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THE WILD NOVEMBER COMES AT LAST Beneath a veil of rain...

A BRUTAL SYSTEM

TO LESSEN litigation, to enable workers to get accident compensation without a lawsuit...

The fact that there are three parties to the contract makes a compromise far more difficult...

Only 30 per cent of injured employes who go to law get damages. The outcome is always uncertain.

There could be no system to do more to widen the breach between employe and employer.

FINES OR IMPRISONMENT

THE Montreal Star says an offense against the law should be either a prison matter or a money matter.

The Star asks whether 18 months in prison and \$250 in cash have any relation to each other.

Every day the same sort of thing goes on in all courts. The judges are not always at fault.

Fines have proved ineffective against large malefactors. Trust magnates have paid them...

ments fixed by law. But the majority of offenses are...

WHY HARKEN?

TOMORROW'S Journal will contain a mass of interesting matter bearing on the State University referendum.

Is Oregon for free higher education, or is she not? Is Oregon going to face one way on the educational subject...

There is not in the country one state but is bending every energy in broadening and expanding its educational system.

There is not one state but is developing and extending the scope and functions of its institutional education.

Oregon alone is involved in a controversy in which it is proposed to put higher education on wheels...

In such a status, the university appropriation is a mere nothing. The university itself is only an incident.

It is a status that forms a rallying point for all friends of free higher education.

The answer should be a vote for 300 yes and 303 yes.

RADIUM FOR MANKIND

PHILANTHROPISTS have acquired the greatest radium bearing deposits in the world...

Radium deposits covered by twenty-seven mining claims in the Paradox valley in Colorado have been acquired through the financial cooperation of Dr. James Douglas...

Instead of enriching themselves by allowing the property to be exploited for private gain, these men have turned their holdings over to an incorporated body.

Predictions as to benefits which will come may be overstated, but the motive of the philanthropists commands respect.

FIXING RETAIL PRICES

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Price fixing charges have been made in many cases...

Secretary Redfield will disclose what advantages accrue to the manufacturer who insists that retailers sell his goods only at prices arbitrarily fixed...

ALAS, THE EXPERTS! JUST the same, Rex Palmer is a fine, lusty lad. His mother is proud of him...

But here come the eugenic experts. They say one tonsil is enlarged, that he has adenoids and is bowlegged.

Upholds Sterilization Law. Portland, Oct. 31.—To the Editor of The Journal—Opposition to the sterilization bill on the ground of its possible abuse...

NO BETTER INVESTMENT. It is estimated that the tolls on the interstate bridge would pay off the indebtedness in 10 years.

Why should any one hesitate to vote for the bonds? The state of Oregon will pay the interest. The tolls on the bridge will retire the bonds.

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IN EARLIER DAYS

By Fred Lockley. "In the summer of 1886," said Captain William P. Gray, pioneer resident of Pasco, "I had six different kinds of trees growing on my place here at Pasco."

Banker Herald: While having a life and death argument with a fly and West, the banker said: "Mr. Pardon of the Eagle Point sends out a card of his regards."

Admiral Clark on the Oregon's bridge will also be appreciated. More than \$7,000,000 is in the Portland banks, yet some people are not prosperous.

One should always be ready, and as much as at one time as another, even if never willing to die.

Nobody need now become scared over the worst of Washington, D. C., weekly weather predictions.

American are conceivably remis in voting but they beat the Mexicans by about 10,000 per cent.

How could the Mexicans be expected to vote on a Sunday, when that is the favorite day for bullfighting.

So far the Portland woman martyrs were not tried in the hunger strike; they might be overdoing martyrdom.

What governmental tyranny is this? A member of a life saving crew was denied leave of absence to play football.

There's abundance of gold and silver in the rocks of the city, it is reported. The gold and silver are in the rocks of the city, it is reported.

From the Houston Chronicle. The Mexican situation is certainly becoming complicated from a single minded effort on the part of the United States to suppress a usurper it is rapidly developing into the proportions of a world war.

The British foreign office seems determined to back Huerta, despite the sharp criticism from the press, and despite the fact that it runs great risk of offending the American public.

The policy of the Wilson administration with reference to the de facto government now claiming control of Mexico constitutes no radical change in this government's attitude, since it was inherited from President Taft.

Since that memorable day last February when Huerta gained ascendancy through the assassination of Madero and Suarez, the United States has been absolutely consistent in its refusal to recognize the Huerta government.

The United States has not resorted to extreme measures, but, on the contrary, has exercised unusual forbearance in dealing with a situation which at times seemed almost intolerable.

kind to the treatment accorded brutal. It is as if other prison acts, would not be free from abuse. A few years ago from Linn county, a mother of a large family of small children, exhausted by child labor and the loss of her husband, had taken her children to the insane asylum at Salem.

Neither have we a cultured class of such firm and wholesome principles that the people can give to themselves and to their children a standard of living and a standard of morality.

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YOUR MONEY. By John M. Oakison. The better your credit, the harder it is to you to give any part of your earnings. That doesn't seem logical, but it is true.