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In all things preserve integrity; and the consciousness of thine own uprightness will allethe toil of business, soften the hardness of ill-success and disappointments, and give thee God, when the ingratitude of man, or the iniquity of the times may rob thee of other reward.— Paley

No matter whether Admiral Schley won the battle of Santiago or not. he has completely "taken" Oregon.

Ex-Senator W. A. Harris, of Kansas, is slated as one of the democratic members of the Panama canal commission.

The rival cities of Union county must go away from home to get the are talking back and forth over the news, county seat question, when they should be planting sugar beets.

The sale of the Dillon alfalfa farm. near Echo, for \$50 per acre, will not have a tendency to check the land hunger exhibited in that district.

Oregon is to prosper at the loss of River. Many a thrifty farmer from that immediate region will locate in this state.

The literary art of Central Oregon newspapers is distressingly monoton- for life which beats it, from a penal ous. The subject never changes not and an industrial standpoint. grows old. The land notice seems to retain its perennial freshness

The nation will be glad when the nauscating Burdick affair is over with. Such escapades should be quarantined, as a case of moral plague, and its loathsomeness hidden from public view.

Umatilla county's share of the five per cent of proceeds from sales of public lands in Oregon for this year is \$720.51. The amount received by the state, from the United States treasurer is \$23,000

There will be no referendum vote on the fair appropriation bill. The inclination shown by some of the val-

pense of the trip will be saved to the city, in the knowledge of successful methods employed elsewhere,

Among the provisions of the Irish land act presented by the Balfour government, is one sweeping away all arrears of rent, except for one year preceding the passage of the act. This provision will produce a state of unearlbly calm in Ireland. Think of that stream Ireland without a single scrap between the bailiffs and the friends of a tenant about to be evicted. The monotony of such a quiet life will depopulate the Emerald Isle.

will perish before grass grows sufficient to support them. The facts are largely overdrawn, as the stockmen of the Eastern Oregon counties unanimously declare. Conservative estimates place the loss , at five per cent with grass now growing satisfactorily and stock in fair spring condition. It is an old saying that one

The hanging of Armstrong will not replace the life he destroyed, yet society clings to that old decree and finds some barbaric satisfaction in believing that "an eye for an eye" is justice. The country would be better off if Armstrong could be made the states bordering the Mississippi to pay his penalty by working for the remainder of his life, free gratis, upon the public highways of the state. This old idea of killing a man because he killed somebody else, is out of date. There is a pennace in labor

> The Filipinos are now being supplied with American made Bibles, in the Filipino language. When it is remembered that there are some \$90 dialects, or tribal tongues spoken in the archipelago, the true magnitude of the task of supplying these people

with religious literature, begins to be understood, it is doubtful if the short acquaintance the American missionary publishing companies have enjoyed with the "jargon" of the Filipino, will enable them to make a true translation. However, it will answer all the purposes of commerce

The public school system must be revised in certain lines. The tendand how to bring them into their own

"Let us make Arbor Day a red letter day in our school year but let us not fix upon this as the limit of our responsibility, for we should not confine our efforts simply to endeavor-ing to awaken an enthusiasm for the best things of life during one day in the year, but rather let it increase from day to day until the results will be manifest in the life and character of those who may come under our supervision. In what better way can we do this than by getting our child-ren interested in the growth of a shrub or flower, or, perchance, sim-ply in cleaning up the yard a bit, and by endeavoring to keep it in a neat and tidy condition.

"Let us hope that the future Arbor Day will prove more and more an incentive to the study of nature and all that pertains to right living.

VAST IRRIGATION SCHEMES.

"People in this section have no idea of the magnitude of the irrigation work the United States government has entered on," said George H. Maxwell last evening at the Arlington. Mr. Maxwell is executive chairman of the National Irrigation Association, and an expert in matters relating to

that subject "In Arizona." he continued, "the government has a hig force of survey-ors at work in the Grand Canon of the Colorado, preparatory to the con-struction of reservoirs and digging of main canals. The Colorado river will be the Nile of America. From that stream will be taken water enough to irrigate a region that will support a bigger population than Cal-ifornia now has. Luckily, too, the Colorado is fullest of water in the summer time, when the crops need moisture

"It will be a work of years to carry Reports have reached Tacoma that 20 per cent of Eastern Oregon cattle will be the greatest benefit ever conferred on the Western people. Once they get the water on these lands. which are of great fertility, abundant crops can be harvested for centuries and failure of harvests is impossible. The section I speak of will produce the finest tropical fruits and choicest vegetables, and can put them on the market fully a month earlier than they are now gathered in any part of the United States."—Washington Post.

ROUND MAN IN A SQUARE HOLE.

Under the present competition for opportunities to labor-which would not exist but for the monopoly of nat-ural resources-boys enter into lines of work, as The Star has said before, for which they have no natural taste or adaptation, which accounts for the large percentage of bunglers in all oc cupations.

Thus a born machinist is made a dry goods clerk, a natural merchant is drilled into a sorry blacksmith, and the lad with all the materials in his composition for a first-class cowboy and cattle raiser is made to sell rib-bons and laces; the natural builder. architect or civil engineer is trained to be a watchmaker, a weaver or a tailor; the home-loving, quiet boy, who should have been a farmer, is sent to sea, while his restless and ad-venturous scoolmate, who should have gone to sea, is tied down to a farm And similarly in every occupation 'the round man is in the square hole. -San Francisco Star,

A delegation of Indians from Mis soula, Mont., have departed for Wash-ington, where they will lay before the president a complaint against the tax ation of their cattle at \$1 a head where the number exceeds 100 head as announced by Indian Agent Smead in a recent order

TIRED OUT.



tells how she was permanently cured of inflammation of the ovaries, and escaped the surgeon's knife, by the use ot Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

The universal indications of the approach of woman's great enemy, inflam-mation and disease of the ovaries, are a dull throbbing pain, accompanied by a sense of tenderness and heat low down in the side, with occasional shooting pains. On examination it may be found that the region of pain will

show some swelling. This is the first stage of inflammation of the ovaries. "DEAR MRS. PINKRAM:—I wish to express my gratitude for the restored health and happiness Lydin E. Pinkham's Vegetable Com-pound has brought into my life. "I had suffered for three years with terrible pains at the time of

menstruation, and did not know what the trouble was until the doctor pronounced it inflammation of the ovaries, and proposed an operation. "I felt so weak and sick that I felt sure that I could not survive the

ordeal, and so I told him that I would not undergo it. The following week I read an advertisement in the paper of your Vegetable Compound in such an emergency, and so I decided to try it. Great was my joy to find that I actually improved after taking two bottles, so I kept taking it for ten weeks, and at the end of that time I was cured. I had gained

eighteen pounds and was in excellent health, and am now. "You surely deserve great success, and you have my very best wishes."-Miss Alice Balley, 50 North Boulevard, Atlanta, Ga. Another woman saved from a surgical operation by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Read what she says: -

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM :- I cannot thank

you enough for what your Vegetable Com-pound has done for me. If it had not been for your medicine, I think I would have died. "I will tell you how I suffered. I could hardly walk, was unable to sleep or eat. Men-struition was irregular. At last I had to stay in my bed, and flowed so badly that they sent for a doctor, who said I had in-fiammation of the ovaries, and must go through an operation, as no medicine could help through at operation, as no medicine could help through at the start of the start of the start of the through at operation, as no medicine could help through at the start of the start of the start of the through at operation, as no medicine could help through at the start of the start of the start of the start of the through at the start of t me, but I could not do that.

"I received a little book of yours and after reading it, I concluded to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am now a well woman. I shall praise your medicine as long as I live, and also recommend the same to anyone suffering as I

- MRS. MINNIE OTTOSON, Otho, Iowa.

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ley counties to "get even" on Portland has been swept away by a few weeks of sober reflection

for timber in Oregon. Wherever bat- children ranging from ten to thirteen tleships, merchantmen, railroad tracks, or stately business structures ten and twelve studies, as the presare built, Oregon fir is in demand. It has introduced the state to every civilized country on earth.

Over in Washington the railroads have decided to stop fighting the peo- cation should prune down the studies. ple through the legislature. It is a costly task to try to force the Westerner to rub his nose on the grindstone. It is a game at which more than railroads can play, as the members of the merger are slowly finding out

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Dalles land office, there were but two such offices in the United States occupied by women. Martha M. Brown, of Gunnison, Colo., and Mrs. Minnie Williams, of Lander, Wyo. Mrs. Williams has since been succeeded by a man, leaving Miss Brown and Miss Lang alone on the list of women receivers.

The determination of the Oregon state hoard of health, to study closely the bubonic plague, as found in San Francisco, is highly commendable. Oregon is exposed to this curse, and intelligent, scientific measures should be to condemn Portland's Chinese district and remove that eye ings. Here is the teachers' opportu-sore from the city. It is a standing nity. A great many of these people invitation to the plague.

ency to crowd too many studies in the lower grades is detrimental to the schools and scholars. It is absolute-

ly ridiculous to expect scholars in The Chlican government is looking the fourth to sixth grades, all of them years of age, to thoroughly master ent laws provide. Teachers are blamed for the poor results obtained by pupils, when in fact a good teacher cannot offset the effect of this unwise law. The state board of edu-Parents, teachers and pupils would welcome such a move.

· ARBOR DAY.

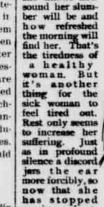
The state superintendent of public instruction in mailing the Arbor Day booklet to teachers, says: ,"This little manual is designed to

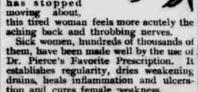
At the time of the appointment of furnish suggestive material for the ap-Anna M. Lang to be receiver at The propriate observance of Arbor Day and also to call your attention to the advisability, and even the necessity of awakening an interest on the part of parents and pupils in the importance of beautifying the surroundings of our schools and homes

"As one goes from place to place he is impressed with the fact that many a school and many a home could be made more inviting by clearing the yard of rubbish and debris, by repairing a fence by planting a shrub, vine or flower. In most instances these things can be done with little outlay of time and money. The ques-

tion is, why are they not done? "The answer must lie in the charac ter of the people themselves. They have forgotten, or perhaps never have They realized, how much benefit can be derived from pleasant home surround-

is to feel tired out another ounce of effort left in her. But she knows how





tion and cures female 'yeakness. Con and curve female weakness. "Words cannot tell what I suffered for thir-teen years with uterime trouble and dragging-down pains through my hips and back." writes for a John Dickson, of Greniell, Assimbiota Dist. N. W. Ter. "I can't describe the misery it was to be on my feet long at a time. I could not can nor sleep. Often I wished to die. Then I saw Dr. Pierce's medicines advertised and thought I would try them. Had not taken one bothe till I was feeling well. After I had taken one bothe till i was feeling well. After I had taken are bothe of 'Favorie Prescription' and one of 'Golden Medical Discovery' I was like a new woman Could cat and sleep and do all my own work." The Common Sense Medical Adviser.

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