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If a reckless handling of the truth and an absence of the first principles of journalistic decency will insure success, then the Evening Journal, of Portland, should certainly be a world beater.

There is but one living ex-president of the United States, and if the repeated demonstrations received by President Roosevelt in his trans-continental tour count for anything, there isn't much danger of us having another ex-president until four years more.

Before another issue of the ENTERPRISE the voters of this district will have elected a successor to the late Congressman Tongue. There is little reason to question the probable result of the election. In a district overwhelmingly republican and with as strong a campaigner as Binger Hermann as the nominee there seems to be no reason why the republican forces should not win in this election by a majority of 2,000. We do not believe Mr. Reames is as strong as at the advent of the campaign. His plea for election to office has been the most unique on record. He endorses the republican administration and then says elect me, a democrat, so it can be properly upheld. For the first time in the history of any party has a candidate of the opposite party been solicitous about the standing of the other party with the people. Mr. Reames, however, is a nice young man and has apparently done his best to attain an election to congress.

The First Flag in Manila

President Roosevelt and every other patriotic American who today passes under the large American flag suspended high over Sixth street in front of the Portland hotel, will gaze on it with more than usual interest when they know it was the first

American flag hoisted on the walls of the old city of Manila. It took the place of the Spanish flag, the lowering of which marked the end of Spanish rule in the Philippines. The flag was sent ashore from the battleship Olympia by Admiral Dewey in charge of Lieutenant Brumbage, and two midshipmen who reported to General Merritt, and after the terms of capitulation had been agreed upon the Spanish flag was lowered and this flag raised in its place with the same halliards. There were two battalions of the Second Regiment of Oregon Volunteers inside the walls at the time, and the band of that regiment on its way into the city came along just as the flag was raised and, halting, played "The Star-Spangled Banner," probably the first time this grand old air had ever been played in Manila. The enthusiasm thus aroused, in connection with the raising of the flag, can be better imagined than described, and the heavens were rent with the cheers of the Americans in which many of the inhabitants joined.

Gen Summers was appointed provost marshal, and it was his duty to give orders for the raising and lowering of the big flag daily. It was found that the flag was too large for the staff which supported it, and was likely to break it. Then General McArthur arrived in the city to succeed General Summer as provost marshal, and that morning General Summers ordered the large flag replaced by a proper garrison flag, which the pole could sustain.

Having at heart the interests of the state of Oregon, whose troops were the first to land in the City of Manila, and feeling that the large flag would be a souvenir for this state which would be appreciated by future generations, General Summer took charge of it and shipped it home before the troop returned. No state in the union has a trophy of the Spanish American war more sacred than this.

Such trophies are generally sent to Washington to be preserved, but, owing to the circumstances, Flag Lieutenant Brumbage could not secure it at the time, and so it fell to this state. As it had been sent from the Olympia, Admiral Dewey was desirous of having it returned, and he had a hunt for it kept up for



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WINE OF CARDUI

two months, but it had started for Oregon and could not be found, and it is now the property of this state by right of conquest and possession.

The end of the flag has been mutilated by relic hunters. It was displayed here at the time of the return of the Oregon troops from Manila, and was hung so low that a number of persons, knowing its history, took the opportunity to cut off small pieces. Pains were taken on this occasion to have it hung out of the reach of all relic hunters. Eventually the flag will probably be placed in the state capitol, and as a relic it will increase in value as the years roll on.—Oregonian.

Too Great a Risk.

In almost every neighborhood someone has died from an attack of colic or cholera morbus, often before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. A reliable remedy for these diseases should be kept at hand. The risk is too great for anyone to take. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has undoubtedly saved the lives of more people and relieved more pain and suffering than any other medicine in use. It can always be depended upon. For sale by Kirkland Drug Co.

Woodman Carnival at Dallas.

Commences on June 3rd and ending on the night of the 6th, the Woodmen of Dallas will give a four days carnival which from all accounts bids fair to eclipse anything of the kind ever given on the west side of the river.

At an immense cost they have secured as their prime attraction E. J. Arnold's splendid aggregation of shows, combining under several mammoth tents all the features ever presented in the large street carnivals, and to which he has also added a splendid menagerie of wild animals, a giant ferris wheel, merry-go-round and so forth. Besides Mr.



Arnold's attractions the Woodmen will have plenty of their own, thus giving a continuous round of amusement. A carnival queen has been elected and she and her retinue will see that there is fun unlimited. The Women of Woodcraft have charge of the first day and their team drills for large prize will be a special feature. The uniform rank of the Woodmen will meet on the second day, and also furnish many drills. Friday there will be a balloon ascension and baby show. Saturday the pioneers of Polk county will have their reunion. A special motor will run from McMinnville to Dallas each morning and evening. The Woodmen of Portland will run an excursion up on the Yamhill division on June 4th. Stand privileges can yet be obtained by writing to the chairman. Excellent camping facilities are offered.

A Startling Test.

To save a life, Dr. T. G. Merritt, of No. Mehoopany, Pa., made a startling test resulting in a wonderful cure. He writes: "A patient was attacked with violent hemorrhages, caused by ulceration of the stomach. I had often found Electric Bitters excellent for

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acute stomach and liver troubles prescribed them. The patient was from the first and has not had a back in 14 months." Electric Bitters are positively guaranteed for dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation and kidney troubles. Try them. Only at Kirkland Drug Co.'s.

Siewert—Cornelius.

Rev. S. A. Siewert, pastor of the Monmouth Evangelical church, and Miss Cornelius, of Salem, were married in Salem at noon May 1st. Prof. Arnold, of the Willamette University, officiating.

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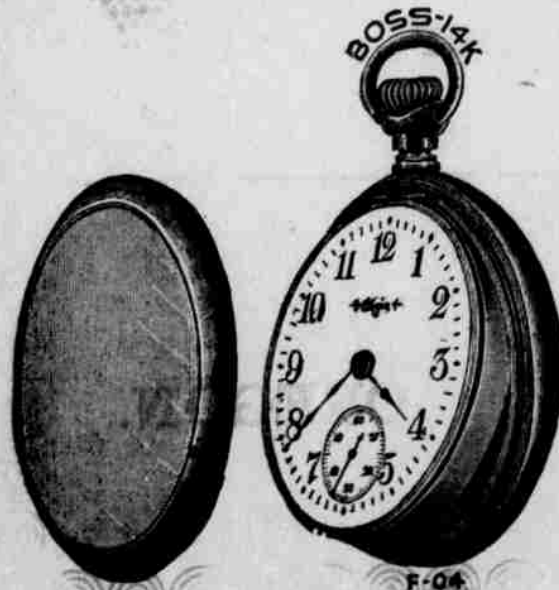
Mr. H. P. Burbage, a student in law, in Greenville, S. C., had been troubled for four or five years with continuous cough which he was "greatly alarmed" me, causing me fear that I was in the first stage of consumption." Mr. Burbage had seen Chamberlain's Cough Remedy advertised, concluded to try it. He read what he says of it: "I soon had remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent was permanently cured." Sold at Kirkland Drug Co.

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