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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.

It is not the present war that taxes the resources of the United States so much as the last war, says the Philadelphia Times. During the past eleven months we expended $72,000,000 on the army and $49,000,000 on the navy, a total of $121,000,000 in round numbers, or $44,000,000 more than in the corresponding period of 1897. But in the same time we paid out $126,000,000 in pensions, an increase of $5,000,000 over the previous year. Thus the pensioners cost us considerably more than the army and navy together, and this is an expenditure that is continuous and increasing, while we hope that the large increase in war expenses will be only for a short time. After that the pension list may take a fresh start.

HAWAII AND THE PHILIPPINES.

The opponents of annexation are still insisting that the case of Hawaii must go over until the case of the final disposition of the Philippines is taken up. If the United States decides to hold the Philippines, Hawaii will, of course, be annexed. The most blatant gabbler about "loot and leprosy" would then be forced to concede the necessity of controlling the all-important half-way house between San Francisco and Manila.

But the Hawaiian Islands are important to us—most essential, indeed—separate and apart from this new question of territorial expansion. They are a factor in the program for the development of the country within its present boundaries. The purposes of the government, conceived and declared long before it became a duty to abate by force the Spanish nuisance in Cuba, called for the digging of the Nicaragua canal, and that, in turn, called for the control of the first land to be reached after the Pacific end of the canal should be cleared. The whole matter was made entirely plain at the time when annexation, after the fall of the rotten monarchy in Hawaii, was first brought forward.

Why, therefore, take the matter out of its true and original relation? The annexation of Hawaii does not involve, and need not influence, the question of the final disposition of the Philippines. We need Hawaii without regard to even the existence of the Philippines. If the Philippines were to be swallowed up by the sea tomorrow, there would still remain the necessity for uniting the two great oceans by a canal, and for the canal when dug to be under American control. That is an enterprise to which the United States has for some years been virtually committed, and to which all the world is preparing to adjust its business. And control of Hawaii will make complete American control of the Nicaraguan canal, and will push back several thousand miles to Asia the base of a naval attack upon the America which, under our traditional policy, is to be reserved for Americans.

The question of annexation ought not to be postponed upon any specious or flimsy pretext whatever. The proposition is clear and convincing in all of its details, and the country desires favorable action. Let every tub stand on its own bottom. Let us dispose of Hawii now, and the Philippines when we come to them.

Those who expect the United States to find its greatest prosperity and glory of the immediate future in the development of its American influence on the old lines of policy, in the construction and control of an isthmian canal, and the possession of both the Atlantic and Pacific approaches to that canal, perceive that the ownership of the Hawaiian Islands is a vital feature of their exclusively American program. Those who favor the abandonment of the old policy of isolation and the development of the republic into a colonizing "world-power" on the English model, rightly consider control of the islands to be essential. Whether for defense or aggression, under the old or new national policy, Hawaii should be annexed.

OBJECT LESSON FOR POPULISTS.

Our populist friends, who are after all only our old greenback friends in disguise, should study the beautiful object lesson in finance now being given by Spain.

That country ostensibly is on a silver basis, but in reality on a paper basis. Gold is at premium, while the paper is practically worthless outside of Spanish territory. Neither Spanish paper nor silver will purchase munitions of war, and the Bank of Spain's alleged gold reserve has been drawn on heavily for this purpose. The people who have not seen any form of money but the well-nigh worthless have taken alarm and are making frantic efforts to exchange it for the depreciated silver, knowing that they cannot obtain gold for it.

With a view of checking the panic the government has ordered the exportation of silver to be stopped, but affairs are in such a critical state that the order has probably come too late to prevent a total collapse.

At a time when the government is most in need of help the Bank of Spain is unable to give it.

While the enlightened nations were revising their monetary systems and putting them on a sound basis, Spain in medieval ignorance clung to the silver standard, and is now facing financial ruin. From present indications she will be compelled to abandon the war for lack of funds to pay the expense of maintaining military and naval forces.

DON'T OVERLOOK THE LITTLE ONE.

Times-Herald:

The trip of the battleship Oregon from San Francisco around Cape Horn to join the Key West fleet has broken all records and excited a great deal of admiration in naval circles. Captain Clark is being showered with congratulations from all quarters, and they are well deserved, too.

But before the congratulations are ended why shouldn't a few reach the gunboat Marietta, which accompanied the Oregon on that momentous trip in search of trouble. The Marietta is much smaller and much weaker than the great battle ship which led the way on that 14,000-mile trip, and her performance therefore seems as remarkable as that of the Oregon. Why isn't she entitled to admission to the "favorable mention" class? Is it fair to overlook the little one?

SALMON RATES COME DOWN.

Canners Can Now Ship for 70 Cents, Rail or Water.

Seattle P. I.

A rate concession has been made to the operators of the various canneries in thePuget sound district, which will, it is believed, have a tendency to greatly increase the shipment of canned salmon to eastern points. Official notice of the concession was received yesterday by the local freight officials. In explaining the concession made a local freight official said yesterday:

"Heretofore the marine insurance on salmon in car load lots was paid by the shippers at the rate of 2½ cents per 100 pounds, but under the new arrangement the insurance on all shipments which may have to pass over waters in reaching their destination is guaranteed whenever the shippers specify the amount of the shipment on the shipping receipt. This will be a great saving to the cannery operators, and I believe that in the future the amount of salmon shipped from Seattle, Fairhaven, New Whatcom, Blaine and other points will be greater than ever before, by reason of the marine insurance being guaranteed. A car load of salmon is usually valued at $2,500, and it is readily seen that the marine insurance paid out by shippers in the past has been no small item of expense. A straight rate of 70 cents per 100 pounds on salmon has just been authorized. This includes transportation on both rail and water, while last year the rate by rail was 75 cents and by water 70 cents."

The woman who looks as though she were just a bit superior to every other woman on earth is she who is able to publicly parade a soldier boy as her escort.

The two little curls that so many foolish women wear as the finishing touch of their coiffeures have a quaint air about them quite suggestive of fashion plates of the early 40s.

It is charming to feel that one's friends are popular, but it really requires a wonderfully sweet disposition to rejoice in having every decent man acquaintance you have clamoring for an introduction to some particularly fetching girl whom they saw you with.

Consumption

Will SCOTT'S EMULSION cure consumption? Yes and no. Will it cure every case? No. What cases will it cure then? Those in their earlier stages, especially in young people. We make no exaggerated claims, but we have positive evidence that the early use of

Scott's Emulsion

of Cod-liver oil with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda in these cases results in a positive cure to a large number. In advanced cases, however, where a cure is impossible, this well-known remedy should be relied upon to prolong life surprisingly.

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Tide Table for June, 1898.

DATE	HIGH WATER A. M.	HIGH WATER P. M.	LOW WATER A. M.	LOW WATER P. M.
	h. m. / ft.	h. m. / ft.	h. m. / ft.	h. m. / ft.
Wed.	1 10 4.0	6 1 10	13 5.5	4 20 0.8	4 0 3.4
Thurs.	2 11 3.8	6 4 11	02 5.8	5 15 0.0	5 0 3.6
Fri.	3 ...	...	12 31 6.7	6 06 0.7	5 57 3.6
Fri.	3 ...	...	11 50 6.0	...	...
Sat.	4 ...	...	1 21 6.9	6 56 1.0	6 50 3.7
Sun.	5 0 37	9 1	2 10 7.0	7 44 1.1	7 44 3.6
Mon.	6 1 24	9 0	2 55 7.1	8 30 1.0	8 29 3.4
Tues.	7 2 14	8 7	3 39 7.3	9 16 0.7	9 34 3.2
Wed.	8 3 07	8 1	4 24 7.4	10 02 0.1	10 31 3.0
Thurs.	9 4 06	7 5	5 13 7.5	10 50 0.6	11 31 2.6
Fri.	10 5 12	6 9	6 04 7.6	11 39 1.1	...
Sat.	11 6 23	5 4	6 55 7.6	0 34 2.3	12 28 1.8
Sun.	12 7 38	6 2	7 47 7.7	1 28 1.9	1 30 2.4
Mon.	13 8 50	6 1	8 38 7.8	2 41 1.4	2 32 2.8
Tues.	14 9 56	6 1	9 27 8.0	3 41 0.8	3 33 3.2
Wed.	15 10 55	6 1	10 15 8.2	4 36 0.3	4 28 3.6
Thurs.	16 11 47	6 4	11 01 8.2	5 25 0.1	5 21 3.8
Fri.	17 ...	...	12 22 8.2	6 09 0.4	6 09 3.9
Fri.	17 ...	...	11 42 8.2	...	...
Sat.	18 ...	...	12 57 8.2	6 48 0.6	6 52 3.9
Sun.	19 0 18	8 1	1 50 8.1	7 25 0.4	7 32 3.9
Mon.	20 0 52	8 0	2 22 8.0	7 56 0.2	8 11 3.8
Tues.	21 1 28	7 9	2 49 7.9	8 25 0.0	8 49 3.7
Wed.	22 2 04	7 8	3 21 7.7	8 53 0.2	9 19 3.5
Thurs.	23 2 42	7 4	3 55 7.5	9 20 0.5	9 56 3.2
Fri.	24 3 28	7 0	4 31 7.3	9 50 0.9	10 42 2.8
Sat.	25 4 24	6 8	5 10 7.1	10 25 1.5	11 37 2.4
Sun.	26 5 22	6 1	5 54 7.1	11 12 2.0	...
Mon.	27 6 26	5 7	6 46 7.0	0 28 2.0	12 02 2.2
Tues.	28 7 37	5 4	7 42 8.2	1 46 1.5	12 59 2.1
Wed.	29 8 49	5 4	8 42 8.4	2 56 0.7	2 16 2.0
Thurs.	30 10	5 5	9 43 8.7	4 01 0.2	3 20 1.9

VESSELS BOUND TO ASTORIA.

Midas, Messenger, Br bk, 1262 tons, Nagasaki.

Alexander Black, Dunn, Br bk, 1391 tons, Antwerp.

Forthbank, Peterson, Br bk, 1332 tons, Gerghenti.

Joseph Pulitzer, Harvey, Am sch, 71 tons, New York.

Clackmannanshire, Thomson, Br sh, 1482 tons, Newcastle.

Silberhorn, Gibson, Br bk, 1774 tons, Liverpool.

Argo, Maclean, Br sh, 1490 tons, Antwerp.

Castle Rock, Jones, Br str, 1,787 tons, Hiogo.

Lombard, Raison, Br str, 1,658 tons, Hong Kong.

Gunford, MacPherson, Br sh, 2108 tons, Hamburg.

Patriarch, Breach Br sh, 1329 tons, Manila.

Les Adelphus, Lebreton, Br bktn, 1229 tons, Freemantle.

Poseidon, Bush Br sh, 1708 tons, Newcastle.

Gertrud, Hinke, Ger sh, 1493 tons, Kobe.

Lauriston, Latta, Br bk, 2133 tons, Rio Janeiro.

Howth, Martin, Br bk, 2166 tons, Calcutta.

Emin Pasha, Christensen, Ger bk, 1567 tons, Antwerp.

Wallacetown, Motley, Br sh, 1626 tons, Antwerp.

John Cook, Magee, Br sh, 1756 tons, Hiogo.

Stronsa, Barry, Br sh, 1929 tons, Yokohama.

Helensburg, Jefferson, Br sh, 1899 tons, Shanghai.

Glenard, Turner, Br sh, 1796 tons, San Francisco.

Forest Hill, Scott, Br. sh., 1999 tons, Shanghai.

Argyll, Ward, Br. stmr., 1886 tons, Hong

Nereus, Schulte, Ger sh, 1759 tons, Hamburg.

Wasdale, Fisher, Br. sh, 1775 tons, Antwerp.

Helensburg Jefferson, Br. sh., 1899 tons, Shanghai.

Forest Hall, Scott, Br. sh., 1999 tons, Shanghai.

Nereus, Shultz, Ger. sh., 1759 tons, Hamburg.

Port Elgin, Renney, Br. sh., 1628 tons, Antwerp.

Andrada, Adams, Br. sh., 2294 tons, Antwerp.

Duchalburn, Forbes, Br. sh., 1299 tons, Newcastle.

Arthur Fitger, Denker, Ger. sh., 1696 tons, Yokohama.

Vasco De Gama, Tertrum, Ger. sh., 1473 Sydney.

Trade Winds, Ritchie, Br. sh., 2732, San Francisco.

Mooltan, Kelk, Br. sh., 1616 tons, Yokohama.

Broderick Castle, Ferguson, Br. sh., 1745, Shanghai.

Ednyfed, Jones, Br. bk., 1981 tons, San Francisco.

Thalassa, Hellmege, Ger. bk., 1378 tons, Hamburg.

Colbert, Loreau, Fr. bk., 1248 tons, Table Bay.

Penrhyn Castle, Davies, Br. bk, 1249 tons, San Francisco.

Inverciauld, Jackson, Br. bk., 1393 tons, San Francisco.

Yolo, Pannicuick, Br. sh.., 1467 tons, Hong Kong.

Christine, Warncke, Ger. bk. 1990 tons, Hiogo.

Laurelbank, Lindsay, Br. bk., 2227 tons, Shanghai.

Windabrout, Haase, Ger. bk., 1253 tons, Yokohama.

LUMBER FLEET

Vessels on the Way and in Columbia River to Load Lumber.

Omega, —, bktn, 562 tons, Mollendo.
Viking, ——, schr, 129 tons, San Francisco.
Whitgift, Bowling, Br stmr, 1880 tons, San Francisco.
Mary E. Russ, Nelson, schr, 224 tons, San Pedro.
Albion, Daniels, stmr., 256 tons, Orca.

It requires a fearful amount of self-forgetfulness for a woman to enjoy being a third party when the other two are perfectly absorbed in themselves.

We think people bores who are always talking about themselves, but we forgive them any amount of conversation if it is only about us.

Divorce has been described as a matrimonial ticket of leave.

When in doubt about a gown buy a black one.

And now asparagus lovers enjoy visiting their friend's suburban residences these days.

Fall colors are generaly black and blue.

Why is it that one man is old and decrepid at 45, and another hale and hearty at 90? It depends on the care he takes of himself. Often a man's body gets out of repair—the trouble grows until it lays him out in bed. Whenever a man feels that he is not as well as he ought to be, whenever he is listless, without energy and without vitality, whenever he finds that he is losing weight and that his ordinary work gives him undue fatigue, he needs Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. If he keeps on working with his liver inactive and blood impure—he keeps his nerves and his body under a constant nervous strain. He will not be hearty when he is old. The "Golden Medical Discovery" cures many so-called diseases because nearly all illness springs from the same thing—bad digestion and consequent impure blood. The "Discovery" makes the appetite good, the digestion strong, assimilation easy, and the blood rich and pure.

It is strange but true that things that do not seem possible occur most frequently.

REMARKABLE RESCUE.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainsfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from the first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Estes-Conn Drug Co. Large bottles 50 cents and $1.

Many gray street costumes are worn by members of the most exclusive set.

The feminine and masculine manner of holding an umbrella is entirely different.

I was seriously afflicted with a cough for several years, and last fall had a more severe cough than ever before. I have used many remedies without receiving much relief, and being recommended to try a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, by a friend, who, knowing me to be a poor widow, gave it to me, I tried it, and with the most gratifying results. The first bottle relieved me very much and the second bottle absolutely cured me. I have not had as good health for twenty years. I give this certificate without solicitation, simply in appreciation of the gratitude felt for the cure effected.—Respectfully, Mrs. Mary A. Beard, Claremore, Ark. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

After all, a woman never looks better than in the blue and white summer costumes.

ROBBED THE GRAVE.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters;' and to my great joy and surprise the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle at Estes-Conn Drug Co.

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Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets are sold on a positive guarantee. Cures heart-burn, raising of the food, distress after eatingor any form of dyspepsia. One little tablet gives immediate relief. 25 and 50 cents. For sale by Estes-Conn Drug Co.

The timid pedestrian would like to have the law laid down concerning fast bicycle riding.

Mr. P. Ketchum, of Pike City, Cal., says: During my brother's late sickness from sciatic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this liniment affords. For sale by Charles Rogers, druggist.

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Isn't it strange when there are so many people placed between the devil and the deep sea that so few are drowned?

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