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THE STATUS OF CRIME.

Homer Davenport draws a gloomy picture of the status of crime, showing "Father Time" sitting with bowed head, surrounded by skulls and a bulletin by his side announcing newly-committed crimes. Out into the busy world looks the young 20th century and sees nothing but crime, crime, murder and death. He sees nothing encouraging for the future.

A writer takes issue with Mr. Davenport's views as illustrated in the drawing and looks upon life and the future with brighter hopes. He shows that there are not greater crimes committed now than in the past, but shows that they were greater then. He claims that the increased number of newspapers and the telegraphic service enable people to read and hear of all of the crimes committed nowadays and that this makes them believe that crimes are greater and more frequent than ever before.

He maintains that the crimes are not even so heinous as they were in the past. He says that we are now shocked occasionally by hearing of a poisoning, when only a few centuries ago there were those engaged in the business of selling poison to those who desired to commit murder. The crimes of this kind that fill us with horror were not noticed in those days.

We are shocked at hearing of a father killing his own child; a few centuries back the law gave him the right to kill his child.

We shudder at hearing of a mother abandoning her child by leaving it on a doorstep; before the days of Christianity there were appointed places where mothers might legally expose their children to destruction. Wild beasts and dogs ate them then and the community thought it was right.

In those days crimes were sanctioned by law, but now they are not. The criminal sometimes tortures his victim nowadays to make him divulge the hiding place of his wealth, and we are horrified; the "water cure" raised a great howl over the country; it was the regular custom to torture old and young under the laws in the past. Women were ducked and tortured and even burned alive for witchcraft under the applause of the magistrates of the law and the clergy in olden times. Witnesses were tortured all over Europe to make them testify against their relatives or friends charged with crime whether they knew anything or not.

Caesar, Alexander and Napoleon arrayed thousands of men in battle and thousands were killed, now takes a vote of congress to compel a people to go to war. Out of 26 presidents and 33 terms of office only three presidents of the United States have been assassinated, while in former times no head of a nation escaped.

It is shown that crimes are not so appalling as they were in the past; that there are no opportunities under our laws to commit wholesale crimes; that there are no laws countenancing crimes; that public sentiment is against all classes of crime; that our educational system is calculated to lessen the commission of crime, and that while shocking crimes may continue to be heard of in the future, there is every reason to believe that crime is on the decrease. Crime is a disease, an inheritance, which only needs treatment to blot it out, and

that under the growing enlightenment of the world the remedy will be found.

The future is a bright one, instead of one of gloom.

According to a statement made in Thursday's Oregon Daily Journal, by Mr. Jackson, the "knockers" are working hard against that paper. They have spread as many stories about the connection of Mr. Jackson with the paper as could be invented in order to throw doubt about the future success of the paper. There are those who think that anybody or anything that starts in Portland without the consent or request of a certain clique ought to be suppressed, and they do not care whether it is done legitimately or not. They see in Mr. Jackson a man who does not mean foolishness; a man who means business, and a man who has the moral courage to carry out his enterprise, and a man who naturally has a strong following, and now they would make a strong fight from ambush and every other way to defeat him. It is the opinion of Mr. Jackson's friends here who know him best, that the old "ring" has never attacked a man so hard to handle as Mr. Jackson, and that the next few years will find him in the lead with the foremost paper in Portland.

Roasting baseball players at the bat is a disease with some people, but the fact that one has some personal grievance against a player because he has played in a former league, or because he has not always done just what the "roaster" thinks is the right thing, is clearly out of place. To cloak behind a multitude of voices to get revenge against a person is as cowardly as stabbing from behind or striking from the dark.

Ball players should remember that there are ladies in the grand stand, and that gentlemen do not intentionally insult ladies, or permit themselves to do things that are calculated to insult them. It is elevating to the game to have women visit it, and they should not be driven away by the bad conduct of players or members of the audience.

An exchange in commenting on the theft of \$3800 from a woman near Salem, speaks of the sum as a "widow's mite." It may be a mite for a widow to possess these days, but it was not the kind of a mite spoken of in the Bible.

The entire Pacific Northwest should put its shoulder to the wheel and keep it there in the interest of the Lewis and Clark exposition. This great enterprise is in the interest of the entire Pacific Northwest.

With Eastern Oregon it is irrigation, stock and wheat. In Western Oregon it is Lewis and Clark exposition, shipping and timber, and with everybody it is Tracy.

PRODUCTION OF ASPHALTUM.

The production of asphaltum and bituminous rock, according to Dr. Joseph Struthers, in "Mineral Resources of the United States, 1901," now in press, United States geological survey, amounted to 63,134 tons, valued at \$555,335, as compared with 54,339 short tons, valued at \$415,958 in 1900, and with 75,085 short tons, valued at \$553,904 in 1899. The production in 1901 increased 8,745 tons in quantity, and \$139,377 in value, over the production of 1900, but the production in 1900 and 1901, both in quantity and value, has been the smallest in the last seven years.

The production of bituminous sandstone decreased from 33,334 short tons, valued at \$119,779, in 1900, to 34,248 tons, valued at \$138,602 in

1901. The production of bituminous limestone increased from 2434 short tons, valued at \$11,322, in 1900, to 6970 short tons, valued at \$33,375, in 1901.

The production of hard and refined asphaltum, which includes gilsonite and other pure varieties, increased from 12,367 tons, valued at \$256,793 in 1900, to 19,316 tons, valued at \$333,509 in 1901.

The production of liquid asphaltum or maltha, all of which was derived from California, increased from 1254 short tons, valued at \$28,064 in 1900, to 2000 tons, valued at \$49,850 in 1901. No sales of mastic were reported during 1899, 1900 or 1901, the crude material from which it was previously made being now included in the output of bituminous sandstone and bituminous limestone.

The imports of asphaltum amounted to 154,729 long tons, valued at \$596,847 in 1901, as compared with 106,162 long tons, valued at \$363,291 in 1900. Noticeable features of the importation are the comparatively large imports from Italy—12,941 long tons, as against nothing in 1900—and the continued largely increased imports from Trinidad and Venezuela in 1901. The imports from Trinidad increased from 93,687 long tons in 1900 to 115,584 long tons in 1901, about 23 per cent, and the imports from Venezuela amounted to 18,605 long tons, as against 11,579 tons in 1900, an increase of 7026 tons, or 60 per cent. The total imports from Trinidad and Venezuela in 1901 amounted to 134,189 long tons, as against 105,266 tons in 1900.

The chief source of the importation of asphaltum in the United States is the wonderful lake of pitch, filling the crater of an extinct volcano on the island of Trinidad, off the coast of Venezuela. In addition imports of asphalt are made from Bermudez, Venezuela; bituminous limestone are imported from Neufchatel and Val de Travers, in Switzerland, and from Seyssel, in France, and small quantities from Germany, Cuba, Mexico and other countries.

The production of asphaltum in the principal producing countries in 1900 was valued as follows, respectively: United States, \$415,958; Trinidad, \$855,744; Germany, \$160,000; France, \$383,429; Italy, \$292,287; Austria-Hungary, \$70,603. The production of Russia in 1899, the last year reported, was valued at \$170,300.

The American steam yacht Cherokee arrived in New York Thursday from Greenock, Scotland, after a fine run of 11 days. The Cherokee was owned by William Clark, the thread manufacturer, who died aboard. His body was brought over on the Cherokee.

A Sudden Twinge

Of pain is generally the first warning of an attack of rheumatism. It feels as if the disease were in the bones or muscles, but the real cause of rheumatism is found in impure blood. In order to cure rheumatism the blood must be cleansed of the poisonous impurities which are the cause of the disease.

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