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### THE AUSTRALIAN BALLOT LAW MANDATORY.

The county court of Gilliam county have, on the ground of economy, refused to provide polling booths, as prescribed by the new Australian ballot law. As we are jointly interested with Gilliam county in the election of a member of congress, a state senator, a circuit judge, a district attorney and member of the state board of equalization, it should not be considered impertinence on our part if we insist that the new law makes the providing of compartments or booths where the elector may prepare his ballot with absolute secrecy mandatory and not discretionary with the county court. Section 56 of the Australian ballot law, which is the only election law now in force in the state says in part: "He, (the elector) shall furnish in the manner directed by such county court, a sufficient number of such compartments, shelves, or tables in or at which electors may conveniently prepare their ballots for voting, so that in the preparation thereof each elector may be screened from the observation of other persons. The arrangement shall be such that neither the ballot boxes, or the compartments, shelves or tables, or the electors while preparing their ballots, shall be hidden from view of those just outside the said guard rail, or from the judges; and yet the same shall be far enough removed and so arranged that the elector may conveniently prepare his ballot for voting with absolute secrecy. There shall be provided in each polling place not less than one such compartment, shelf or table for every forty electors to vote and each polling place shall have at least three such compartments, shelves or tables." Thus the law very clearly prescribes the manner in which an election is to be conducted and in section 9 it lays down the principle that "all general or special elections hereafter held in this state shall be conducted under the provisions of this act." If Gilliam county ignores the law one result will follow, that is, the entire vote of the county will be declared void and the present county and precinct officers will hold their places for two years more.

The second congressional district of this state is largely republican. Hence the nominee for representative of the republican party, whoever he may be, is almost certain to be elected. Upon the republicans, therefore, rests the responsibility of choosing a man who will best serve the interest of the Inland Empire and the whole state. If Eastern Oregon can unite to name such a man his nomination will be assured, but care should be taken that the Simon, Portland ring is not allowed to dictate the nominee. We want a man devoted to the interests of Eastern Oregon in general and to an open river in particular. Of all the republican candidates named from this side the mountains the CHRONICLE gives the decided preference to W. R. Ellis. He has an excellent record both as a public servant of the people and a private citizen and if he is connected with any clique or faction it is unknown to us.

A Wasco county democratic paper that earnestly advocates free wool enters this solemn protest against the placing of woolen manufactures on the free list. "We can earnestly, conscientiously call upon any citizen who loves our institutions, our land and the welfare of our workers in the textile industries to think of these things and to combat any such extreme measures as placing manufacturers of wool on the free list at once, such as the Oregonian has got into the habit of advocating." Free wool and taxed wools may do for the bloated manufacturers of the east, but an Oregon man who advocates it is a traitor to his country.

Patti has refused to sing in Portland and that city will be financially ten thousand dollars the richer. The Telegram accepts the ultimatum of the imperious prima donna with becoming equanimity, and truthfully says ten thousand dollars is too much to pay for any music short of the song the herald angels sing.

The latest candidate for the presidency mentioned by the democratic press is W. S. Holman of Indiana. "We object."

**Utilization of Niagara.**  
It is quite likely that the first large contract the company which is to supply power from Niagara Falls will take for the delivery of power at a distance from its central station will be to light the city of Buffalo. This will require \$8,000 horse power. The present value of a horse power generated from steam in Buffalo is \$35 per annum. The company is now willing to contract to furnish on its grounds at Niagara Falls horse power per annum of twenty-four hour days at these rates: For 5,000 horse power, \$10 per horse power; for 4,500, \$10.50; for 4,000, \$11; and so on down to 300 horse power, for which there will be charged \$31 per horse power per annum.

If there be not a very great loss of power in the transmission to Buffalo, it seems very likely that the company will have no difficulty in underbidding any concern now using steam as the motive power for the electric lights, as the loss by transmission is considerably less than 20 per cent. About the use of water power of the great falls in Buffalo within a year or so there can be no doubt. When it shall be brought to New York is another matter, but about that there are not so many elements of improbability as to excite men to scoff, for power has already been transmitted electrically a great distance, and that, too, with reasonable economy.—Harper's Weekly.

**Dangerous Experiments.**  
There is a scientific person in England just at present who apparently spends his whole time in hanging newly born infants to a branch of a tree, or rather it is the infants who hang themselves, in consequence of the scientific person's encouragement and advice. The branch is put in an infant's hands, and is then lifted into the air, when it is found that the infant will retain its hold and remain suspended by its hands for fully two minutes. The object of this performance is to show that man is descended from the monkey. It is the scientific person's opinion that if an infant instinctively hangs by its hands from a branch of a tree it is because it has inherited a fondness for that athletic sport from its simian ancestors.

This is all very well; but when the scientific person's practices come to the ears of the mothers of the infants with whom the experiments have been made it is probable that he will somewhat change his opinion as to the descent of man and will adopt the view that man has been developed, on his mother's side, from a thrashing machine of complicated construction and tremendous strength.—Paris Herald.

**Where Land Brings Fabulous Prices.**  
A chronicler of the days of the good Haroun-al-Raschid, seated on a minaret of his paradise, with a list of New York real estate quotations spread out before him, would be seized with an impulse to write the story of our prosperity in jeweled characters on cloth of gold. And if he should describe Manhattan as an island overlaid with precious metals and incrustated with diamonds, there would be little fault to find with the metaphor beyond its audacity. In a down town district, but a short time ago, land sold for \$20,000 per frontage foot, the entire lot, 20 by 100 feet, bringing \$400,000. Uptown, in a choice neighborhood, about the same time, \$50,000 was the price paid for a frontage of 30 feet by 100 feet in depth. Thus have the inexorable demands of traffic and the needs of huddling thousands for sleeping room and shelter transmuted the soil beneath the New Yorker's feet into auriferous strata whose value stated in figures becomes almost too dazzling for belief.—Harper's Weekly.

**A Churchyard Garden.**  
In Berlin there appears to be little reverence for the dead. The old cholera churchyard of 1831, which afterward became a cemetery for the poor, has long been neglected, though there have been funerals there during the last ten years. The place is now to be changed. In the lower part of the churchyard, where a new church is to be built, the graves have been opened and the skeletons and remains of coffins taken out to be buried in a general grave higher up, where it is intended to make a public garden.

**An Empress' Good Work.**  
The young empress of China, contrary to all traditional customs, is taking a prominent place in public life. Formerly no one was permitted to appear on the road traversed by her majesty under penalty of death. Now the empress permits his subjects to line the streets when he and his consort travel and to approach them with petitions, to which they listen in the kindest manner. The young empress has commanded the custom of sacrificing human beings in order to propitiate the Goddess of Silk Culture to cease. And she has assisted in planting mulberry trees in the forecourt of the temple where the sacrifices once took place.—New York Sun.

**Fading Red Cloud.**  
Old Red Cloud, who was deposed from his position as chief of the Sioux to make room for American Horse, a younger man, is now a pitiful spectacle, it is said. He frequently visits the Chadron agency and weeps and wails about his fall from power. He is now rapidly going blind, and seems to be dying from a broken heart. His aged squaw remains faithful to him, and he is popular with the Sioux nation.—Exchange.

The discovery of immense fields of coal in Washington has already caused an enormous influx of capital into that state and the output next year is expected to be more than 2,000,000 tons.

There is something pitiful about a woman fighting against the ravages of time, the combat is so unequal. Far and away better is it to accept the inevitable.

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