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WRECKS OF JOURNALISM.

WHEN MEN venture as publishers on the sea of journalism they venture where waters are deep, where storms menace, and where rocks abound.

Two notable publication enterprises, each of which started out with plenty of money and enthusiasm, but which came to a disastrous end, well illustrate the trials of the publishing business.

Human Life was started some five or six years ago. It employed a capable staff, it had capable men in the business departments, and it had money behind it.

The Inland Herald was founded only a little more than a year ago by a successful newspaper man.

It had originally a capital of \$30,000, which was increased by the sale of bonds from time to time to the amount of \$250,000 more.

Very evidently something more than money is needed to make a publication a success, and something more than a fancied opening for it.

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MOORE'S POISON OAK REMEDY 30 YEARS THE STANDARD

THE AMERICAN CONFLICT

SOME EXCERPTS FROM A PAPER READ BEFORE THE NORTH BEND HIGH SCHOOL.

THE following is an excerpt from a paper prepared by Lee Webster, postmaster at Empire and formerly a member of Co. B 13th Mass. Vol. Infantry, and read before the pupils of the North Bend High School on March 28.

"How many are there among these youth who know the full significance of The American Conflict. The scenes, incidents, and occurrences in our Legislative Halls, both governmental and commonwealth, at the cross-roads store, in high places, and in those of low degree, beginning as early as the year 1829, and culminating in 1865, virtually at Appomattox, Virginia, where after more than four years of fratricidal strife with a loss of the nation's best blood of more than 600,000 and 400,000 crippled for life, the white dove of peace settled down over a reunited people.

Horace Greeley, whom I have presumed to quote, died in 1872, mourned by the nation he so much loved, congress passed resolutions of respect for his "eminent services and personal purity and worth."

It is known to most all of us that the survivors of this great conflict, generally called "The War", have their annual gatherings either as, for most part, the grand army of the Republic representing the "blue," or the United Confederate Veterans representing the "gray," and it has been most truly said that these most popular gatherings are pathetic in the knowledge that each succeeding year shows diminishing, rather than increased numbers, both of these organizations meet as dying bodies, this circumstance strengthening the bonds which draw the veterans to their encampments and reunions.

The dawn of peace has brightened 'till it glows in perfect day. The bonds of love have tightened 'till the Nation owns its way From sea to sea, across the land the flag of freedom fling.

From North and South united let the song of triumph ring: 'My country 'tis of thee, sweet land of liberty, of thee I sing, Land where my father died, land of the Pilgrim's pride, From every mountain side let freedom ring."

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As result of effort of a properly delegated officer of the government there was gathered up from the Gettysburg battlefield: "37,574 muskets, 24,000 of them loaded, many of them with two and more charges, one Springfield musket with 23 loads in it, one rebel smoothbore loaded with 22 balls and 62 buck shot, imagine result had it been discharged."

The horrors of war have not been depicted in this effort, rather has the writer tried to be entertaining than blood curdling, and yet when it is shown that the unpleasantness of 1861 to 1865 witnessed 2,800 or more engagements at arms, some of them most sanguinary, the half has not been told.

As incidental to the cessation of hostilities, it has always been a source of regret to me that I was not permitted, by reason of previous muster out of the U. S. service, to be one of that grand body who participated in the grand parade of federal armies in Washington, May 23d, 1865, yet would it have been greater pleasure could I have been among those of the Union soldiers who as they marched back from Appomattox, were joined by groups of confederate soldiers journeying toward their homes, with whom the Federal soldiers chatted freely, sharing with their southern brothers the contents of their haversacks, and drinking from the same canteen.

Truly the question of state sovereignty, and domestic slavery is now, and forever settled, but at what a sacrifice, and it seems fitting to say with the author of a poem dedicated to the soldiers of the Union, as admonition to them on the annual memorial day:

"As you bring your garlands for the nation's dead today; Strew alike the fragrant blossoms, o'er the grave of Blue and Gray' Never foe more brave was vanquished by brave conqueror before, They were brothers ere the conflict, they are brothers now once more,

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