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THURSDAY. - . . JAN. 21. 1897
every year. We know what the
Regulator line did for The Dalles, saving this section $\$ 150,000 \approx$ year and this became possibleonly through the building of the portage road at the Cascades.
The country to be benefited by the proposed road is immeasurably larger and the saving would be cor-
respondingly great. The bill shculd respondingly great. The bill shculd member of the legislature, and those The story of the American girl Clara Wadd, who was sold to Prince thing of the pathetic in it, after all. Dazzled by titte, urged on by an am girl, protesting that she did not love the man, married thm. She was warm-hearted, impulsive; he cold-
blooded, cymical and keartless. The result was she left him. She left
him openly, defying the world's opmion, to take up with a musician, ugly enough to stop a looks that she ran away wi:l him as a zenance for her marriag for title. And yet in speaking of ..r husband that would move ever. he heart of a title-worshipping Amencan: "Yes, and indifferent. I longed to be with my children, to nurse them, to sleep of mine: but I was a princess an could only see them occasionally, simply exchanged title for love." And, again, when her lover wanted
to give a grand concert to show that he was not dependent on her mone for my voney, and live on it, why
should a Giypsy be asher He so hife has been wreeked. just a is sold in the matrimonial marke Others have made the best of a ba
bargain; but Clara Ward was to bargain; hut Clara Ward was to
high strung to submit and to we her life away in company with a man
she despised. She is an outcast so cially, but it is an open question whether she is more of a sinner now
than when she was living in legalize shame with her prince.

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## in some places sat down upon, as were, other cranks are bobbing

 were, other cranks are bobbing uwith laws to regulate humanity elothing. A Kansas woman wants law passed forbidding the wearing of corsets, regardless of the fact that training the areat economizers, at the sume time is it not beneficial t the American woman who "stays" home: Another crank wants a tax
levied on beards. Tbis feliow is barber, and evidentiy has designs o the Populists.
Sumptuary laws are always ridicu lous, and the howl about the theater what it has fed upon, the condemna tion of the fiends who go out beween acts "to see a man," treading in after the curtain rises to the dis gust and annoyance of everybody eise. The theater hat is not a pleas ant thing, but as far as we are con erned we prefer to look at the artistic headgear of our fair sister even though it cuts off, at times, ll over by the e, han to be walked ween act the man who goes out becigarette.


Hon. John Michell, senator fron his cistrict, has introduced a bill in the senate, providing for the construction of a portage rail way around the obstructions to navigation above his citv. The bill appropriates 8195,000 for the work. The bill is a good one, and ought to pass. It will give a reduced rate on all shipments of grain from interior points, and would save the cost of the road to the producers of Fastern Oregon

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