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From an article in the Monday's Oregonian, on the subject of building a smelter in Portland, it is argued that this country is hopelessly at the mercy of the Lead Trust. This may be true, but it seems to us that the argument is only another lame excuse for the inaction of the non-enterprising capitalists of that indolent city. While it might be conceded that the trust has cornered the lead market of the United States, that ought not justify Portland in getting scared out from making an effort to build up its own and the state's mining interests by erecting a smelter. In fact such a condition, if true, should rather spur her on with redoubled zeal. Portland has an open door to the world's commerce. Its unsurpassed harbor and central location in the great Northwest more than offsets the opposition which would be offered by the lead trust. Lead, as easily as wheat, can be raised in Oregon, and the world wants it and uses it. Portland, however seems to be the most determined city on the Pacific slope, not to do anything for herself or Oregon more than to simply enjoy the blessings nature has showered upon her. But her men of wealth will wake up some time and find out they have idled away their day of grace; that sins of omission have been more costly than their sins of commission. It is by no means beyond the realms of possibilities for Astoria to triumph over Portland yet. Should such a thing happen, her monied men will have no one to blame but themselves. Portland deserves no better fate.

Texas now supplies one third of the oil product of the United States. Yet before the election, oil was unheard of in Texas. Thus we see how great a blessing the triumph of McKinley has been to the country.

Minister Conger declares that "wealth awaits us in the Orient." We doubt it. The only bother is that it belongs to some one else. Of course, however, this small fact makes no difference to Minister Conger and his missionary friends.

The sea serpent has made his appearance off the coasts of Maine and Luzon. Yet Maine is supposed to be a prohibition state.

Mother And Child.

Let the mother take Scott's emulsion of cod liver oil for the two it is almost never superfluous.

One can eat for two; but nourishing two is a different thing; it implies a degree of interior strength not often found in woman of either extreme.

Luxurious people are not very strong by habit, and over-worked people are weak from exhaustion in some of their functions. Between the two is the happy mean; but how many women have plenty of life for two?

The emulsion is almost never superfluous.

It is safe to say that the entire South is in favor of Mark Hanna for President in 1904 - that is to say, it is in favor of his nomination by the Republicans for that office.

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The America's cup races have lost all interest for the American people. They will not be a national affair but only a local New York matter. Probably nine people out of ten will now hope that Lipton will lift the cup and give some genuine American and not a collection of snobs a chance to win it back.

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Crop Bulletin.

The week has been showery and moderately cool until Saturday, when it became unseasonably warm, and thunder-storms were prevalent in Southern Oregon and the upper portion of the Willamette Valley. A destructive hailstorm passed over Springfield, in Lane County, Oregon Saturday afternoon and completely ruined all fall grain, fruit and gardens within its track. The extent of this storm has not yet been determined, but the losses, while not affecting the State as a whole, will be severely felt by many individuals.

Reports regarding fall wheat are not as favorable as heretofore. The hessian fly has made its appearance in portions of Washington county, and the bottom-land fields are turning yellow in Marion and Linn counties, while the aphid, cut worms and other pests have done some slight damage at widely scattered places throughout the Willamette valley. In eastern Oregon the wheat continues in a promising condition. Corn is making a slow growth and needs warmer weather. Hops, grass and pasturage are growing fast and stock are fat. Alfalfa and clover will be ready to cut in about two weeks. Early potatoes are in the market from southern Oregon. There is an increase in onion acreage this year and the crop is growing nicely.

There are many complaints of fruit dropping, especially prunes, but berries of all kinds promise abundant yields.

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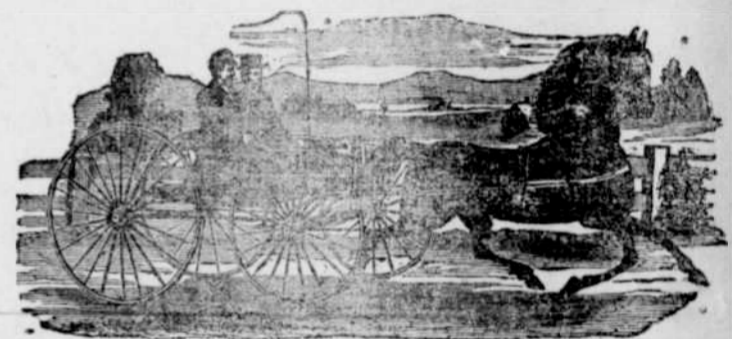
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