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The idea of teaching, we have found to be a great benefit in the grocery shop—to the teacher. The teacher always gets most out of the lesson, if her heart is in her work. It is responsibility that develops one—and to know that your pupils expect you to know, is a great incentive to study. Teaching demands that you shall give—give yourself—and he who gives most, receives most. We deepen our impressions by recounting them, and he who teaches others, earnestly, faithfully, in an honest spirit, teaches himself.—Elbert Hubbard.

Wanted, somebody willing to take a risk in the office of receiver of the La Grande land office. Knowles has not yet been heard from.

Out of a school population of 1,521 in Pendleton, there were but five pupils out of school with sickness this week. Umatilla county ozone needs no further comment.

No nuggets have been picked up in the streets of Weston yet, but she is turning out an excellent quality of corn meal. Let all Missourians take off their hats to Weston.

Oregon has her ear on the ground listening for congressional action on the fair bill. The wireless telegraph is too slow to convey this precious morsel to the waiting state.

The Pacific Monthly calls itself a "magazine of Western energy, enthusiasm and optimism," and a glance at the last number convinces the reader that its object is attained in a satisfactory degree.

The subject of the public schools of Pendleton cannot be mentioned without the spectre of needed school room bobbing up in the conversation. It is always present, a veritable skeleton in the taxpayer's closet.

The secretary of the Chinese legation in Washington, it is estimated, is one thousand years ahead of his country. He has a white wife and rides exclusively in an auto. His ancestors must have turned over in their graves as these two veneers of civilization were contracted by this audacious Chinaman.

The Oregonian justly complains of the increased immorality in Portland and other large cities, through the rooming house evil. The larger cities are not alone in this unfortunate record. If the registers in the rooming houses of smaller Oregon towns could speak the truth about the fictitious names appearing upon them, family eruptions would make the air continually blue. The way Tom Johnson broke up this evil in Cleveland was to place a policeman at the entrances to every questionable rooming house in the city, who took the names, addresses and descriptions of the patrons as they passed in. Some startling revelations were made but the evil was abolished.

The women of Oregon are going to vote some day. Four progressive Western states have recognized them as the equals of the lords of creation. The contagion will spread. Touching shoulders with Idaho, the state of Oregon will gradually breathe in the elixir of equal suffrage and the efforts of her ridiculed pioneers will not have been in vain. Ten years ago the initiative and referendum, flat salaries and popular election of United States senators were classed with the populist vagaries. Today they stand as the avowed tenets of probably four-fifths of the voters of the state. Other equally as wondrous changes in sentiment will be effected in perhaps less than 10 years more.

WHAT THE WAR IS ABOUT.

The situation in the east is complicated and unless one has reviewed Oriental history since the close of the Chino-Japanese war in 1894, a clear insight is very difficult to obtain. China and Japan fought over trade, territorial and seaport rights in Korea in 1894 and Japan won.

Instead of allowing Japan to take the fruits of her victory and come into the possession of the privileges she won from China, Russia stepped in as an unwelcome arbitrator and awarded Japan much less than she claimed and had justly won in the war with China.

Russia's object in doing this was to prevent Japan from gaining too much power in Korea. Japan took the award of the powers unwillingly, and has since contended for her trade and territorial privileges in Korea. Russia, as soon as she cheated Japan out of her Korean trophies won from China, began to make advances in Korean territory and trade herself. From that day until now, Japan has been hostile to Russia.

While Russia has been stealing Japanese rights in Korea, she has also been stealing Chinese, Japanese and other rights in Manchuria, thus inviting the bitterest hostility from China, who is now ready to join Japan in putting Russia out of Korea, thereby gaining the friendship of Japan and securing her aid in evicting Russia, the common enemy, from Manchuria, later.

Korea is a passive power, without individuality or national color, and is a helpless mass of clay in the hands of the victor in the coming brawl.

Owing to the wide trade interest of the other powers in the disputed territory, it is very likely that these other nations will prevent the annexation of Korea by either Russia or Japan.

Japan asks only the just fruits of her easily won contest with China in 1894. Russia, through diplomacy, prevented Japan from taking her reward, and has since appropriated it, by degrees, herself.

Japan's claim seems to be just. Her contentions with China in 1894 were none of Russia's business. She was entitled to what she won fairly and was cheated out of it by Russia, who took both Japan and China by the throat and absorbed Japanese rights in Korea and Chinese rights in Manchuria. The old combatants of 1894 are ready to join hands in 1904 to whip the common enemy, Russia.

Korea belongs to Japan if to any foreign nation. It is tainted with Japanese life, language, customs, characteristics, and manners, lacking the Japanese vim and spirit. It is expected that Japan will boldly annex Korea any day. This bluff might avert war, as it would make Russia the aggressor, if she attempted to dislodge the Jap, and this role Russia does not care to play openly.

The National Livestock Association delegates and visitors to Portland next week will enjoy a rare treat never tasted by them before—the matchless hospitality of Oregon.

LIGHTS COST TOO MUCH.

The Walla Walla Union makes the following caustic remarks, which will be read with interest by Pendleton citizens:

"Dr. Cropp files a protest against the charges for electric lights in Walla Walla and also points out that

BABY SALE



There are a great many hungry hearted women who would attend a baby sale if babies were ever offered for sale, because there are a great many wives who love children and have been told by physicians that they can never hope to nurse a child of their own.

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the lights are not always the best. The doctor's kick is a timely one and it will meet with the endorsement of the people of Walla Walla generally. "When it comes to paying \$5 a month for lights for a five room cottage where only one and two lights are used at a time and then for less than three hours each night as is the case in many instances all over the city, there is no question that the cost is out of proportion to the service rendered.

"And the costs in the business section is even worse. Even if the same charge is made in other cities it is too high and if the people of Walla Walla are compelled to continue paying at this rate they will either have to resort to the old kerosene lamp, or else sit in darkness the greater part of each evening. The people of the city will heartily applaud Dr. Cropp for making a protest against these exorbitant charges. Electric lights cost too much in Walla Walla."

THE FELLOW WHO CAN WHISTLE

The fellow who can whistle when the world is going wrong
Is the fellow who will make the most of life;
No matter what may happen, you will find him brave and strong—
He's the fellow who will conquer in the strife.

The fellow who can whistle when the whole world seems to frown
Is the kind of man to stand the battle's brunt;
He's got the proper metal and you cannot keep him down
For he's just the sort that's needed at the front.

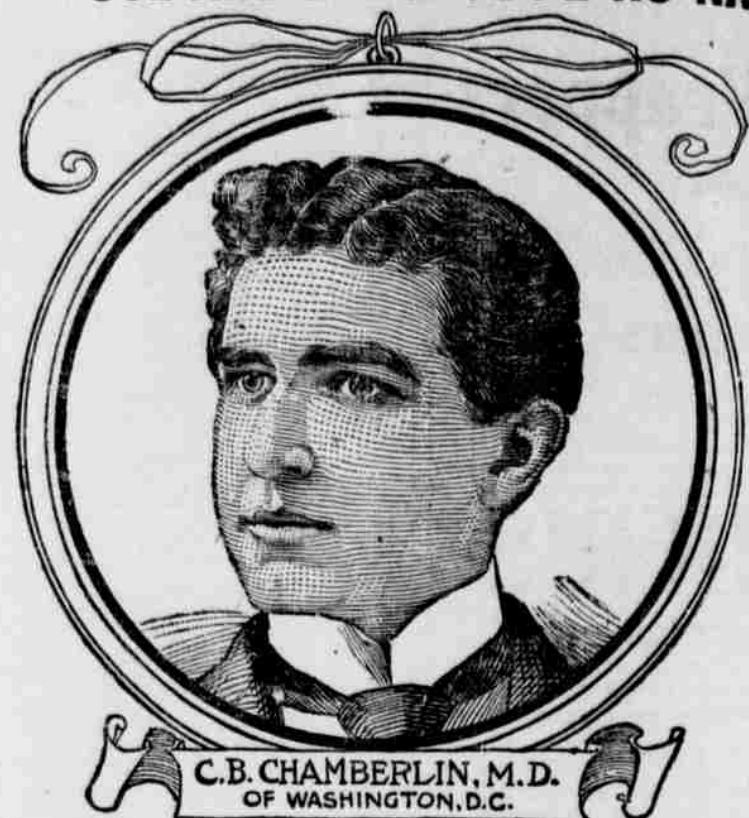
The fellow who can whistle is the fellow who can work.
With a note of cheer to vanquish plodding care.
His soul is filled with music, and no evil shadows lurk
In his active brain to foster grim despair.

The fellow who can whistle is the "trump" card of the deck.
Or the "whip hand" in the parlance of the street;
No petty cares or trifles can his buoyant spirit check,
For his sunny heart can never know defeat.

The fellow who can whistle—he is built on nature's plan,
And he cheers his toiling fellow men along;
There is no room for pessimists, but give to us the man
Who can whistle when the world is going wrong.
—Sidney W. Mace in Lipencott's.

The truth would be much stranger than the fiction a man tells his wife when he returns home at 3:30 a. m.

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kind, now 80c
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Mackinaw pants, \$4.00, now \$3.00

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