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A correspondent of the Scientific American tells about a new kind of grass which receives some valuable recommendations—esparto grass. Esparto grass has recently been recommended for introduction into the United States as a fiber plant. It is a native of Spain, Portugal, Greece, and Northern Africa, thriving upon sand and gravel in arid situations, and growing especially well on limestone and gypseous soils. It is not cut, but pulled, sometimes twice a year. It can be grown either from seeds or divisions of the roots. Ten tons of dry esparto, worth from $20 to $25 per ton, can, under favorable circumstances, be obtained from an acre. In Spain, where now the product amounts to from 70,000 to 80,000 tons annually, it formerly ran to waste or was used only as fuel. Now, such is the demand for it, that land considered valueless a few years ago is worth thousands of dollars. About 60,000 tons are sent to Great Britain annually from Spain. In the latter country it is used in the manufacture of ropes, baskets, sandals, natting, etc., while in England it is largely used in making ropes and paper. Good writing paper is made from it without the admixture of any other material, and the price of this paper varies from $200 to $250 per ton. There is certainly an opening in this country for some enterprising individuals to grow this grass.

Dakota makes a residence of three months sufficient to entitle an action for divorce to be filed. This causes many who desire to unhitch to locate there and claim desertion, as the knot can be untied in shorter order than in any other state. The effort to increase the time to six months disclosed the object of the three months' law: The state had received thousands of dollars in consequence of it. Illinois with six months' requirement had lost its supremacy. Dakota shrewdly secured the unhitching business and dollars it naturally brought with it.

The statistics concerning the production of tin plate in this country show that the industry is growing rapidly, and that if Congress lets the McKinley law alone in this particular, the industry will ultimately be established in the United States upon a firm foundation. But as the tin plate provision of the McKinley bill has been one of the chief points of Democratic attack, it is probable that the tariff on tin plate will be reduced before the business becomes so well established that it will not need the protection which it now receives.

Vice President Morton's hobby is said to be forestry. His views on the subject, as given by a New York reporter, are, briefly, as follows: "I shall do all in my power to promote the planting and the cultivation of trees throughout the country. In less than twenty-five years, the rate of timber consumption remaining the same as it is at present, there would not be a tree left in the United States."

Mrs. Ellen M. McClure, of the Sprague Daily Advertiser, is probably the only woman on the Pacific coast publishing a daily paper. She is editor and general manager, as well as a competent compositor, and can be frequently seen feeding the large cylinder press when rushed. This is what we would term western grit in journalism.

The gay plumage of the peacock and the sweet voice of the nightingale are seldom united. Gladstone, with all his prominent virtues and humane motives, is a gold bug.

Does England send over little Kaiulani to make a dramatic show of herself, so that Americans will weep crocodile tears over a foolish sentiment?

Who Wants the Asylum?

Are the business men and citizens of The Dalles going to pay no attention to the location of the insane asylum? A few days ago I put in this paper a small communication regarding this matter, and thought it would certainly stir the thing up a little and that some of the prominent leaders would by this time take some action about it, but it seems as though they are all going to stand still and let some other less deserving town get the prize. Such a valuable addition as this should not be neglected this way. Start the ball rolling and try and get everyone interested in it and we certainly will not be overlooked.

EASTERN OREGON.

NOTICE.

All Dalles City warrants registered prior to May 1, 1891, will be paid if presented at my office. Interest ceases from and after this date.

Dated, Jan. 3d, 1893.

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Specimen Cases.

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with neuralgia and rheumatism, his stomach was disordered, his liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him. Edwd Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold at Snipes & Kinersly's drug store.

It isn't the usual way—it's just the reverse—to pay a patient when you can't cure him. Nevertheless, that's what's done by the proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. They promise to pay you $500 if they can't cure your catarrh, no matter how bad the case. It isn't mere talk—it's business. You can satisfy yourself of it, if you're interested. And you ought to be, if you have catarrh. It's faith in their medicine that's behind the offer. It has cured thousands of the worst cases, where everything else failed. You can be cured, too. If you can't, you get the money. They're willing to take the risk—you ought to be glad to take the medicine.

It's the *cheapest* medicine you can buy, because it's *guaranteed* to give satisfaction, or your money is returned.

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CREDIT Versus CASH!
EXTRACTS FROM THE DAILY PRESS:

From the Daily Chronicle of Feb. 18th.

Of Interest to Merchants.

The suit of A. S. Collins and Mrs. A. S. Collins against H. Herbring of this city, which was to come before the jury yesterday morning, was again postponed. This suit against one of our oldest and best-known dry goods merchants creates considerable comment in commercial circles. It appears that Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Collins obtained under false pretenses and promises at the end of the year 1891, goods to the amount of $50.80 from the defendant; but instead of paying the bill, as agreed, they shortly afterwards left the city by night and moved to California. Last spring Mr. Herbring learned that all their household goods, etc., were in the hands of the sheriff of Wasco county, and consequently placed a second attachment upon the goods held by the sheriff. A portion of these goods were sold last December by the sheriff of Wasco county, as no compromise could be obtained by defendant. And now come the plaintiffs and sue through their attorney, Judge A. S. Bennett, the defendant, for the sum of $175.00. We will watch this suit when it comes before the jury, as we think it is one of great interest to storekeepers.

From the Daily Times-Mountaineer of Feb. 24th.

Razor-Edged Technicalities.

The case of A. S. Collins vs. H. Herbring was on trial in the Circuit Court today, and the jury empanelled were E. W. Trout, Geo. Joles, A. Bettingen, Jr., Geo. W. Miller, S. B. Adams, James Harper, W. C. Hansell, John Wood. Argument was had this morning on a motion to non-suit, made by defendant's counsel, which was taken under advisement until afternoon, when the Judge overruled the motion. The facts appear to be that the plaintiff left this city owing Mr. Herbring, and he attached property for the debt. After the sale of the attached property the defendant attempts to set aside the sale and sues Mr. Herbring for damages, claiming that the proceedings were not technically legal. The razor-edge technicalities of law, we presume, will always remain, but it works great hardships on creditors, in many instances, to be debarred from collecting their just claims from the commission of a clerical error or the misinterpretation of a dubious statutory provision.

From the Daily Chronicle of Feb. 25th.

The suit of A. S. Collins and Mrs. A. S. Collins vs. H. Herbring came to a termination yesterday afternoon, the jury rendering a verdict in favor of the plaintiffs. Mr. Herbring considers his defeat as a *fait accompli*, and is now more than ever convinced that he has to stick to his old rule and motto—to sell dry goods cheap and for cash only.

By the above extracts from our daily newspapers our friends and customers will see that an extraordinary demand will shortly be made upon our purse. And as we are unprepared for this unexpected event, we are

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4-4 Flannel Suitings, 25c, 19c	German Knitting Yarn reduced to 60c per lb
40-inch English Mohair, 75c, 37½c	J. & P. Coats' Spool Cotton " " 45c per doz
38-inch all wool Ladies' Cloth, 50c, 35c	Belding Bros. Knitting Silk 30c per ball
56-inch Assabet " " $1.00, 75c	Fast Black Ladies' Hose, 25c now 20c
54-inch Striped " " 1.00, 50c	" " " " or 1 box of 6 pairs for $1.00
Amoskeag checked Gingham, 10c, 7½c	Boss of the Road Overalls reduced to 50c
Amoskeag Cheviot, 12½c, 10c	Buckingham & Hecht fine Calf Boots reduced to $4.25
Hartel & Merrimac Calicos 20 yds for $1.00	Ladies' oil grain Button Shoes reduced to 1.15
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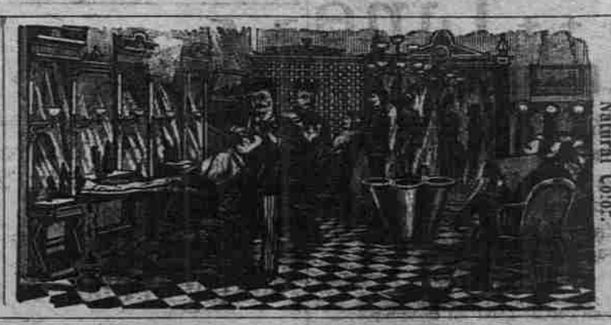

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