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DECENT JOURNALISM.

The natural impulse of even intelligent citizens when a public journal is misled into the commission of a wrong, is to declaim against the general licentiousness of the press, and in this the greatest injustice is done to all reputable newspapers.

There is not a day in the week that the men responsible for the opinions of clean newspapers are not compelled to consider the question of publishing or suppressing facts which are entirely proper for public information, but which, if printed, would do greater harm to the innocent than good to the public.

Of this important duty of editors the public have little knowledge, and, being ignorant, it is thoughtlessly assumed that the great aim of every enterprising newspaper man is to fling sensations before the public regardless of their truth.

With the low and filthy press of the country it is different. For that kind of licentiousness there is only one remedy. Let it alone. If people would not support vile publications, those publications would not exist.

WHAT THEY SHOULD DO.

Now that congress is well under way with its work there are two subjects of paramount importance which demand prompt attention. One of them is the serious deficiency of revenue.

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gross on which both parties can play at politics to their heart's content and "make capital" for next year.

People along the water front are again complaining about the inefficient service rendered to the public by the operator at Fort Cavdy.

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Commonwealth of Virginia, to-wit: Whereas, George Johnson has exhibited to us a certificate from the county court of Rockbridge county, agreeably to an act of the general assembly in such cases made and provided, and we, judges of the circuit superior courts, having examined him touching his capacity for practice, law, find him duly qualified.

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THE MIDWAY. "Was only on a wagon—No quarrel or dispute; The colonel shot the major—And the major shot the colonel."—Atlanta Constitution.

NO NEED FOR IT. She says she can't afford a cab—Expenses she must curb. Yet when she walks upon the street Her carriage is superb.

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A GOOD WORLD. Mr. J. J. Kell, Shreveport, La. Dear Sir: I am glad to say a good word for Krause's Headache Capsules.

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Hamilton, Ont.—Judge Snider granted the application for the extradition of Sydney Bloom, wanted in Peoria, Ill., for the attempted murder of Peter Hansen.

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ELECTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of December, 1895, a general election will be held in the City of Astoria, Oregon, for city officers, namely:

WARD NUMBERED ONE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED TWO. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED THREE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

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WARD NUMBERED FIVE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED SIX. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED SEVEN. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED EIGHT. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED NINE. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED TEN. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

WARD NUMBERED ELEVEN. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE 11th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895, THE FOLLOWING ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO-WIT:

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