THE WEST.

It hurt. Truth generally does.

Man's conduct is an unspoken sermon.

The golden age is not behind but be-

Wonder when the common council intends to meet.

Florence wants a resident physician, and wants one badly.

We should like to have our regular correspondents come more often.

Dien, on the return of the senator. Are you a physician? Are you a good

neighbor across the way. It is commendable of the citizens to truth in this.

Siuslaw is surely unfortunate. Another accident in the harbor, but luckily other occasions to confer birthday honno lives lost. Let us be thankful for ors on her subjects, provided that she

The tendency to persevere, to persist from the weak.

old. During all these years the paper which must be far more gratifying to has been published by H. R. Kincaid, her than the abject sentiment that leads last and prosper.

have lost his head in such a dilemma, brings into existence. Charles II was and the loss of the vessel with all on not a commendable sovereign, but I alboard would have been the result.

Our indulgent readers will perhaps parden the frequent repetition of the preposition 'about' in an article in this The Great Powers Ready For the Spark issue headed "Ashore in a Gale." In and the writer is compelled to guess.

How majestic grows futurity as we appreach it, how far off seems the earth the whole nation is under arms. as we are about to leave it! Its troubles, its perplexities, its pains, appear lost in the contemplation of the infinity

regon legislature which convened this week has one Butier, and a that is shed. Dunn for the feast for which one will Sehlbrede and Cole,-Statesman.

Eugene Guard: "E. E. Brodie, well and its trade paralyzed known here, is holding down the helm? county's interests at Salem. He is a fed while crossing their own territories, tors of Kansas City is that of Lillian Deacons and take a half dozen U. of O. "seegars" at our expense.

An attempt is being made to intro-lu e negroes in the coal mines of Coos on to replace the winte la over far a failure. The wante con have induced the pegroes no. to work and the prospects are now the county court of Coos county w have to foot the bills for shipping the negroes back to Virginia, they being in destitute circumstances. The coal minein Washington use mostly negro help,-Oregon State Journal.

TO PROTECT SIUSLAW SALMON.

Senator B. F. Alley, of Florence, Lane county, who is now in the city, says the say he failed to do his whole duty. But now she about equally divides her time Oregonian of the 11th, wishes that for the next 40 days and nights he could epell his name with a "z." He is first on the senate roll, and a man in that position is always regarded as a steering committee of one for others of his party to follow when called upon to vote.

Only once last session was he taken by surprise, and he had to ask that his name be passed for a minute.

This session he will introduce a special bill for the protection of salmon in the Siuslaw river, to be independent of all on which we were traveling. This lane was over a small rise of ground, so that other fish laws. He wants more string- one could not see very far along its them by Laws had in consultation with ent laws for that stream than any other in the state, so that the hatching of the mouth of the lane I noticed a sus. The parents are anxious that the scienyoung salmon can be carried on. Senapicious object moving along toward us.
It dodged from one corner to another of
St. Louis Globe-Democrat. tor Alley says he is pledged to no one the fence apparently trying to concent for senator. The Lane county delega- itself. While wondering what the feltion will hold a meeting at Salem to consider the question, and the chances to I was near enough to speak. 'Don't About 11/2 miles from the town of are that they will vote as a unit on a stop,' said the man. 'Go as fast as you Rio Blanco, state of Cauca, Colombia, a choice for United States senator.

"LABBY" SCORNS A TITLE.

The British Radical Leader Reads Queen

Victoria un Ironical Sermen. In a recent issue of Henry Labouthere's Truth appears the following de-PLORENCE, LANE COUNTY, OREGON. lightfully ironical paragraphs from his

majesty is over, and I am safe for one me. Never is there a creation of "sirs" suffice for the without some of them assuring me that, rier-Journal. far from asking to be made one, they did not even know that this was contemplated until they saw their names danger seems to me to be a real one. My readers would suspect me of being actu-The reunion will be held all right, Ich to praise her majesty's advisers.

Not indeed that I object to any one bephysician? If so, here is a chance of a ing knighted if this adds to his pleas- shown anything. He knew a thing or least has the advantage of not descend- did bre down on the range. There is no better opening any where for a good physician than right here in Florence.

Ing to the sch of the gentleman who be comes a "sire!" I was discussing the other day with a friend of Line who had declined the henor whether it was There is no better opening any where ing to the sen of the gentleman who bean advantage to a parliamentary cardi- called me to take a look in his room. The town of Florence should purchase at advantage to a parimmentary careful cand me to take a look in his room.

date or the reverse. He contended the cand and what a sight met my eyes! The part of the will known and response to a parimmentary careful cand me to take a look in his room.

And what a sight met my eyes! The parimmentary careful cand of the cand of th Anglo-Saxon race, the advantage is con- out as far as it would come, and in it 5

aid the street commissioner in his earning knighted or baroncted or of being for ginned upon the glass was a saveasest desire to improve our thoroughfares. officially allowed to wear a colored ribtic legend reading: 'Gol dern yore foldben or a metal disk, I sincerely wish the queen "riany happy returns of the day" and trust that she may have many does not include me ever in the distribution. We must judge of sovereigns Farm. by sovereigns, and certainly the encou has been the best menarch that has sat in spite of hindrances, discouragements, upon the British throne. The unreasonand impossibilities-it is this that in all ing loyalty that elevates a sovereign things distinguishes the strong soul into a cert of divinity has disappeared, and the institution of monarchy is now judged very much on the merits or demerits of the incumbent of the throne. The Oregon State Journal is 31 years The queen enjoys a personal popularity our new secretary of state. May it ever whether it be on the head of the vilest merchant, who encouraged her to bring free men to grovel before a crown, or the best of human beings. What I object to in monarchy is not so much Captain Olsen, of the Albion, under- the monarch-when, as with us, the nets and scut to market 13 barrels of stands his business. Many a man would sovereign reigns, but does not rule—but the courtiers and the flunkies that it ways have had a liking for him on account of his undisguised contempt for his courtiers.

EUROPE'S TORCH OF WAR.

That Will Set It Aflame

After the dreadful Franco-German such a plight no note of time is taken war of 1870-1 the principle of prolonged military service and of diminished annual contingents was given up. The monstrous principle of universal service was adopted instead. By this principle

A country is no longer a country; a people is no longer a people; a nation is now nothing but an army, and a counbut as cloud-shadows of a day; they are try is only a barrack. Everybody is sur le qui vive. If war breaks out today, all professions become deserted, all functions abandoned; the life of the nation stops, so that national activity may be said to begin again only with the blood

Carter to convey the members over that is, two nations when they are ene-Bridges and via an Alley to a King. mics-join in combat each of the two There is one Baker to roast a Coon armies-that is, each of the two infinite hordes which traverse their several countries to meet eventually on the field of battle-will leave behind it a pass because he is boxed so often. country in famine, its factories silent

Again, enormous stocks of food supplies must be accumulated on the fron- A Remarkable Series of Transitions of Conof the Florence West in good shape tier where the two armies are likely to while Senator Alley is looking after our meet, but before reaching these inexbright young newspaper man." Thanks and that requires money. So that beswfully, Bro. Campbell. Go around to fore even the first gun is fired each dergone a most remarkable change witharmy will have expended enormous sums and left in its train-towns and vilmine, the country wi

A SOLDIER'S LEGS.

They Are Art to Cup, but the Cwners Doo't

Tell the Experience. "People will never the histoning to war stories," said a veteran the other ficus, complained of much pain and day, "but you never hear of any of neted as a child of berage would naturalthem telling of their running experiences. It is not because they never run, for all of us have been through that other person. She took on the appearschool. No man ever went into battle ance of a very old woman in speech and but that he was plad when it was over. The legs of the bravest get very weak woman and give advice to those around in the presence of shot and shell, and her. She claimed to be 99 years old and bravery, after all, is only a matter of did not know those of the family who honor—the man without honor is a cow-honor—the man without honor is a cow-hasts for an hour or so, and then she reard. The honorable man has nothing to fear, and in battle he would suffer 10. turns to her normal condition. These 000 deaths rather than have a comrade changes bave become frequent until as to running-yes, I have run. Tell between the two conditions.

you about it? Certainly. "One afternoon while I was in charge command and by fast riding soon had the 'applejack' hunters in charge. On the return, as it was late in the day, we moved at a leisurely pace. A half mile from the town a lane crossed the road ty of a little girl.

stretch. low-for by this time I discovered that And It Brought Forth Death and Desolathe object was a colored man-was up can. The 'Federates'll git yon. Dey's remarkable geological phenomenen has right ober de hill. Go as fas' as you recently created great excitement. Λ

went as rast as norses come carry us. Loma, suddenly cast a large part of its We had just crossed the mouth of the upper levels into neighboring rivers, lane when the 'Federates' appeared on carrying death and testraction in its

the summit of the little hill.

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Thank heaven the birthday of her as possible by lying low on their neeks. to celebrating her natal day by knighting or baroneting those connected with ing up a constant and rapid fire; but,
fournalism I see the day appreach with thanks to our forses, we escaped with fear and trendling lest my sovereign out the loss of a man. That was not the should be minded to knight or baronet only time that I ran, but the story will me. Never is there a creation of "sirs" snake for this time. "—Louisville Cou-

The Cowboy and the Folding Red.

A cowboy up from the Texas panhanin The Gazette. I invariably believe dle was a guest at the house, and as what any one tells me; therefore the the clerk who attended to him is still in Denver we will allow him to tell the objection is a double one. I prefer the story in his own way: "He had on plain "mister" of a British citizen, and store clothes and a red necktic, and I should fear, were I knighted, that my what he didn't know wasn't worth knowing. When he storted up to his ated rather by gratitude than by sincere room at night, I told him there was a admiration whenever I felt called upon folding bed in it, and, if he wished, the bellboy would show him how it worked. But not much. He didn't want to be ure in existence. A knighthood at two about the city, he did, even if he least has the advantage of not descend-did by down on the range.

"So I let him go, and next morning siderable. There is a certain amount of were all the rugs in the room, with a towel spread over one end for a pillow. Although not myself desirous of be- Evidently he had tried to sleep there, ing beds. Why don't you make 'em longer and put more kivvers onto 'em? Mebbe you expect a man to stand up and sleep in your durned old cubberd.'

> Origin of the Menhaden Industry. Mr. Robert F. Walsh, in The Popular Science Monthly, thus recalls the origin of the present menhaden industry: "It was in 1850 when an old lady, Mrs. John Bartlett of Dinehill, Me., boiling some fish for her chickens, observed a thin seum of oil upon the surface of the water. Some of this she bottled, and when on a visit to Boston soon after carried samples to a leading oil more. The following year the Bartlett family industriously applied their gill oil, for which they were paid at the rate of \$11 per barrel. In the following year this family made 100 barrels. Then, the value of menhaden oil having become recognized, many oil presses -of a more or less imperfect construction-were established along the coast, and the industry developed so rapidly that within 20 years the yield of mennden oil exceeded that of the whale from the American fisheries."

Mocha Coffee. Everybody knows that much of the so called Mocha coffee sold in the United States is no such thing, but only a few persons know how some of the counterfeit Mecha is made. The berries growing on the highest limbs of the coffee tree in Brazil are often shriveled in the semblance of the true Mocha, and these are carefully set aside, shipped to some port famous for Mocha coffee and sent thence to the western world as Perhaps There Is a Hint For You In This he true thing.

Might Unvo Been Both.

for two days to keep him alive. Second Boarder-It's love or policy-I don't know which. He's courting the landlady's daugther. - Chicago Tribune.

A smart little boy calls himself comwith a dog and gun, ain't you?'

SHE PUZZLES THE DOCTORS.

ditions In a Missouri Girl.

A strange case that is attracting the Miller, a girl of 11 years, who has unin the past year. About a year ago Lillian was a slight girl, of extreme nervpped of men and begsts, the ous disposition. She had a fainting fit at a at that time which the attending phyof the field .- Met lure's sician attributed to nervousness. From that time on the fainting spells grefrequent until finally they fook the form of convulsions, and with the ange came one that was wonderful to

The child, when out of the convully. During the coavulsions and imme diately after she appeared to become anmanner. She would converse as an old were with her. This peculiar condition

Another strange feature of the case is the fact that while she is in her norof the rear guard on a march in Vir. mal condition she cats very little and ginia a number of men dropped out of the ranks for the purpose of hunting 'applejack.' The commanding officer of the many or the many of the ranks for the purpose of hunting 'applejack.' The commanding officer of the many or the many the guard ordered me to take a defach. months has grown to the stature and

Drs. C. D. and Park McDonald, her them Dr. J. Drummel Jones, who makes "Between where I was riding and a study of nervous and mental diseases,

THE MOUNTAIN LABORED.

IN THE CARMAN BUILDING. A FLORENCE, - OREGON. can.' I gave the order, and away we mountain ridge, called Cerror de Cruz

others. It is feared that the overflow of the rivers will occasion an extensive in history."—Atlanta Journal. undation, or that treaking away the Noah Count-"Well, Hedison, any

ber of horses and canle. phenomenon to the aption of the So-girl?" Little Girl-"If the company been observed to be covered with snow. doesn't object I'd prefer to pay my fare like vapor and clouds. The department and keep my own statistics."—Vogue. tal government, ir dy alermed by this occurrence, has appointed a commission "How old would you call Mrs. Flight?" -Unidad Nacional

THE PLAGUE DACILLUS.

plague in the discussion of the discuss which have

Butener's Clerk—"That chiropol st
vestigation of the discuss which have

Ordered some meat sent up, but I have several years at the Koch institute were sent by their government to make in. him corned beef."-Philidelphia Record.

They report that the period of incubaending in delirium and coma. Doth physicians declare that they identified The 'durned old cubberd' was one of our human body. They describe it as slen-

the principal internal organs.

Experiments in breeding plague bacilli and inoculating animals with virus death under symptoms of the plague. Dr. Kitasato, being satisfied there is no lookout for bacteriocides, but it is too early to expect definite conclusions .-Lendon Cor. New York Sun.

is Don Dickinson. The man from Michigan has never been in congress and has Cincinnati Tribune. no right to mingle with members on Harry-"Why, she was right up in the floor during the session But the Mr. Cleveland. No one on the floor makes a formal objection to his pres-Boston Trans r.pt. should object, the doorkeepers would admittance. - Peston Advertiser.

Bacon and Ham.

Bacon and ham is a combination now pose."Buffalo Courier. attracting much attention in Georgia, This combination is composed of Colonel

HAVE YOU INDIGESTION?

Story of Some Ailing Chickens. "Troubled with indigestion, are you?" cel all puffed up, ch? Well, it's a pity First Boarder-What ails Dumback's that some one couldn's treat you the appetite? He has hardly caten enough way my brother-in-law's wife treated her chickens. That was when they lived

out in Lewistown, Pa." "Going to tell us another story now, I suppose, like those about catching herring in the grass and hunting shad

Without paying any attention to this slighting remark the Jerseyman went

"My brother-in-law's wife had a fine crop of chickens that summer. They were all hatched that spring and were growing well when one day the whole flock got at a bag of dry cornmeal and filled their crops full of it. The first thing my brother-in-law's wife knew of this was when the meal began to swell and turn sour, and the whole troop of chickens were waddling around with crops twice their regular size and every chicken looking like the bass drummer in a German band. You see. the chickens either had got at water too soon or else didn't have gravel enough in their crops to grind up the meal, and it wouldn't digest and seem-

ed likely to burst them. 'There was no one by to give help or advice, and my brother-in-law's wife wasn't going to loso that lot of more than 100 fine chickens if she could help it, so she started right in to do the best she could. The children caught the chickens and brought them to her, and with her buttonhold seissors she cut a slit in each one of their crops. She their crops out and sewed them up again. The chickens seemed grateful. They were kept greet for a couple of days, fed lightly, and every one of them recovered."—New York Sun.

TO THE PUBLIC.

MONEY SCARCE

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earth dam, whole vidages and valuable properties will be de troyed. As an imnediate result of the occurrence 12 permay son's home from school."—Clevesons were killed, be des a large number of the occurrence of the control of the occurrence of the control of the occurrence occurrence of the occurrence occur

It seems only natural to attribute this Conductor-"How old are you, little

He-"But, my dear girl, there's notham; but I don't call a cow an animal."

the plague bacillus, which is different "Say, Jack, what is the capital of from any ever before found in the Switzerland?" Jack (who has just rebest folding beds."-Denver Field and der, straight and short. It devastates all turned from abroad)-Why, the money they get from travelers, of course."-

invariably produce within two days "Jack Spendall is pretty wild, isn't he?" "Yes, he is pretty wild, and I'm other alternative but that either the surprised that he is so, considering the bacilli or the patient must die, is on the frequency with which he is broke."-New York Press.

Smallwort-"I hear that Mrs. Lease Don Dickinson's Exclusive Privilege. is going to California. I wonder if the About the only man who goes on the climate will agree with her?" Fordfloor of the house who has no right there "It will if it knows its business."-

doorkeepers pay no attention when he arms when I proposed to her." Fredwalks in, and it may be that they re- "Whose arms? Yours?" Harry-You've gard him as a personal representative of hit it. But how'd you happen to guess?"

The Landlady-"I'll have to apolog ze have to do their duty and refuse him for the presence of grounds in the coffee this morning." The New Boarder-"Er -too weak to stand the strain. I sup-

Wynham (taking a walk in the coun-United States seperorship, and Celonel
William J. Ham; an earth "spollygoster" drater, as restly urges the
claims of Mr. Baron —Atlanta Letter.

these w-woods?" Main a costed—"Not
if it is true that the man who il-hesitates
is lost."—Hariem Life.

"For a funny man, Mr. Wage, you don't say many bright things." "No, Mr. Porker; and I notice that for a dealer in hams you strew singularly few of hem around in society."-Judge.

Old gentleman-"What? Marry that oung pauper! Why, he can't even afford to buy coal." Daughter-"But he von't have to buy coal, pa. We're gong to board."-New York Weekly.

Bagley-"That pawnbroker bowed to J. H. MCCLUNG, our wife; does he know her?" Brese-'I presume he feels that he does; he seen her pi ture so often inside the se of my watch."-New York Herald. 'It has been as er ained that George shington (nce wrote poetry," o ved the horse e lator. "That is irile." arke the sna e edi or. "but let us im justice. There is no ev. eeer trie o ge it princed. ur Onroni le Tele, ra ...

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of engineers to investigate the matter. Hicks-"Er-well, it would all depend Fresh Line of Groceries upon whether the lady was in hearing And provisions constantly arriving. Largest stock of boots and shoes, Hats and Gents Furnishing Goods this side of Portland.

The news that fewer than 120,000 he acted like a fish out of water." Tirple persons have be cent away by the —"Why, shouldn't he? He knew he plague in the contract of the result of the from, either from Chicago or San Francisco.

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They report that the period of incubation is from two to seven days. This is ing to be afraid of. And I thought you followed by prostration with high fever, were so fond of animals, too." She—"I

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Supt. Public Schools, Lane county. SEAL

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Being first duly sworn I depose and say: That I have been a resident of Florhave also given it to our four children. We are ence, Lane County, Oregon, for the past twelve years; that I am fan ilier and wel all pictures of perfect health and ows it to acquainted with the property known as "Frasier and Berry's part of Florence." Hood's Sarsaparilla." J. C. Frankas, Van that the same is admirably snited for residence property, being perfectly level and

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