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OFFICIAL CITY PAPER

GOOD EVENING.

We find ourselves, as has been said, on a steep incline, where we can veer but little to the right or left...

A STUPENDOUS FINANCIAL BLUNDER.

PAYING OUT MONEY, we have heard, is a rather disagreeable occupation with most people.

All of these things appeal to the esthetic as well as the practically inclined.

But if the money could be found without violent segregation of it from our own pocket, and all of these things could thus be done, it might prove a source of satisfaction.

Granting that such an alliance is beyond criticism from a moral point of view, that shrewd practical men of affairs are unwise to consider anything except from the purely commercial standpoint...

THE JOURNAL NEWSPAPER.

THE JOURNAL came under its present management in July, 1902, and at that time an editorial announcement was made of the Journal's right to existence.

From The Journal, July 24, 1902. The Journal property has been purchased and has passed under the control of the undersigned...

Exuberant assurances are cheap and empty. I wish to make none. Performance is better than promise.

behind the paper. It shall be a FAIR newspaper, and not a dull and selfish sheet.

Portland capital largely is behind The Journal, and the fund is ample for all purposes.

IS HE GETTING CONSERVATIVE?

WITH the presidential nomination looming up in the immediate foreground, it is not at all probable that the president, in his forthcoming message...

That Roosevelt to a great degree lost the confidence of some of the strongest financial elements in New York through his earlier expressions of opinion...

OREGON'S POLITICAL CONDITIONS.

A Tribute to the Governor and an Appreciated Compliment to The Journal. Congressman Champ Clark's Syndicate Letter.

Those who are in charge of the Democratic national committee may not know it, but Oregon is a promising field for missionary work.

The Great Ohio.

From the St. Joseph (Mo.) News. Pittsburg has an "on-to-Cairo" scheme.

The Girls' Father—And you say you are sure your love could stand any test?

Servant—I dreamed last night, sir, that you gave me a ten-franc piece.

"That's all right. You may keep it."

SNUBBED FUTURE KING.

Incidents in the Life of the Late Duke of Richmond. From the New York American.

The Duke of Richmond was the "Grand Old Man" of the peerage, and one of the most important members of the nobility.

The duke was the direct descendant of two kings of England and holder of four distinct dukedoms.

He is survived by a family of devoted children and grandchildren. His two sons are Lord March and Lord Alington.

"THE CITY OF CRICKETS."

Seems to Be an Appropriate Name for San Antonio.

From the New Orleans Times-Democrat. "San Antonio ought to be called the City of Crickets," said a man who has just returned from New Orleans from Texas.

Test of the Trusts.

From the Wall-Street Journal. The trusts are now undergoing a supreme test of their strength and their ability to fulfill the economic mission assigned to them.

Balfour Knows.

From the New York World. Mr. Balfour's reference to the fact that there is free trade between all the states of our union as free trade's most momentous and permanent victory reveals him as a British statesman who knows an accurate thing or two about this country.

Hand and Foot.

From the Philadelphia North American. The president had no hand in the Lipton invitation muddle.

ENGLAND'S EYE ON MILNER.

Something of the Man Who Has Been Asked to Enter Cabinet. Carlsbad Correspondence New York World.

The whole British government situation revolves around Lord Milner, whose already high position has suddenly become one of cardinal importance.

The arrival of the king's messenger with an urgent request to enter the cabinet seemed like an interruption from the outside world.

Lord Milner was born in England 49 years ago of German parentage. He inherited neither title, fame nor great wealth.

NEW PORTABLE CHURCH.

Presbyterian Structure in the Bronx Has Sections Bolted.

Something novel in the way of church construction has been adopted by the committee on Sunday schools and young people's associations of the presbytery of New York.

The committee which had charge of the matter consisted of Rev. Dr. Arthur C. McMillan, Rev. John C. Palmer and Jonathan Marshall.

The Journal is Right.

From the Pendleton East Oregonian. The manager of the Marquam theatre of Portland has withdrawn his patronage from The Oregon Daily Journal.

Two Miles a Minute.

From the New York World. The fact that a speed of 106.8 miles an hour has been reached on the Zossen experimental road in Germany is interesting.

The Swearing Habit.

From the San Jose Mercury. The habit of swearing in public—or, indeed, anywhere—is officially and is usually condemned by the laws and police regulations.

NEW FAD OF COLLECTORS.

Revived Interest in Old Pieces of Sheffield—Their Scarcity.

There is a fad just now for old Sheffield plate, and most people buy it because it is fashionable.

The beautiful cups, for instance, which were made in what is known as the egg-and-tongue molding, with bands of engraved foliage, are the products of Elizabeth's reign.

Collectors complain that secular Sheffield plate of a date earlier than the reign of Henry VII is very scarce.

Mrs. Jefferson Davis.

From the Philadelphia Ledger. The life of Mrs. Jefferson Davis cannot fail to awaken memories that are sacred and to revive hopes that are inspiring.

His Calf "Rond a Vay."

From the Chicago Inter Ocean. Residents of La Grange are deriving much amusement from an offer of a reward posted on the bulletin-board of the postoffice.

ROND A VAY.

Von Ret and Vite Alf mit its to behind legs was plack he was a she Alf. Any potty dot grins Dot Calf home pays me five Tollar.

How She Got Ready.

London Tit-Bits. She'd dressed up to go out with him—'Twas on the topmost floor; Before the mirror she had posed

Before another mirror there

She turned and turned and turned, And took her time and seemed as though she only was concerned.

And then she gathered up her skirts

And fixed them in her hand, Coquetishly looked back once more Into the mirror—and

He smiled, as any husband should,

But managed not to speak, And it was well, for he was sure He'd waited there a week.

He heaved a sigh (but made it soft)

And headed for the street, But hearing not the footfalls of Her Louis XIV feet,

He turned—he staggered as he fell

Against the nearest wall— She was gazing in the mirror in The hattrack in the hall!

SHORT STORIES

Whistler and His Creditors. About a quarter of a century ago the artist Whistler went through the bankruptcy court—a sequel to the Whistler-Ruskin trial, which brought him only a farthing damages and a very long bill of costs.

None of Your Business.

From the Philadelphia Press. A seedy-looking individual strolled up to the ticket office in a certain railroad station the other day.

His Friend's Ignorance.

From the Argonaut. Two Highlanders, being in Glasgow for the first time, were having a walk through the city.

Tree Mile Behind de bridge.

"Bear Creek." "Tree Mile Behind de bridge, 'Twas on the topmost floor; Before the mirror she had posed