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is causing it oto
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ble demand.
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of the Union rhey do not live in fear
of being carried to untimely graves in of being carried to untimely grares in
hundreds by the summer feeres tha previl in the Southern States, nor of
beeing overuhemed by earthuakes
that risit Calitornia every two or three years, nor yet by its floods every fifth years, nor yet by its doods every inth
or tenth yasr, no dried up bits
droughts every third or fourth year. droughts every third or fourth year.
The sunmer dibeases sodestructive ot haman life among obilidren in the At $A$ then
lantio States are allost in Oregon.
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Sit Oregon.
In suthern and Eastern Oregob,
embracing treltre counties of thas State,
 The inhabitants of Northern an
Western Oregon, ineluding twelv
counties of the State, and embracin counties of the State, and embracing
the great valley of the Willamette and
its "forks," enjoy seven months of agring, snmmer and autamn weather
that are that are equal to either Southern or
Eastern Oregon for bright and cheer-
ful weather bod a bracing and heal fasternt Oregon for bright and cheer-
fflether adi a bracing and heatlly
atmosphere. The five winter months, from November to March, bring a
bountiful rain, that produces, in due bountiful rain, that produces, in due
season, unfailing crops. These rains
retard, but scarcely prevent labor out. retard, but scarcely prevent labor ont-
side or inside, in any department ; and
of the 150 days of winter, at least a of the 150 days of winter, at least
third of them are dry and bright. third of them are dry and bright.
Oregon, the Queen State of th
Northwest, holds in her right Northwest, holds in her right hand
long ilfe and unanasal health, and in
her left great wealth and power, and invites the industrioss from all, parts
of the world to come and partake of

## them. The S

The State is protected on the west by
the Coast Rase from the strong gales
of the Pacifis ocean, and on the east


winds from the southwest in wiuter,
and the warm curreuts of the Pacitic
ocean, are safficient to keep the winter
months mild, coumfortable and healthy
ocean, are sulficient to keep the winter
months mild, comfortable and healthy;
the one protects from etreme heat,
and the cther from extreme cold. And
in the maguificent snow peaks of Mount
Hood, Iount JJfferson, nad their com-
panions, stand, as faitbful sentivels,
panions, stand, as faitbful sentinels, o
the Cuscade Lange, ready, as soon a the snn goes down, to cool the air, and
secure delightful sleep to the sous and
daughters of labor The Coast, Cascade and other moun-
tain rages, the ocean breezes, the
ocean currents, and the mourtain sao ocean currents, and the mouctain sao
peaks, are worth all the doctors in th
United States to the people of for lengthening life and seenring
healt. They are so many physicians
healt.
The that are in constant attendance to guard
and protect the health of the people. Careful observation and minute in
vestigation by competent persons, pri-
vate and official, estallish besond restigation by competent persons, pri
vate and official, establish beyond suc
cessful contradietion that Oregon
distinguished for the largest number of children to a family and the fewest
namber of deaths to the population of number of deaths to the population of
any State io the Union. There is more
fever and ague in Sacramento Valley, California, in one year than there is in
the whole of Oregon. In New Eng. land the deaths from fever are one in
every 233 of the popnaliton; ia the
Creat West the deatha from this Areat one in 159, and in the the Southwest,
are
snch as in St. Lonis, they are one in
113 while it 113, while in Oregon the deaths from
fever only average one in avery 529 of
the entire population. The mildness the entire population. The mildness
of the winttr montsh of Oregon will be
geen when it is known that the mean
temperature of New temperature of New lork City in win-
ter is 81 deg.;. Albany, N. Y. 25.83
deg.; while at Astoria, the mouth of
the Columbia, it is 4243 deg., and at the Columbia, it is 4243 deg., and at
Corvalis, the centre of the Willamette
Valley, it is 39.27 deg Calley, it is 39.27 deg. It is the even
ness of the temperature duriug the
whole year that constitutes one of the mapy charms of Oregon, and goes so
far to make it the healthiest State in The Uniou.
The Lower Columbis river, to the
nouth of the Willamette river, Willamette river itself, have not been frozen with ice thicker than ordinary
glass since 1862, and sometimes not Iroten for years in strceession.-Hugh
small in hie Oregon Panshlect. New Yorta city has over 8,000 liquor
sellere.

That portion of Oregon Iying east of he Cascade range now contains 25,000 iohabitants. The corresponding se tion of Washington territory has a pop-
alation exceeding 12,000. In both the alation exceeding 12,000. In both the
aceesions by immigration are large.
Industry is developing in a ratio corresponding with the incresse of inhabtants. This year the value of exported
products, exclusive of the precio prodacts, exclusive of the precious
metals, will reach nearly two millions
of dollars. How rapidy the country is developing may be judged by any
person who witzesses the steady shipments of wheas from theat direction.
From Walla Walla valley alone wa ere now receiving hare fro. atwelve to fif
teen hundred tons a week. Owing to
low water the low water the grain in the Snake river
country cannot now be reached. It vill tay the transportation of the rive
or several months to bring out the whole wheat crop. From the rate at
which the country is settling, it may wheat product will be more than
whiled. This year tha snrplus donbled. This year the surplus wil
probably be forty thousand tons. I will be one buodred thousand ere long
Besides the commerce of Eistern Besides the commerce of Enstern Or
egon and Washington, a considerable part of that of IJabo territory find through the Columbia river. Thongh
wheat is tie largest single item in the roductive industry of that section, i lange and growing resounces. Great
increase is noted in the production of wool, and the general improvemeot in
quality is bringing it into favor. The woll interest in our eastern covitry
will become in few years immenese. An.
other of its great resonrces is in beef cattle. Fur a large beef market thare
muut be lurger centers of popclation
than our conntry yet contains; bat as on cities and towns grow, thisis market
oill stadily improve. Sarplas cattle meauwhile are being disposed of in va-
rions ways. Cunntd and barreled beef al ways marketabie. Great number of beef catle bave bsen purcluased for
the east, and if the project of trans-
porting slaughtered beef from the Pacific coast in refrigerating cars shall
prove successful, ous vast area of grazing country will produce still greater
tores of wealth.-Oreymian

## Under date of August 25th, a valned

 writes us as follows:The Tindses is a welcome visito among ns, and fast gaining popularity.
I will take great pleasure in devoting any of my epare time in its interest,
and when time will permit will give

## eonntry. Our town is improving. No

No iale men here.
Farmers busy in the harvest field. Good opening for tin and saddla Wheat and barley selling at $1 \frac{1}{2}$ cents
When per poun.
Hon. J tarted for Aslanand on the 23th inst.
Hon. D. W. Cheesman returned fr Hon. D. W. Cheesman returned from
Washington City on the 20th inst, and Cuas been quite ill since.
Our county board are informed that swamp lands are not taxable. Will not
some one who knows inform us wheth er or not the 20 per centam paid there
on is exempt from taxation. It is matter of some interest to Lake county The Yambill licporter of last weel in transit over the highways of this
section at present. Over one hundred
teams per day have passed through this teams per day have passed through this
place dring the eveek, and this is only one channel of travel in a dozen. Wh
have had no opportunity to learn from
the warehouses any figures touching the anount already placed in store, but
it would seem thut unless some lively
shipping be done soon, the warehouses shipping be done soon, the warehouse
will be orefflowing. Te price of whea has varied a cent or two during the
week, but we huve the same quotatio as that of our last issue, namely: $\$ 100$
per bushel. Transactions are ligh per bushel. Transactions are light
however, and none will be sold, prob
ably, for some time, excepting in those cases where a stringenency of circumstances crowd men to dispose of a small lo
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