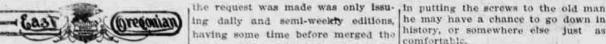
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SERVICE.

To serve another's will-That's not for me. My heart is not athrill For slavery.

To serve another's need

- Right heartily, In thought, and word and deed,
- That's liberty
- -John Kendrick Bangs. ♦

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A POLITICAL SESSION?

If present predictions are carried the East Oregonian lost its oldest emout the extra session of congress call- ploye. ed by President Taft will be more of Weaver was a member of the a political session than anything else. mechanical force of this paper. He It was called by the president to adopt the reciprocity treaty-the adminis. the force. He could work faster and tration's star bid for popularity but swear harder than any other printer which thus far has not made the pres- in castern Oregon and he did so. Beident particularly popular, especially with the farmers who stand to be affected by the treaty.

"There appears to be little doubt the best appearing small dailies in the concerning the passage of the recip- west. rocity measure; and not much like-Hhood of any tariff revision during the extra session," says Henry Clews. "It is quite possible, however, that considerable tariff agitation may be aroused if only for political effect, es. paper to where the Hoe presses sing pecially as the time is drawing near for another presidential campaign. For this very reason, however, there 13 little prospect of any important changes being made in present schedules. The tariff is altogether too full of excellent political ammunition to permit of a prompt adjustment, and as it will be the best material for the forthcoming campaign there is little reason to fear very decisive action in any extra session. Still, tariff agitation is a deterrent and not a stimu-

ing daily and semi-weekty editions, he may have a chance to go down in having some time before merged the weekly edition with the semi-weekly in order to give its readers a much

better and prompter service. The Friday's issue of the semi-weekly is now designated as the weekly edition

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expenses of the county should be

rarticular concern.

een no misunderstanding.

"TEDDY" WEAVER.

was a capable and loyal member of

cause of Mr. Weaver's work and the

work of others this paper has long

Like many others who have been

"Teddy" has heard the call of the city

and has answered it. If he fares as

have others who have gone from this

The decision of the county court to

undertake the building of macadam

reads should encourage the city to do

street improvement work. At this

time some of the county roads leading

into the city are better than the streets

with which those roads connect.

condition to continue.

comfortable. THE DESIRE FOR CLEVERNESS.

history, or somewhere else just as

(Vancouver (B. C.) World.) A witness in a lawsuit this week. being asked if he had been to America in his youth, said that he went there to get clever, and added that the Americans are cleverer than we are, says the London Times. Very llkely they are, for we are not a clover people; indeed, in the past we have been inclined to distrust cleverness We have commonly used the word in a depreciatory sense, as when we say of a man that he is too clever by half or of a book that it is merely clever Now that is all changed; and, like the witness in question, there are many of us who think they can learn to be clever, just as there are women who think they can make themselves beaupublished. The court was required tiful. But cleverness, like beauty, is by law to take such action. As to only attractive when it is natural. It is well worth having as a gift, but the other paper that was chosen and the effort to attain it by force leads as to how that paper came to be people to behave as if they were not chosen the East Oregonian has no human beings, but performing mon-

keys who had taught themselves their own tricks. Cleverness is a peculiar From information, secured, so it urban quality. The Greeks, who were ays, from a member of the county a town people, were remarkable for court the Milton Eagle seems to feel it; the Romans, who loved the counthat this paper was improperly se- try were not. So, in modern times, lected as a medium for publishing the the French, who delight in town life, are the cleverest of nations; and we cunty's expenses. Nothing could be who have always been a country-lov-"rther from the truth. The action ing people, are not clever. But, like of the court was required by law and the Romans, we have been turned init was also in accordance with the to a nation of townsmen against our natural inclination; and in the process ules of good business. Had the Eagle we have, also like the Romans, falle, been given a full and truthful stateinto a general insecurity of taste, tryment of the affair there could have ing to transform our natures to suit

our new surroundings, not cultivating those innate qualities in which we can excel, but trying to assume others in which we cannot. No amount of ef-When "Teddy" Weaver left this city fort will ever make us as clever as the Sunday to take a position in Portland French; and the more we try to be clever the less attractive we become. For a period of 25 years Mr. like a plain woman who tries to be beautiful

INLAND EMPIRE TIMBER.

Enough to House Half Population of

the Continent. Statistics compiled by A. W. Cooper, secretary of the Western Pine Manufacturers' association. show there is an avilable supply of standbeen complimented as being one of ing timber in the inland empire to construct 17,000,000 four and fiveroom cottages, or sufficient to house more than half of the population of the United States and Canada. Four connected with this paper in the past hundred miles in the district, having a total capacity of 3,000,000,000 feet cut 1.463.000,000 feet in 1909. The value of the product at the mill is estimated at \$21,000,000. of which amount \$14,000,000 was paid for late will do well. May good luck be bor. Six million dollars was paid to railroads for hauling the output. The value of the stumpage cut is placed at \$3.000,000.

> The report shows there is about \$119,000,000 invested in the industry in this district, and that the working capital employed ranges from \$25,-000,000 to \$30,000,000. One hundred thousand persons are directly sup-ported by the industry and 20,000 men are employed on a basis of 300 days

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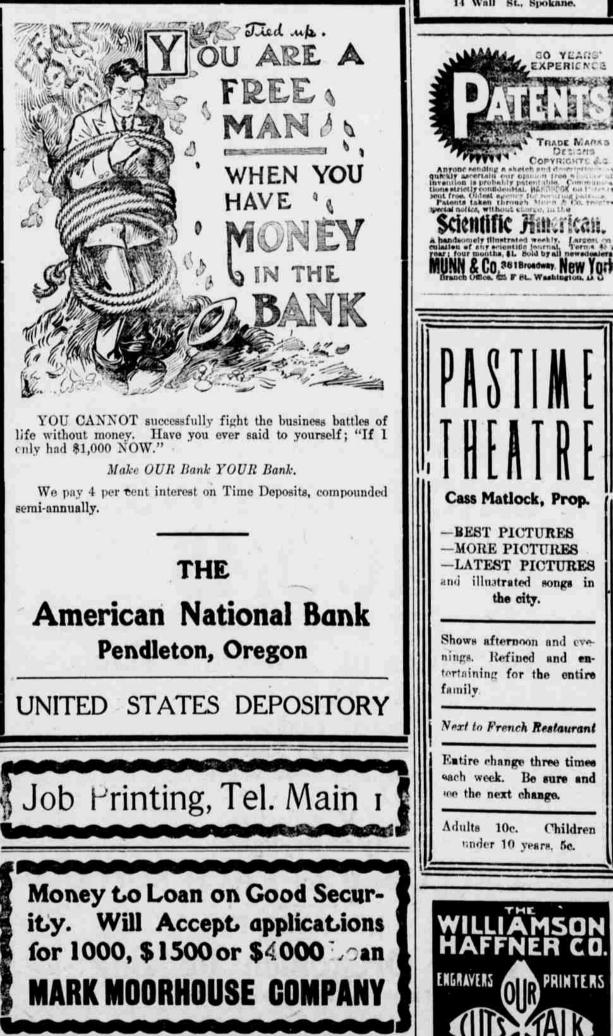
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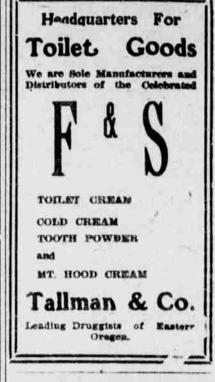
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Children

Pendleton cannot afford to allow such a year. The notice for bids for constructing

WAGNER NOT ON JURY.

lant to business enterprise. There is the water main from the city limits Great Singger Excused on Condition that He Play Hard. Pittsburg, Pa., March 6 .- Honus Wagner will have to play the game

reading. It will soon he up to the peo on the free list as vitally affect ple of the city to vote for a mountain the cost of living, and there is renewed talk of attacking the wool, cot- water system and thereby assure the state plenty of pure water for its inton and steel schedules. But, as already said, radical changes are not stitution.

more or less talk of putting such ar- to the branch asylum site makes good

with him.

probable, at least until after another presidential election."

If the democrats have wise leaderrevision of the tariff, now nor in the future. They will stand for the creation of a tariff commission to handle tariff changes in much the same manner as the interstate commerce commission regulates freight rates The tariff is a business proposition rather than a political issue. However, the democrats are coming to the bat and no doubt they will want to play the game as it has always been played. As to this we will know more later

FOR THE MILTON EAGLE.

If the esteemed Milton Eagle will kindly investigate the subject a trifle It will find it has no just complaint because the county court has authorized the publication of the county expenses in the East Oregonian. That work is being given to the East Oregonian in conformity with a law from which the following is an extract:

"No. 2636. The county court shall, at the January session of each year, select one newspaper published within the county, having the largest circulation within the county where published, in which the proceedings of said court, as entered of record, shall be published at the expense of the county: Provided, that in counties having ten thousand population two newspapers having the largest circulation shall be selected, and the county clerk shall furnish such papers selected each a copy of the proceedings and a list of claims." (L. 1891, p. 140, Sec. 2.)

It will be seen that the law does not specify that the statement must be published in any particular edition though that when the county clerk asked for sworn statements of circulation he asked for the same with reference to weekly editions only. That action was taken regardless of doing as he did.

The East Oregonian at the time

Indications point to a wonderful

development in the west end of the ship they will not attempt a general "cunty this summer and to a healthy increase in population for that section. Local merchants should act accordingly.

The baseball season will soon open.

HAD IMPROVED.

Representative Nicholas Longworth has the reputation of being a firstrate little amateur boxer, says the Washington "Herald." Back in Cincinnati they tell this

story about Nicholas and his father. The elder Longworth liked to box just as a matter of exercise and used his

son for a sparring companion, owing to the lack of anybody better that could be called upon at short notice. Young Nick wasn't altogether enthusiastic about the job, for his father ossessed a certain amount of skill, and he would come away from one of his father's periods of daily exercise feeling like a man who had been in a unaway accident.

When young Nick came home from Harvard for his first vacation his father told him that he had been missing the boxing sessions and that he yould like to meet him up in the attic at once.

A few minutes later father came down with a large bump the size of a ouple of pecan nuts over his left eye 'Gracious!" he exclaimed to a guest ho was in the parlor, "you'd actually be surprised at the way that boy has improved."

THE LAUGH ON TIME.

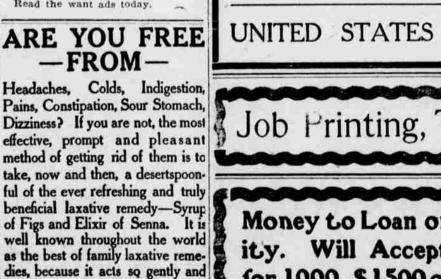
(Montgomery Advertiser.) An English veterinary surgeon inlected a couple of miligrams of radium into the jugular veln of an old horse and made the animal feel young igain. This brings forth the anneuncement that radium may be made the basis of the real elixir of life. Dr. Petit, the surgeon in question, thinks it highly probable that a radio-active of a paper, such as its daily, weekly serum may be obtained in this man-or semi-weekly edition. It is true ner which will arrest to a certain extent the advance of physical decay in human beings.

If true, the practical use of radium in this way will give humanity a new source of fun. It will be great sport to have the laugh on Father Time the law and the clerk was in error in and his hand which paints the hair white. He has had humanity under his thumb for many thousand years, and if this plain horse doctor succeeds

of his life for the Pirates this year or be in danger of contempt of court. The immortal shortstop's name was recently drawn from the jury wheel and he was sumoned to serve as a juror in the common pleas court during the ter commenced today. Immediately the fans of the Smoky City set up a tremendous howl, since today is also the date set for the sailing of the irates on their voyage to West Baden, Ind., and points south. That the great Honus should have to remain at home and play the role of a tame and domesticated juryman. when he should be libering up his muscles and lamming the ball over the fence in preparation for the great battle to come, was not to be tolerat-ed. Great influence was brought to bear upon the judges, and they finally agreed, in consideration of a promise by Wagner to play ball as lever before, to relieve him from jury luty. So it has come to pass, to the immense joy of the fans that the Dutchman is not today copped up in a jury box, but instead is donning his war paint for the trip to West Baden. It is a happy day in Pittsburg and already the faithful, in their mind's see a banner of strange device floating over Forbes field,

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