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A man by the name of Sack is a candidate for the Baker City post-office. Sack is usually very popular in political contests, and the longer the better.

The Chinese statesman, Li Hung Chang is seriously ill. He is without doubt the ablest man in China and his death will be a great loss to the Chinese empire.

Portland is making a good start in taking hold of the Lewis and Clark centennial. It is a big proposition that will require most careful management and the exercise of good judgment. The Evening Telegram recently sent out inquiries to different people to get an expression of views as to how much will the exposition cost. As to the amount there is such a diversity of opinion that the replies really show but very little light on the proposition. Some of the opinions are reckless and extravagant in the extreme. The incorporators have fixed the amount at \$300,000 to be raised by subscription in the city of Portland. This is a reasonable amount and will probably be subscribed. Senator Fulton of Astoria, says that we cannot reasonably expect the legislature of this state to appropriate more than \$100,000. It is not likely that any more than this will be appropriated. It is safe to say that \$2,000,000 from congress will be the outside figure, rather less than more. With everything favorable probably \$2,500,000 can be raised. The main question is, how much can be raised. The question of cost comes afterward and should be figured accordingly. The GAZETTE believes that the Lewis and Clark centennial at Portland in 1905, can be made a success.

The democratic East Oregonian comes out for H. W. Scott, the brilliant editor of the Oregonian, for United States Senator. In a recent issue the paper says: "The East Oregonian wishes to say that it is sincere in its advocacy of the election of H. W. Scott, of the Portland Oregonian, to succeed Joseph Simon in the United States senate from Oregon, and will support him for the position against any man in Oregon, democrat or republican, on the ground that Mr. Scott is the fittest man for the office, standing head and shoulders above any other man in the state as a representative of 'the Oregon country' in the upper house of congress. There is no question regarding his fitness and ability, and if he were elected, it would be creditable to the people of the state in the eyes of the people in the whole nation. In short, the office should seek the man in this instance. Let it be put on record for all time that the democratic East Oregonian is for H. W. Scott for United States senator in 1903, and that it will have no other candidate." Coming from a democratic paper this sounds rather queer, but still it has an earnest ring about it. Mr. Scott is a brilliant man, but owing to his aggressive manner and from the fact that he edits a fearless newspaper, he has enemies who will make a hard fight to defeat him for senatorial honors.

POSTAL MONEY ORDER BUSINESS.

The steady increase in the money order business of the postal department of the United States is noteworthy. It has grown to enormous proportions. During the current year it is estimated that about \$300,000,000 in money orders will have been issued. During the fiscal year the domestic orders issued represented an aggregate of nearly \$275,000,000, and the international money orders exceeded \$20,000,000.

The growth of the system is positive proof of its popularity. The transactions which it represents are all small—usually smaller than banks generally care about handling. The average of the domestic money orders issued in the last fiscal year was under \$5, and that of the foreign transactions only a fraction in excess of \$15. And, while this form of remit-

ting money is steadily increasing, the volume of bank exchange continues to grow. These two facts indicate clearly the general prosperity of the country. The reliability of the postal money order service is evinced in the trifling character of the losses. Improper payments made during a period of two years have amounted only to \$172 45. The system is so hedged around with safeguards that it is almost if not quite perfect, and the public confidence in it is complete. The cost of the service is not great, but the aggregate revenue to the government from it is important, amounting during the last fiscal year to over \$1,600,000.

DISEASES THAT KILL.

The census report on vital statistics shows an increase in longevity in the United States. The average age at death in 341 cities representing a population of 29,000,000 was 31 years in 1890 and 35 in 1900. In 1890 the death rate was 21 per 1000, and in 1900 18.6 per 1,000. More interesting than this general statement is the report as to deaths from diseases most dreaded by the people. In 1890 the death rate per 100,000 from consumption was 245, diphtheria 70, cholera infantum 79, bronchitis 74, croup 27, typhoid fever 46, malarial fever 46, and diarrheal diseases 104. In 1900 the death rate per 100,000 was 190 from consumption, 35 from diphtheria, 47 from cholera infantum, 43 from bronchitis, 10 from croup, 34 from typhoid fever, 9 from malarial fever, and 85 from diarrheal diseases.

In all these diseases the decrease in the death rate is notable and is due largely to preventive measures and improved methods in treatment. This is particularly the case in consumption and consumption and diphtheria. In the former the sanitarium treatment, and simple precautions taken by boards of health, have had most encouraging results.

In all diseases of infancy and childhood there has been a decrease of nearly one-half in the death rate. In diseases of the heart and kidneys and in pneumonia and influenza there has been a marked increase in the death rate. The death rate per 100,000 for pneumonia was 186 in 1890, and 161 in 1900. For heart disease the rate was 121 in 1890 and 134 in 1900; for apoplexy 49 in 1890 and 66 in 1900; for diseases of the kidneys, 59 in 1890 and 83 in 1900; for influenza, 6 in 1890 and 23 in 1900.

The report shows that pneumonia kills more people than consumption, that under the stress of our modern life heart disease stands third in the list of fatal diseases, and disorders of the kidneys fifth. In greater New York the death rate was 25 in 1890 and 20 in 1900. In Chicago the rate was 19 in 1890 and 16 in 1900. In Philadelphia the rate was 21.3 in 1890 and 21.2 in 1900. The lowest death rate in any large city reported is that of Buffalo—14.8 per 1000.—Inter-Ocean.

Clark, of the Oregon

Just Wink, in Baltimore American: "Captain Clark, who commanded the Oregon during its remarkable dash around Cape Horn and at the naval battle of Santiago, is, like Admiral Schley, one of the few heroes of the Spanish-American war who has not brought himself before the public by talking or writing of his record."

Now, here's to Clark, who made his mark, And never said a word, Who did his deed and wrote no screed, But silence deep preferred. A health to him—that fighter grim; Who met the wild D.M., And made his strike most workmanlike— Clark, of the Oregon!

From sea to sea alone soiled he, With ever-ready guns, From where the tide is half-world wide, To where the ice floe runs, Through scorching heat to snow and sleet, Full speed both night and morn, His good ship buried half round the world, From Frisco by Cape Horn.

Back to the line, swift through the brine, With neither swear nor cheer; He met the fleet-up to the cleat, The signal flew—"We're here!" All clear and clean, his war machine Was trim from stern to bow—"If there's a fight by day or night, We're ready for it now!"

Then came the race, the thrilling chase Through smoke and spume and foam, And each shell's clang in rhythm sang: "My Captain sends me home!" Then back again with cheering men, When battle smoke grew dim, Yet not a word from Clark was heard— His turlets talked for him.

So, here's to Clark, who made his mark; And send us more, we pray, Who do their deed, yet write no screed, And have no speech to say, Who never talk and never balk, But fight at dark or dawn, May he have health and joy and wealth— Clark, of the Oregon!

IONE HAPPENINGS

IONE, Or., Nov. 6.

W. H. Akers is erecting a new dwelling near the Ione Congregational church.

W. P. Flaughier's new dwelling is fast nearing completion. It is to be a story and a half modern cottage.

Ed. Miller's new home is almost completed.

Miss Eva Rhea, daughter of J. P. Rhea, is quite sick at her home in this city. She is reported at this writing as much improved.

Mrs. Polly Hale, wife of N. J. Hale, this morning attempted suicide by taking carbolic acid. She is in a critical condition at the home of her father, E. G. Sperry.

A few of our nimrods are talking of going to Blalock's hunting the wary branta canadensis. They are reported quite numerous there.

Loren D. Hale yesterday sold the farm below Ione, formerly purchased from C. A. Rhea, to S. N. Wardfield for a consideration of \$2,000.

W. T. McNabb of Douglas spent Tuesday in Ione on business.

The saloon of S. P. Haney was attached last Monday on complaint of C. T. Walker for goods sold Haney.

Grace Tatom, formerly Grace Smith, made proof of her homestead last Saturday.

LEXINGTON NEWS.

LEXINGTON, Nov. 6, 1901.

The weather has been quite variable of late, warm days, warm and sunny and the air still, to be followed by high cool winds. For two nights we have had a little frost.

The growing grain in the fields is distinctly marked by the action of dry weather upon it, and the bunch grass is slightly less green than during the late refreshing rains.

The new paint on the houses of Rufus Nichols and Edwin R. Beach is quite an improvement to Second and Third avenues.

Karl Beach is hauling lumber for a new barn and other buildings.

Mrs. Lauretta Hucksley of Portland, with her two children is a guest at the Rev. Edwin R. Beach's. Mrs. Hucksley is a partly adopted daughter, and while she was in Lexington attending school, and living with Mr. and Mrs. Beach, her name was Bettie McKinney. Many of her old schoolmates and acquaintances are gone, but she is finding much pleasure in meeting those who still remain.

The season has been unusually favorable to business purposes. Grain is all harvested and threshed and the larger half of it is either in the warehouse, or on its way to the general market. Fall seeding is mainly completed. The hauling from the mountains is nearly done, and our people are fixing up in preparation for winter. No time seems to be going to waste, and a hopeful and thrifty confidence characterizes the general outlook.

Our mill is only chopping at present for lack of sufficient water for make flour.

Our school is moving pleasantly on and doing excellent and thoroughly satisfactory work.

The business of the town is active and steadily increasing.

A GREAT STATESMAN'S SECRET.

The secret of a celebrated statesman's long life was his systematic way of eating. Every bite of food was chewed thirty times before swallowing. The result was he actually enjoyed good health. Most men and women bolt their food, and eat things which were never intended to be eaten. They become constipated, have a bad complexion, lose flesh, and are irritable and nervous, and the first thing they know they are "played out." It is gratifying to know that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters cures stomach troubles. It is a purely vegetable medicine that has stood the test of fifty years. It cures cases which seem to be hopeless. Sufferers from any disorder of stomach, liver or bowels should try it.

Advertised Letters.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Heppner. In calling for these letters say "advertised." Adams, Buck, Allen, Ross Brooks, H Keck, David Starina, David B. F. VAUGHAN, P. M.

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HEPPNER CHURCHES.

Episcopal church—Rev. W. E. Potwin

M. E. church, South. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.—Rev. F. M. Canfield, pastor.

Catholic Church—Rev. Father Kelly. Services 3d Sunday in each month at 10:30 a. m.

M. E. church, Rev. H. Baigtol, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning subject, "Sanctity of the Sabbath." Evening subject, "Broken Cisterns." Sunday school at 10 a. m. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Christian church—Rev. Victor Carlson, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject, "Elements of Success." Evening subject, "Using the Tongue." Sunday school, 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. meets at 6:45 p. m.; topic, "Our National Bondage." You are cordially invited to attend all these services.

Local News Notes.

The Heppner Gazette and San Francisco Examiner, one year for \$2.25.

Mathews makes a specialty of filling mail orders for meats of all kinds.

Matlock & Hart have the handling of Judge Bartholomew's garden truck, fresh every morning.

The Monthly New York World, ten numbers and the Gazette, one year for \$1.50. Read ad. This is a liberal offer.

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The GAZETTE has made arrangements to club with the Weekly Inter Ocean of Chicago. The regular subscription price of the Inter Ocean is \$1.00 per year and the regular price of the GAZETTE is \$1.50. By special arrangement, both papers will be furnished one year for \$1.00. The old, reliable Inter Ocean is too well known to need much recommendation. It will be a valuable addition to the reading matter for the winter. Besides giving all the news, it has many special features, making it one of the most desirable weeklies in the United States. This special, liberal offer is limited and will be withdrawn in a short time.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION. Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between J. Matlock and James Hart, under the firm name of Matlock & Hart, doing business in the city of Heppner, Morrow county, Oregon, has been dissolved by mutual consent. H. J. Matlock, retiring. James Hart will continue the business as heretofore, being associated with Kate Blake under the firm name of Hart & Blake. All bills against Matlock & Hart will be paid by Hart & Blake and all persons indebted to Matlock & Hart are requested to pay same to Hart & Blake. Heppner, Or., Nov. 7, 1901. H. J. MATLOCK, JAMES HART.

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