

The Daily Astorian.

ASTORIA, OREGON:
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The Spokane Review thinks that it takes considerable check for a Democratic member of congress to rise from his seat and say, "Mr. Speaker, I am not here."

The maddest woman in America is Mrs. Cowan, of Liberty, Mo. In October, 1884, she had twins, boys-named them Blaine and Logan; in December, 1889, had twins again, boys-named them Harrison and Morton, and now is a defeated applicant for postmistress at Liberty. Republicans are indeed ungrateful.

A NEWSPAPER MAN advertises in the East Oregonian that a newspaper which cleared \$2,600 in 1889 can be bought for \$105; cheap enough. Talking about newspapers, "they say" that the Oregonian cleared \$150,000 net profit last year. That is more than all the other 115 newspapers in Oregon cleared last year.

GOVERNOR HILL recently received a card bearing the name "Thomas Jefferson Hightbottom." The governor studied the card for a second and his face wore a puzzled look. "Thomas Jefferson Hightbottom," he read slowly. A sudden smile, as if he had solved a hard problem, flitted across his features. "That's not a Democrat," he exclaimed; "that's a wagsman; no Democrat has three names, and they don't use engraved cards. Williams, I won't see him."

LITTLE annoyances annoy the little least. In proportion as a man's work is of an elevated or refined nature, whether physical or mental, will so-called petty annoyances lose to him their pettiness, and become to him serious interferences. A cloud of insects will not interfere with the straightness of a plowman's furrow, but a single insect may prove a serious obstruction to an artist's progress in picturing the plowman's landscape. What we ought to do, or refrain from doing in the presence of another, depends not so much on our estimation of the intrinsic importance of the doing, as upon the occupation and temperament of him who is to be affected by it.

"WELL, what do you think of the railroad meeting last Saturday night?" was the question asked a good many times since. It cleared the air and did good. It gave a chance to "blow off" steam which the road goes. The directors should, and doubtless do feel flattered by the vote of confidence implied in the almost unanimous desire evinced to leave everything to them. The directors appreciate the responsibility and feel that their hands are strengthened. Now, there should be no more cavil or chewing. It has been left to them, and let us all acquiesce in the result of their deliberations. What Astorians want is to see the road built; results, not ways or means, are looked for.

LOTTERIES should gain no foot hold in the new states. Every effort to make a legislature grant them the right of existence should be stopped. There is something so enticing about this form of gambling that the very men who need their money the most, are the first to invest in these wild schemes. Millions of dollars, every year are taken from thousands of people, while only an insignificant few ever win prizes. The laboring man of the northwest has enough temptations to spend his hard earned cash, without having other preventable snares thrown around him. It is hoped that if this crowd of adventurers strike Montana and Washington as well as North Dakota, they will meet with a heavy rebuff.

THE future of the railroad system in the northwest can hardly be told. It is certain that it is yet in its infancy. What will come, time alone can tell. During the next two years, Oregon and Washington will in all probability see such an extension of present lines, and construction of new ones as were witnessed in Kansas a few years ago. There are so many projects on foot and so many towns clamoring for railroad connections, that much must result. The mileage for these two states is very small considering their area and resources, and comparing them with eastern states. The fact that we are lacking is not due to any failure to appreciate our opportunities, but the condition simply arises from ours being a new country. There are no states in the Union offering better rewards for railroad investments.

THERE is a good deal of wisdom in the following chunk of practical advice from the Indianapolis News:

Cities are built upon confidence had in each other, and also upon the mixed effort in different directions by different men taking some stock in different enterprises. There is only one way to boom the business interests of any city, and that is for the business men to take an interest in some portion or branch of business where they do not have the controlling interest. The business man who does the most for the city in which he lives is the man who has the most confidence in his fellowmen. There are many enterprises which could be thoroughly established in Indianapolis at once, if the capitalists and business men of the city would take a small financial interest in them by subscribing for some of the stock necessary to operate the different plants.

The second sentence in the above contains as much sense, experience and manifest truth as could be got into thirty-nine words.

WHAT the editorial "we" means depends on who uses it. When the editor of a great metropolitan journal writes it, it is a very comprehensive term, signifying "I and the rest of the

boys," including the base ball reporter, the printers, the elevator boy, and the carriers, not to speak of the pressman, the advertising solicitor, and the circulating affidavit man. But when the editor of the Raccoon Hollow Weekly Expositor says, "We and our wife are entertaining our wife's mother for a few days," it becomes manifestly a more limited term, for it can hardly be supposed that the wife and mother-in-law are a part of the outfit of the entire printing establishment. The broadest use of the term however is exemplified when the editor of the Bull Gap Vindicator writes: "We are suffering with hog cholera in our midst." Obviously this is an impersonal "we."

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Indians are starving on government reservations in North Dakota. J. S. Harriman has wagered \$3,000 that he will walk 3,000 miles in sixty-five days at Wabash Indiana. Flood & Fair, the San Francisco bonanza firm have sold their interest in the Nevada bank to a New York syndicate.

Deep snow has again blockaded travel in the Sierra Nevada, the snow falling 4 inches per hour east of Truckee, Cal.

E. J. Baldwin, of San Francisco, wants to supplant the Alaska Commercial Co., in their lease of the Alaska seal fisheries.

Grahan, a mining town in the Silver Mountain district, where an English company has expended \$500,000 in erecting mills and making developments, has been seriously damaged by a snowslide, which carried away a boarding house and a tramway a mile in length.

Jerry Lagrange, of Corvallis, went out in the timber last Saturday to cut wood. Failing to return in the evening, search was begun, and next morning he was found dead, with a frightful gash in the top of his head, from which his brains were protruding. His ax lay beside him, and it is supposed that in chopping it struck an overhanging limb with the above result.

The Spokane Mill company's extensive sawmill property and a part of their water power has virtually been sold to the Bank of England. The latter corporation has an option on the property until March 1st, but they have nearly closed negotiations. Two propositions have been made by the mill men, one to sell their mills and a portion of their power for \$800,000, or the mills and all the waterpower for \$1,250,000. The Bank of England people are undecided at present which proposition to take up.

CLEAR YOUR FACE.

It is now known that a pimply skin is not the result of blood disease, but is caused by impaired digestion, for which they now give vegetable correctives instead of minerals. Two short testimonials are given to contrast the action of the p. tash sarsaparilla and Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. Mrs. C. D. Stuart of 1221 Mission Street, S. F., writes that she took one of the leading sarsaparillas for indigestion and dyspepsia. Its only effect was to cause pimples to appear on her face. Upon taking Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla the first effect was the disappearance of the pimples and she was subsequently cured of the indigestion and dyspepsia.

Robert Stearns also writes from Ft. Stan, Cal. that he being troubled with boils he found that one of the leading sarsaparillas actually increased the eruptions, which responded at once to Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla and disappeared immediately.

Left to Public Opinion.

LONDON, Feb. 16.—A cabinet council occupied four hours to-day in discussing what reply to make to Mr. Parnell on Monday. Parnell has asked what course the government intend to take. The meeting was not stormy, but was hopelessly divergent in opinion. W. H. Smith's suggestion that Parnell be informed that the government would leave the judges' verdict to the ratification of public opinion was finally adopted.

Results often follow the use of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Severe cases of scrofula, upon which other preparations have been powerless, yield to the peculiar curative powers of this medicine. Distressing cases of dyspepsia, excruciating complaints of the kidneys and liver, agonizing iteh and pain of salt rheum, discharges also cases of catarrh, and aches and pains of rheumatism, are cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla. It purifies the blood, and at the same time tones the stomach, creates an appetite, and gives strength to every function of the body. Give it a trial.

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Tax Notice. THE SCHOOL TAX IN SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 9, for the year 1889, will shortly become delinquent. All parties not having paid their taxes are requested to settle forthwith. Taxes may be paid at my office. W. F. GREGG, Clerk School District No. 9, Clatsop Co., Or.

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