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FUN OF VICTORY.
There's a heap of satisfaction
In a trouble if you grin
If you keep your nerve in action
And you wear a lifted chin.
There's a joy in doing some-
thing
That you've never done be-
fore,
So don't be a deaf and dumb
thing,
Chance is knocking at your
door.
Down and out, there's fun in
rising,
Fun in facing heavy odds,
Doing deeds that are surprising,
And the happy fellow plods,
Plods along and hums a ditty
As he journeys down the
street
Of the busy, gold-mad city,
Till he's back upon his feet.
It's in overcoming trouble
That a fellow gets his fun;
It's in shattering the bubble
That is labeled "can't be
done."
It's in striving night and day
time
When the problem hopeless
seems
Man appreciates the playtime
When he's realized his
dreams.
—Detroit Free Press.

A NEEDED CRITICISM.

Returning from a trip to Chicago, John M. Scott, assistant general passenger agent for the O. R. & N. has offered some timely criticism of Oregon boosting methods:
"Oregon is giving too much attention to apple-growing to the exclusion of its numerous other worthy industries," said Mr. Scott.
"People in the East are gaining the idea, and erroneously, that we don't produce anything but apples here. They haven't been told that Oregon is one of the greatest grain, small fruit, timber and livestock states in the union.
"Our constant exploitation of the apple industry, with the high prices that of necessity prevail for good apple orchards, is actually scaring away the settler of small means.
"We should tell Eastern people more of the land that can be bought in the state at from \$25 to \$100 an acre, of the timber resources and of the opportunities to make money with an investment of a small amount of capital. In our enthusiasm over the apple we have woefully neglected some of the resources that are entitled to their proportion of attention."
The East Oregonian believes Mr. Scott right in this matter. Eastern people reading of our country might well conclude that Oregon offers no inducements to others than apple growers. As a matter of fact this state is rich in opportunities for men of all callings. Our resources are not limited even to agricultural and horticultural lines. We have openings for the small manufacturer as well as for the small farmer. We have work for workmen and good investments for capitalists. Why not let the world know we have extensive resources.

WORTH CONSIDERING.

Just prior to the last city election it was difficult to get good men to run for office. Most of the officials who were chosen at that time were brought into the race under protest. In one instance a councillorman who was elected declined to serve and his position had to be filled by appointment. At this time the position of ex-Councillorman A. L. Knight is vacant because Mayor Murphy has so far been unable to find a good man to take the place.
Is it not possible this situation is due to the fact that we ask our city officials to do much work and suffer much headache for nothing? Umatilla county seldom has trouble getting men to run for county positions. Usually there are plenty of good men available and the salaries paid are not large either.
Perhaps it would work for the gen-

eral good if the city had fewer officials and paid them something for the work they do. In other words the commission plan of government might be a good thing for Pendleton.
The idea is worth investigating.

DRAFT IT; THEN ENFORCE IT.

When Mayor Rose was here to lecture in behalf of the home rule association not long ago he quoted Theodore Roosevelt in support of his contention that with respects to the liquor question "the power that must enforce the law should make the law."
It appears to be good logic. If it is then the mayor and the city council should draft the ordinance that is to regulate the saloon business within this city. They are the people upon whom will fall the task of enforcing that ordinance.

It is also timely to remark that the city officials will find the proper enforcement of the law to be their greatest task. It is easy to draft laws. It takes vigor and backbone to enforce them.

EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

With the Christmas season fast drawing nigh many newspapers are reminding their readers that they should shop early. It is timely advice for the average Christmas shopper defers making purchases until a day or two before December 25. Then we have the yearly rush. Merchants and their clerks are overworked, and intending purchasers do not have time to make careful and judicious selections. In some cases, more especially in the large centers of population, the Christmas season is a time of turmoil and not of cheer.
Do your Christmas shopping early and get the good out of it.

TO ADVERTISE OREGON.

That Governor-elect Oswald West is alive to the advertising needs of Oregon is indicated by his declaration that he will favor an appropriation of \$20,000 for a book setting forth the climatic conditions of Oregon and the resources of this state.

A few years ago some work along this line was done by the state conservation commission. A booklet was issued containing valuable data with reference to rainfall, altitudes, stream flows, temperatures, etc. It was information of great value to those who are working for the further settlement and upbuilding of the state.

The state government can well afford to lend reasonable assistance to the cause of a greater Oregon.

Pendleton is the most centrally located of all eastern Oregon cities. It has 22 passenger trains running in and out of the city daily and it has hotel and restaurant accommodations possessed by no other small city in the northwest. Will not these considerations be of some weight when the state board decides upon a location for that branch asylum?

How would it do to make the city prisoners sweep the cross walks? It is hard to find some of the walks because of the mud which now covers them.

Dr. Cook says he may have been mistaken through being half crazed by the exposures of the frozen north. Again it may be he imagined he needed the money.

DECEMBER 1 IN HISTORY.

- 1640—John, Duke of Braganza, whose descendants have lost hope of succession through the recent revolution, became ruler of Portugal as it gained independence from King Philip II of Spain.
- 1732—M. Charles, having made some improvements on balloons, ascended at Paris in one filled with inflammable air, the first which has been so filled. He ascended to the height of 5000 feet.
- 1804—British ports in the East Indies closed to American commerce.
- 1825—Michael I succeeded to the throne of Russia.
- 1829—J. K. Mitchell of Philadelphia, invented a method by which India rubber could be made into thin and almost transparent sheets.
- 1844—Dowager Queen Alexander, who prefers to be known as the Queen Mother, was born in Denmark.
- 1867—United States Senator E. J. Burkett of Nebraska, born.
- 1873—James G. Blaine, re-elected speaker of the house of representatives.
- 1884—President Diaz of Mexico, began his first term.
- 1908—President Roosevelt nominated Daniel J. Keefe to be commissioner of immigration.
- 1909—Parliamentary campaign for elections in Great Britain opened.

"What makes you so late?"
"I had words with the teacher."
"Indeed?"
"Yes; I couldn't spell them."
—December Lippincott's.

Mr. Roosevelt is said to be having throat trouble. Probably due to his having swallowed the Payne-Aldrich tariff.—Chicago Journal.
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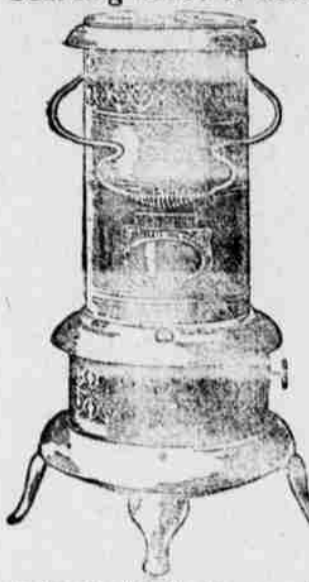
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The price quotations on alienated affections are usually a good deal blow par value.
You are not fair to your feet if your shoes have to be "broken in" before they are comfortable.
So many times the man with a Great purpose in life doesn't stand any chance to accomplish it.
The average letter of recommendation doesn't mean much. The man who writes it usually does so in order to get rid of the man who asked for it.
Colonel Roosevelt says he has nothing to say. It's a pity he didn't announce that determination before too much talking caused so much trouble.
About the only excitement in Atchison today is this: A man who was lately operated on, appeared on the streets, and people fear he is out too soon.
No man who doesn't do more work than his wife can hope to make a big success in life. Ever know a really successful man whose wife worked as hard as he did?
It sometimes happens that the slouch is as proud of his slovenly appearance as the fob is of his glad rags. And the pride of the slouch is about the worst variety.
When a man has a heated argument with his wife, and presents his side of the case in what he believes to be a perfectly fair way, she says: "I'd be ashamed!" As though no Real Man would say such a thing to a lady.

Utterly Wretched Nervous Prostration Long Endured Before Remedy was Found.
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