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If the telegraphers are successful in their strike General Manager Horn of the Northern Pacific will be "blowed."

If the Marconi system had been installed by the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railways wouldn't the knights of the key have a jolly time cutting wires?

Crippled by the telegraphers' strike to such extent that traffic is utterly demoralized, the Northern Pacific and Great Northern railways are resorting to the use of the telephone for train dispatching.

The long cherished hope of the people in the Coos Bay region is to become a realization, according to the official announcement by the Southern Pacific company of its intention to build a railway into Marshfield.

Upon the heights I'd build my humble home. Not proud am I, nor anxious for great fame.

New diseases call for new remedies, and scarcely had a London physician named and described the new disease, motormania, which is making such ravages everywhere.

velopment the victims of the disease sometimes derive great amusement from seeing their motor toss a man or a child in the air.

IN LIGHTER VEIN

A DISTINCTION IN TERMS.

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HIS BAD BLUNDER.

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REMEMBERED IT DISTINCTLY.

The divorce lawyer took his pencil from behind his ear and prepared to jot down the necessary memoranda.

SLIGHT CHANGE.

"I'm glad to find you as you are," said the old friend. "Your great wealth hasn't changed you."

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