

INTERESTING LETTER FROM THE FRONT

Our Special War Correspondant Writes Entertainingly from American Lake.

CAMP STELLACOOM, Wash., July 12, 1904. Dear Editor: I will write you a short account of our arrival in camp, our location and our movements since we have been here.

W. C. T. U. DEPARTMENT

Giving In Full the Platform Adopted by the National Prohibition Convention.

(BY W. C. T. U. OFFICERS.)

Following is the platform adopted by the Prohibition party in its late National Convention: After arduous work and mutual concessions in the committee the platform was agreed upon and adopted unanimously and with unbounded enthusiasm by the convention.

MURDER AT GRANTS PASS

Mrs. Florence Chapin Killed by an Unknown Assassin.

SHE WAS A BAWDY HOUSE KEEPER

A Desperate Struggle Between the Woman and Her Slayer--Police Have a Clue to the Murderer.

GRANTS PASS, Or., July 15.—There was brought to light yesterday a murder, that of Florence Wells, formerly known as Florence Chapin, which was apparently accomplished the day before, after a desperate struggle with exceptional brutality.

OREGON DEVELOPMENT LEAGUE

A Great Mass Convention Will Convene at Portland Aug. 2 and 3. Half Fare Rates.

A convention for the purpose of organizing an Oregon Development League will be called to order promptly at 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, August 2, for two days' session, at the Marquam Grand Theatre, Portland, Oregon, under the auspices of the Portland Commercial Club, which will have for its purpose the development and upbuilding of the state of Oregon.

WM. J. BRYAN HAS HIS KNIFE OUT

Criticises Parker and the Democratic Platform--Will Reorganize the Party.

In a late duly authorized statement, Mr. Bryan said: "Democratic victory will mean very little, if any progress on economic questions so long as the party is under control of the Wall Street element."

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BOYS HOLD UP REFORM SCHOOL ESCAPES

ALBANY, July 15.—Two Oregon Reform School boys who escaped from that institution on Wednesday afternoon were captured at Jefferson, a few miles north of this city, yesterday by two small boys, who were in the woods at play.

Reports Only 2,000 Killed. Death of C. L. Parker.

London, July 15.—A Mukden dispatch this afternoon reports that the Japanese losses during the fighting on the right flank defenses at Port Arthur, July 3 to 6, inclusive, aggregated 2,000, while that of the Russians was insignificant.

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New Arrivals. Every day brings something new in Spring Goods, VIOLE the latest thing in dress goods for suits Skirts and Waists.

WOLLENBERG BROS., Phone 801. Also the "Cotton Crepe" we are the only ones in the city who have imported this goods direct from Japan. It comes in all colors and will sell for 20cts per yard.