to health will not be removed. If sewerage is not to cleanse the entire city this \$20,000 will not be expended in the interest of the whole people. Sewerage should be complete, if it requires \$100,000 to make it so.

A WORD FOR THE POOR.

In a column article, The Dalles Chronicle discusses the subject of poverty, charity and idleness in Wasco county. With some bitterness of feeling it endows a certain class of poor people, which always hangs upon the edge of civilized society. Its tone is somewhat harsh, but its findings, though unpleasant, are too true to be questioned.

"There are in The Dalles large families," says the Chronicle, "who yearly make their appeal to the county or others, whether times are prosperous or otherwise. To them it makes no difference. The public gives them a living, whether they have attempted to earn it or not. These families are grown sons and daughters lying idle in unkept shanties. The harvest season comes and a gone, and while the cry has gone up from all sides for harvest hands, the boys have set in the shade of some tree and whittled; the farmers' wives have begged for help at the time and the city housekeepers have placed advertisement after advertisement in the papers endeavoring to secure assistance in the kitchen, but still the husky daughters of these unfortunate poor lounge about."

Every community feels like expressing this very sentiment at times. Isolated cases of wanton idleness turn the minds of people against the deserving poor in many instances. We see their faults and know their shortcomings, and the temptation to apply the lash to all who appeal to us for charity is very strong, but such general condemnation would be extremely unjust. In utter helplessness the Chronicle throws up its hands and says: "But what is to be done in the matter? In a Christian community none will be left in want; and yet we are not in many instances simply fostering idleness by helping such? Is it uncharitable to refuse aid in such

cases? While such questions are propounded each year, they remain unanswered, for our people would rather foster a whole army of underserving idlers than that 'one of the least' of the deserving ones should remain in want."

What is to be done? What is the answer? How will the subject be met? That is easy.

Did the county court of Wasco county never hear of Plingree and his potato patch? Did it never occur to the people of the West that nine cases of poverty in ten is an uninvited condition, and that with few exceptions poor people are hard working people? Such being the case, why is it not profitable, charitable and just to provide public work for those who are compelled to work or beg?

Wasco county and Umatilla county—if need be, every county in Oregon, could not but buy land enough to support the objects of charity with growing crops, manufacturing plants or some industry that would bring in a profit to the county.

It is the only solution of poverty that lies within reach of moderate plans. It is worthy of consideration.

If Boston should hear of a wood riot on the Pacific coast she would thank providence that the continent lay between her and the heathen. Yet we listen to reports of coal riots in Boston without a shudder. Her manners are so mild, however, that a "scrap" there would not be as exciting as a funeral here.

It is impossible for the bully to keep his hands off the small boy. Germany was not justified in sinking the Venezuelan fleet. But it may be better for the future of South America that the fleet was sunk by Germany. It will save some rebel commander the task.

HOMES OF DISCORD.

"What," I am asked, "do you think of a mother who permits her own old daughter to entertain a regular caller without lights in the drawing room, and who, by example, teaches her to be disrespectful toward her father and to disregard his opinion?"

I think such a woman unfit for the position and responsibility of motherhood. But then, only one mother in 100 is fitted for such a responsibility. The silly hen, running about the yard screaming in shrill tones, while a kind hand endeavors to direct her little brood cooped away from neighbors, is where food and shelter are desired, is as wise as the mother described by my correspondent—and the scores who resemble her. And the conciliated and self-righteous who call the barnyard fowls to witness his enjoyment of a worm he has unearthed is typical of the paternal side of many a family.

Indeed, the animal and bird kingdoms far more frequently illustrate wise, sensible and kind parentage than does the human race.

The parents who demand that their children all association with young men and the parents who allow them to associate with the one described above, are equally to be censured.

One type indicates a selfish forgetfulness of the natural rights and needs of the young; the other seems surprisingly ignorant of the way of the world.

The wife who influences her children to feel and show disrespect for the father is, to my thinking, an immoral factor in the world's social life.

To rear children in a home of discord, I have insisted, is far worse than to shadow them with a divorce scandal.

Nothing can ever compensate a child for the horror of a quarrelsome home.

It leaves a scar upon the heart that time cannot efface. Better be an orphan—or a divorcee child orphan—by far, than come up in such an environment.

When a child is one year old a father and mother of right ideas and a sense of their tremendous responsibility should begin to guard their conversation in its presence.

Even at that age children are keenly sensitive to voice and facial expressions and their nervous systems are often injured by aggressive or quarrelsome attitudes between their parents.

The unhappiness which domestic scenes and words of anger and disagreement have caused little creatures of 2 and 4 years is indescribable, and would seem incredible to one who had not experienced or deserved it.

Not only are children rendered unhappy by such experiences, but the seed is sown in their minds which will bear bitter domestic fruit for them in later life, unless some great and wise influence is brought to counteract the early education.

The bickering and quarrelling father and mother are instructing their children how to be unhappy when married.

It is an awful sin, yet it is being done daily in so-called Christian homes, and little is said or written against it.

Unless children are reared in an atmosphere of love, they are badly reared, no matter what material benefits are bestowed upon them.

Unless the home is the abode of love and peace, it is worse than an orphan asylum.

face and brightens the twinkle in his eye. When he runs for the presidency, if he ever does, it will be on a platform, not of free trade as they have in England, but of free trade such as only Cobden himself ever had thought of. He will be for tariff abolition and the raising of the national revenue by a tax on the value of land in respect of improvements.

The plutocrats have killed "Bryanism," but if Tom L. Johnson lives they will meet an opponent who will make them think regretfully of Bryan almost as one of their friends. And all the discontent growing out of the \$20-coal and \$100-beef out of low wages and trust-cornered goods, and, above all, out of the hard times which the plutocrats are preparing for the poor by the piling up millions for themselves, will explode itself through Johnson's demand for equal and exact justice for all and special privileges for none.—Louis Rosts Public.

GENERAL NEWS.

Spain has offered to purchase two new warships and one cruiser from Chile.

England has ordered more first-class warships for sea in view of complications in Venezuela.

The heaviest snow storm of the season occurred Saturday in Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and the Dakotas.

The sheriff of Teller county, Colorado, made a bonfire of \$5000 worth of confiscated gambling tools Friday night.

This ice on the rails of New York's new "third rail" street car system has blocked traffic in that city very much of late.

President Roosevelt Friday was presented with a card of honorary membership in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen.

A Rock Island train ran into a broken rail near Terrill, Texas, Friday, and was badly wrecked. The engineer and fireman were killed.

Secretary Hay has explained to Dr. Harlan, the minister from Colombia, that immediate action must be taken concerning the Panama Canal.

A private bank at Hillsboro, New Mexico, was held up in broad daylight, Wednesday. The robbers took \$30,000 and fled to the mountains.

An automobile train service is to be inaugurated in France. Each car will carry 40 passengers and will maintain a speed of 62 miles an hour.

Constables and labor leaders Thursday raided a counterfeiting plant at Chicago, arrested Meits, the proprietor, captured 10 plates and 100,000 counterfeit union cigar labels.

Men and women fought for coal in a coal yard at Boston, Thursday. Police were overpowered in the mad scramble and reinforcements had to be called out to keep the coal from being stolen.

Secretary Hitchcock has ordered the suspension of action in the general land office on timber land entries in Oregon, Washington and California. He has also ordered an investigation of timber entries in Oregon.

Poor cooking and untidy house-keeping was the underlying cause of the severing of marital bonds of 400 couples in Chicago last year, according to Ernest P. Byrnes, general superintendent of the Chicago bureau of charities.

Questions as to how it will be possible to enforce the payment of Great Britain's demands upon Venezuela without costly military operations and whether it would achieve desired results, are being asked in England.

An official expose of the specific methods used by mill operators in getting possession of belts of Oregon timber for mill purposes, has just been received by the registers and receivers of land offices in Oregon and Washington.

The entire body of 1902 students of the University of Kansas, under the direction of the faculty, began an organized search Thursday for the wife of Professor Barber, who disappeared from her home very suddenly Thursday morning.

The English language is to be systematically taught in Mexican schools, English being deemed as necessary as Spanish for commercial life. More Mexican children than ever before are being sent to the United States for education.

The secretary of the Interior has sent to the house the draft of a bill to permit him to sell timber and other natural products from the forest reserve for providing the granting of permits for the location of hotels, mills, etc., on these reserves.

The aggregate capitalization of the industries in Pittsburgh is more than \$2,500,000,000. The production of steel in Pittsburgh in 1901 equaled half that of Germany, twice that of France, five times that of Russia or Belgium, and 25 times that of Spain.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Raspberries which ripened in December are on exhibition in Fairview, Or.

Captain James Blakely, of Brownville, Or., celebrated his 90th birthday Thursday.

Mrs. Anne Moxley, of Monmouth, a pioneer of 1853, died Thursday, after a brief illness.

Mrs. H. H. Stone, a pioneer of Tillamook county, died at Ashland Friday of heart failure.

A. R. Norwood, of Corvallis, has been fined \$50 for shipping unlabeled game out of the state.

Mrs. J. M. Farley, postmistress at Lexington, Wash., was found dead in her bed, Thursday morning.

The labor unions of Ashland have named a city ticket, which has been endorsed by the "citizens' convention."

Frank Petrosio and Clarence Blanchard beat up a man named May, at Independence, Thursday, and were fined \$15 each for the same.

The body of an unknown man, badly decomposed, washed ashore on the bank of the Columbia, near Kalama, Thursday.

San Francisco physicians now say that the reported cases of bubonic plague in that city have proved to be nothing but chicken cholera, a harmless disease.

A restaurant man of Whatcom, swore out a warrant for the arrest of J. J. Jeffries Thursday, because the champion would not pay in full for a meal he ordered.

Mrs. Mary Parham, one of the old pioneers of Southern Oregon, died at Ashland on Sunday, at the age of 91. She had resided continuously in that city for 30 years.

Private Ernest Thompson, of Fort Stevens, has been found guilty of arson by the court-martial and sentenced to 20 years in prison. He will be placed in the Leavenworth, Kan., penitentiary.

Godfred Amatz, of Portland, shot himself twice in the head, Thursday, death resulting almost instantly. He had been drinking heavily and was in a fit of melancholy at the time.

Three men were arrested Sunday evening at Ashland on suspicion of being the highwaymen who held up the Grant's Pass-Williams stage on Saturday. The men are Frank Miller, of Spokane, George Moody and William Kirkman.

The body of a miner named Ryan, of Butte, Mont., was found Sunday in an outbuilding of Salt Lake City. It is thought he is a victim of "knock out" drops, administered in a drink of liquor at a saloon near by, as \$50 he is known to have had, is missing.

Ingram, the guard of the Oregon penitentiary, who was shot by convict Merrill last summer, is circulating a petition to present to the legislature, asking for a small donation to assist him in starting a small business. The petition is being generally signed.

H. A. Anderson, who was recently arrested on a charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed in the giving of testimony last summer while several homestead contents came before being heard, has been given an examination before the United States commissioner and discharged and the complaint dismissed.



The healthy woman need not fear the change which comes as the beginning of life's autumn. It is the woman who is worn out, run down and a sufferer from a womanly disease who naturally dreads the change of life. This is the critical period of woman's life, and the prevalence of womanly disease makes it the duty of every woman who would avoid unnecessary suffering to take special care of herself at this time.

The pills which vex so many women at the change of life are entirely avoided or cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes weak women strong, and enables the weakest to pass through this trying change with the tranquility of perfect health.

"I have been a very healthy woman, and this time has been very hard with me," writes Mrs. Maggie Morris of Munson Station, Clearfield Co., Pa. "I can come to the time of change of life and I have been sick a great deal of late. When Mrs. Henna moved beside me I was sick in bed, and when she came to see me and we were talking over our sickness, Mrs. Henna told me to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery' also. I got her to bring me a bottle of each from the drug store and I used them. They did me a great deal of good, and I got two more bottles of 'Favorite Prescription.' I never saw such a wonderful cure. Before I commenced my remedies I was good for nothing, but now I am able to do all my work myself and feel well."

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