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The solicitations of the regatta finance committee should meet with liberal responses from all who are in a position to give. The committee is composed of earnest, industrious citizens who are working to give Astoria the best carnival she ever had.

Northern Paper Company and The Deering Harvester Company have been led to undertake conservative management of their forest properties. Meanwhile, the work of tree-planting, particularly in the almost treeless Western States of the plains, has been furthered; the relation of the forest to the volume of streams, erosion, evaporation and irrigation have been studied; matters connected with irrigation and water supply have been investigated; hopeful progress has been made in the direction of regulating grazing in the Western reserves in a manner fair to both the important interests of cattle and sheep owners and to those who look to the reserves as a source of continuous supply of wood and water.

Field work is to go on this summer in 17 states. There are in all 179 persons engaged in the work of the bureau. Of this number 81 are student assistants—young men, largely college students, who expect to enter forestry as a profession, and who serve during the summer on small pay for the sake of the experience gained.

WITH THE PARAGRAPHERS.

No horse says nigh to the summer styles of equine military—Mail and Express.

Business now is a case of "every man his own octopus," if he is smart enough.—Minneapolis Journal.

It is an unfortunate fact that one bores; day on record does not make a summer.—Washington Star.

NEW BUREAU OF FORESTRY.

On the first of July the Division of Forestry and three other scientific divisions of the U. S. Department of Agriculture were advanced to bureaus. This was provided for by the last session of congress, which appropriated for the expense of the Bureau of Forestry during its first year \$185,440.

Chinese Fourth of July oratory proved after all to be a great improvement on the Chinese firecracker.—Washington Star.

With broom corn at \$20 a ton, why don't more people go into the broom corn raising business?—Minneapolis Tribune.

Perhaps the sun-spots theorists will explain that the recent alleged spots were merely a little black rash.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

As a consolation prize for Sir Thomas Lipton, race might be arranged between Shamrock I, and the Independence.—Buffalo Express.

Barabook only asks for the core of the July staff apple, but in Mark Hanna's opinion there "ain't" got to be no core.—Albany Argus.

At the present time even Mr. Morgan cannot altogether escape carrying his head by the sweat of his brow.—Minneapolis Standard.

It is no wonder that a prophet is without honor in his own country if he tries to make the weather his specialty.—Denver Republican.

Phoenix, Ariz., makes good every day by rising from its ashes and setting a new pace along the fiery road to glory.—Kansas City World.

But the country doesn't know yet what operator ticked off the message to Dewey nor the name of the messenger who delivered it.—Chicago Journal.

The parole of the Youngers by no means extinguishes the penalty for their crime.—They are still prohibited from returning to Missouri.—Kansas City Star.

It's peculiar that when people get in to society they expect to be asked out.

HE KEPT HIS LEG.

Twelve years ago J. W. Sullivan of Hartford, Conn., scratched his leg with a rusty wire. Inflammation and blood poisoning set in. For two years he suffered intensely. Then the best doctors urged amputation, "but," he writes, "I used one bottle of Electric Bitters and the box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and my leg was sound and well as ever." For Eruptions, Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Sores and all blood disorders Electric Bitters has no rival on earth. Try them. Hart's Drug Store will guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Only 50c.

"I've drained," the dyspeptic said, "The cup of sorrow to its dregs. He did not say the sorrow lay Within the morning cup of eggs."

THOUSANDS SENT INTO EXILE.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers who suffer at sea and are racked with coughs are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Now is an exile when Dr. King's New Discovery for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottle free at Hart's Drug Store, Price 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed.

WHAT TWO CENTS WILL DO.

It will bring relief to sufferers from asthma or consumption, even in the worst cases. This is about what one dose of Foley's Honey and Tar costs. Isn't it worth a trial? Hart's Drug Store.

Married women are usually advocates of home rule.

Mr. John Tappan, Colton, Ohio, says: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my little girl of a severe cough and inflamed tonsils." Hart's Drug Store.

Some men put on their best manners just as they put on a dress coat.

Thos. W. Carter, of Ashboro, N. C. had kidney trouble and one bottle of Foley's Kidney Cure effected a perfect cure, and he says there is no remedy that will compare with it. Hart's Drug Store.

Bathing suits are not always modest, although they may be shrinking.

Science has found that rheumatism is caused by uric acid in the blood. This poison should be excreted by the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure always makes them well. Hart's Drug Store.

The pen may be mightier than the sword, but Leander proved mightier than Penn.

Dr. George Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky. for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure. "For years I have been greatly bothered with kidney trouble and enlarged prostate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief until I was induced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After using three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. For I can honestly state I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success." Hart's Drug Store.

Jas. G. Ambler, of Della, O., writes: "I had an obstinate sore on my face which everything else failed to heal. After one application of Banner Solve it began to heal and after three applications it was entirely healed leaving no scar." Hart's Drug Store.

You don't hear of any divorce suits these days in which the husband is charged with cruelty because he insists on appropriating all the bed clothes.

Any advertised dealer is authorized to guarantee Banner Solve for letter, external piles, sprains, scalds, burns, ulcers and any open or old sore. Hart's Drug Store.

The greatest healer of modern times is Banner Solve for cuts, wounds, sores, ulcers and all skin diseases. It is guaranteed. Use no substitute. Hart's Drug Store.

The pills that annoy you as well as cure and permanently healed if you use DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless counterfeits. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

The Grand Duke Michael is engaged to be married to his cousin, the young man named Mike ought to be a bit in a family named Mckenberg-Schwartz.

A bad complexion generally results from inactive liver and bowels. In all such cases, DeWitt's Little Early Biscuits produce gratifying results. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

It is easier to keep well than recover. DeWitt's Little Early Biscuits taken now and then will always keep your bowels in perfect order. They never fail but remain in every drug store. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Four hundred and fifty kinds of dried prunes were destroyed by fire in California the other night. If the incendiaries will send his address to Boarder, Omaha, Neb., he will hear something to his advantage.

These famous Little Pills, DeWitt's Little Early Biscuits, keep your liver and bowels in perfect order. Are easy to take. Never grip. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

I am indebted to One Minute Cough Cure for my present good health and my life. I was treated in vain by doctors for lung trouble following the grippe. I took One Minute Cough Cure and received my needed relief. E. H. Wise, Mathews, Ga. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

The first girl a fellow ever kissed usually falls into his arms before the last.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve should be promptly applied to cuts, burns and sores. It soothes and quickly heals the injured parts. There are worthless counterfeits, be sure to get DeWitt's. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

I wish to truthfully state to you and the readers of these few lines that your Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is without question, the best and only cure for dyspepsia that I have ever come in contact with and I have used many other preparations. John Beaman, West Milledale, Pa. No preparation equals Kodol Dyspepsia Cure as it contains all the natural digestants. It will digest all kinds of food and can't help but do you good. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

You can never cure dyspepsia by dieting. What your body needs is plenty of good food properly digested. Then if your stomach will not digest it, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will. It contains all of the natural digestants, hence must digest every class of food and to prepare it that nature can use it in nourishing the body and replacing the wasted tissues, thus giving life, health, strength, ambition, pure blood and good healthy appetite. CHAS. ROGERS, Druggist.

Your Mr. Dawes has got as used to making with coarse money as computer of the currency that he could not almost naturally in the atmosphere of the senate.

DON'T LET THEM SUFFER.

Often children are tortured with itching and burning eczema and other skin diseases but Bucklen's Arnica Salve heals the raw sores, stops inflammation, leaves the skin without a scar. Cheap, fragrant, cheap, there's no salve on earth as good. Try it. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c at Hart's Drug Store.

FOOD CHANGED TO POISON.

Poisoning food in the intestines produces effects like those of arsenic, but Dr. King's New Life Pills expel the poison from clogged bowels, gently, easily but surely, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Fevers, all Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. Only 50c at Hart's Drug Store.

Stories of the Hour

THE TWENTIETH CENTURY GIRL.

She is plastic and elastic and can fit the light fantastic in a style enthusiastic with abandon that is rare. She is sweetness and gentleness in a bunch of great comeliness and she keeps us at her feetness in a manner delectable. She can dally on the alley with temples and make a tally and the boys around her rally when she's out upon the links. And she'll patter round and chatter on most any weighty matter, but she's talking through her hat—her little thinker never thinks. Oh, she's happy when she's frumpy, and she's throwing bright and snappy bits of Chilkoot Pass at chappy, treading out the spoozy boys. And the measure of her pleasure in her never-ceasing leisure is a little world of treasure in unimagined joys. She'll abuse you and amuse you, and both will and she'll use you, and she'll finally refuse you, tho' heart-broken you implore. But don't bother—see another—the content to be her mother, for she likes to see her mother mopping up the kitchen floor. —Denver Times.

SCHLATTER'S LONELY DEATH.

"Divine Healer" Perished on Desert and Imitates Survive. Schlatter is dead. The "divine" rationale is no more. Reliable information has come that he perished miserably on a lonely Mexican desert, unattended by any of the thousands who profess themselves disciples of his miraculous touch. Dr. H. F. Gray of Los Angeles, has just returned from Casas Grandes, State of Sonora, Mexico. While in Mexico Dr. Gray came upon Schlatter's lonely grave. He saw all the paraphernalia and wearing apparel of the healer, which are now in possession of the Jeffreypolice, chief official of Casas Grandes. Dr. Gray says that there is absolutely no doubt that the strange healer came to his death in a lonely Mexican desert about 150 miles below the American line. Thousands of people will remember Schlatter. His wonderful "cures" in Denver drew wings and his great following and the hundreds of all classes who thronged to his apartments, waiting eagerly in the street to enter that garment might be healed or the healing touch best used, speak rather of the superstition and credulity of the middle ages than the matter-of-fact skepticism of modern days.

ACTUAL BELIEF IN HIMSELF.

Diives and many people have sprung up on modern times. Some have held popular delusions for a month, a year or even have passed on a day. But none have ever exhibited an instance of actual belief in themselves as did the New England shaman who died recently by such an imposture. He died, great, with a strong, fresh, fresh fanaticism. The shaman, the healer, professed to be contacted with a divine touch. His faith in himself approached sublimity. With an apparent feeling of blasphemy he indulged in his boasting a striking imitation of Christ. His long, flaxen hair, light, brown beard, drooping garments, bare feet and an expression of unutterable sadness and deep despair through which, in delicate undertone, ran a mournful vein of religious fervor, made early have betrayed the conscious charlatan had not his "healings" been attended by cures apparently so thorough and testimony so sincere that his bitter enemies and those most bent upon his exposure were dumfounded. No doubt the cures he effected were the result of mental suggestion. Before Schlatter's rise to notoriety he had been a humble, ignorant shoemaker, and conducted a little shop in the slums. The man was open-eyed, vacant, superstitious. Intensely refused, irregular features made one think of Zola's work, in the field or Millet's man with the hoe. It is not improbable that Schlatter's remarkable success was due to the fact that he thoroughly believed in himself and so made others believe.

In Denver the newspapers were much bent on exposing Schlatter. But they did not succeed. Great crowds of hundreds thronged about the healer—not since the ignorant, the superstitious, the credulous, but persons apparently of almost every station in life, and the universal enthusiasm concerning the power of this simple shoemaker was marvellous.

Schlatter, after leaving Colorado, went to Los Vegas, then to Albuquerque and the last sight of him was crossing the Southern Pacific railroad near Mexico and through the desert to Casas Grandes, found food and shelter for himself and care for his burro with some lonely Mexican families who dwell in the caves made in the abandoned Mexican mines.

LIVED LIKE A HERMIT.

Here the strange healer lived several months, and here he drew about himself a small following among the Mexican mine laborers and their families. An opening in one of the caves led to a large interior cavern fitted up as an altar. Schlatter never commanded the following among the lonely cliff-dwelling laborers of Casas Grandes that had thronged to touch the hem of his garment in Denver and Albuquerque. Schlatter remained some three

CRIMINALS HANG THEMSELVES.

One week from tomorrow the death penalty as a punishment for capital crimes will be revived in Colorado.

It will then be ninety days since the legislature adjourned, the time limit when all bills enacted upon by the governor becomes laws.

This law was among the measures that were neither signed nor vetoed.

For the past month Warren E. H. Martin, of the penitentiary, has been busy at work getting the execution house at Canon City in readiness for the victims who will be sentenced under the new law.

It was completed yesterday, and the plans of this gruesome department of the prison and the hanging apparatus will be forwarded to Denver next week for the approval of the board of charities and corrections.

As the general idea of the machine is the same as was in force before capital punishment was abolished, it will likely be passed upon favorably. The system of execution is regarded as among the most humane in existence. Colorado, however, is the only state that has it in use.

The apparatus was erected by a contractor in the penitentiary last year.

There were twelve persons executed by it, and not in any single instance was there a semblance of a failure. Death in every case was apparently instantaneous. This is the only hanging machine where the victim hangs himself. The arrangement is automatic, though some electrical devices have been added by the new machine. The proposition is a simple one. The execution house is a stone building, 30x25 feet, just inside the main wall of the prison. It contains three condemned cells, about eight feet square and across a narrow hallway is the execution chamber.

There is an iron plate in the center of the door of this room, and after the condemned has the room adjusted to his neck and the black cap placed over his head and face, he is ordered to step forward a few paces upon this plate, which is a part of the hanging machine. The weight of the man causes an automatic connection to release a catch holding a bag of sand on the other end of the rope containing the noose. The sand being heavier than the man, falls, causing the body at the other extremity of the rope to be jerked off the floor to a height of about three feet. The cord bag is in the room containing the cell, where the bucket is kept, and the rope from the noose reaches that room over a pulley and through a hole in the wall.

The condemned does not see any of the details of the execution when he enters the death chamber. The iron plate in the floor and the noose around his neck are the only parts that he feels beforehand. He does not hear the dropping of the water or the working of any of the mechanism.

The instant the man is jerked off his feet and suspended at the end of the rope his neck is broken.

The time intervening between the pulling of the plug in the bucket and the falling of the sand is usually about a minute. The suspense to the prisoner, however, is not regarded as any more cruel than that experienced by a man in the electrical chair or on the scaffold while he waits the fatal current, or the springing of the trap.—Denver Post.

The trouble with the budding genius is that he is frequently clipped in the hat.

The pawn broker may be an obnoxious individual, but we've got to put up with him.

The man who stinks an oil well doesn't object to running his business into the ground.

ASTORIA AND COLUMBIA RIVER RAILROAD.

EFFECTIVE JULY 8, 1901.

Table with columns: LEAVE, PORTLAND, ASTORIA, ARRIVE. Includes times for various routes and divisions.

Trains leave Astoria for Flavel, Hammond and Fort Stevens at 5:15 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. daily. Leave Fort Stevens for Astoria at 7:04 a. m. and 3:24 p. m. daily.

All trains make close connection at Goble with all Northern Pacific trains to and from the East and Sound points.

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O. R. & N. OREGON SHORT LINE.

AND UNION PACIFIC.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, May 20, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the relief of certain lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 1, 1892, William W. Pope, of Clatsop County, Oregon, States of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 5271, for the purchase of lot 4, sec. 3, T. 2, S. 4, R. 10, W. 4, of section No. 4, in township No. 6 north, range No. 4 east, of the 3d P. M. in proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber and stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register. A receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Thursday, the 8th day of August, 1901. He names as witnesses:

Mrs. Mary Deenk, of Olney, Clatsop County, Oregon; Sebastian Glaser, of Olney, Clatsop County, Oregon; Mrs. Appollonia Johnson, of Olney, Clatsop County, Oregon; Sidney Dell, of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely to the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of August, 1901. CHAS. B. MOORE, Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Thos. O'Connor, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same to him duly verified according to law, within six months from this date.

A. J. KRAFFKE, Administrator of the Estate of Thos. O'Connor, Deceased. Date of first publication, June 21, 1901.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clatsop, on the 18th day of June, 1901, upon a judgment rendered therein on the 11th day of March, 1894, in favor of S. E. Harris, Plaintiff, and against George Hill, Defendant, for the sum of \$562.32, the further sum of \$50 attorney's fees together with interest thereon at the legal rate from the 10th day of March, 1894, and the costs of and upon this writ commanding and requiring me to levy upon the property of the above named defendant to satisfy the judgment, interest, costs and all accruing thereon, I did attach the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 6, 7, block 1, First Add. to Ocean Grove; lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, block 1, lots 1 to 25, inclusive, block 2, lots 1 to 27, inclusive, block 3, lots 1 to 32, inclusive, block 4, Hill's Add. to Ocean Grove; lots 13 to 18, inclusive, block 2, lots 1 to 16, 18 to 21, 23 to 25, inclusive, block 4, lots 1 to 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000, 1002, 1004, 1006, 1008, 1010, 1012, 1014, 1016, 1018, 1020, 1022, 1024, 1026, 1028, 1030, 1032, 1034, 1036, 1038, 1040, 1042, 1044, 1046, 1048, 1050, 1052, 1054, 1056, 1058, 1060, 1062, 1064, 1066, 1068, 1070, 1072, 1074, 1076, 1078, 1080, 1082, 1084, 1086, 1088, 1090, 1092, 1094, 1096, 1098, 1100, 1102, 1104, 1106, 1108, 1110, 1112, 1114, 1116, 1118, 1120, 1