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Our censure of our fellowmen, which we are prone to think a proof of our superior wisdom, is too often only evidence of the conceit that would magnify self, or of the malignity or envy that would detract from others .--Tryon Edwards.

A FRIGHTFUL TAX

BODAY, the average man Great Britain who earns \$1000 a year and upward, must give one month's earnings out of the twelve to the gov ernment.

Out of every \$12 he earns, \$1 roes to help carry on the war. And what is worse, it is morally certain that this tax will not only continue for a generation, but that it will be increased. It is even exa year and upward from investments, will be compelled ultimately to give one fourth of their earn-

ings to the government. Two years ago, David Starr Jordan computed the war debts of Europe at \$26,000,000,000, a sum inconceivably vast. It is an amount nearly eight times greater than all the gold mined in the United States in 125 years.

About the same time, David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the British exchequer, reckoned the war cost of Europe in times of profound peace at \$2,250,000,000 a year, a total which he said had nearly doubled in 20 years, and which he predicted would double again in less than ten years if the war madness is not stopped

In a British naval debate, Sir Edward Grey, one of the sanest of Europe's statesmen, uttered this impressive warning:

of mounting military cost be brought home not only to the heads of men generally but to their feelings as strong. well. the rivalry will continue, and it must in the long run down civilization. break You are having this great burden piled up in times of peace, and if it goes on increasing by leaps and bounds as it has done in the last generation it will become intolerable. There are

3500 miles. Congress will be the other roads. each of the eight submarines.

ines. atb...... 5 in a comparatively small radius.

THE FOURTEEN - YEAR - OLD

would appear that the difference UDGE M'GINN'S order in the between the cost of macadam and case in which fourteen-year-old hard surface is not so great after Margaret Frykman was inall.

WHEN MEN ARE IDLE

volved as a witness, challenges public attention. The injured party is the girl. Whatever her faults,

they were measurably attributable | T IS no use to be intolerant of to her youth. Children of 13 and 14, though they usually present a better record than this one, cannot

be expected to be as staid and re- no patience with tales of failure. they liable as those who have reached They cannot understand why, in this country of limitless resources the years of maturity.

As outcome of the court proceed- and amid the many examples of ings, \$1000 to be supplied by one rise from poverty to power and defendant and \$250 from another, wealth, there should be men un- tor of The Journal-I notice J. S. is to be placed to the girl's credit able to secure work. But there in a bank, and with the interest is are men who are unavoidably idle. the recent election. Mr. Brooks says grave. to go to Margaret Frykman at 21, They are out of work and cannot

or if her conduct justifies, at 19. help it. Putting the defendants into the 7 It is not a new condition. The

penitentiary could not possibly re- census of 1890, placed the number pair the great wrong they did the of the unemployed in the United pected that those who earn \$1000 girl. Fining the men would give States at 3,523,730. It was more just exactly what prohibition has done money to the state, but it is the than 15 per cent of all people girl, not the state, that has suf- employed in gainful occupations. fered irreparable injury at the In 1900, the number was placed hands of the men. The state, in by the federal census at 6,486,964, are too game for that. Experience has case of a fine, would be getting or more than 22 per cent of those money for a wrong done the girl. in gainful occupations. Though The whole agency of the state the census department issued a be said that prohibition is purely an in the premises, is to afford pro- warning statement as to the defitection to those who compose the niteness of the figures, the totals state, this girl among them. Pun- are accurate enough to be comishments are provided in the be-

lief that they will exercise a detereven so long ago as 24 years, rent influence and prevent future there were many more people in offenses of the kind. The McGinn this country to do the work than judgment in this instance, not only there was work to do.

provides punishment for the guilty The census figures of 1910 as to defendants, but it goes further and affords a small measure of reparation for the wrong to the child. It not only is part reparation but it gives the girl new hope in the money reward to be hers for a future of exemplary conduct. The finding may not be strictly remedy. within the civil law. But it can

Of all persons reported idle unbe fairly well defended as within Unless the incongruity and mischief the great, living, moral law of juswere out of work three months or tice for the weak as well as the

> months. JEFFERSON HIGH GIRLS

TORTY Jefferson High School agricultural, domestic and indusgirls will wear cotton dresses trial workers.

when they graduate next Feb- It is a truism that every man has year, as it will assist the assessors glorious Christmastide; but, while the will become intolerable. There are those who think that it will fead to war precisely because it is already into question, condemned her social into question, condemned her s

giant submarine is to have a sur- cost of \$8,629.90. But it should nesses are true, it was through a face speed of twenty-one knots be borne in mind that the width violation of the traffic ordinance and an under-water speed of six- of this road is only twelve feet. that Patrolman White was knocked teen knots. Their fuel capacity On a basis of sixteen feet the cost down and killed at his post of duty. will give them a sailing radius of would have approximated that of The truck, in rounding the intersection into the cross street, should asked to expend \$1,250,000 for In computing the cost of sur- have swung wide to the right, but facing roads the length of haul of instead it cut across and by the

The naval board's plans appeal material is an important factor. shortness of the turn caught its to the popular imagination at a The records of the state highway victim. If the execution of law were time when the under-sea craft commission of Illinois in which this more of a slogan and less of an REGN ADVERTISING REPRESENTATIVE have proved their worth in actual element is considered show the accident by higher-ups, if those warfare. The United States was cost of macadam surface, eighteen operating deadly machines like him, saying, much to the amusement first to experiment with submar- feet wide, to be \$5960 when the four-ton auto trucks were properly of the crowd: It may be first to demon- haul is one half mile in length. skilled in rules and realized the food inspectors. Here, just taste this strate that these craft need not be With a one mile haul the cost is deadly character of a huge truck, and see if it's sanitary.

miles the cost is \$7615. When to this is added the dif- little family that is now without roughhouse treatference in cost of maintenance it a breadwinner.

Letters From the People

(Communications sent to The Journal for ablication in this department should be writn on only one side of the paper, should not ceed 300 words in length and must be ac-mpanied by the name and address of the listener. companied by the name and address of the sender. If the writer does not desire to have the name published, he should so state.)

the unemployed, Many of ers. people are. Having been suc-robs throws many have throw at rationalizes everything it touches. It principles of all false sanctity and ws them back on their reasonableness. If have no reasonableness, it mutting "Discussion is the greatest of all reform they have no reasonableness, it ruthlessly crushes them out of existence and set up its own conclusions in their stead."-Woodrow

> Discusses Prohibition's Effects. Silverton, Or., Nov. 17 .- To the Edi-Brooks has criticised my comment on we have lots of company now since

our neighbor states have gone dry.

tlesnake, but would hit it right be- the Prohibition vote was double the tween the eyes with r. club. That is registration, and the other parties cast to production and labor in this state. Now, we wets don't want to be under- registration, and in the case of the Restood as being a bunch of soreheads publican party it was never one half.

that it is wholly a religious question. It is very seldom that a question arises where religious and economic pletely convincing on the point that rights are so equally divided. From a religious point of view it might be said to thousands of altruistic minds in that prohibition is right, although I this city and elsewhere. I am very cannot see it in that light. From an glad it has been written and published conomic or industrial point of view it can be equally denied. I have no

unemployment have not yet been higher plans of righteousness and do of many cheerless, deserving children, tabulated. The problem of idle away with the evil of the liquor traf-

Salem, Or., Nov. 19 .- To the Editor less, while 80 per cent of the re- of The Journal-I wish to acknowledge

> October 19, upon my arrival home from the assessors' convention held in with the splendid Journal message. Portland last week. I am glad to see e press of the state taking more in- den the hearts and fill the stomachs

PERTINENT COMMENT AND NEWS IN BRIEF

equipment.

SMALL CHANGE

than thrown down

The man who knows all about wo

If you can't get anything else out of

No woman wants to boss her hus-

disgruntled and try

lude even "strategic"

deleted" skirts.

where for 1 cent a You'll not get anywhere unless you dab of ice cream on a soda cracker A man who says "I don't care" is handed out. He either a liar or a fool. thought himself guite unnoticed, One secret of success is the ability

when a pretty miss keep your secrets. held out a halfeaten cracker to Fools oft times rush in

hile wise men investigate. Yet the owner of a mule is never bet you're one of those nosy sure that he hasn't a kick coming.

Too many of us neglect our plain duty for something more attractive.

We would rather be held up by stranger friend. the If a woman starts in to be disagreeable she knows how to achieve enor mous success. War fashions may be extended to in-

own peace of mind. "Why, it was given by one of college aluminum societies.

"But she says she has never given ou any encouragement. "Did that? "She certainly

> When a man says he can rem her uncle was gowhen good beefsteak was sold for 6 cents a pound you can figure that he ing to leave her a fortune and that he had one foot in the

WILSON ON "THE NEW SPIRIT"

shirtwasts and

Extracts from the president's letter to Sec. are sure to prove the instruments of a retary of the Treasury McAdoo, on the inauguration of the federal reserve bank system. "The tariff has been recast with

special "I do not know that any view to supporting the government credit belongs to me for the part I rather than supporting the favored was privileged to play in the estabbeneficiaries of the government. A lishment of this new system of which system of banking and currency issues has been created which puts credit In it we confidently hope so much. the labor and knowledge and fore- within the reach of every man who thought and practical experience and supervision and control of the system sagacity of many men are embodied is in the hands of a responsible agency who have cooperated with unusual of the government itself. A trade triwisdom and admirable public spirit. bunal has been created in which those "None of them I am sure, will be who attempt unjust and oppressive calous of the distribution of the practices in business can be brought to praise for the great piece of legisla-Its perusal must be a public reminder, tion upon which the new system else in the view of the law than a educator, benefactor. By all means, more mercantile commodity, something rests; they will only rejoice unselfishhuman and linked with the privileges ly to see the thing accomplished upon of life itself. which they had set their hearts. It who must soon become the laborars has been accomplished and its accombare out of which monopoly is slowly business and professional people, votplishment is of the deepest signifito be eradicated. And undoubtedly the ance, both because of the things it means by which credit has been set How important, then, that had done away with and because of the things it has supplied that the lives as will yield a rich harvest of country lacked and had long needed. structure." "It has done away with agitation

"This is the more significant and suspicion, because it has done cause of its opportuneness. away with certain fundamental wrongs. It has supplied means of acommodation in the business world and an instrumentality by which the interwhole of the heart of Europe, has ests of all, without regard to class,

States should mobilize its resources Breckinridge being the may readily be served. in the most effective way possible and nominee for president. "We have only to look back 10 years her credit and her usefulness or so to realize the deep perplexities make good for the service of the whole and dangerous ill-humors out of which It has created, too, special we have now at last issued, as if from world. a bewildering fog, a noxious miasma. difficulties, peculiar situations to be dealt with, like the great embarrass-Ten or 12 years ago the country was torn and excited by an agitation which ment in selling our immense cotton

By Fred Lockley, General Joseph Lane, Orebon's first Eugene's council has authorized the territorial governor, succeeded Governchain gang system, as a discourager or George Abernethy, the provisional governor. President Polks knowing This is Y. M. C. A. week in Salem. that Oregon was to be admitted as a The membership campaign is to in-crease the list to 750. It is now 450. territory shortly, used every effort to

IN EARLIER DAYS

have it admitted as a territiry before Thurston's school board has providhis term as president expired. He ed hot lunch facilities at the schools picked out Joseph Lane of Fidiana for and is installing complete playgrounds governor, Kintzing Pritchett" of Penn-

sylvania for secretary, William T. The city of Monmouth has placed Bryant of Indiana as chiat justice, its water system on a permanent basis. Meters have been established and reg-Peter H. Burnett of Oregon and Mames ular rates fixed.

OREGON SIDELIGHTS

Turney of Illinois as associate justices, I. W. B. Bromley of New York Independence, with 20 blocks street paving, just completed, claims to be the best paved town of its popuas federal attorney, Josephi L. Meek of Oregon as marshal, T. Adair of lation in the United States. Kentucky as collector of customs.

Peter Burnett was more in greated in La Grande's \$40,000 Y. M. C. A. building having been completed, a "Finish the Job" campaign has been California gold fields than in being associate justice, so he delined the appointment, and William Strong of installed to raise funds for the fur-Ohio was given the place. Isaac Bromnishings.

ley also declined and Amorg Holbrook Pendleton East Oregonian: It was of New York was given his place. nen should forget it if he values his coincidence of course but rather an d one that the first man to register General Lane was borng in North Carolina on December 14, 1801. at the Hotel Pendleton yesterday morn was brought up in Kentucky, and when ing, the first snowy morning of the year, was J. S. Winter, the P contractor who built the hotel, Portland cl. Win-19 years old to Indiana the same year. At the ter arrived with the snow but is stay breaking out of the Mexican war, he but she wants the neighbors to ing longer,

The soil has everywhere been laid

heart of

all

free is at the

helped raise a company of volunteers in Indiana. He was chosen captain, Dallas Observer: There are 67 rural later promoted to be commel; was buildings in Polk county, al wounded in one of the battles, and for except two of which are modern is construction, conforming to the proved idea of the model school his gallantry and ability was made the brigadier general.

He received his commission as gov ernor of Oregon on Augus; 18, 1848. With Jeseph L. Meek he at once start ed for Oregon, and after ; any hard ships and the desertion of practically all of his military escort? who went to the gold fields in California, he reached Oregon on March 2, 1849, one

day before the expiration of Presiden Polk's term of office. The census which he took shortly

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he was married, moving

after arriving in Oregon showed that he was governor over \$785 Americans and 290 foreignors. Learning that President Zachary Taylor | ad appointa governor ed Major John P. Gaines of Oregon, General Lane resigned, his resignation taking effect on June 18, 1850. He at once went to the Califorcan show a going business; and the nia gold fields. On June 1851, General Lane was elected regon's delegate to congress. On May 46, 1853, he was appointed governor offOregon by President Franklin Pierce. fied as governor and served three days, being asked by the Democratic book. Labor has been made something party in Oregon to run as i candidate for delegate to congress. . . je resigned his governorship after three days and was elected to congress on June 6, 1853. Before going to Washington to assume the duties of delegate to congress, he went as brigadier general of Oregon's volunteer forces to southern Oregon to settle the Indian troubles.

these General Lane was reelected to conthings, is the key piece of the whole gress in 1855 and 1857. On July 8, 1858, General Lane was elected as one of Oregon's first United States sen-He took his seat in the United ators. brought to its final accomplishment States senate on February 14, 1853. just as it is most imperatively need- In 1860, while still United states sen-The war, which has involved the ator from Oregon, he nominated for vice president of the United States made it necessary that the United on the Democratic ticker John C Democrati He, died in April, 1881, at the age having served Oregon faghfully and

	The	Rag	time	Muse	
Cont			Talen	State of the second	,

Whom to worship mankind presso

She knows nothing of the arts,

merits men discerving

she knows that men's ambition

of hearts.

back to

mile

chor les-

She is of that favored

In an e'er increasing mass Arabella has no learning.

Crown her as the queet

Is to talk about themselses.

the wily, radiant creduire Listens with a heavenly smi iterest shown in every feature

As they yield them to her guile,

The' Emden.

From the Chicago Tribune.

The Emden's little play with fate is

into works of erudition

Interest shown

Arabella never delves.

Arabella is a heauty.

11 . . If that is not encouragement I'd like to know what you call it."

Misery always likes company. He also registration of prohibitionists was says no sane person would poke a rat- many times the registration of 1912,

just because we have been beaten. We The Christmastide Message.

taught us that prohibition is a failure, Lents, Or., Nov. 18 .- To the Editor and experience is the true teacher of economic justice. Of course it can not of The Journal-The article appearing on the first page of last Sunday's economic question, nor can it be said Journal, under the caption, "A Message and a Mission for Christmastide," is commendable, admirable, beautiful. It should, and no doubt will, appeal

doubt the religious people of this state let its mission be accomplished. Its believe prohibition will lift us to a fulfillment will gladden the

men has, however, become so wide- fic, but this remains to be proven, ly noted that the federal govern- while, from an economic point of view ers and law makers of the ocmmonit is an established fact that we are wealth. ment has put a commission in the stung. Where questions of religious such seeds be sown into their young field to study the question with a and economic or industrial rights minview to affording some kind of gle so closely it is bound to make the benevolence, generosity, brotherhood, struggle more prolonged and severe. In and through the years to come, the

EDWIN A. LINSCOTT. der former censuses, nearly half Assessor Indorses Journal's View.

mainder were idle four to six receipt of your valuable editorial of The largest percentages of unemployment were among the

terest in the matter of taxation every

One of the coatroom boys of a big the support and strength of the Broadway hotel plaintively told of the ment that he had received in early hours of the

previous morning from the enthusiastic guests of a hilarious dinner party. "What kind of a

A FEW SMILES

Not long ago a certain Michigan

food inspector was watching a stand

HOREY R

dinner was it?" asked a sympathetic

this life, get disgrunt be satisfied with that

believe that she could do it if she did.' wanted to. "She told me that

And it sometimes happens that wo-men who display good judgment at bar-gain sales get the worst of it when it comes to selecting husbands.

for congress, at least in the First district, less than three fourths of their

CURTIS P. COE.

influence of which must be redissemi

nated among the future deserving poor

Frankly, I am pleased with the arti-

I trust that it will not be an intru-

sion to ask a little space for a few

It is good, it is well, indeed, to glad-

of the unfortunate needy during the

Charity is kind, beautiful. It floats

supplementary thoughts in connection

cle in question, and believe a generous

response will result.

more prophetic. The war of which crop here in the United States. Earl Grey, spoke has come. That is not unlikely.

which Eary Grey foresaw must ulti- in America. mately, unless checked, break down civilization.

with the debts of the Boer war, war that is but a skirmish in comconflict to be paid?

Think of the burden cast upon every average man in Europe, a burden that must be borne for generations, and then think of the stupidity of those who have been calling upon Woodrow Wilson to lead an invading army into Mexico!

IS BEEFSTEAK IMMORAL?

HE world is warned by Dr. eating too much meat. He says: en cannot live as Christians should. problem. There is an old saying, "Meat,

life. Americans who have prided rather than of clothes. themselves that they had meat on their tables were in fact the unfortunates, rather than people who managed to exist without OUNTY COMMISSIONER prices above par. These bonds in our own nation, and a word of meat except at weddings and funerals.

However, there is consolation to be gained from Dr. Wolzmiller's macadam and hard surface pave- loan at four per cent, the bonds tinue much longer at their pres- between \$4000 and \$17,000 per 000 was placed at a premium at bound to decrease. There is a ence of other communities, neither needed. silver lining to every cloud.

GIANT SUBMARINES

cruising radius enabling them to and one half miles were macadam- result was a decision to sell the with the majority given for the dry ecome integral parts of American ized, sixteen feet wide, at a cost entire remaining \$2,000,000. fleets sent far from their base.

to have 1200 tons displacement, terial \$11,621.25.

making them more than twice as The nearest approach to Com- doubting people once realize the vided concerning the question of wet or asylum. He was taken all over the eslarge as the German submarines missioner Lightner's estimate was real status. which have been playing havoc on the Pleasant View road where

Words could scarcely have been greater use of the South's cotton and comforts while others were to his power to lighten the burden of to gladden the herats and fill the stom-The Jefferson girls are worthy so, and if there is a growing class made it is impossible for the assessor it came because the cost of mili- of commendation. They are doing unable to exchange labor for the to make a creditable showing. tarism was "becoming intolerable" what they can to help solve a means of survival, then unemploy-

Its tall in money is the least of directly affects the South and indi- at solution should be urgent. Its cost, but it is piling up war rectly the entire country. They Meanwhile, when communities law whereby the assessor may make a while the financially impoverished to distrust the people and to wish to pacity. debts under which Europe is al- have joined in a movement seeking are trying in various ways to rem- difference in this class of valuations, ready staggering and at a rate utilization of American cotton here edy local conditions, no man has to the betterment of the land owner dren and themselves with hearts of ous antagonism between classes. Capi-who holds his land for agricultural gratitude, yet there is that inherent tal and labor were in sharp conflict. No doubt in the

An expert points out that there patient insistence that there is not for speculative purposes. You say and mother which promits them to the tween them. Interests harshly dashed are enough spindles in America, if "work for all who will." There is also that the assessors' meeting is of Great Britain is still struggling operated to their capacity, to take not in the winter season and has office holders. This is true, and it is care of three fourths of our cotton, not been for 30 years, "work for to be hoped we will have the hearty money? fought half a generation ago, a and that other mills could be es- all who will," and it is the duty cooperation of the press of the state to possess the necessary means if Porttablished within a year whereby it of all to do what they can to mitiparison. How are the inconceivable would be possible for the United gate the condition until broader good throughout the state. debts of the present unparalleled States to absorb 12,000,000 bales fundamental measures can be apof the next crop. Europe has been plied to the cause rather than to County Assessor of Marion County.

ANXIOUS TO WORK

five times in Portland Tues-

interstate bridge bonds at a price

buying our cotton, but Europe is the symptoms. too busy fighting to keep her spin-

dles running. Forty cotton dresses may not dibut their indirect effect cannot be estimated. Forty dresses will mean more of the same fabric; their influence will multiply in geometri- day. The entire issue brought bet- tremely careful. Most of the people

cal progression. There is another phase to the some of the bids running as high

Louis R. Wolzmiller, physical question. Schools are supposed to as 3.05 per cent above par. director of the New York be genuine democratic institutions. | The day before, in Seattle, the West Side Y. M. C. A., against But dress has established undemo- city council sold \$829,500 of five time? They may be coming here with cratic distinctions. Sober-minded per cent bridge bonds at par and Juicy steaks are good for the pal- educators have proposed moderate accrued interest. There was unexate, but an over indufgence will keep priced uniforms, especially for pected competition for the securi- free government they will have swal-more than one man out of heaven, priced uniforms, especially for the dross ties and the buver of the bonds lowed up our homes, our industries and Irritable, high strung, quarrelsome girls, as a solution for the dress ties and the buyer of the bonds lowed up our homes, our industries and

The forty Jefferson High girls brokers protested that another for strong men and milk for have furthered the movement for twenty-four hours would, in all gence when it once gets a grip on us an authority as Dr. Wolzmiller de- present cotton situation in the their own or other bond houses. clares that the world has lived for South, these girls have taken a ages holding to a false theory of stand for an aristocracy of merit disposed of \$250,000 five per cent built.

ESTIMATE TOO LOW

tenders for the entire issue at whole world. LIGHTNER is credited with were oversubscribed eight times. the statement that the dif- Some time ago Philadelphia auference between the cost of thorized a \$7,000,000 thirty year

ONGRESS will be asked by vard a distance of one and one the treasurer's office opened the submarines. These craft are this amount \$4,578.97 was for la- women, were still in line, and bedesigned not merely for coast de- bor and \$5,874.27 for material. fore the day ended \$500,000 more

of \$19,376.63, or \$7600 per mile. Money is anxious to work. These These under-water vessels are Of this there was paid out for ma- bond sales are concrete evidence any only they will not say so in their good stories. One he tells concerns a

be idle and comfortless. If this is taxation, but in many localities where achs of all the deserving needy, all special road and school levies are the time? solution simple.

I note what you say about land held

serious economic problem which ment is a real problem and efforts for speculative purposes. Your state-Mirectly affects the South and indi-at solution should be urgent ment is absolutely true and I hope to to men, brotherhood, love.

a right to hold aloof with the im- and stockraising purposes only, and nature within the soul of every father more importance than those of most presents themselves. encourage our efforts, for these meetings alrady have done considerable be provided for those who are willing

BEN F. WEST.

Apprehensive of Immigration. Clackamas, Or., November 16 .- To

tence has passed into the ravages of

heeded.

the Editor of The Journal-Oregon is a the contrary. comparatively new state, and while rectly affect the cotton situation, TX per cent improvement bonds there is lots of undeveloped country, it aggregating nearly \$100,000 will be better for all concerned if

Annually we are spending millions in and for eastern manufactured goods. thus giving employment to eastern people; while those millions should be were oversubscribed nearly are careful about making new laws. In regard to new immigration from forspent at home, for goods manufactured eign countries, I would say to be exhere, thus employing our own people. Portland could and should employ its

ter than 2.25 per cent premium, we have in Oregon have grown up with own toilers. It could and should manthe country, and have been educated ufacture the very goods for which we here and are a part of our nation. But send to eastern states. If there be what can be said of the immigrants any sound, intelligent reason why we coming to our shores at the present should send raw material east to be returned to us in the finished product. those old tyrant laws so firmly seated paying a useless freight each way, and in their consciousness that before we employing eastern rather than our are able to teach them the laws of a own people, will some one wiser than I produce that reason?

It is true that we have many among had to raise his bid. Unsuccessful our laws, and leave us but the husks us that need charity, but they want, of bygone industries. Ignorance de- they need, employment more. velops so much faster than intelli- people are employed at reasonable wages, "good times" always result. babes." Now, however, so great simplicity. Entirely outside the probability, see better bids from that it takes years and ages to recover. When people are unemployed, the op-And then the truth is so covered up posite must prevail.

In conclusion, I wish again to heart-Last week Multnomah county that it has to be dragged from the very dust before a country can be reily commend the spirit which fathered that excellent article and which has We known foreign countries have" evoked this letter, of \$101.35. There were sixteen grown until the very struggle for exis-

C. LOUIS BARZEE. Negligence in Tronson Case.

bidders, seven of whom put in war, spreading devastation over the We feel the oppression Portland, Or., Nov. 19 .- To the Editor of The Journal-This case of Tronwarning in the time of need may be son having threatened Emma Ulrich's MRS. VIOLA BURR. life and the authorities ordering him out of town, reminds one of slapping a

Mr. Coe Discusses the Votes murderer's wrist for committing a warning. If juicy beefsteaks con-tinue much longer at their press between \$4000 and \$17000 and \$17 he did. He might papers of the state are drawing lessons town. Probably ent prices the number of people mile. His estimate is too low. It the time. Sale of the remainder election. Some are rejoicing that no At any rate, he was permitted to annoy to suit themselves from the recent have gone to St. Johns, and returned. you are interested in its findings, they will keep out of heaven is is not substantiated in the experi- was deferred until the money was prohibitionist was elected, and assur- her-yes, permitted to annoy her, after ng their readers that the laws-will he had threatened to kill her. Now,

certainly be well enforced now, be- I ask, did her employers allow this port. It was made for you, for your is it supported by the records of Two weeks ago \$825,000 of Multhomah county for this year. the securities were placed on sale inform the voters whether they were in If they did, well for them; if not, then As an The records show that the cost "over the city treasurer's counter." favor of a dry Oregon or not. I won- it is negligence on their part. Their of macadamizing Columbia boule- Within an hour and a half after der if the people of Germany would report with hers would bear more think it a great cause of rejoicing if weight.

the naval board to authorize half miles, sixteen feet wide, was entire \$825,000 had been gathered the kaiser had placed at the head of but their responsibility, as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility as com-the construction of eight giant at a responsibility at a response at a responsibility at a responsibility at a respon out of the state, is as a pebble com-Germany or France.

fense, but are expected to have a On the Section Line road, two bonds were subscribed for. The dates for congress is almost identical tempt for such negligence. received by the three prohibition candi- negligent. I dare not speak my con-

amendment. If this is read aright i shows that the other parties, which

John Burns always has a stock of that good times are here if a platforms, are just about equally di- visit he once paid to a London lunatic

dry, and it is the Prohibition party that tablishment, and finally arrived at the casts the deciding vote. Pretty good gardens, where a number of patients

men of affairs, the integrity of her tion the bankers of meeting so far as possible in a busieconomic processes, the morality and ness-like fashion and in the spirit of good faith of many of the things which How can this be done? I believe its her law sustained. Those who had the new time which is opening before

power, whether in business or in poli- us. The railroads of the country are tics, were almost universally looked almost as much affected, not so much

see the next legislature pass some must not lose sight of the fact that, the unjust. They in their turn seemed tion by doubt as to their earning ca-"There is no other interest so cenclass will receive gifts for their chil- limit their control. There was an omin-

> without prospect of accommodation besupreme desire of bestowing these which should have coperated. "This was not merely the work of How can they, do this without irresponsible agitators. There were

They can't. But they would real wrongs which cried out to be righted, and fearless men had called with promise of the best things. attention to them, demanding that they land would see to it that employment be dealt with by law. We were living to work and a "rockpile" for those under a tariff which had been purposewho are not. Wherever and whenever ly contrived to confer private favors

a municipality is unable to furnish upon those who were cooperating to keep the party that originated it in employment for its willing toilers, that power: and in all that too fertile soil municipality is overgrown, abnormal, despite anything that may be said to of monopoly had sprung up. Credit.

the very life of trade, the very air men must breath if they would meet their opportunities, was too largely in the control of the same small groups who had planted and cultivated monopoly. The control of all big business, and by consequence, of all little business, too, was for the most part potentially, if not actually, in their hands.

"And the thing stood so until the banking system seems to me to sym-Democratic party came into power last bolize all of it. The opening of the your. The legislation of the past year and a half has in very large measure ated for the emancipation we seek. The 16th of November, 1914, will be done away with these things. With their correction, suspicion and ill-will will pass away. For not only have notable as marking the time when we sea traditions and the kernel of what those things been righted, but new were best able to realize just what things have been put into action which had happened."

SOUTH AMERICAN TRADE NO EASY MARK

You see, Germany built her South By John M. Oskison, An opportunity for the United States to extend its trade and for our investthe people down there the money 'ors to widen the field of their operathey used to pay for Germany's goods. tions was created by the war in Eu-To cities, states, and to big manufac-We were prompt to see that rope. turing and producing companies, as South America must turn to us to take well as to railroad, trolley, and eleccare of her wants-in trade and in tric light and power companies, Gerfinancing. many and England have loaned yast

How could we respond, and how sums. In return, the borrowers bought Among many who asked these soon? from Germany and England the sup pertinent questions was Mr. Redfield, plies they needed. So a trade was secretary of commerce. To obtain

built up. authoritative answers, he appointed a It is both an expensive and slow commission of 20 of the best qualifield rocess - German economists frankly that German's South Ameri That commission has reported. If can business has cost too much. Still. the ground has been broken; this commission points the way to success in establishing American trade down there. It will be necessary for us to buy

the better class of securities put out As an investor, you will be interby South America. We ought to know

mation available in the department of the construction of eight giant \$10,503.24, or \$7000 per mile. Of up. One hundred people, men and whether they were in sympathy with whose power it was to put the man countries is largely dependent upon its commerce at Washington. Ask especially for this report. satisfactory solution.

> some slight acquaintance, and was they rest after the day's toil and est about to speak to him, when the lunatic their bread and enjoy the solace of that peace that can be had nowhere suddenly exclaimed: else than at home. Imagine these 1,000,000 homes de-

last person I thought to see here!"

and children homeless, their dwellings A Million Homes. pillaged and burned, every possession From the New York Mail. of value swept away, seized by an ene-A million homes. That is in roundmy or turned into charred wreckage figures the number in this huge city. Imagine this and you have some

light of the new day, with its new understandings, the problems of the

Dresses with a simple taste, lurnurs now and then of "duty," Rails against all househild waste. railroads will also be met and dealt with in a spirit of candor and justice." When her sport attraction loses "For the future is clear and bright Arabella will be free take any man shall advance and advance How I hope that she'll We

together, with a new spirit, a new enthuslasm, a new cordiality of spirited cooperation. "It is an inspiring prospect. Our

task is henceforth to work, not for ended, with as much galigntry as it any single interest, but for all the inwas played. To sail on hostile seas, the bad, interlaced growth and jungle terests of the country as a dnited to work like a maritime weasel with whole.

skill and courage, stealth and speed, "The future will be very different to cut out prizes, fat hend out of a from the past, which we shall present-ly look back upon, I venture to say, as hen house, from under the nose of the watch dogs, to escape trais and conupon a bad dream. The future will tinue depredations, conscious of the be different in action and different in waxing wrath of the plundared watchspirit, a time of healing, because a ers-this on the sea is to go back to time of just dealing and cooperation the days of the English raider between men made equal before the against the Spanish weakly, law in fact as well as in name. I am speaking of this because the new

stroyed, leaving 6,000,000 men, women

Hawkins and Drake and Probisher. That is why the British, who suffered from the inroads of the German federal reserve bank seems to me to cruiser, demanding its destruction, admiring o be the principal agency we have cre- nevertheless were most its achievements. This is the kernel of what the British inherig from their they respect in seamen.

In the muck of destruction where masses of men fight so humerously that a census alone can reveal the dead, the individual is a gnat in a whiriwind. The Emden and its men, while they lasted were conspicuous American trade largely by lending to and tasted that, glorification of existence which comes sublimated out of risk. They were without a friendly port, without a means of victualing and coaling, except as othey selzed ships and took from them what they needed. They could, with the best of luck, endure only so long.2 Their fate was written. They merely did not know the size of the voluide

Legal Questions,

Bend, Or., Nov. 15 .- To the Editor of The Journal-Have companies having land reclaimed from the state government the right to Jease It to tockmen for grazing purposes? Can a man owning a ditch collect damages where range stock destroy it, or can owner of stock be made to

say

keep the ditch in repair? P. A. [The Journal cannot undertake to aswer legal questions involving the giving of legal advice or the rendering of an opinion. Inqui consult their attorneys, instead !

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espied Ten times 100,000 places that men and faint idea of what has happened in work for the Prohibitionists. The new two miles were macadamized at a If the statements of eye wit- I may also mention that while the among them a man with whom he had women and children call home, where Belgium.

J. J. OSTER.

"Well, I never! You, too,! The very

It is worthy of mention that the vote pared with a mountain. Some one was

Surprise for Both.

ask for a copy of the commission's re-

suggest that you write to the secretary of commerce at Washington and

ested in this passage from the report "The question of creating a market

more about the people and the enter-

prises back of the securities. I don't know a better way to begin to find for Latin-American securities in the United States is highly important. The out than by asking for all the infor-