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A MOURNFUL DEATH.

Legend and history tell us of the rise and fall of empires and of races. Persia commanded the world, yet today it is but a province. Macedonia absorbed the territory surrounding her like a mortgage, until her conquering hosts swept across Asia, and Alexander was master of the world.

Upon the decadence of one people, another became virile. Upon the fall of one nation, another gathered and bound up the shattered remnants for itself. Yet one by one each in turn went down, and of them it may be said, as thousands of years ago it was said of the ancient city, "Troy was!"

Greece rose to the zenith as a comet, and fell almost as quickly as it rose, when its head, Alexander, died. Persia died of fatty degeneration of the heart. Rome lived to a ripe old age, continuing her life as long as she was able to digest what she swallowed, but finally perished from over-eating.

Turkey's power waned, because her religion prevented her keeping pace with the strides of modern civilization. Attila and Alaric were leaders of savages, and savages cannot exist in the fight with advancement.

The last is the most mournful, and at the same time the most trying to the patience, of any end that could come to her. But a few years and her place among the nations of the world will be but a story.

THE WHEAT MARKET.

Most of the traders the world over are evidently inclined to look for high prices for some time to come. They have become accustomed to seeing wheat in the 90s, and are inclined to buy it on the weak spots, in the same manner as they looked for strong spots to sell it on in years past.

Old traders recall the time when it was generally a sure thing to buy wheat below \$1. Up to the time that India became an exporting country, the bulls had no trouble in buying wheat on the breaks, and making good money on the bulges that invariably followed a decline below \$1.

It was the development of wheat growing in countries south of the equator that forced prices below fifty cents. It took the trade a long time to discover what the real cause of the weakness abroad was several years ago, as all their calculations were out of line.

Finally they learned that Argentina had become a competitor with America in European markets. It sold enough at first in a quiet way to make the American holders uneasy, and when they discovered that wheat was being bought in Argentina cheaper

than in America there was a steady decline that was only checked by the over-selling by bears. Heavy carrying charges were paid, and the bull was handicapped in such a way that he was unable to overcome it.

Now conditions have changed. Countries south of the equator have no surplus and are buying in America to supply their wants until the first of the year. Even Russia gives promise of having less surplus wheat for export than in many years. This leaves the condition of American holders for the next four months the strongest ever known.—Commercial Review.

Hon. C. B. Moores of Salem was yesterday appointed register of the land office at Oregon City in place of Hon. T. T. Geer, who declined the appointment as being several sizes too small for him. Mr. Moores will probably accept the place, and do it gladly, and yet Mr. Moores is perhaps as great a man, as good a man, and as good a Republican as Mr. Geer. Both of the gentlemen have been speaker of the house, in the Oregon legislature, but Mr. Moores has not been a presidential elector. The truth is that Mr. Geer, had he been left to his own judgment, would have been satisfied with the appointment; but Mephistopheles perched on his left shoulder and whispered things into his sea shell ears that he should not have listened to, and he has formed a too exalted opinion of himself therefrom.



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Company & Attention—Orders No. 10.

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Advertisement for the Chronicle Pub. Co. Job Printing Department, highlighting their facilities and services.

Advertisement for MALT LIQUORS, Wines and Cigars, featuring Anheuser-Busch and Hop Gold Beer.

Advertisement for ANHEUSER-BUSCH and HOP GOLD BEER, a non-alcoholic beverage.

Advertisement for Closing Out Sale of Furniture and Carpets at CRANDALL & BURGET'S.

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Advertisement for Regulator Line Navigation Co., featuring a ship illustration and travel information.

Advertisement for The Shasta Route Southern Pacific Comp'y, including a detailed train schedule table.

Advertisement for The Columbia Packing Co., PACKERS OF PORK AND BEEF.

Advertisement for HAMS & BACON, DRIED BEEF, ETC., featuring a star logo.

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Advertisement for Administrator's Notice regarding the estate of Andrew V. Anderson.

Advertisement for Administrator's Notice regarding the estate of Silas W. Davis.

Advertisement for EXECUTOR'S NOTICE regarding the estate of Mary Hill, and DR. GUNN'S IMPROVED LIVER PILLS.