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SOME MOVIE ought to be made towards repairing or rebuilding the sidewalk to West Florence. There is considerable travel over this walk, especially since the Spruce Point mill has been running. The walk now declared dangerous we believe was built and has since been repaired by private contributions and this repairing has come to be a very heavy tax on the few who live along the line of the walk—too heavy to be kept up any longer.

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BOERS' DECLARE WAR.

England's Commander-in-Chief Will Not Be Interfered With.

Word was sent from Johannesburg that war was formerly declared there at 10 o'clock October 12. Martial law was proclaimed at Pretoria at 5 o'clock October 11th, and British residents without permits were ordered to leave Transvaal within eight days.

General Sir Redvers Buller has gone to South Africa as commander-in-chief of the British forces there. Buller is a man whom some of his own officers do not hesitate to call a brute. Before he would accept the command he stipulated that he be allowed to select his own staff and would be entirely uninterfered with by the war office, also that he be given between 60,000 and 70,000 men.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKS.

The Fourteenth Annual Convention of the Oregon State Sunday School Association will be held at Albany, October 26-28, 1899.

A splendid program is being carefully prepared, helpful speakers will be provided, and every worker benefited.

Primary, Normal, Home Department and House to House Visitation work will be thoroughly presented and practical help obtained.

The importance of this meeting, the low railroad fares, the warm welcome assured the delegates, should insure a large attendance, and Sunday School workers bearing proper credentials will receive free entertainment.

Delegates paying full fare over the Southern Pacific to Albany will be returned at one-third fare. BUT NOTE CAREFULLY that in every case a receipt must be taken and countersigned at the convention. Tickets will be sold October 25th and 26th, good to return before October 31st.

The O R & N Co (rail lines) will sell tickets to Portland at one fare for the round trip, and tickets will be sold October 24th to 26th, good to return on or before October 31st.

It is expected that special cars will leave Portland for Albany at 8:30 a m October 26th, and return from Albany at noon on October 28th. If a sufficient number (80) to fill these cars is obtained the low rate of \$2.25 from Portland to Albany and return will be made, and all delegates beyond Portland are invited to take these cars.

Send names of all delegates to A A Morse, 334 Weidler Street, Portland, Or. Will Pastors and Superintendents make special note of this and set apart Sunday, October 22nd, as a day of special prayer that this convention may be blessed by the presence of the Holy Spirit?

A A MORSE, Secretary.

NOSE BLEEDING.

How to Stop it And How to Cure it.

F. J. BUTTGENBACH.

Question. How much blood has a person?

Answer. That is a very difficult question to answer quite properly. But every person who wants, likes, or claims to be healthy must have at least 16 per cent of the weight of his body in blood and this 16 per cent of his body-weight of blood must be in a good condition and located in the right place in the body. It is sure that not one person or animal has one drop of blood too much or can have the blood too pure, but it is a pity that too many persons have not enough blood and that too in a bad condition, too thin, too thick, impure, or in the wrong place in their body.

If somebody has the nosebleed once in a while and does not mind it at all, because he feels "well" after it; he deceives himself and when he or somebody else says: "A little nosebleeding is healthy" they don't know what they say, for every drop of blood that a person loses is a drop of his life and must be recompleted.

If a person is repeatedly troubled with blood losses he will find out pretty soon the consequences of those losses caused by his carelessness or ignorance.

Q. Why does anyone nose bleed?

A. Because one or more of those little bloodvessels in the nose burst.

Q. Why do the bloodvessels burst?

A. Because they are so tender and the pressure of the blood is so strong.

Q. Why is the pressure too strong?

A. Because the blood of a person whose nose is bleeding is not in the right place.

Q. How is this to be helped?

A. Very easily: If you have frequent attacks of bleeding at the nose, take a hand full of Shave grass or Horse-tail (Lat Equisetum arvense.) make a tea of it, let it get cold, pour some of the tea in the hollow of your hand, draw it slowly up in your nose as high as you can without too much pain and let it run out again. Do so three or four times every day, three or four days. Then every time you wash yourself draw up 2 or three hands full of cold water in the nostrils, this hardens your nose inside, strengthens the little, tender blood vessel and thus prevents catching a cold and bleeding at the nose.

Q. But how can the nose-bleeding be stopped?

A. That is very easy too. As is said above the main cause of the nose-bleeding is: "The blood is not in the right place; too much of it is in the head, draw it out of the head and put it in the part where it belongs."

Q. How is that to be done, and where is the right place for the blood?

A. The only right way to draw the blood out of your head is thus: if your nose commences bleeding lie down where you are, on your back, hands folded under your head, your breast as highly elevated as possible; if necessary put a brick or a big book under your back, the elbows close on the ground, the legs and feet close together, now blow the blood quickly out of the nostrils and draw air in your lungs quickly through the nose as much as you can and keep this air as long as you can in your lungs, the longer the better, if you can not hold it any longer blow it out quickly through the mouth and draw air in through the nostrils the second time as before; then the third time. If you do it in the right way and hold the air long enough in your breast, the bleeding stops after three times, otherwise repeat a few more times.

As soon as the blood ceases to run draw some of that Shave-grass tea, up your nose for it operates in a contracting manner and its effect is soon felt.

Shave-grass is not poisonous if you swallow a few drops of the tea, don't be alarmed. Gather some Shave-grass now and dry it in the shade and keep it so it may be quickly at hand, it is a very good remedy against other diseases also.

WHITNEY'S VIEWS OF DEWEY.

We give below some of Wm O Whitney's views in regard to the reception tendered Admiral Dewey and the reason why he would be a superior candidate for the Presidency, as given to a reporter of the Sunday World.

Whitney says as to Dewey's reception: "No man's individuality since Gen Grant has so appealed to the admiration and affections of the people by its simplicity, modesty and strength. Dewey typifies and personifies a new era which as a nation we have entered. The Spanish war has aroused the national pride and patriotism throughout the country. The magnificent ovation tendered Dewey reflects the pride of the nation in the triumph of the flag

through the powers of our navy.

"Dewey incarnates the ideas of Greater America. He has broadened our boundaries, added to our territory, introduced us to a new world and immensely enlarged for us the horizon of the twentieth century.

"Dewey has opened the gates of a greater future to the nation, and the nation rises as one man to honor him. Dewey as a Presidential candidate must be looked upon from that standpoint.

"He is absolutely the man our people would trust to deal sensibly and strongly with the results of the late war—the responsibilities that we have assumed by our treaty with Spain."

In regard to the political result of Dewey's nomination for the Presidency. Mr Whitney said: "If nominated Dewey would be elected without doubt. His election to the Presidency would be a good thing for the party that nominated him and a better thing for the country. It would mean so much. Dewey would close all old political accounts and start us out on the new century with a clean slate.

"Commercially we are to cease to be an isolated people. That, in my judgment, has become inevitable since the Spanish treaty. You cannot call it 'Expansion' of our territory, for we have not yet decided to incorporate it with our own, and we may never decide so to do. But it means increased commerce and wealth, and wider natural resources, and our people understand it.

"I am convinced that Dewey's election would be something very much larger and better at this particular time than a party victory. It would be a patriotic reunion around the one man who typifies the new era and who is best fitted by his character and experience to preside over its development. Dewey gave us the Philippines. He understands the situation out there as no other man does. The people would trust him to deal with it more completely than they would any other man. They would rather see him at the helm directing the policy of the Government in its new possessions than any other man. They know that he always has done the right thing, and they would feel sure that he always would do the right thing.

"They trust him implicitly. With him in the White House they would have absolute confidence that the wise, the right, the patriotic course would be taken and firmly kept. It is a great opportunity which this fact offers the nation. It is only at long intervals and on special occasions that Providence presents a man in whom the whole people have this unquestioning and perfect trust. It gave us such a man in Washington. It gave us another in Jackson. It gave us another in Grant. Now it has given us Dewey."

PITHY SAYINGS.

Short Paragraphs About Everyday Incidents of Life.

It is usually the orchestra that drives men to drink between acts.

Some men are like silver-plated knives; they look bright but are usually dull.

A big theater hat would be appreciated more if it were trimmed with a lawn mower.

Philosophy is the romance of the aged and religion the only future history for us all.

The man who is willing to do you a favor is the one who is never in a position to do it.

Some men are so sympathetic that they are willing to share your last dollar with you.

The great trouble with those who can't sing is that most people find it out before they do.

The man who says he has a great mind to write a book, would attempt it if he had a greater mind.

The trouble with a great many men is that they mistake their hats for telephones when they talk.

Argument may not change a man's political opinion, but a two dollar bill will often change his vote.

If you are afflicted with the desire to give advice at every opportunity, become a lawyer or doctor and sell the stuff.

Some of our leading cities can boast of a baseball team, while there are others which have to apologize for their's.

There's a big screw loose somewhere when a preacher gets the princely salary of \$100 a year and a base ball player only gets \$1,000.

A cheerful temper, joined with innocence will make beauty attractive, knowledge delightful, and wit good-natured. It will lighten sickness, poverty, and affliction, convert ignorance into amiable simplicity, render deformity itself agreeable.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 9, 1899.

Admiral Dewey left Washington for New England today. He will return in about two weeks. He made a Georgia delegation happy by replying as follows to their invitations to go to Atlanta to participate in the ceremonies attending the presentation of a sword to his flag officer, Lieut Brumby, who is a Georgian: "Why certainly, gentlemen, I'll come. I have no engagement which will prevent my going to Atlanta about November 1, and I'll be glad to present the sword myself to Lieut Brumby."

"Many men of many minds" certainly apply to everything connected with the country's new possessions. Recently the opinions that Porto Rico was ripe for civil government have been largely in the majority, but that isn't the view of Lieut Col W P Hall, Adjutant General of the department of Porto Rico, who is now in Washington. He said on the subject: "Conditions are not yet such as to warrant the abandonment of military rule in Porto Rico; in fact, it would be a sorrowful day for the country if it were deprived of the firm yet kind government that is doing a splendid work there, and will continue to administer affairs in the interest of the whole people. Certain individuals dislike to see Americans on the island, as they are keen to get hold of the custom house receipts for their personal benefits. They remember how officials in the past waxed fat on the collections of these same receipts, and they think that if the present regime were abandoned, they might have a chance to inaugurate another era of public plunder."

A delegation of Creek Indians, who are in Washington to protest against violations by the government of the treaty they made with president Adams, in 1825, have been informed that relief can only come from congress. They have with them a historical relic in shape of a big silver medal presented to their head chief, by President Adams, when the treaty was signed. On one side of the medal is: "United States of America, John Quincy Adams, President, to Chief Ho-potli-lo Ho-lo-he" and on the other a hatchet and pipe, the date, a pair of clasped hands, and "Friendship and Peace."

While there is no written law on our statute books against the recognition of an American citizen as the diplomatic representative in the U S of a foreign government, there is an unwritten law against it, strengthened by vigorous written opinions of three eminent secretaries of state, Thomas Jefferson, Hamilton Fish, and W M Everts, which makes it certain that the refusal of the department of state to receive Col J R O'Beirne of New York, as the diplomatic representative of the Transvaal Republic, will not be reconsidered. It is also certain that the object of the Transvaal republic in naming Col O'Beirne for that position, the mediation of this government to prevent a war with Great Britain, will not be accomplished. Officials and unofficial sentiment is all one way, against this country interfering with the matter in any way, unless requested by both parties to do so, and it has already been officially announced that in case of war this government will be strictly neutral.

The national debt of France, which has constantly grown larger since the war with Germany, has forced the French government into some odd methods of raising money. Its latest is the selling of advertising space. As yet, the sale of advertising by the government is confined to a portion of a post-paid letter sheet, but there is talk of extending it in various ways. Mr Albon W Tourgey, U S consul at Bordeaux, France says, in a report to the department of state, of this incursion into the advertising field of the French government: "One half the sheet, of ordinary letter size paper, and rather poor quality, is devoted to advertisements, except a space reserved for the address, on which is printed a postage stamp. The letter is written on the other half of the sheet which is then ingeniously folded and held by a gummed flap. The price is the same as a postal card. By this means, the purchaser saves one-third of the postage and gets his paper and envelope for nothing. Nominally the scheme is worked by a corporation, but as it sells postage stamps at one-third off and has its wares for sale at the post-offices and government tobacco shops, it is practically a government enterprise. The new system will evidently take the place of the postal card, it will decrease the sale of postage stamps, but it is expected that the receipts from the adver-

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tising will enable the government to make a substantial profit out of the project." What a howl there would be in this country if the government resorted to such methods, but fortunately Uncle Sam doesn't have to.

The report of the board of visitors of the U S naval observatory, the first, says that unless the observatory could be part of a National University or a department of Science and Industries, nothing would be gained by taking it from the control of the navy department. The board recommends an increase in the astronomical staff of the observatory, and an amendment of the law which will enable naval officers to perform the duties of astronomers after they have passed the age of 64, when they are now compelled to retire.

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GETTING READY FOR PROTECTION.

American Economist.

The extreme probability of a return by Great Britain to the policy of Protection as a means of holding her place in the struggle for trade is indicated by the current of events. Each year develops new reasons for the adoption of such a course. A well-informed correspondent writes to the New York "Sun" in support of this view. He foresees the placing of preferential duties on wheat going into England from the colonies as against wheat from foreign countries, but thinks this step will be deferred until the British Empire shall have succeeded in putting a ring fence around all the territory that can be laid hold of without bringing on a conflict with any first-class power. When the empire has been rounded off so as to contain within its limits all that can make the empire self-contained and self-sustaining, then we may look for a Tariff wall around the British Empire that will exclude every foreign product, raw or manufactured, that could enter into competition with similar products of any part of the empire.

There are many indications of this intention, but a few years are yet required for the policy to mature, and much has to be done. The Federation of Australia with a uniform fiscal system modeled to fit into the future imperial system will have to be accomplished. The South African question will have to be settled and a Federal and fiscal system established suited to the new policy. Canada will have to rearrange its Tariff, as it has already begun to do, to bring it into harmony with the Federal imperialist idea; and India, being without a representative system, will have its policy shaped for it directly from London. The recent imposition of the countervailing duty on sugar going into that dependency was along this line, and only the first step of others to be taken in the near future in the same direction.

This necessity exists by reason of the wonderful development of trade and commerce in Protected countries, chiefly the United States, formerly England's best customer for manufactured products, but now buying less and less each year, besides competing successfully alike in the British market, in the colonial markets, and in all the markets of the world. Every year more and more of the gross sum of British credit balances in this country is being settled in the form of manufactured exports in place of money or raw materials. At the present rate of progress in the wrong direction Protection will before many years be forced upon Great Britain. As the "Sun" correspondent points out, she perceives the necessity of modifying her economic policy to meet altered conditions, and is only awaiting the fulfillment of certain obvious imperial plans and purposes before flinging Free-Trade aside forever.

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