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The Weekly Astorian, the second oldest weekly in the state of Oregon, has next to the Portland Oregonian, the largest weekly circulation in the state.

The political death of those who are promoting the cause of silver is predicted by Comptroller Eckles.

Senator Gorman was so disgusted with the tide of affairs in the Democratic ranks that he abandoned all idea of being a delegate to Chicago.

Laughing eyes, frames full of vigor, and elasticity are blessings attainable by the cadaverous, the haggard, and the dyspeptic who try that wisest of experiments—an experiment whose happy outcome is certified by myriads.

Sound money men in the Democratic party are deriving a little comfort from the fact that the victors for silver in Texas and many places in Ohio have been achieved on a light vote.

It was very magnanimous of the strikers to let Colonel Summers and his command have some of the salmon in the river 'for their own consumption.'

The Chicago Tribune says sound money Democrats in Burlington and other towns in Southeastern Iowa are getting ready to bolt the free coinage presidential candidate of their party.

The heart of every true American residing in Astoria throbs with pride and exultation at the sight of our brave and sturdy Oregon National Guardsmen, and their welcome presence here will advertise the assurance to the world that our people are not quite so isolated and far away from civilization as to be beyond the security and prompt protection of the Stars and Stripes.

OLD PEOPLE.

Old people who require medicine to regulate the bowels and kidneys will find the true remedy in Electric Bitters.

Andrew Carnegie takes a pessimistic view of the drift of financial and commercial affairs in the United States since 1890.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and All Skin Eruptions.

Miss Lillian Bell, of Chicago, has arranged for the publication of a new novel in London and New York.

CARLISLE AND OUR FINANCES.

The recent report of Secretary Carlisle upon the financial condition of the United States treasury appears to be explicit. It points the inaction of congress on the gold question with a

conviction that an unprejudiced man can but tremble for the narrow escapes our country has had.

The policy of keeping a reserve, which must be constantly tampered with, to be held to the traditional \$100,000,000 is fast getting us into difficulties.

In concluding his report, Secretary Carlisle states: "Owing to the discouraging condition of our financial affairs and the consequent lack of confidence in the ability of the government permanently to maintain a reserve under a system of redemption and release of notes, very considerable difficulty was encountered in effecting the loan invited by the proposals of January 17, 1884, and at one time pending the call it was feared that the effort would fail.

"At the time the contract of February 3, 1885, was made the emergency was so pressing that the whole purpose of the loan would have been defeated if the replenishment of the reserve had been postponed for a sufficient length of time to advertise for bids, and besides it was exceedingly doubtful whether, under the circumstances, any sales could have been made to the general public upon as favorable terms as to the rate of interest as were secured by that contract."

ROUND, ROSE FACES.

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The McMillans have issued the first three volumes of William Knight's new sixteen-volume edition of Wordsworth. Eight volumes are to be given to the poems and various readings.

TWO LIVES SAVED.

Mrs. Phoebe Thomas, of Junction City, Ill., was told by her doctors she had Consumption and that there was no hope for her, but two bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery completely cured her.

The latest story of German "thrift" is told upon the proprietor of a circulating library who made his patrons pay for all wear and tear of his books.

CHILDREN CRY FOR PITCHER'S CASTORIA.

The woman who can feel at ease in a light cotton costume in the street would not be the least uncomfortable in a red gown at a funeral.

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A 10 cent piece of "BATTLE AX" is almost twice as large as a 10 cent piece of any other equally good tobacco.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER.

The July Harper's will open with a paper on Gen. Washington and the period of the Revolution, by Woodrow Wilson.

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