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 EDITORIAL.

"To the victors belong the spoils," is an old saying, and a horde of the incumbents of Uncle Sam's postoffice department have been reaching out till they have not only absorbed the legitimate "spoils," but have kept on "spoiling" until exposure has staid their hands. Socialism offers a condition of equity where the spoils system obtain no foothold. It incorporates the Golden Rule. The spoils system is the reverse; it simply means "do the other fellows before they do you," and these postmasters have been "doing" the other fellows.

And now congressman Loud has been heard from. The news is so loud that it gives away the probable reason why he wished to, and tried so hard to kill off the country press with his infamous Loud Bill—ostensibly to cut down the expense of transporting the mail but in reality to close them out so that their influence and contention for equity might be stilled when rogues like Loud and Madden had jobs on hand to work the government. Loud and Madden were great reformers when they wished to muzzle a free press, and so they posed before the public, but now they come mixed up and involved in the postal scandals which are to be aired. There is a lot of dirty linen being fumigated and it does not belong to the country press either.

FOOLS AND THEIR WAYS.

Is there anything too foolish for human beings to engage in? A week ago last Sunday, two men engaged in an eating contest, in New York, in which the winner, in the space of an hour and forty minutes swallowed five and three-quarter pounds of beefsteak, one hundred eggs and crackers, fifty oysters, ten brains, two loaves of bread, and a bunch of asparagus. It is hard to believe that men so unwise as to defy nature, by cramming their stomachs to the utmost excess, and thus overworking their digestive organs, and taking the chance of death, or at least, of impaired health, can be found, yet they come before the public in their grossness and seem to think that they have succeeded in some great feat, when in fact, the only statement that an intelligent person could truthfully make of them is that they have imitated the hog in stuffing themselves to their utmost limit, and made fools of themselves in doing it.

The prizefighter's vocation is barbarous and degrading, and is not calculated to develop the higher attributes of a man's nature, yet, with all its devilishness, there are some redeeming features, as it brings out the culture that is necessary to give to man a physical condition necessary to endure hard labor and stand fatigue. Although the purpose for which this physical training has been undertaken is brutal, and it often leads to disease afterward because of excess of feeding, and inactivity commensurate with the requirements of the physical condition developed, yet the lesson of physical culture is left.

But with the gourmand, the man who crams his stomach to bursting, what can be offered in excuse for his abuse of his body? Nothing. He has exposed the fool that he is, and nothing can be said that will ease him down or justify him in his act.

When we come to take cognizance of this imposition on the physical structure of man, we are led to think that many persons are either woefully ignorant of the powers of their digestive organs, or else conclude that they are made from boiler plate, and endowed with the power of chemicals to carry on digestion. This becomes apparent from the indigestible food that is too frequently taken into human stomachs.

Then, too, there is the habit of stimulating the system and entering to the nerves when they call for a renewal of the stimulated condition or for more. In this condition a man becomes his own slave, and the article with which he feeds his appetite becomes his master.

Tobacco is the master of some, alcohol of others, opium has its slaves, and other stimulants have their subjects. This is not all, men and women can cultivate and feed sensuous desires of their being until they are slaves to habit, their will power broken,

and time bears them onward only to plunge them over the brink at last, a total ruin, and a disgrace to themselves.
 Will you be your own master and live for higher light and influence; live to attain to all there is in life, or will you be the slave of some insensate thing and never know what life is?

Exercise your agency and be free. Do not bow down and acknowledge that a thing that can neither feel, think or move is your master and can dictate your walk in life.

C. Y. Lowe Will Buy It Back.

You assume no risk when you buy Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. C. Y. Lowe will refund your money if you are not satisfied after using it. It is everywhere admitted to be the most successful remedy in use for bowel complaints and the only one that never fails. It is pleasant, safe and reliable.

The New Boat Dispatch.

Perkins Moomaw & White launched their new vessel last Thursday and on Monday the tug Triumph towed her down to Bandon and W. H. Logan lifted the boiler out of the old Dispatch and set it into position on the new boat which we understand will also be named "Dispatch."

The new vessel is a fine model and is 128 feet over all and 25 feet beam, and when she is equipped for use will draw only about 16 inches of water.

She was towed back up to Parkersburg on Tuesday where the work of finishing the deckhouse and cabin will be prosecuted. She will be ready for service about the 1st of August.

The Postoffice Scandal.

Most of the officials or ex-officials accused of complicity in the postoffice frauds "indignantly deny" that they are guilty, and lay the blame on others. But this is in most instances bluffing. The department, it begins to appear, was "rotten" from Postmaster-General Smith down. Nobody accuses him of putting dishonest money in his individual purse, but he knowingly allowed others to do so, which was just as bad. No one suspects the late President McKinley of knowing personally the details that are now coming out, or that he would have sanctioned any positive fraud; he was burdened with national cares and left all these department affairs to others; yet he should at least have been acquainted with his brother, Abner, and known that whenever he buzzed there was something unsavory; and it is said that "at every turn connected with every new corruption brought to light in the department at this time is heard the name of Abner McKinley." The corruption, springing from near the head, principally probably from the office of First Assistant Postmaster-General, rapidly oozed its slimy way through many departmental channels. But nobody has any doubt that President Roosevelt will do all that can be done to cleanse the department, though it is unlikely that any of the rascals will be properly punished.—Telegram.

Telegram: The more the Postoffice Department is investigated, the more rotten it appears to have been. Perhaps it would be well to turn a strong searchlight upon other departments also.

Appeal to Reason: In the post-office scandal at Washington City it has developed that ex-Congressman Loud appointed his niece to a place on the pay roll as a laborer, and later put her into a clerical position, against the law regarding civil service. This Loud is the fine patriotic specimen of the genus virtue that tried to close out papers from the second-class privilege in the interest of the express companies. Scratch any of these fellows and you will find the same kind of public animal. Miss Loud has been dismissed. Loud should be taken into the public service again, and probably will be, just to reward him for his loyalty to the corporations.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio.
 Sold by Druggists 75c.
 Hall's Family Pills are the best.

W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

The next W. C. T. U. meeting takes place Tuesday, at 2:30, P. M., at the M. E. Church.

W. C. T. U. and Socialism.

My sisters, what are we fighting? What is the foundation stone upon which the liquor traffic rests? What keeps every saloon keeper so perseveringly at his post amid the scorn and frowns of the world, and even the prickings of his own conscience? What is the power behind the throne that influences our legislators even though they listen with saintly smiles to our petitions, to immediately turn about and vote against them? Do you not recognize it as the greed of gold? While self-preservation under competitive strife breeds its brood of specious false standards in the heart of humanity, what can we hope for? A few palative measures mayhap, to silence our clamor and divert our attention for the moment, but as far as the home destroying, soul-blasting liquor traffic is concerned, our gains are as driftwood in the mighty ocean. Then, what shall we do, you ask? That is well. The wise physician ever tries to discover the malady before seeking or applying a remedy. Have we not discovered it? Have we not through all these years of earnest effort been balked at every turn by one thing—the selfish greed of gold and power? Have we not seen enough of competitive warfare to recognize the true disease eating into the heart of our nation? Then why seek longer to waste our labors upon the outgrowth of this noxious weed? Why not up root it at once, and plant in its stead a co-operative commonwealth that shall have no incentive to degrade its brethren, but on the contrary all the incentive in the world to uplift and make of them useful citizens.

We can do this if we will. That we will find ourselves a power when our efforts are concentrated upon the real issue none will deny. We have seen the prohibition party unavailing—it, too, was dealing with a man of straw. Shall we follow in its foot steps, or shall we arise and help to usher in the new day that shall see all motive destroyed, that tends to despoil our brothers and sisters of God given rights, of a healthy mind in a healthy body. God grant that we be no longer blind to our work at hand, "for God and home, and native land."

"New occasions teach new duties; time makes ancient good uncouth; They must upward still and onward, who would keep abreast of truth." MISS DELPHEA PEARL LUGHELS, Seneca, Mich.

Very Remarkable Cure of Diarrhoea.

"About six years ago for the first time in my life I had a sudden and severe attack of diarrhoea," says Mrs. Alice Miller, of Morgan, Texas. "I got temporary relief, but it came back again and again, and for six long years I have suffered more misery and agony than I can tell. It was worse than death. My husband spent hundreds of dollars for physicians' prescriptions and treatment without avail. Finally we moved to Bosque county, our present home, and one day I happened to see an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with a testimonial of a man who had been cured by it. The case was so similar to my own that I concluded to try the remedy. The result was wonderful. I could hardly realize that I was well again, or believe it could be so after having suffered so long, but that one bottle of medicine, costing but a few cents, cured me." For sale by C. Y. Lowe.

Salem Sentinel: The great lesson to be learned from the present post-office investigation is that the spoils system and honest administration cannot exist simultaneously. High officials have violated the mandates of the president as expressed through the civil service regulations, for partisan profit. Their subordinates have been quick to imitate them and have gone a short step further and violated United States statutes and moral laws for personal gain.

Baseball Schedule.

Following are the dates of games, and names of places at which the several teams of the Coos county league will play during the season.
 At Bandon.
 July 12—Bandon vs North Bend.
 July 26—Bandon vs Coquille.
 Aug 9—Bandon vs Marshfield.
 Aug 23—Bandon vs North Bend.
 Sept 6—Bandon vs Coquille.
 Sept 13—Bandon vs Marshfield.
 At Coquille City.
 July 5—Coquille vs Marshfield.
 July 12—Coquille vs Marshfield.
 Aug 2—Coquille vs North Bend.
 Aug 16—Coquille vs Bandon.
 Aug 26—Coquille vs Marshfield.
 Sept 13—Coquille vs North Bend.
 At Marshfield.
 July 5—Marshfield vs North Bend.
 July 19—Marshfield vs Bandon.
 Aug 2—Marshfield vs Coquille.
 Aug 16—Marshfield vs North Bend.
 Aug 30—Marshfield vs Bandon.
 Sept 13—Marshfield vs Coquille.
 At North Bend.
 July 19—North Bend vs Coquille.
 July 26—North Bend vs Marshfield.
 Aug 9—North Bend vs Bandon.
 Aug 23—North Bend vs Coquille.
 Sept 6—North Bend vs Marshfield.
 Sept 20—North Bend vs Bandon.

Man Lost From The Alliance.

A dispatch from Astoria and published in last Friday's Oregonian gives the following account of a man lost from the Alliance when passing out of Coos bay last week:

"The steam schooner Alliance, which arrived in this afternoon from San Francisco and Coast points, reports the loss of a man overboard during the trip. While crossing out from Coos bay yesterday, Third Mate Swenson, who was taking soundings on the bar, lost his balance and fell into the breakers. Although the alarm was quickly given and every effort made to save the drowning man, he could not be reached."



Mrs. Fred Unrath,
 President Country Club, Bandon, Oregon.
 "After my first baby was born I did not seem to regain my strength although the doctor gave me a tonic which he considered very superior, but instead of getting better I grew weaker every day. My husband insisted that I take Wine of Cardui for a week and see what it would do for me. I did take the medicine and was very grateful to find my strength and health slowly returning. In two weeks I was able to take up my usual duties. I am very enthusiastic in its praise."
 Wine of Cardui reinforces the organs of generation for the ordeal of pregnancy and childbirth. It prevents miscarriage. No woman who takes Wine of Cardui need fear the coming of her child. If Mrs. Unrath had taken Wine of Cardui before her baby came she would not have been weakened as she was. Her rapid recovery should commend this great remedy to every expectant mother. Wine of Cardui regulates the menstrual flow.

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 The Portland Evening Telegram is issued six times a week. It gives all the news that is worth reading and up to time of going to press, much of it being 24 hours fresher than when it reaches here through any other journal.
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 For a weekly newspaper 1 Weekly Oregonian leads in the Northwest, and gives all the news usually contained in a weekly paper.
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 It is the duty of each person to seek information along all lines that tend toward bringing about better conditions and greater prosperity for the human family, and for the purpose of giving our readers a chance to inform themselves we give them the best—Appeal to Reason. Any doctrine that does not appeal to the highest order of reasoning is not safe.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
 [Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878]
 UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSEBURG OREGON, April 4, 1903.
 Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Lawrence A. Gray, of Newberg, County of Yamhill, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4541, for the purchase of the W 1/2 of SW 1/4 and SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section No. 27, in Township Number 20 South, Range No. 14 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before E. A. Dodge, U. S. Commissioner, at Myrtle Point, Oregon, on Saturday, the 11th day of July, 1903. He names as witnesses: W. H. Rogers, J. A. Cotton, J. T. Guerin, E. N. Smith, all of Myrtle Point, Oregon.
 Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of July, 1903.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
 Department of the Interior,
 UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE at ROSEBURG, Oregon, May 22, 1903.
 Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final (commutation) proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Charles T. Blumenrother, U. S. Commissioner at Bandon, Oregon, on
 JULY 10, 1903.
 viz: John C. Loosen on Hd. E. No. 10622 for the N 1/2 of NE 1/4, and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 17, T. 20 S., R. No. 14 West.
 He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James A. Cope, of Bandon, Oregon; H. F. Cope, of Bandon, Oregon; W. H. Logan, of Bandon, Oregon; U. F. Blumenrother, of Langlois, Oregon.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

THE STEAMER—DISPATCH
 THOMAS WHITE, Master
 Leaves Bandon every morning, except Sunday, at 7:30 o'clock and makes connections with the train and steamer Myrtle 10:30 a. m. at Coquille City.
 Leaves Coquille City at 12:30 p. m., arriving at Bandon at 4:30 p. m.

TELEGRAPH NOTICE.
 Notice is hereby given to all persons not trespassing upon the premises of Dr. Kenyon, situated between Florida Lake and the country road, in Northern Curry, by removing, cutting, or destroying timber upon said land, \$25 reward will be paid for information leading to a conviction of trespass as stated above.
 Dated at Bandon, Oregon, March 14, 1903.
 PETER NELSON, Agent.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
 Timber Land Act June 3, 1878.
 UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSEBURG Oregon, May 29th, 1903.
 Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Anna A. Mandy, of near Bandon, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5227 for the purchase of the SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section No. 33, in Township No. 27 S., R. No. 14 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before C. T. Blumenrother, U. S. Commissioner for District of Oregon at Bandon, Coos County, Oregon, on Friday, the 14th day of August, 1903. She names as witnesses, Seth Langston, of Bandon, Oregon; Lee Barrows of Bandon, Oregon; Glen Cor., of Bandon, Oregon; Shesley Mandy, of Bandon, Oregon.
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 UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSEBURG Oregon, May 29th, 1903.
 Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Charles T. Fieger of Bandon, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5201, for the purchase of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Section No. 33, in Township No. 28 South, Range No. 14 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before C. T. Blumenrother, U. S. Commissioner for District of Oregon at Bandon, Coos County, Oregon, on Friday, the 14th day of August, 1903. He names as witnesses: A. E. Haddell, H. R. Room, John Anderson, R. E. L. Bedillion, all of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon.
 Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of August, 1903.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

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