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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Next Tuesday settles it.

Be careful how you vote.

Vote down the Home rule proposition.

convention.

Vote for one Normal school.

342 and 344.

solve are the selection of judges man. He has shown conscien- shire town that consists almost ex- each operation with a one one-thou mings in practical agriculture and how and legislators. Take up your pamphlet and see where the can-didates stand on the primary law, the initiative, the referendum, the initiative, the referendum, and see how they got their nomi- argument. For all that you can day, Weymouth and Weston-super- rapidly a slimy whitish ooze exudes says State Lecturer Lowell. nation.

for Governor. We republicans was governor have been good patch. dislike very much to admit that men. It is poor argument too to we democrats would like very lain has run the party for his own benefit. In a state like this, thought he would test the lad's in- some of the worst cases of the blight the competition, as the first premium is which the writer has noticed have \$150.

WHOLE TOWNS DESERTED.

Places Where All the People Take a Vacation at the Same Time.

Americans unacquainted with the north of England and Scotland are tasks not only year trees, but the apoften surprised during their visits ple, quince and loquat and wild memto those countries to find whole bers of the pome family, such as the of us take our annual vacation at and others. The disease was discovthe same time, so that business is ered to New York more than a century still carried on, but over there vari- ago, but it was not until the late SUBSCRIPTION RATES. Per Year, \$1.00 in advance: to foreign countries, \$1.50. Six Months ; Three months trial subscriptions Soc. Single copies So. Ask for clubbing rates. for rest, when business practically discovered, and only within the past stops.

> known as wakes, and beginning a few sections in northern Oregon and from about the middle of June one Washington have not yet been visited town after another takes its holi- by it. The United States department day, until early September sees the of agriculture has been waging a very end. Liverpool and Manchester are effective campaign against the blight

which in each case amounts to rapidly growing limbs also affects the many thousands, Oldham saving between \$750,000 and \$1,000,000 for bees or other insects from holdover its outing, while Blackburn opera- cases, which begin to ooze as soon as tives have more than once saved the warm weather sets in in the yet when time has passed on and some \$750,000 for the same pur- spring, usually appears first in the pose. At one time these thousands fruit spurs shortly after the blossoms the opportunity seems to justrfy of workers on holiday seldom trav- have failen. Later on the water it they have grown in importance. eled farther afield than the Isle of sprouts may become infected from in-There is a lot beieg said about Bourne and Chamberlain and Switzerland or France on one oc. Bourne and Chamberlain and Switzerland or France-on one oc- during the dormant season-in fact. the disruption of the democrat casion 700 men from Burnley pa- any factor which tends to cause rapparty. All this barking has a raded before the president in Paris 1d growth and an increased flow of

support the laws we now have. Vote No on the Constitutional primary law, the initiative and the visitor is often surprised at the visitor is primary law, the initiative and the visitor is often surprised at the crowded trains that pass him as he crowded trains that pass him as he is journeying toward. Edinburgh. choice of United States Senators. and when he inquires why his train the trunk and finally to the root, when the best essay On all these things Mr. Bower- is an hour late he is told that traffic the death of the tree is but a matter on practical farm problems written Put your X before the yes on man is against the people - at is very heavy as holiday week has of a short time if the kolfe is not apleast he was up till the primary begun. When Edinburgh's holiday plied. The research work which has daughter and grange member in those election. Is there any reason to is over Glasgow's turn comes, may- been done demonstrates conclusively two counties. Don't forget to support the an-suppose that he has had a change be, and so on until the season is that there is one and only one success

that has been said it seems to be one town that shuts down for a the point of infection and disinfecting the Cornell College of Agriculture. The really difficult problems to evident that Mr. West is a good week. This is Swindon, the Wilt- the pruning instrument and cut after The Interest taken by Mr. Cum say about the senator's mistakes. Mare usually being the favorite des- from the bark, which soon changes to he made a good governor, and he tination. About two dozen trains a rusty red or deep brown after er-It keeps a lot of us guessing is making a good senator. The are required to carry away this hol- posure to the alr.

Storged Growing.

"They wasn't made; they grow-

"They growed the same as pota-

come back to these stones five years

now they would still be the same

"Of course," said the little news-

Feminine Curiosity.

Her husband was a merchant,

FIGHT AGAINST PEAR BLIGHT.

There is pro'ably no enemy which more serious one than pear blight. commonly called-a disease which at three or four years has a practical In Lancashire these holidays are It is spreading over the west, and only method been found for its eradication Every town has its holiday fund, the cambium layer and bark, but in sition. Support a governor that will barrent of the people from have a distraction distraction of the people from have a distraction distrac the more destructive. For this reason

nexation of a part of Clackamas suppose that time? For all of views since that time? For all In the south of England there is cutting out of affected fruit spurs and Ing. and the actual decisions will be made by members of the faculty of

WEST SECTION LINE

J. C. Buckley returned recently from Mrs. Yocum of Gonernment Camp the orchardist has to fight that is a a two months' trip to Canada and Mis- was in Marmot Wednesday on her way souri, where he visited relatives.

King's Heights, Portland.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Moll, a son. H. Rodgers of Portland is living on the Stanton place attending to the receive medical treatment.

clearing of his ten acre ranch in New Dr. Lupton and 1'. T. Shelley of Hunt park.

KELSO.

Lewis Eri and family have moved to Portland.

John Nelson is having 16 acres of Troutdale. land cleared.

Miss Anna Jarl of Portland visited her mother over Sunday.

Albert and Clara J nsrud visited home folks over Sunday.

C. A. Lindell and family of Portland were the guests of Mrs. R. Jonsrud Saturday and Sunday.

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A WORTHY EXAMPLE.

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Great interest is being taken in

Grange Apple Show.

At its next annual exhibition in Sepjust now about who to support men he put forward while he iday crowd.-St. Louis Post-Dis- In cutting out infected parts it is tember the Worcester (Mass.) Agricult very necessary to cut, well beyond the tural society will offer over \$500 in discoloration, as shown in the cam- premiums to the grangers of Worces blum layer, and also the more recently | ter county for best exhibit of apples our man is in the wrong. And tell the democrats that Chamber- " One day after buying a paper infected portions, which may show This is a fine recognition of the grange merely a clear or bring appearance, and the interest is likely to be large in

MARMOT

home from Portland.

Mrs. Wm. Cummings is seriously in Henry Helms is iil at his home here. at the home of her sister, Mrs. King of The worst portions of the road hetween Sandy and Marmot has been planked and is now in good condition. Otto Aschoff has gone to Portland to

Sandy were callers here Saturday.

L. Pierce, who has been employed on the Minsinger ranch for some time, has returned to Portland.

Henry Aschoff is visiting his family at the Harry Bramhall home near

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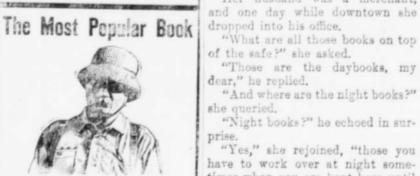
much to think that our Mr. in doubt.

The campaign opened up with a determination on the part of a number of old line politicians to gone bankrupt, because the poconduct the nomination and election of officers along old lines, regardless of existing laws. As bitionists. a result of this determination the fixers got busy and what appeared to be a very fairly conducted state nomination convention turned out to be one the worst jobs of convention "fixing" the oldest and ablest grafter ever dreamed of. Indeed it was so bad that the chief organ of the machinists admitted it and about a third of the dupes turned on the fixers and supported other candidates. Mr. Browerman proved himself more than a match for all his co-adjutors, and yet they have not had the nerve to drop him entirely. His history in connection with the primary law, statement attitude, railroad connections, traveling on passes and at the same time collecting state money, etc. is still being aired. We are also apprised that Mr. West made a little mistake in drawing government money while serving the state. The latter report he has largely corrected. He, too may have made other mistakes trivial in nature,

West where a democrat has absolutely tions to him. Accordingly he point- estems communicated through insigis just as good as we thought no chance with clean opposition ed to a pile of paving stones and him before the mileage question and good men for candidates, a said: was sprung. Now to be sure party does exceedingly well to "How were these stones made, that we are not supporting sacrifice everythicg else if by so son?" a grafter whichever way we turn tive's chair. The democrats will be a problem indeed. But the last definition of this and full spurs should be cut away from the base and trunk the base and trunk the speakers. doing it can capture the excuwill be a problem indeed. But should be proud of this. About 'growed?'" said the man. then when we understand the two thirds of the republicans forces that are behind all this will probably support West. If toes grow," the boy explained. mudslinging we are not so much the democrats play right they The man shook his head. "No, may again put a governner in my lad, you are wrong," he said.

the chair.

lice drank all his whiskey and refused to pay for it. There is an boy, sneering. "They've been taken argument here for the prohibi- out of the ground now and have



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"What are all those books on top of the safe?" she asked.

"Those are the daybooks, my dear," he replied.

"And where are the night books?" she queried.

"Night books ?" he echoed in surprise.

"Yes," she rejoined, "those you have to work over at night sometimes when you are kept here until 2 o'clock in the morning."-Chi-

"My first wife married me to reform me.' "Of what?" "Being a bachelor." "Well, she succeeded in that, anyway." "I should say. I've been married

twice since."-Cleveland Leader.

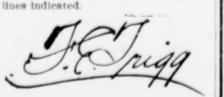
Affectionate.

Mr. Head Stall-That horse you bought yesterday seems a vicious looking animal. Is he affectionate? Mr. Crupper-Affectionate! I should think so. Why, when he came out of the stable he stood upon his hind legs and tried to embrace me.

nificant fruit spurs or water sprouts. which quickly died and shriveled, the had infected a considerable area and

of the tree and well up into the larger branches. Infection sometimes occurs through growth cracks, and this will necessitate frequent and close inspec tion and control of the orchard all through the growing season so as to "Stones can't grow. If you were to head off infections at the start. As in the case of many rodent, insect and. An Indiana saloon keeper has or ten years or twenty years from fungous pests, effective results can only be looked for where there is complete co-operation among the fruit growers of a given section. Their attention should be directed not only to a clean ing up of all cases of blight in com mercial orchards, which are usually stopped growin', same as potatoes given the closest attention and best possible care, but in the family orchards on ranches where fruit raising is not the prime business. Where

the outlying territory is wooded search should be made for any wild members of the pome family which may harbor holdover cases and are often the source of infection of nearby orchards. bees carrying the germs a distance of two miles or more from their hives The sprend of infection from place to place in a tree is often the work of ants that throng them in search of plant lice, the destruction of which will greatly simplify the problem Strangely, the Spitzenburg apple tree. the most highly regarded of all commercial varieties grown in the west, is especially subject to the disease. frequently being more seriously infected than the year itself. Of the pear family the Kieffer and Winter Nelis show greatest immunity. There is no injection dope, spray or other method of treatment that is effective in controlling pear blight. Pear blight should not be confused with sour sap, which, though an affection of the sap, is brought on by unseasonable warm weather in the spring, followed by frosty nights, and is not the result of bacterial infection. Pear blight is a most serious mennee in the growing of the pome fruits, but it can be kept in check and eradicated by persistent. vigilant and united efforts along the



Chio Patrons of Husbandry.

The annual reunion of Ohio Patrons will be held at the state fair Sept. 7 blight not being discovered until it and 8. Last year over 1,000 members registered, and many more are expected begun oozing through the bark. To this year, as the growth in membership guard against cases of this kind all has been great. State Master Hull of water sprouts and fruit spurs should Michigan and Past Master Ladd of

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