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IRVING S. BATH Editor

The QUESTION of a thousand dollar liquor license is up before the voters of Portland. In a place the size of Portland, the revenue on their licenses is not to be sneezed at.

The LONG Island burglars who recently hauled a fifteen hundred pound safe a distance of three miles and on opening it found a nice, juicy lemon, may console themselves that their efforts were not wholly fruitless.

The LITERARY Digest has it that hell is a place of strong drink, tobacco, baseball, theatres, and peepaboo shirt waists, according to a Tennessee minister. In that case it looks as if ninety per cent of the "sky pilots" will have to close up shop.

The KOOSBAY PROGRESS, issued by Major Kinney reached this office and is a creditable publication. It is profusely illustrated, printed on a heavy calendered paper, and gives a lot of good information regarding the Coos Bay country. Here's hoping he will get out another issue soon.

"THE ROAD of a Thousand Wonders," published by the Sunset Magazine people, reached this office this week, and is the finest publication of its kind we have ever seen. It is made up of views, colored, taken along the Southern Pacific in Oregon and California, and contains descriptive matter relative to each view. The coloring is a work of art, and the book is a credit to any person's library. This book is given to subscribers to the magazine. If you desire to inform your Eastern friends of the natural beauty of this western country, you can do no better than to send them a copy of this book.

The BEAUTY Contest in the Chicago Tribune is causing much comment in the various papers all over the country, and the Portland Journal is printing the pictures of Oregon's pretty women. The lady of the Windy City is supposed to reign supreme over all the women of beauty, and the editors of the Journal are endeavoring to show that Oregon not only has beautiful women, but has the most beautiful. There is no doubt in our mind but what Oregon's beautiful women has the Chicago beauty "skinned a mile," and in order to distinguish just which one is the most beautiful, the Journal is going to publish all of the pictures of pretty Oregon women. If you have a picture of an Oregon girl that you would like to see in the contest, send it to this office and we will forward it to the Journal.

The Oregonian On The Forest Reserve.

Nearly all those who have protested against the creation of forest reserves do so upon the ground that such action restricts homebuilding. There is no foundation for this objection, for two reasons—creation of a reserve does not prevent settlement, and as a rule there are very few places in the reserves where any one would want to make a home. The department has many times declared its policy of removing from the limits of a reserve any lands that are wanted for settlement. This policy was announced in the letter written by the President when he issued the last of his proclamations. Practically the same attitude was shown in the statement made to Senator Bourne on Saturday, when he inquired regarding the rights of those who have

already made settlements but have not acquired title. The Government is not standing in the way of any home builder. When opponents of forest reserves assert that settlement is being retarded, it might not be a bad idea for them to give the names of intending settlers, the lands they desire to locate upon, and the time when they asked the Government to release the lands and were refused.

Wooden Water Mains.

The use of wood for water-pipes is increasing in the West, and is said to present many advantages. Pipes made of bored logs were used long ago, but modern wooden pipe, built of staves fastened end to end by metallic clips, was introduced in Denver about 1882. Says Andrew Swickard, writing in The Californian Journal of Technology: "Wood pipe is, as a general thing, much cheaper and more economical than riveted steel pipe. Where the pipe is to be subjected to a comparatively high pressure (say 250 feet head or over) it might be cheaper to build of steel. There are so many variable elements due to locality that enter into the cost of pipe that it is difficult to make comparisons. As a general thing, wood pipe is from 30 to 50 per cent. cheaper than riveted steel.

"The interior of a wooden pipe will not deteriorate as does that of an iron pipe. From the standpoint of steady capacity the wood is far superior to iron. Not many careful experiments have been made on the flow in wooden pipes. The results are not materially better than those obtained by experiments on the flow in new, smooth iron pipe.

"The comparatively early deterioration of two or three existing pipe-lines has been used as a premise for arriving at the conclusion that wooden pipe is a failure. Where there is one pipe-line that has been a partial failure (there are no absolute failures) there are dozens that are giving the utmost satisfaction. Each partial failure has been due to local causes which might have been avoided if they had been understood. It is well known that iron pipe gives under some conditions the greatest satisfaction, while under others it is very unsatisfactory.

"The use of wood pipe has been greatly extended in recent years. A number of long lines have been built in the East during the past two years. It is even attracting attention in Europe. The use of wooden pipe, on a large scale, was decidedly a Western innovation. After a demonstration of its worth it has found favor with the engineers of the East. At least in one case, wood pipe has been favorably considered by conservative English engineers. This is in connection with a large water project in India. Recently a number of inquiries have come from Japan for detailed information relative to design and cost, and even Siberia is getting into line. Up to the present time, installations have been made in America, from Alaska to Peru, inclusive. Time has proven its worth, and, under certain necessary limitations, a more extensive general use is assured."

Bandon 10 Years Ago.

Isam Walker returned today from down the coast where he had been looking after his cattle. He says he will lose very few head unless disease gets among them.

The eighth silver medal contest will be held in the Presbyterian church, Bandon, Friday evening, April 16, 1897. There will be seven contestants. Admission five cents.

Elbert Dyer gave Myrtle Point a visit yesterday and from that place he went to Empire City today where he will take the steamer Farallon, this evening, for San Francisco.

Captain George Leneve moved his family to Coquille City last Tuesday. He will have charge of the steamer Fawn which makes the run from Coquille City and return each day.

The bar had scant ten feet of water last Sunday, but the Moro managed to get out all right on a draft of ten feet nine inches. That looks just a little strange, but we guess it is all straight.

The steamer Coquille River sailed last Monday for San Francisco, having on board 250 tons of coal besides other freight. Her draft was ten feet five inches when she passed out over the bar.

Capt. Robt. Frederick got dumped into the river last Saturday while going aboard the steamer Coquille River at the wharf here. A lot of freight that was being hoisted swung against him just as he was climbing

over the side of the vessel and he took a look after McGinty.

We had almost a blaze in town last Saturday morning. The night watch discovered a light in C. Y. Lowe's drug store early in the morning, and on seeking the cause found that the floor was on fire under the heating stove. Some matches had been left under the stove the day preceding and they had become ignited.

A. W. Kime, who left here a few months ago to graduate in the Portland medical college has successfully passed the examination and has received his diploma and is a full fledged M.D. It is understood that he stood high in his class and made an enviable reputation before the examining board. He will arrive home in a few days.

Our friend H. H. Baldwin is having J. W. Felter enclose his yard with a neat paling fence, and also has lumber on the ground for a porch which will be attached to the northeast corner of the cottage, and he thinks of further improving the building by adding a small tower or observatory. By the way Mr. B. must be a bimetalist, as he has the front door bedecked in silver and gold paint at about the ratio of 16 to 1.

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