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## NATIONAL PATRIOTISM.

There is something remarkable in the patriotism of the average American citizen. For simple intensity it has no equal in any country on earth. The American citizen is proud of his country and her institutions as he has a right to be, and the respect shown to President Harrison as the representative head of these is but the natural exhibition of this pride. In this city tomorrow as in every place the president may visit, all distinctions of party, sect and creed will be forgotten in the common desire to do him honor. Men who have bitterly opposed him at the polls will be foremost and heartiest to give him the hand of welcome. All this is as it should be and is as distinct from the servile homage and flunkeyism of the average subjects of monarchy and aristocracy as freedom is different from slavery.

Two months have already passed since the law went into effect authorizing the state to build a portage railway at the Cascades, and the general government granted the right of way for the same, and up to this moment nothing has been done in the way of locating the road so that the portage commission could go to work to build it. Meanwhile the river has been slowly rising so as to render it more difficult and expensive to build the inclines at either end of the road. We do not believe the portage commission is to blame for the delay except in so far as they have put any faith in Major Handbury's profession that he desired to see the road built and built at the expense of the general government. If the Mayor's pretensions are sincere why has he not located the road so that the commission could go to work without delay? We have lost all patience with this dillydallying mayor. It is a pity that any suggestions of his were ever listened to for a moment. There is a fatuity of postponement and delay connected with everything he touches, relating to the opening of the Columbia river. It was not sufficient that he should have contributed to the defeat of the Raley bill by giving representative McCoy an excuse to fight it under the pretense that it would cost a million to build the road on the Oregon side. He must pretend that he is in favor of the government building the portage at the Cascade, and the moment the portage commission listened to him, at that moment began another series of those delays and postponements that have cursed everything he has touched, looking to the relief of the people of Eastern Oregon.

The town of Dufur has just put into operation the most unique, effective and inexpensive system of water works we know of anywhere. They have placed an old fashioned over-shot wheel, eight feet in diameter, near the creek from which the water is easily conveyed to drive the wheel. A two inch supply pipe is sufficient for the wants of the community and the wheel furnishes the power to drive the water to an ample reservoir at an elevation back of the town. The wheel made its first revolution of 80 to the minute on the 28th ultimo and it works like a charm. It raises more water than the people can use and they use it everywhere. In fact word comes to this office that compared with the Dufur water works The Dalles system is simply nowhere. But this is not all. The Dufurites see wonderful possibilities in their little overshoot wheel. They intend to use it as the power for an electric light plant for the town, and as this use would only employ it during the night, they talk of making it run a chopping mill and turning lathe during the day, at intervals when it is not needed to supply water. We shall not be much surprised if somebody hitches an attachment to it that will enable it to milk cows, split kindling wood and put the children to bed at night.

One of the leading grain shippers of Portland predicts that the day will soon come when our wheat will be shipped in steel barges to Panama, where it will be transferred to Colon by rail and there reshipped to Europe. There are eleven lines of steamers plying between Colon and Great Britain and Europe, and by this route wheat can reach its destination much more cheaply and quickly than via the Horn. The gentleman making this prediction has every confidence that it will prove correct. If it does it will work quite a revolution in business on this coast.—Express.

When trees leave in the spring the same one always "carries off the palm."

## HOOD RIVER.

It is surprising what variety of climate still remains within the limits of what is still left of Wasco county. There is the Arctic cold of the western boundary, part of which is a region of perpetual snow and ice as well as the semi-tropical heat of the Columbia bottom nearly 11000 feet below. In the southeast we have a vast hilly stock range where there is very light rain-fall, while in the extreme northwest we have a precipitation nearly equal to that of the Willamette Valley. Midway between all these extremes of heat and cold, of depression and elevation, of drought and moisture lies the beautiful little valley of Hood River. The valley proper is not so much the depression created, in the lapse of centuries by the rush of waters from the summit of the Cascade Mountains, as it is a stretch of high bench land on either side of Hood River rising up out of the Columbia on the north and reaching back to within less than a dozen miles from the base of Mount Hood. On either side of this plane rise abrupt and precipitous mountains running north and south and nearly parallel with the main body of Hood River. On the north across the Columbia there is a chain of similar mountains running parallel with the river, with Mount Adams in the distance; on the south and visible almost everywhere stands Mount Hood. Hemmed in by mountain and river, the valley presents a picture of scenic beauty nowhere equalled in Eastern Oregon and scarcely excelled anywhere else. But this is not all, for in this prosaic age few are able to subsist on scenery alone.

The Hood river valley has a climate all its own. It is neither so hot in summer nor so cold in winter as other parts of Eastern Oregon, while compared with the Willamette valley it is much cooler in summer if it is colder in winter. If the residents of the valley are to be accepted as judges of its climate then there is no place on earth like Hood River. One enthusiast, who has long resided there, said to the writer: "All we want is an irrigating ditch on either side of the river and then a man need not die to go to heaven." A lady, who lately married one of Hood River's most prosperous farmers, and who previous to her marriage had resided amid the "beauty and chivalry" of Washington, D. C., was equally pronounced in her admiration of her new home. That seems to be a way they all have and really, after a person has "done" the valley from one end to the other, and has had an opportunity to test its delightful climate he begins to think they are not far astray. The writer has no interests there whatever, and does not know that he ever shall have any, but despite the effort to curb the expression of his admiration he is constrained to put it on record that, after a thorough acquaintance with every part of it, extending over several years, he cannot think of any spot on earth he has ever visited, take it for all in all, in everything that goes to make a perfect climate, to equal the Hood river valley.

Baby is sick.—The woeful expression of a Des Moines teamster's countenance showed his deep anxiety was not entirely without cause, when he inquired of a druggist of the same city what was best to give a baby for a cold? It was not necessary for him to say more, his countenance showed that the pet of the family, if not the idol of his life was in distress. "We give our baby Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," was the druggist's answer. "I don't like to give the baby such strong medicine," said the teamster. You know John Oleson, of the Watters-Talbot Printing Co., don't you? inquired the druggist. "His baby, when eighteen months old, got hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and drank the whole of it. Of course it made the baby vomit very freely but did not injure it in the least, and what is more, it cured the baby's cold. The teamster already knew the value of the Remedy, having used it himself, and was now satisfied that there was no danger in giving it even to a baby. For sale by Snipes & Kinerly.

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The Berlin correspondent of a syndicate of provincial papers is responsible for the following story: "On the occasion of the reassembling of the holy synod in the Russian capital it was resolved to forward to his majesty, in accordance with traditional usage, the archpastoral benediction. The clerk who was employed to prepare the document formally communicating the pious resolution made a curious mistake. By a slip of the pen he wrote 'architectural' instead of 'archpastoral', and the resolution was forwarded without the error being detected.

"When the czar received it he laughed heartily and wrote on the margin, 'I have no need of such a blessing.' He then dismissed the matter from his mind. The document, however, with the imperial annotation, found its way back to the holy synod, and produced among the members of that body the greatest surprise and consternation. Without stopping to investigate the matter the ecclesiastics who were responsible for the resolution jumped to the conclusion that they had in some way or other incurred the czar's displeasure, and that his majesty's comment was an intimation to them that they were expected immediately to resign.

"They accordingly went in a body to the imperial palace and humbly tendered their joint and several resignations. It was now the turn of the czar to be overwhelmed with amazement, and it was only after a good deal of embarrassment and reciprocal explanations that the matter was set right. The interview terminated with a mild hint on the part of his majesty that, even in the records of religious bodies, verbal accuracy is a very desirable quality."

## The Time for Pansy Beds.

There is nothing more attractive in the early spring than a pansy bed. In order to secure blossoms early the plants must have attained a proper size under glass. It is necessary, therefore, to sow pansy seed early. Any long wooden box fitted into a sunny window in a moderately cold room, but where it does not freeze, will do for a seedbox. Be sure the earth is rich, well fertilized with thoroughly rotted compost and woodmold, and that it is fine and friable, so the tiny seed can easily thrust down their slender roots in it. Keep the earth moderately moist after sowing the seed, and in a short time the little plants will be up and growing.

It requires some resolution to thin out the greater portion of them in order to give those that are left sufficient room to grow, but this must be done without sparing or all the plants will be weaklings. Very pretty effects can be produced by raising a box of white or nearly white pansies for a border, and a box of mixed, dark, velvety ones for the center of the bed. These quaint, blotched, lovely flowers seem more like living things than any other blossoms. "Old ladies" is the German name for them, but the English name of pansy from "our thoughts" has a touch of finer fancy.—New York Tribune.

## Presents at Easter.

The custom of giving Easter presents grows every year, and now this festival is second only to the supreme one of Christmas in this regard. A few years ago an Easter card, or at most an egg shaped bonbonniere filled with sweetmeats, was the height of a giver's ambition. Now the limit is difficult to set. A palm in a hundred dollar jar, a priceless Watteau fan or an old miniature, rare and costly, may do duty as an Easter offering if the shrine is especially worshiped and your purse is in keeping with your desire.

The egg element has been considerably eliminated in the modern Easter, bonbon boxes having suddenly taken on an almost indefinite variety. Those in Dresden china are undoubtedly the most to be prized. Certainly porcelain candy boxes are the most sensible, as they outlive the confections and the day. One hears, however, of \$150 paid for a hand painted bonbonniere exquisitely decorated with ribbons, feathers and real lace—all of which, barring the lace, is wickedy perishable, considering the price. Beautiful gifts are the small portrait screens which are copies in miniature of Louis Seize designs and the Sedan chairs in Dresden.—New York Times.

## Giving New York Children a Vacation.

Those who apply for a chance to send their children to the country are instructed that they must be poor and needy, without any infectious disease, clean and free from vermin. A physician then inspects each child. Dr. C. C. Vinton was the examining physician last year, and he examined nearly 15,000 children, of whom about 5,000 were sent into the country. Each day the board of health furnished a list of the houses where there was any contagious disease, which was of immense help. With that list before him it was easy for the examiner to stop any child who came from an infected house. The majority were refused on account of their hopeless condition as to vermin. It is a herculean task to get the average tenement house child in a suitable condition to be received into country families.—Rev. Willard Parsons in Scribner's.

New York's good friend, Ismail, the ex-khedive of Egypt, who presented the city with the obelisk in Central park, is still practically a prisoner at Constantinople. He is confined in a palace, and when he goes out is always accompanied by an ill looking lot of Turks. There are ostensibly his guard of honor, but in reality they are soldiers who never lose sight of their distinguished prisoner.

D. D. Martin, of Dublin, Cal., made quite a raid on the squirrels after a recent storm. He prepared five gallons of poisoned barley and scattered it near the squirrel holes on forty acres of land, and succeeded in killing 4,821 by actual count.

Oklahoma is nearly as large as the state of Ohio. It has 60,000 inhabitants, a large number than either Wyoming or Nevada has, and is now about ready for statehood.

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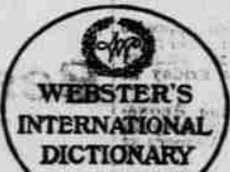
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