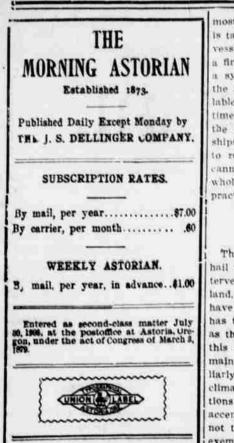
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WEATHER.

Western Washingtong and Oregon-Occasional rain. Eastern Oregon and Washington and Idaho-Rain or snow.

THE LOOMING GRAFT.

There is a graft looming upon the legislative horizon of Oregon, that demands the timely and earnest thought of the men who must create it if it is to be thrust upon the people. There is a forceful but quiet effort on foot to put the public printing business of the state on a basis of needless and endless cost to the taxpayer. The Typographical Union, (presumably at the instance of the syndicated type-founders and other collateral agencies), is sponsoring the thing and lending it all the unction deriveable from its specific sanction. The idea is to pass the public printing over to the state, in toto; to build a new building at Salem to house a new and costly plant; to enlist a corps of printers, with foreman, sub-foreman, and all dearing mother. the departmental hangers-on usually found in such relations; to put the State Printer on a big salary, and keep the "printing expert" on the rolls matrimony. at another: to make the department another element of political refuge and emolument for the vags and boosters of the "bosses," and to pile up an indefinite and utterly useless bill of expense for the people to pay. In other words, to emulate the folly of lowances for the opinions and feelings which California has been the victim of others, as well as their prejudices. in the establishment of her state printing bureau, one of the worst blunders she ever made, and which will live no longer than outraged public sentiment there can crystalize itself in the utter extinction of the plan and plant. It behooves every legislator to go into the very meat and marrow of this scheme to unearth all its dangers and disadvantages and fight it to early and complete defeat. There is but one thing for the state to do with her printing, and that is to put it out to Show her that your love is truethe people in the business, upon the same basis that all other public utilities are maintained and all other service secured: public contracts for public work is the rule of compensation and safety, and the state no more needs a public printery than she needs a public grocery, or public livery-stable for the housing of the animals that happen to be on her roster. Put the printing out on contract basis, to can be secured free by application to the lowest and safest hidder; keep a the Secretary of Agriculture, Washpublic "expert" on a decent salary, to ington, D. C. see to the utter fulfillment of the contracts, and give the people of the state in that business the same chance that

most compensating sort, Uucle Sam is talking about building a light-house vessle for this district and this offers a first-class opportunity to inaugurate a system that would mean much for the safety of human life and incalculable stores of property. There are times when this class of vessels are the only ones to run across crippled ships, and they should be in position to render the utmost of service that cannot be waited for. The idea is wholesome one, and comes from practical seaman.

THE MERCIFUL FROST.

The people of the Northwest will hail with gratification the merciful in tervention of the frost now upon the land, as a check upon the floods that have ravaged it. Not in long years has there been such loss and damage as the past ten days have unfolded in this section of the country. In the main, this territory of ours is peculiarly blessed with freedom from al climatric excesses, and such visitations as have befallen us lately, are accentuated by their rarity. We do not take the proper measure of our exemptions, and an occasional twist to the side of loss and defeat may be beneficial in the way of a lesson.

TONIGHT'S CONVENTION.

It is to be hoped that the convention of the Citizens' Party of Astoria, billed for a session at the city hall tonight, will do nothing to disturb the quietude of the pending campaign: o that its nominees may be of the sort already tacitly accepted by the people at large; that it will do the clever thing in the matter of the city attorneyship and endorse the candidacy of Mr. Abercromble with the same friendliness that has characterized the republican confirmation of Mayor Wise's renomination and re-election; that the issues of the "off year" may be, as to · policies and men, all that the vast majority of Astorians can ratify at the polls. It is a good thing for "men to dwell together in unity." once in a while, at least,

EDITORIAL SALAD.

There are 10,000 young women in Chicago who are obliged to work for \$5 a week,

A wise mother tells girls that a cahusband.

Of the 46,216 employes in the postal and telegraph service in London. 7.557 are women.

The ideal existance is that of the homemaker, the devoted wife and endo something about it.

The Negro's Solemn Duty

by BOOKER T. WASHINGTON

ITERE is much that the brave, intelligent, patriotic white men of America can do for the negro; there is much that we can do FOR OURSELVES. The executive authorities should

see to it that every law is enforced regardless of race or color and that the weak are protected from injustice from the strong. We have examples in several of the southern states that this is being done in an encouraging degree. Without the encouragement and protection of the law it is not possible for the negro to succeed as a laborer or IN ANY LINE OF BUSINESS.

On the acgro's part we have a duty. Our leaders should see to it that the criminal negro is got rid of wherever possible. Making allowances for mistakes, injustice and the influence of racial prejudice, I have no hesitation in saying that one of the elements in our present situation that gives me most concern is the large number of crimes that are being committed by members of our race. THE NEGRO IS COMMITTING TOO MUCH CRIME in the north and in the south.

WE SHOULD SEE TO IT. AS FAR AS OUR INFLUENCE EX-TENDS, THAT CRIMES ARE FEWER IN NUMBER; OTHERWISE THE RACE WILL PERMANENTLY SUFFER.

The crime of lynching everywhere and at all times should be condemned, and those who commit a crime of any nature should be condemned. Our southland today has no greater enemy to business prog ress than lynchers and those who PROVOKE LYNCHING.

The Temptation of "Getting"

By Rev. FRANCIS L. PATTON, President Princeton Theological Seminary

O the poor man I say, "You poor man, you sell your muscle, you eat the bread of toil, ONLY TO BE DESPISED by these more prosperous."

And to the rich man I say: "Are YOU any better! You have bought and sold, your strong box is stuffed with securities, yours is the first fruit of the FARMERS' PRODUCE, you travel across the country in your private car, but death comes. Death is a flood that overawes you both, and you both must seek refuge in eternal life, the character of which is determined by your conduct HERE."

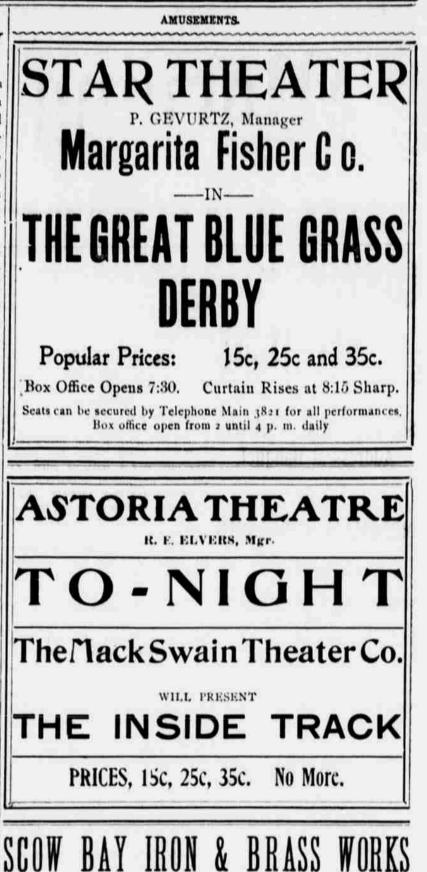
IT IS BETTER TO BE THAN TO HAVE. But many of us think the opposite. We go through college and we say these professional attainments must bring us something, and we start in to get.

Nobody is saving anything against ACCUMULATION, but be ware of avarice!

LET NOT THE MONEY CHANGERS MAKE THEIR HOME IN THE SACRED PLACES OF THE SOUL. LEAVE A LITTLE SPACE THERE AT LEAST FOR ART AND LITERATURE.

Famous Strike Breakers. bler. That is what the court decided in Beaver Falls, Pa., when Mrs. J. reer" is not half so desirable as a good L. Harsha, wife of a prominent iron The most famous strike breakers manufacturer, pleaded guilty and paid in the land are Dr. King's New Life her fine, after arraignment in court. Pills. When liver and bowels go on strike, they quickly settle the trouble, and the purifying work goes right on. The cow that you think the most of Best cure for constipation, headache may be the very one you ought to get and dizzziness. 25c at Chas. Rogers', rid of. Find out about that. Test druggist. all your cows. Don't be satisfied with one; keep at it till you know. Then

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. AN ELEMENT OF SAFETY. .

of this approaching evil.

A friend who accasionally puts his feet on our desk, suggests that it would not be a bad idea for the government, in the building of all its new coast-service vessels, such as

lightships, light-house-tenders, revenue cutters, and small craft geneand cable-reels, in order that they may do the specific and timely thing duced in the State. for ships and other deep-sea craft in

trouble. It would cost something, perhaps, and the mechanism might retime, but when its utility was deman-

Too many girls are willing to marry the first man who is a candidate for

Mrs. Sage has presented \$2,000 in hung with false hair. In Paris they cash to her coachman, and she is going to build a \$4.000 cottage for him.

Cultivate the habit of making al-

When we have moved heaven and earth to get a thing, isn't it amazing to discover how little we really do want It

A lonely life may not be deliriously charming, but it is a great improvement on an unhappy married existence.

When days are dark and deeply blue Wife has her troubles, same as you: Tell her so!

Kansas farmers are complaining that their ears of corn this year are too long for shelter. There is always something the matter with Kansas.

The Government Agricultural Department has just issued a valuable book about the art of irrigation. It

Concentrated lye and molasses is given in a hundred other lines of the rat holes. It makes rats so ten- his little daughter was restored from auxilliary service. But, in the name derfooted that they leave. Keep it the dreadful complaint he names, He of sense and economy, spike the guns where cats or any other useful thing says: "My little daughter had St. VIcannot get into it.

horse, get one. The landscape looks

horse after a half hour's ride, than from any other point of view,

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Two hundred dollars for ten ears of corn may seem an extravagant pric rally, to equip them with the latest to pay, but such an amount will be and best models of steam towing-hits given to some pupil from the schools of Minnesota for the best 10 ears pro-

Bridge whist is gambling and the purifies the breath, cures headache society woman who gives a bridge and regulates the digestive organs. main idle for the greater part of the whist party with a prize for the win- Cures chronic constipation. Ask us ner of the most games may be ar- about it. T. F. Lauren, Owl Drug ded it would probably be of the rested and fined as a common gam- Store

feel young, act young and are young False hair is being shipped all over the world by the carload, because to after taking Hollister's Rocky Mounbe in the fashion a woman must have tain Tea. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. her head padded out, puffed up and

have gone so far as to have what is called "the transformation," which is a sort of a wig that can be donned at a moment's notice so that the hair may match the gown to be worn.

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Few international titled marvlages have proved successful. Out of 174 American heiresses of more or less note who have bought foreign husbands with \$231,000,000 in dowries, there are less than twenty from whom reports of unhappiness have not come to America. Perhaps \$200,000,000 has been scattered among foreign husbands who have mistreated and humiliated the women who trusted them,

In Turkey there are 1,566 schools in which girls received education. There are forty secondary schools having 3,-000 girls on their rolls. The learning of the Koran is compulsory and arithmetic, geography and elementary science are taught. Teaching has now become a respectable profession and young women, after passing the normal examinations, elect to become tutoresses in distant parts of the empire.

-0-Made Happy for Life.

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