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There's a knowing little proverb,
From the sunny land of Spain;
But in Northland and in Southland
Is its meaning clear and plain.
Look it up within your heart;
Neither lose nor lend it;
Two it takes to make a quarrel,
One can always end it.
—Selected.

SALOONS COSTLY LUXURIES.

Statistics prepared by T. G. Hailey, during his term as district attorney of the Umatilla and Morrow county district show that 50 per cent of the cases that came before him, for prosecution, originated in whiskey-drinking and gambling.

The taxpayers who wink at the violation of the laws by the saloons are paying the cost of those crimes today, in increased taxes.

It was sent out to the world this week, that the Pendleton city jail contained 12 prisoners, on one day, the largest number that had been confined there for many months, and just about as many as could be accommodated comfortably.

The taxpayers of Pendleton are feeding these idle men, paying police expenses and police court expenses out of their own pockets, because not one in a dozen police court offenders has a cent with which to pay a fine. Ninety per cent of the crimes of these men originated in whiskey-drinking.

Within the past month a young man, just entering manhood, a bright, hopeful boy, the pride of his parents, who are respected citizens of Umatilla county, was expelled from the high school for continued drunkenness.

Not a word of protest from merchant, physician, lawyer or other business men, while the saloons entice boys into intemperance and crime.

This boy's parents are now everlasting enemies to Pendleton, and can you blame them?

When they hear other country people talk of sending their sons and daughters to Pendleton to school, what think you will be their answer?

You cannot unload your responsibility upon the preacher. Every citizen must assert his manhood. Half of the difficulty experienced by farmers in keeping crews on their farms originates in wide open saloons on Sundays. Yet they bear this extra cost and vexation, without making a protest against law violation.

Don't lay it all on the preacher. Every citizen is equally responsible.

THE NEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

As a nightmare hovering over the thrones of continental Europe, arises the possibility of a new triple alliance in the Orient—America, England and Japan.

No other union of forces in the world could menace the tottering monarchies of the continent as this. With this alliance united against German, French and Russian invasion of China, and in favor of exact justice for Japan, in the settlement of the peace terms with Russia, the greedy absorption of the Orient by Russia and her allies will be suddenly and successfully checked.

Human rights will be safeguarded by such an alliance. Civilization will be promoted by it. Christianity and its attendant reforms will be instituted and the world at large will be benefited.

Let Japan take her just reward for driving Russia out of Manchuria. Let her settle her claims without inter-

vention from France, Germany or any other power opposed to her. This should be the first mission of the new alliance: To give Japan what she has earned.

ONLY THE PRELIMINARIES.

The sparring bouts preceding the fight of two giants of the pugilistic world, are called "the preliminaries." This term may be fittingly applied to the surveying being done by the various railroads of the Inland Empire. The battle of the giants is not yet ready to be "pulled off."

But soon the true contest will begin. The immensely rich Inland Empire will not much longer remain a country of pack mules and freight wagons. The beckoning bodies of ore and timber, the pregnant wheat land, bursting with hidden values, the splendid power facilities, waiting idly without a wheel to turn, the arid deserts—all these are signaling for the battle to begin.

Soon, capital will awaken and shake off its cowardice. Soon, new blood will supplant the phlegmatic, contented pioneer and a vital thrill of life will quiver through the vast promises of the Inland Empire and a new industrial age will be born.

Well meaning philanthropists have long endeavored to induce the red-man to adopt sensible names, such as those by which pale faces are designated. They have not succeeded with a number of Senator Gamble's South Dakota constituents, as an amendment he has proposed to the Indian appropriation bill fully demonstrates. This amendment proposes reward for various good Indians for services and sacrifice of ponies in accomplishing the rescue of Mrs. Julia Wright, Mrs. Emma Deely and six children, who were white captives in the custody of the White Lodge band of Sioux near the mouth of Grand river in 1862. Here are the names of the proposed beneficiaries: Pretty Bear, Chief Martin Charger, Swift Bird, Strike the Fire, Kills and Comes. Four Bear, Sitting Bear, Charging Dog and One Rib, of Cheyenne river reservation; Fast Walker, Mindoka, Red Dog, Black Eagle, Don't Know How, Black War Club, Fool Dog and Walking Crane, of Crow Creek reservation, and May Bear, of Standing Rock reservation.

Readers of the Weekly and Semi-Weekly issues of the East Oregonian will find some of the largest and most interesting advertisements in those issues this week, ever issued by a Pendleton newspaper. These messages from Pendleton merchants are directed to the families of Umatilla and adjoining counties, who can be benefited by studying the prices quoted in those advertisements. No need to send away for a dollar's worth of anything. Pendleton stocks are so complete and prices so low that it will save you money always, to read the announcements of Pendleton merchants.

If the czar really desires to die, let him walk up the streets of St. Petersburg, just once, with the 100-pound weight of the insignia of his office upon him. No need to butcher himself up cruelly, in trying to commit suicide. There are more ways than that to kill a czar in Russia.

Thieves went through the Antlers hotel at Kennewick, Wash., in the night and stole several hundred dollars worth of clothing, cash and watches from sleeping guests.

FROM LAST TO FIRST

People used to take plain cod liver oil for coughs, colds, throat and lung troubles after other remedies had failed.

Scott's Emulsion is the modern idea of cod liver oil—the first instead of the last resort when such ailments appear.

The taste of the oil is not apparent and the oil itself is partly digested—makes it easy for the stomach. Scott's Emulsion is a quick, reliable help at all ages.

We'll send you a sample free upon request. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York.

THIS REMEDY CATARRH
is sure to GIVE SATISFACTION.

Ely's Cream Balm Gives Relief at Once
It cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold to the head quickly. It is absorbed. Heals and protects the membrane. Restores the sense of taste and smell. Full size 50c, at druggists or by mail. Trial size 10c by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 55 Warren Street, New York.

ONE WORD.

"Write me an epic," the warrior said—
"Victory, valor and glory wed."

"Prithee, a ballad," exclaimed the knight—
"Prowess, adventure and faith unite."

"An ode to freedom," the patriot cried—
"Liberty won and wrong defied."

"Give me a drama," the scholar asked—
"The inner world in the outer mask."

"Frame me a sonnet," the artist prayed—
"Power and passion in harmony played."

"Sing me a lyric," the maiden sighed—
"A lark note waking the morning wide."

"Nay, all too long," said the busy age—
"Write me a line instead of a page."

Then swift years spoke, the poet heard,
"Your poem write in a single word."

He looked at the maiden's glowing eyes,
A moment glanced at the starlit skies;

From the lights below to the lights above,
And wrote the one-word poem—
Love.

—Wallace Bruce.

PROMOTES PERJURY.

No man of even ordinary intelligence who investigates the present system of assessing personal property for taxation can fail to know that it is not only a hollow mockery, but a wicked promoter of perjury.

For example, it was recently announced that in the state of New York the amount of personal property listed for taxation is only three and one-hundredth per cent of the total tax roll.

In Ohio, where the deposits in banks of that state aggregate \$150,000,000 only \$5,000,000 appears on the roll.

Surely it is time to abolish taxation of personal property, and derive all public revenue from monopoly. The single tax is what the country needs.—Ralph Hoyt in San Francisco Star.

Sheep Shearing in Baker.

Sheepmen say that shearing will commence in Baker county and this part of the Inland Empire generally as soon as the weather settles in April. It is expected that there will be a tremendous crop of wool of high grade as the winter has been very favorable to the sheep and the present moisture will insure good early pasturage and prevent much rust accumulating in the fleeces.—Baker City Democrat.

Be skeptical if you will; be prudent if you must, but be narrow

NEVER

Investigate before you condemn, and be open to conviction while investigating. Place no limitations on a thing you know nothing about. Take time and look Trib up and see if we can not interest you with us. We say Trib is the best cure for the liquor and tobacco habits on the market.

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SOLD BY TALLMAN & CO.



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PENDLETON, OREGON.

Under the direction of the Sisters of St. Francis, of Philadelphia. Resident and day pupils. Special attention given to music and elocution. Students prepared for county and state certificates. For particulars address

SISTER SUPERIOR.

Good Dry Wood
ALL KINDS

I have good, sound wood which is delivered at reasonable prices

FOR CASH.

W. C. MINNIS

Leave Orders at Henning's Cigar store, opp. Peoples Warehouse.

VERY TRYING TO WOMEN

Are the Peculiar Ills Brought on by Catarrh of the Pelvic Organs.

(Pe-ru-na is a Tonic Especially Adapted to Their Peculiar Diseases.)

Miss Alice Dressler
Miss Jessie Westland
Miss Mamie Groth
Mrs. Ida L. Gregory
Mrs. Louise Westbrook
Miss Florence Murphy

Mrs. Louise Westbrook, No. 9 East Columbia St., Detroit, Mich., Secretary of the West Side Lotus Club, writes:
"For several years I suffered with leucorrhoea and painful menstruation, which was followed by general debility, until I was but a wreck of myself. Thanks to Peruna I am a well woman today."—Louise Westbrook.
Miss Jessie Westland, No. 705 Canby Ave., Detroit, Mich., District Deputy of Detroit Independent Order of Good Templars, writes as follows:
"Peruna has been a blessing to me and gladly do I endorse it. For two years I suffered with catarrh of the stomach, I lost flesh and grew thin and emaciated, nervous and exhausted, so that I could neither work or enjoy life, I began taking Peruna and can now eat and enjoy everything I eat. I have been well over a year now."—Miss Jessie Westland.
Miss Alice Dressler, of No. 1813 North Bryant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., writes as follows concerning Peruna:
"I was suffering from catarrh of the throat and head. One of my college friends, who was visiting me, asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all and more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh, but restored me to perfect health."—Alice Dressler.
Miss Mamie Groth, Plattville, Wis., writes:
"I have for several years suffered with frequent backache and would for several days have splitting headaches. Several of my friends advised me to take Peruna and I asked my physician what he thought of it. He recommended it and so I took it and am entirely without pain of any kind now."—Mamie Groth.
In a recent letter from No. 2 Grant Ave., Denver, Col., Mrs. Ida L. Gregory writes:
"Some six years ago my husband suffered with nervous prostration, and advising with a friendly druggist he brought home a bottle of Peruna. His health was restored from its use, his appetite was increased and restful sleep came to him."—Ida L. Gregory.
Miss Florence Murphy, No. 230 Second Ave., Seattle, Wash., writes:
"I suffered for over a year with female trouble, and although I tried several physicians none of them seemed to be able to help me permanently. It only took a little over three bottles of Peruna to make me well and strong. I never have backache, headache or bearing down pains any more."—Florence Murphy.

Your Spring Need in the

Hardware Line

WE WANT YOUR TRADE ON THE MERITS OF OUR GOODS AND THE COMPLETE ASSORTMENT WE OFFER YOU TO SELECT FROM.

BUILDING HARDWARE

OF EVERY CONCEIVABLE DESIGN, INCLUDING HINGES, LOCKS, NAILS, ETC., AND ALL NECESSARY TIN AND PLUMBING WORK TO COMPLETE YOUR JOB IN FIRST-CLASS SHAPE.

MECHANICS' TOOLS

LARGEST AND MOST COMPLETE STOCK FOR CARPENTERS TO SELECT FROM.

GARDEN HOSE

OUR STOCK CONTAINS ALL SIZES AND GRADES, AND PRICES TO CORRESPOND. WE CARRY SPRAYERS, PRUNERS, PRUNING SAWS, SHEARS AND KNIVES. IN ADDITION TO THE ABOVE WE HANDLE

BIRD CAGES
WHIPS
BROOMS
WINDMILLS
BRUSHES
RANGES
PUMPS
PIPE
NETTING
CONE BARBED WIRE
ETC. ETC. ETC.

IF IN NEED OF ANYTHING IN THE HARDWARE LINE WE WILL BE PLEASED TO HAVE YOU CALL AND SEE US BEFORE BUYING.

W. J. CLARKE & CO.

211 COURT STREET.