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For glory? For good? For fortune or fame? Why, ho for the front where the battle is on! Leave the rear to the dolt, the lazy, the lame; Go forward as ever the valiant have gone; Whether city or field, whether mountain or mine, Go forward right on the firing line.

—Joaquin Miller.

The Weston Leader indulges in a column of school boy oratory because the East Oregonian dares to criticize the action of the national democratic convention. The East Oregonian has heard of no edict forbidding free editorial expression in the United States.

A friend of the East Oregonian has written from Europe that only two Oregon products had been found in prominence in London, Brussels and Paris, and these two articles were Pendleton Indian robes from the Pendleton Woolen Mills and Indian photographs by Major Lee Moorhouse, of this city.

The keenest sword, which Japan is now using against her big antagonist, is the American tactics which her scholars and generals have taken home from American schools. Her best victories have come through the virile Americanism of the Japanese leaders.

Is nature reversing her ancient program in Oregon? Is the gradual settlement and cultivation of the arid regions of Eastern Oregon having a tendency to increase rainfall? and is the denudation of forests on the coast decreasing rainfall in some districts in that part of the state? It is true that portions of Umatilla county, north and west of Pendleton, are increasing in fertility every year.

gradual settlement along the outer borders of the arid district will slowly reclaim the entire area as cultivation induces moisture and the natural rainfall of the county is increasing. Umatilla county is experiencing a natural transformation for the better.

The vital new Northwest states are striding into the old world's notice at a pace which is almost miraculous. Fifty years ago the West and Northwest were impenetrable wildernesses, peopled only by a few daring gold-seekers and adventurers. Today they are leading the old world of the East in the production of crops and livestock and the granary of the United States is transferred from the valley of the Ohio to the prairies of the West. Every live magazine is now striving for the latest story from the West and this virgin country is receiving enviable notice in every quarter of the world.

No one not intimately acquainted with the inner forces that are working in society for the betterment and uplifting of mankind, knows how much labor, how much self-sacrifice it requires to maintain the work for righteousness and good government. Every night in the week and every week in the year, without rest, without vacation, without complaint, some one of the little groups of moral people in this city, and every city, meets to discuss plans for accomplishing further good.

Speaking of passing away the time, do you know of anything more successful than a promissory note? AT THE TOP. It is a laudable ambition to reach the top of the ladder of success. But many a man who reaches the topmost rung finds his position a torment instead of a triumph.

KOREAN PROVERBS. A thing is good when it is new. A man is good when he is old. He who hath eaten salt, drinketh water. One can paint the fur of the tiger, but not his joints.

Naturalists now make birds take their own photographs by means of trap cameras.

THE BARMAIDS OF BABYLON.

A recent translation of King Hamorabi's code, written about 2250 before Christ, gives us an insight into the life of the great city of Babylon at that remote time, and of the way in which the excise question was handled by its legislators.

Nearly all the dealers of wines and liquors at that time were women, as many of the laws translated from the code speak only of women as sellers of drinks. Several measures were taken against those who adulterated the wines or mixed them with water, so as to safeguard the purity of the article to the use of the public.

Those women who were employed in the temples were forbidden to enter public hostilities under penalty of death, and even drinking in private was forbidden to them. Special police officers were detailed for the enforcement of the excise laws in the city of Babylon, but then as well as now, the officers charged with this duty were, if we are to believe the code in question, either negligent in the performance of their duties or too willing to accept bribes from the barmaids in charge in the shape of drinks, or even money.

Lewis and Clark's Friendship. The pages of these manuscript journals are aglow with human interest. The quiet, even temper of the camp; the loving consideration that each of the two leaders felt for the other; the magnanimity of Lewis, officially the leader, in equally dividing every honor with his friend and making no move without the latter's consent; the poetic temperament of Lewis, who loved flowers and animals, and in his notes discoursed like a philosopher who enjoyed the exercise of writing; the rugged character of Clark, who wrote in brief, pointed phrase, spelled phonetically, capitalized chaotically, and occasionally slipped in his grammar—all these and more are evident on every page; causing the reader to deeply admire the men, and to follow them in their often thrilling adventures with keen sympathy and anticipation.

Sixty-three of the 68 saloonkeepers of Knoxville, Tenn., recently presented a petition to the board of public works requesting the enforcement of Sunday closing laws. They believe it would relieve the pressure of public opinion against their business.

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AT THE TOP.

It is a laudable ambition to reach the top of the ladder of success. But many a man who reaches the topmost rung finds his position a torment instead of a triumph. He has sacrificed his health to success. A man can succeed and be strong if he heeds Nature's warning. When there is indigestion, loss of appetite, ringing in the ears, dizziness, spots before the eyes or palpitations of the heart, or any or all of these symptoms point to weakness and loss of nutrition. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the medicine to turn to.



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28 Army Generals Send Letters of Endorsement To The Inventor of the Great Catarrh Remedy, Peruna.

Brigadier-General King of Confederate Army. Writes: "I unhesitatingly state that I am convinced Peruna is a medicine that will effect all the cures that is claimed for its use."—J. Floyd King, Washington, D. C.

General Smalls, Beaufort, S. C. Writes: "I have used Peruna for catarrhal trouble and find it beneficial and to be all that it promises, and freely give it my unqualified recommendation."—Robert Smalls.

General Abbott, of Washington, D. C. Writes: "I am fully convinced that your remedy Peruna is an excellent tonic. Many of my friends have used it with the most beneficial results for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."—Ira C. Abbott, 906 M. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Captain Yarnell, of Washington, D. C. Writes: "Your medicine, Peruna, I believe to be the best medicine for catarrh on the market. I have taken only a small amount, and can see very beneficial results."—W. G. Yarnell, 222 Lincoln street, N. E., Washington, D. C.

General McBride of U. S. A. Writes: "I have no hesitation in recommending Peruna to all persons who are afflicted with catarrhal troubles."—J. D. McBride, 450 Pennsylvania Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Longstreet of the Confederate Army. Writes: "I can testify to the merits of Peruna, both as a tonic and a catarrh remedy. Peruna enjoys the greatest reputation as a catarrh remedy of any medicine yet devised."—James Longstreet, Gainesville, Ga.

General Noske of O. V. U. Writes: "I commend Peruna to those who are troubled with colds producing catarrh as a most efficacious cure and as a good general tonic."—Chas. F. Noske, 218 B. St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Erwin's Recommendation. "Many of my friends have used Peruna as a dyspepsia remedy with the most beneficial results."—John B. Erwin, Washington, D. C.

Brig-Gen. Schell Benefited. "Peruna is indeed a wonderful tonic, and for coughs and colds I know of nothing better."—F. M. Schell, Washington, D. C.

General Duffield of the Union Army. Writes: "I have used Peruna in my family and have found it a valuable medicine, and take pleasure in recommending it to all who suffer from catarrh of the stomach or who require a tonic of efficiency."—The Cairo, Washington, D. C.

General Butler of South Carolina. Writes: "I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine besides a good tonic."—M. C. Butler.

Brigadier-General Kirby Writes: "I can recommend Peruna to all those who are afflicted with catarrh."—General D. T. Kirby, Washington, D. C.

Gen. Powell, Hecker Post No. 443. Writes: "After using one bottle of Peruna I became convinced of its curative qualities, and continued its use to date. All symptoms of catarrh have disappeared, yet I continue its moderate use as a preventive, and an old man's tonic."—W. H. Powell, Belleville, Ill.

General Chase, Ass't Ad. Gen. Writes: "The excellence of Peruna as a cure or relief for catarrhal troubles is well established. Many friends have been benefited by it."—B. F. Chase, 28 Harrison costia, D. C.

General S. S. Yoder of Mo. Writes: "I have found Peruna a wonderful remedy. I only used a short time and am thoroughly convinced as to its merits."—S. S. Yoder, Lexington, D. C.

General O'Connor of U. S. A. Writes: "If you are suffering from catarrh or physical debility, immediately commence the use of Peruna, been of the greatest benefit and to many of my friends."—O'Connor, 728 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Wright of the Confederate Army. Writes: "I take pleasure in recommending Peruna. It is a tonic medicine and should be used by those who are in need of a good tonic by sufferers from catarrh."—Wright, 1724 Corcoran St., Wash., D. C.

Gen. Hawley of Washington, D. C. Writes: "I have used Peruna and it very beneficial for kidney troubles, especially good for coughs, colds, catarrhal troubles."—A. F. Hawley, Washington, D. C.

Gen. Urell of Spanish War Veterans. Writes: "Many of my friends used Peruna with beneficial results. An effective remedy for catarrh."—Emmet Urell, 833 12th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Other Army Generals who praise Peruna are: Brigadier-General Cook of Washington, D. C. General Sypher of Washington, General Middleton, Hancock, U. V. U., Washington, D. C.

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Gen. Sebring of the Confederate Army. Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your valuable remedy Peruna as a very excellent tonic, and also good for coughs, colds, catarrh, and general debility."—W. H. Sebring, 123 W. 4th St., Jacksonville, Fla.

General Lumax of Washington, D. C. Writes: "I can cheerfully recommend your remedy as a permanent and effective cure for catarrh, colds and to any one who needs an invigorating tonic to build up their system."—L. L. Lumax, 1608 19th St., Washington, D. C.

Gen. Payne of Washington, D. C. Writes: "I join with my comrades in recommending Peruna to my friends as an invigorating tonic to build up the system."—Gen. Eugene B. Payne, 407 4th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

General Talley of Pa., Vol. U. S. A. Writes: "Your Peruna has been used by me and my friends as a relief for catarrhal troubles with the most beneficial results. I am so convinced of the efficacy of Peruna that I do not hesitate to give it my recommendation."—Wm. Cooper Talley, 715 D St., N. E., Washington, D. C.

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