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Japan played a sharp game, but was not quite quick enough to secure Hawaii. She should not squeal because the United States was a little in the front of the procession.

It is a reasonable expectation that by the first of next year, or soon after the railroad is opened to Portland, the city will have the streets to the new depot well under way.

There have recently visited the city many railroad men, representing a great many different roads, and each one came seeking business for his line. The inference is plain that railroad companies at least recognize that a change is taking place here and are desirous of getting in on the ground floor.

The silver service was finally presented to Captain Barker, of the battleship Oregon, but not on board of his fine vessel, as should have been the case. Oregon relieved her mind and did the right thing and the government was probably relieved that it took no risk in sending the great ship into the interior.

Where are the advance steps of improvement in Astoria? It was whispered by an investor yesterday that great changes were to take place in old Astoria in the near future, but he left no directions for detecting them. The times are ready and the railroad will soon be completed, but the enterprising hand of trade and manufacture seems to be still hidden.

The importers have been at pains, from the moment the extra session, with the duty of framing a new tariff bill, dawned upon their business minds, to hasten goods to our shores, and they have poured into the treasury an advance of many millions of revenue, which gives the secretary of the treasury, all told, \$17,000,000 available cash, to carry on the government, until the people abroad accommodate themselves to the new tariff, and go to paying us their taxes. Our government begins the fiscal year in good shape.

The astonishing statement is made that there are fifteen thousand tramps in Kansas moving toward the Pacific coast. We infer from the statements of the proceedings of this strange army that the tramps are not overtaking themselves in exercise. There is something the matter with these people that nothing will remedy but industry and thrift, and the sooner they know they cannot get rich on free silver and paper money the better. If an abundant and cheap paper currency had been the stimulation of a people's credit, and aided the expression of their energy, the Southern Confederacy would have won the war against the Union hands down, pockets full.

In communicating to the government the abolition of the legal status of slavery in Zanzibar, by decree of his sultan, the United States consul there says it was thought by many persons that the effect of freeing slaves would be to throw many thousands negroes on their own resources, and that great suffering and privation among them would for a time prevail. The expectation, however, has not been realized. Not one in ten of the old slaves has left his master, and matters to all outward seeming go on much as they did before the emancipation decree was promulgated. The Arab masters receive the change with submission, and England, under whose protection the islands of Zanzibar and Pemba have long been held, experiences the virtuous consciousness that the delay of that righteousness and humane act can no longer be charged against her.

THE IMMOVABLE BODY.

The European concert as a subject of discussion disappeared from view in the fireworks of the queen's jubilee. But now that the last number of that program has been satisfactorily disposed of, it is certain to take its place on the table for debate during the heated term. We may be sure that neither the sultan nor his enemies nor his allies have been idle all this time. When last we heard

of the concert it had peremptorily ordered the Turkish government to withdraw its forces from Thessaly. This was a month ago or more. Now, the red fire in London and Portsmouth having died away, the smoke which discloses the unspeakable one still squating heavily in the unfortunate province, levying taxes, making laws and administering justice after his own peculiar fashion.

Moreover, he is making it plain that he will not get out unless he is forced. The resignation of Ethem Pasha because "under the proposed peace terms it will be impossible for him to maintain the discipline of his army" is intended to color the claim of the port to the Greek province. The pretense that this capable commander, who was able absolutely to control a victorious army, transforming the most bloodthirsty soldiers in the world into lambs and mild policemen, who nursed the sick, buried the dead and generally inflicted as little damage on the towns they occupied as a Salvation army corps—the suggestion that these men are now uncontrollable must be regarded as one of those delightfully transparent devices with which the general sultan loves to annoy his foes.

"Here I am," says the Son of Heaven; "here I remain." And if we may judge of the future from the past, it will take more than threats or blandishments to budge him from the fatted land in southeastern Europe.

THE PHYSIOLOGY OF THE LIVER.

The liver is the largest secreting organ in the human body, and the bile which it secretes is more liable to vitiation and misdirection from its proper channels than any other of the animal fluids. Luckily for the bilious, however, there is an unfailing source of relief from liver complaint, namely Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine which for about half a century has been achieving thorough cures of the above mentioned ailments, fever and ague, dyspepsia, bowel complaints, rheumatic and kidney affection, and disorders involving loss of nervous vigor. It is, moreover, a preventive of malarial disease, and affords protection to thousands of persons residing in districts of country where that dire scourge is prevalent. As a remedy adapted to the medicinal requirements of families, it is supremely desirable, and as a means of fortifying a debilitated system, it is thoroughly to be depended upon.

When traveling some good cologne is wonderfully refreshing when applied to the temples and wrists. How it would be if taken internally the observer cannot state.

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The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

Some lovely cut glass syrup pitchers are among the bargains at this season of the year that would come handy for next Christmas gifts.

Hundreds of thousands have been induced to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy by reading what it has done for others, and having tested its merits for themselves are today its warmest friends. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

Even the laundry bag has been glorified until it is now a really ornamental object in any room.

"They are dandies" said Thos. Bowers, of the Crockett, Texas, Enterprise, while writing about DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for sick headache and disorders of the stomach and liver. Charles Rogers.

Baby's Second Summer

is the time that tries all the care of the mother and all the skill of maternal management. Baby comfort comes from fat; fat babies have nothing to do but to sleep and grow.

If your baby does not seem to prosper, if he does not gain in weight, you must get more fat there. A few drops of

Scott's Emulsion

each day will put on plumpness; fat outside, life inside, baby and mother both happy.

Your baby can take and relish Scott's Emulsion as much in summer as in any other season.

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The Perfect Pill

Perfect in preparation. Perfect in operation. Ayer's Cathartic Pills. Perfect post-prandial pill. Perfect for all purposes. THE PILL THAT WILL

THE OBJECTION NOT GOOD.

There are people who have objections to advertising matter in the columns of a newspaper. The ground of objection is that they do not want to read advertisements. Now this objection is not good, for oftentimes these advertisements convey valuable information. For instance, how else would the traveling public learn of the excellent dining car service of the Wisconsin Central lines between St. Paul and Chicago, or the general comfort of traveling over this popular line. For particulars call on the nearest ticket agent or address J. C. Pond, G. P. A., Milwaukee, Wis., or Geo. S. Batty, General Agent, 236 Stark street, Portland, Or.

Until one watches a colored domestic clean a window they never quite realize the import of the adage that "time was made for slaves."

The two most critical times in a woman's life are the time which make the girl a woman, and the woman a mother. At these times, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is of incalculable value. It strengthens and invigorates the organs distinctly feminine, promotes regularity of the functions, allays irritation and inflammation, checks unnatural, exhausting drains, and puts the whole delicate organism into perfect condition. Almost all the ills of womanhood are traceable to some form of what is known as "female complaint." There are not three cases in a hundred of woman's peculiar disease that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will not cure.

Really very choice artificial roses cost only twenty-cents a cluster. A hat can be made essentially a la mode for half a dollar.

If you're in doubt whether your trouble is indigestion or dyspepsia, just take a few doses of Simmons' Liver Regulator. It will settle the whole question. "I have tried Simmons' Liver Regulator for dyspepsia and find it just the thing to relieve me. A small dose after meals is sure to prevent indigestion."—S. S. Perkins, Sharon, Ga. "It is the best medicine to aid digestion."—J. J. Black, Duncan, Arizona.

"A Dandelion Tea" is horribly suggestive of herb concoctions, whose great recommendation is that they will do us good.

"Last summer one of our grand-children was sick with a severe bowel trouble," says Mrs. E. G. Gregory, of Fredericktown, Mo. "Our doctor's remedy had failed; then we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, which gave very speedy relief." For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

A bit of black velvet instead of the usual red cloth on a desk is a very effective ground for paper and envelopes.

W. B. Johnson, Newark, O., says, "One Minute Cough Cure saved my only child from dying by croup." It has averted thousands of others suffering from croup, pneumonia, bronchitis and other serious throat and lung troubles. Charles Rogers.

A gold purse with a little blue enamel watch set in the center is an extravagance that any woman would condone.

Don't neglect a cough because the weather is pleasant; before the next storm rolls around it may develop into a serious difficulty beyond repair. One Minute Cough Cure is easy to take and will do what its name implies. Charles Rogers.

Until a woman receives an itemized bill she will never believe she spent so much money on her charge account.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.—It is a terrible accident to be burned or scalded; but the pain and agony and frightful disfigurements can be quickly overcome without leaving a scar by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Charles Rogers.

A plaster of Paris jacket is a loose shirt in comparison with the high and tight collars some women wear. "One of my sick headaches," you will hear people frequently say, as if the complaint was hopelessly incurable. As a matter of fact, Ayer's Pills not only relieve sick headache but effectually remove the cause of this distressing complaint, and so bring about a permanent cure.

The linen petticoat is in much better taste under a linen gown than the handsome white one ever turned out.

Blood-purifiers, though gradual, are radical in their effect. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is intended as a medicine only and not a stimulant, excitant or beverage. Immediate results may not always follow its use; but after a reasonable time, permanent benefit is certain to be realized.

Is there any sensation quite so delightful as that which a girl experiences when she dons her first long gown?

Some for ten, some for twenty and some for thirty years have suffered from piles and then have been quickly and permanently cured by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great remedy for piles and all forms of skin diseases. Charles Rogers.

Use Webfoot Corn Cure. No cure no pay. For sale at Estes-Conn Drug Store.

MARINE NEWS.

Table with columns: DATE, HIGH WATER, LOW WATER. Sub-columns: A. M., P. M., A. M., P. M.

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VESSELS ON THE WAY TO THE COLUMBIA RIVER FROM

Table with columns: VESSEL, TONNAGE, DATE, AGENT.

The steamer Columbia sailed for San Francisco yesterday morning.

The steamer Homer cleared yesterday for San Francisco with 15000 feet of lumber and a general cargo.

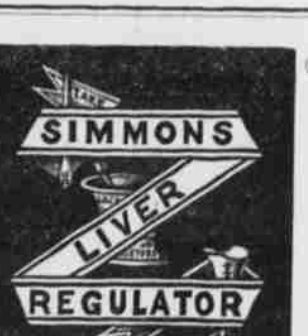
YESTERDAY'S WEATHER.

Maximum temperature, 82 deg. Minimum temperature, 24 deg. Precipitation, 51 inch. Excess of precipitation from September 1, 1896, to date, 20.0 inches.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

Fair weather; probably warmer in Oregon.

Economy is something that everybody tries to practice, and yet just a little oversight will sometimes rob the most frugal and thrifty family of a year's savings. You want to do as J. P. Hoffmann, of Monticello, Ga., did. He writes: "For six years I have kept Simmons' Liver Regulator in my house, and used it in my family, and have had no need for a doctor. I have five as healthy children as you can find."



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For all diseases caused by derangement of the Liver, Kidneys, and Stomach.

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Advertisement for Castoria. Includes text: 'SEE THAT THE FAC-SIMILE SIGNATURE OF EVERY BOTTLE OF CASTORIA. A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and Loss of Sleep.'

Advertisement for The Choicest Table Wines. Includes text: 'FOR FAMILIES Also for Medicinal and Cooking Purposes. Repsold California Brandy.'

Advertisement for Private Stock. Includes text: 'Private Stock, Cream Rye, Old Hickory, Pride of Kentucky, Hermitage.'

CARLSON'S FAMILY LIQUOR STORE, 103 Twelfth Street

Hustler's Astoria, Twentieth St. and McKee Ave.

Advertisement for Good Reason Why Lots Are Selling. Includes text: 'Sited on the south side of Astoria's hills. Twenty degrees warmer and vegetation 30 days in advance of the North side.'

ASTORIA INVESTMENT CO., 482 Bond Street.

Advertisement for OREGON STATE NORMAL SCHOOL. Includes text: 'A TRAINING SCHOOL FOR TEACHERS. Regular Normal Course of three years. Training department of nine grades with 200 children.'

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Going East? IF YOU ARE, DO NOT FORGET

Three Important Points

FIRST—Go via the St. Paul because the lines to that point will afford you the very best service. SECOND—See that the coupon beyond St. Paul reads via the Wisconsin Central because that line makes close connections with all the trans-continental lines entering the Union Depot there, and its service is first-class in every particular. THIRD—For information, call on your neighbor and friend—the nearest ticket agent—and ask for a ticket reading via the Wisconsin Central line, or address JAS. C. POND, General Passenger Agent, Milwaukee, Wis. Or GEO. S. BATTY, General Agent, Portland, Oregon.

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