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The union of lakes, the union of lands,
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And the flag of our Union forever!

Gettysburg Fifty Years Ago.

This year marks the fiftieth anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg, the bloodiest contest of the war. Fought July 1, 2 and 3, 1863, the total Union losses were: Killed, 3,070; wounded, 14,497; missing, 5,434; total, 23,001.

It doesn't cost any more to hope for the best than to expect the worst.

Give us less talk about mansions in the skies and more plans for good homes in the present world.

Prof. Alexander Graham Bell is an optimist on aeronautics. He looks for the speedy coming of the time, according to one report, when airships will cross the Atlantic in a day and a night.

My, what a sticky mess the Government will have on its hands when it gets through dissolving the corn-starch, glucose-syrup trust. There'll be need for a hand-washing, Pilate like.

Fifty thousand dollars is a neat sum, useful in old age. But it's long odds that an aviator so reckless as to be willing to fly across the Atlantic to get the money would never live to a ripe old age anyway.

Why conserve tree life and plant life and neglect human life? Why protect stock from disease and not protect human life from typhoid and other diseases? Why fight the fruit pests and not fight the pests that prey on human life?

A pert young lawyer once boasted to a member of the bar that he had received two hundred dollars for speaking in a certain lawsuit; the other replied, "I received double that sum for keeping silent in that very case."

Your home newspaper heralded to the world your birth. It told of your entry into school. Mentioned your birthday party when you were sweet 16. Applauded your graduation from the high school, started you to college and when you returned mentioned the first job you secured. Told of your marriage to the sweetest girl in town and also mentioned the advent (or event) of your first born. Told of the visit of pa and ma, sympathized with you in your sorrow, laughed with you in your joy, and when you die it will do its best to get you through the pearly gates at only \$1.50 a year.

Want ice cream for your social? Phone No. 57—Bon Ton

A London paper exhibits a very good understanding of the reasons for California's attitude toward the orientals, when it says: "If the Chinese and Japanese are to have free entry to the Pacific coast, it means eventually the extirpation of white labor from that region. All the arbitration in the world will not persuade the people of the western states that it is their duty to give up their bread and butter to an alien race and we can imagine how much likelihood there is of the government at Washington taking measures to enforce such an award on its own subjects. We should rather like to see the experiment for its usefulness in bringing dreamers back to hard facts."

"If people would only come to realize that it is not necessary to pay a fancy price in order to have beautiful shrubbery and vines!" exclaimed an O. A. C. professor the other day in discussing the work. "The Oregon grape is as handsome a shrub as one could wish. A man in California paid \$3 apiece for what we can have for the digging any day. Then there is the wax berry bush, the vine maple, cedar, red flowering currant, yew, mountain spray, laurel, chinkapin, and the sweet brier rose. For heavy massing there is the red bark dogwood and a number of other fine native bushes. Any of these set a door yard or parking off to good advantage."

There is too much of a tendency in this western country to practice deception, in a way, and to some extent unintentional. For instance, in those sections of California where oranges, lemons and almonds thrive, there are people who insist that the pineapple and banana will grow successfully there, when it is a well known fact that they won't. Those sections of Western Oregon where the subsoil is of a clay formation and common grasses, grains, vegetables, berries and fruits grow luxuriantly, there is an effort to discard those tried and profitable crops for clover, alfalfa and others not adapted to the wet climate and soil. Here in Lane county we advocate the planting of crops which can never be made sure and profitable, instead of standing by those which have been tried out and known to be adapted to this section. Of course, peaches, corn, alfalfa, melons, and like products will grow and yield in small, favored localities here, but that is no reason why these products should be heralded as profitable crops here. Every time the writer visits Eugene he can but smile when he sees those big potted palms being wheeled about the depot grounds, in order to give the place a semi-tropic appearance. Royal Ann cherry trees, Bartlett pear trees, Italian prune trees or some of our grand ornamental evergreen trees would be far more typical of our country and just as attractive to visitors.

Thoughtlets.

The profit of the few means the loss of the many.

A man is not a body and a spirit but a spirit within a body.

Jesus is the friend who comes in when everybody else has gone out.

How long would it take a thousand dollar bank note to produce a hill of corn?

Tom, Dick and Harry really build all the Carnegie libraries and not the Scotch iron master. Therefore, their names should be carved over the portals.

Transgressors never succeed in breaking a law of nature, but the law always smashes them.

Churchism and Christianity are the north and the south poles of the moral world.

Democracy has mastered the knack of production and she is now in the kindergarten learning how to distribute.

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Best pop corn \$1.00; second 50 cents.
Largest and best collection of grasses \$2.00; second \$1.00.

A GUN PLAY AND A SPRINTING STUNT

Webb Dunn was arrested by Marshal Pitcher this morning upon a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon, the complainant being Capt. J. C. Johnson. Dunn will be given a hearing before Justice King Wednesday morning. It seems Dunn has some grievance against Capt. Johnson, who was one of his attorneys in his recent damage suit against a Divide saw mill company for injuries sustained in an accident. In the circuit court Dunn was granted damages in the sum of \$7,500, but the case was appealed to the supreme court where it is still pending.

This morning, it is alleged, Dunn took up a position on the Main street bridge and awaited Johnson's coming. About nine o'clock Johnson approached the bridge on the way to his law office and noticed Dunn leaning on the banister and watching him closely. Neither of the men spoke, but after Johnson passed Dunn, it is said, the latter pulled a revolver from his pocket, when Capt. Johnson not being armed, proceeded to get out of the range of Dunn's battery as quickly as possible, which he accomplished by a left flank movement to the alley north of Main street. After Capt. Johnson's hasty departure, Dunn coolly placed his gun in his pocket and was soon thereafter arrested by Marshal Pitcher and confined in the city jail pending a hearing. The marshal relieved Dunn of his loaded gun, which was a new 38-caliber double action revolver, and an extra round of ammunition was found in his pockets. Dunn is a quiet unassuming fellow and has resided here nearly all his life and it is thought his peculiar actions of late may be due to some mental derangement caused by the injury sustained to his spine in a saw mill accident here last fall.

SIRES AND SONS.

J. W. Trall, six feet five inches high, is St. Louis' tallest policeman.

President Eliot Wilson is an advocate of the good roads movement.

Baby John Jacob Astor, New York, has \$10,000 a year for his support.

General Putnik, commander in chief of the Serbian forces, is idolized by the whole army.

Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, who will succeed James Bryce as ambassador of Great Britain to this country, is not a stranger, having at one time served as secretary of the embassy at Washington. He was born in 1859.

Professor John A. Lomax, member of the faculty of the University of Texas, whose fad, that of collecting American folk songs, has developed into a business, has been elected president of the American Folk Lore society and has also been given a Sheldon fellowship at Harvard in recognition of his services in this field.

Sir Charles Elliot, the new principal of Hongkong university, is forty-seven years old and speaks twenty-three languages fluently. For many years he was in the diplomatic service, and in every country to which he was sent he mastered the language, beginning with Russia in 1887. In 1890 he brought out a Finnish grammar. For some time he was secretary to the Washington embassy in 1898.

Winter Baseball.

Willie Keeler has been retained by Charlie Ebbets to coach the young Brooklyn players in the art of batting next spring.

Manager Fred Clarke of the Pittsburgh club will next season begin his fourteenth consecutive year as manager of the Pirates.

Arthur A. Irwin has been appointed business manager of the New York American League club by President Frank J. Farrell. Irwin has been the club's scout for several years.

The Denver Western League club has purchased Outfielder Butcher from the Cleveland club of the American league. Butcher finished the 1912 season with the New Orleans club, though he remained the property of the Cleveland club.

GAULE'S JUNGLE SHOW HERE FOR THE WEEK

Gaule's Jungle Show, which was at Roseburg during the strawberry carnival, has arrived at Cottage Grove and pitched its tents on the lots in front of the high school building for the week. Among its attractions is a fine merry-go-round, a tent of monkeys, and monster snakes, trained dogs, Viola, the human mastodon, weight 512 pounds, and other features. One reptile is 27 feet in length and weighs 259 pounds. A meal for it consists of a half grown live chicken which is swallowed whole. M. F. Wright, the advertising agent of this show, is a newspaper man and served as city editor on the Roseburg Plaindealer under the management of the writer.

Base Ball.

A good strong baseball team has been organized in Cottage Grove by C. A. Bartell and G. M. Marksberry, and it promises to make good this season. The boys have nifty gray uniforms and will get down to practice work at once.

Their opening game was played here Saturday with the O. A. C. team, resulting in a score of 7 to 1 in favor of the college boys, which was not unexpected owing to the conditions.

Sunday the local team and the Creswell team played a hotly contested game at this place, resulting in a score of 4 to 3 in favor of the home team. With a little more practice, the Grovites will put up stiff games.

Building Addition to Brick.

A second story is being added to the Metsan Shop building by John Bader, the owner, the contract having been let to Roy Riggs, and work was commenced this morning. The upper walls will be concrete with a concrete block front to correspond with the lower walls. The rear of the second floor will be used as a store room by the Metsan Shop, made accessible by an elevator. A suite of fine office rooms will be fitted up in front in the new second story.

School Picnic.

The Sixth and Seventh graders of the Cottage Grove Schools enjoyed a hay rack ride and a picnic lunch, consisting of sandwiches, ice cream and cookies, out at Waldon's grove on Mosby Creek Monday afternoon. Outdoor games were introduced and a pleasant time is reported. The children were chaperoned by their teachers, Misses Minnie Comer and Lola Wilson.

Notice to Sixth Co.

It is fitting that appropriate Memorial Day exercises should be observed by all patriotic organizations. The Oregon National Guard and the Naval Militia should render every possible assistance and cooperate with the local committees in the observance of exercises May 30, 1913. Signed W. E. FINZER, Adjutant General.

All members of Sixth Co., C. A. C., O. N. G., are requested to report at the Armory at 9 a. m. on above date to march as escort for G. A. R.

CAPT. H. K. METCALF, Commanding.

Political Quips.

Uneasy lies the head that runs a post-office.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Get mentioned for a cabinet place. This is the right time, and it costs nothing.—Philadelphia Press.

The United States is the only country in which a legislative body continues to do business after a new one has been chosen.—Buffalo News.

When a man says he has no political ambitions it generally means that he doesn't think he has any prospects worth considering.—Washington Star.

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Horse, harness and buggy. A nifty outfit. Only \$200. See M. P. Garrouette.

Cows For Sale.—Four good Jersey milk cows. Will be fresh this fall. Are giving milk now. Two for \$50 each; two for \$60 each. Inquire at Leader office.

Kale Plants For Sale.—Giant variety. 50 cents per 100. Leave orders at DesLarzes grocery.

Typewriter Bargain.—A fine, practically new, L. C. Smith, visible, two-color typewriter, with back spacer, tabulator and modern improvements, only \$57.50 cash, or \$60 on easy payments. See it, at Leader office.

A Nice Little House and 4 acres, sandy loam, small orchard, just outside the city limits. Cheap. Call at Leader. fbp

A Good Trade.—A good close in corner lot 62 1-2x200 feet in Merrill, Klamath county, in alfalfa belt, good two-story house, 7 rooms, improved premises. Will exchange for town or country property at Cottage Grove. Apply to Leader. See photo.

Little Farm Home.—12 acres, 3 1-2 acres good bearing orchard, nearly 5 acres in clover, oats and vetch, fine strawberry patch, all sandy bottom land, running water, house, barn, large poultry house, 2 1-4 miles from Cottage Grove, \$3,000 with horse, wagon and two sets of harness, two thoroughbred Jersey cows, 1 Jersey heifer, 1 Jersey calf, 144

Brown Leghorn hens, 365 young chickens, telephone, spray pump, 1 cider press, vinegar barrels, cultivator. Terms \$2,000. Balance 5 years at 6 per cent. Inquire at this office.

For Sale—Two dressers, Little Princess, other an oak. Very cheap. No. 333 Madison Ave.

Good pasture to rent. Inquire of H. C. Veatch.

For Sale.

White Steamer automobile, five passenger, in first-class condition, fully equipped. Price \$500 cash. Apply at Leader office.

A Bargain.

Nine room residence, modernly equipped, corner lot, 60x114 feet, good private water system, bearing fruit trees, grapes, berries and shubbery. In west Cottage Grove, close in, only \$1,300. O. H. WILLARD.

Eggs for Hatching.

Buff Leghorn, 50 cents for 15, \$3.25 per hundred. Also Indian Runner duck eggs from select stock, fawn and white strain, 50 cents for 13. Orders taken for day-old chicks and ducks. C. F. HANDY.

M. E. Church.

J. T. Moore, Pastor.

Services for next Sunday: 9:45 a. m. Sunday School. 11 a. m. Sermon, Subject "Something to be Certain of". 7 p. m. Epworth League. 8 p. m. song and sermon. Subject "Valley Experiences. Prayer meeting Thursday 8 p. m.

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