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The Salem grange has resolved that "Whereas, it is shown by national statistics that capital invested in agriculture does not yield more than 3 per cent. therefore resolved, that farmers should not carry on their business on borrowed money at the current rates of interest; that we are opposed to the credit system and the mortgage system."

The January number of the Forum has turned the light on the business methods of the Louisiana Lottery company and for the first time has explained in brief compass the workings of this huge fraud.

The supreme court of the United States has just ruled that a shipper over a railroad cannot be compelled to testify before the interstate commission as to whether or not he has been allowed freight rates below the schedule list fixed for the public.

The state of Iowa has passed a law that ought to have a healthy effect on the tramp nuisance. It declared that any male person sixteen years of age or over who is physically able to work, who wanders about begging or idle and who cannot show reasonable efforts to secure employment, shall be deemed a tramp.

The Salem Journal, speaking of the great Objector, says: "A watch-dog of the treasury is a nice thing to brag about in a platform but a very uncomfortable animal to have around when you wish a special appropriation, as in the case of Governor Penoyer asking \$430,000 of Holman and the democratic congress for a portage railway."

The Astorian is responsible for the statement that John L. Sullivan has wired to Washington that in case of war with Chili, he'll go down there and help lick 'em. That settles it. Tura her loose Mr. Harrison. When Chili sees John L., coming, she'll get down behind a log.

The Eugene Guard says that from information received from nearly every portion of the first congressional district it appears almost certain that Senator Veatch will receive the nomination for congressman on the democratic ticket. His integrity and probity the Guard thinks will insure him a hearty support.

The new Australian ballot law requires that the state ticket of each party shall be filed in the secretary of state's office at least forty-five days before election. The county ticket must be filed thirty days before election.

An Exciting Chase After a Burning Tug.

Four men struggled for their lives on a burning tug three miles from shore one morning recently in the gathering dawn. The men were the crew of the tug John A. Miller, suddenly aroused to find the engine house a mass of flames.

A mile away east the crew of the tug Welcome saw the flames of the burning boat. The throttle was thrown wide open, and the little boat, with the whistle tooting hope for the imperiled crew, plunged through the heavy sea toward the burning tug.

An Island All Ablaze. The steamer China has arrived from Hong-Kong and Yokohama. While the steamer was between Hong-Kong and Yokohama on the return trip to San Francisco an imposing sight was witnessed by the passengers and crew.

Redeemed After Many Days. Several years ago a resident of Delhi placed seven five dollar bills for keeping in the fancy piece surmounting the parlor stove. The latter hardly ever came into use, and it was his intention to remove the money on the following day.

An Ingot Weighing 90,000 Pounds. The first ingot of nickel steel to be used in the manufacture of armor plate for the United States navy was cast in the open hearth department of the Bethlehem iron works on Saturday afternoon.

Theodore Thomas' Baton. The baton presented to Theodore Thomas by the Germania club, of Chicago, is made of the whitest ivory, fifteen inches long and three-quarters of an inch thick.

Girls Will Furnish the Cuticle. Several months ago Ernest Schmitz, of Laporte, Ind., was severely burned with gasoline, and his physician has decided that the only way his injuries can be healed is by skin grafting.

A Boy's Thanksgiving. "Well, Johnny, what are you thankful for?" asked the invited guest. "Nuthin," said the boy. "I ain't had any luck this year. On'y had one cold all the fall, 'n that wasn't bad enough to keep me out of school more'n a day. My chum's had mumps, 'n has been out three weeks."—Harper's Bazar.

The Right to Privacy.

Two decisions have recently been rendered by important tribunals which rebuke the tendency to interfere with the right of the citizen to be let alone.

The court, in setting this man free, declared its belief that the home-should have every possible safeguard thrown around it. The other decision mentioned is in a case of a very unusual character.

Killed the Bear with a Penknife. A big yearling bear was killed on Friday on Little Mountain, near Parkersburg, W. Va., by John Hall, seventeen years old, and Mont Black, twelve years of age.

Curious Marrying Mistake. At the parish church of Briery Hill, on the borders of the Black country, a curious mistake occurred a few days ago.

A Cricket Bowling Machine. Recently a patent bowling machine for the use of cricketers, for practicing purposes, was exhibited in England.

Divorced in Fifty-seven Seconds. In the district court at Galveston Friday the suit of Mattie Brooks against her husband, William Brooks, was on the docket for trial.

Mining from a Balloon. Think of a mining enterprise conducted by soaring aloft in a balloon. There are many ore producing ledges on the precipitous sides of hills in the Rocky mountains.

An Alternative. Bobby—I'm afraid, papa, that you will have to get me a new suit or a new pair of skates. Father—Why so, my son? Bobby—Because the skates I have now are so old that I'll fall with them and tear my clothes, and I won't if I have a new pair.—New York Truth.

People in Boston who knew the late E. A. White are wondering about his will. He left \$350,000 to his widow, and then lovingly reflected that his daughter might also need something to comfort her during a rainy day, so he left her an umbrella—"only this and nothing more."

An important dam across the Androscoggin river at Rumford Falls, Me., has just been completed. Its object is to improve the water power at that point. This dam is 440 feet long, fifty-six feet wide at the bottom and about twenty feet high.

Of the 500,000,000 persons who were carried last year on steam vessels but sixty-five were killed. This shows that this means of travel is the safest in the world.

A Kansas man has been compelled to pay a fine of fifty dollars for kissing the hand of a beautiful woman who objected to the familiarity.

SOCIETIES.

ASSEMBLY NO. 427, K. OF L.—Meets in K. of P. hall the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

DALLES ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER NO. 6.—Meets in Masonic Hall the third Wednesday of each month at 7 P. M.

MODERN WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.—M. Hood Camp No. 59, Meets Tuesday evening of each week in the K. of P. Hall, at 7:30 P. M.

COLUMBIA LODGE, NO. 5, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in K. of P. hall, corner Second and Court streets.

FRIENDSHIP LODGE, NO. 9, K. of P.—Meets every Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock, in Schanno's building, corner of Court and Second streets.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION will meet every Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the reading room. All are invited.

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 3, A. O. U. W.—Meets at K. of P. Hall, corner Second and Court Streets, Thursday evenings at 7:30.

JAS. NESMITH POST, No. 32, G. A. R. E.—Meets every Saturday at 7:30 P. M., in the K. of P. Hall.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. O. D. Taylor, Pastor. Morning services every Sabbath at the academy at 11 A. M. Sabbath School immediately after morning services.

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