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The Guard did not support Governor Chamberlain for the
United States senates for reasons that seemed sufficiently good from our own viewpoint. Now, however, that he was chosen by
a majority of the voters, he should be elected and the Statement No. 1 members of the legislature should keep the pledges they
made. We think the following letter, written by Judge Stephen A. Lowell to the Oregonian, has the ring of true manliness and should
state:




## ATTRACTIONS OF ROYALTY

## would be interesting to ascertain the motives whic

 prompted so many persons in New York to apply for splinters of the other day. It was planted by King Edward, when he was still Prince of Wales, with small prospect of ever ascending the throne. The royal tree did not thrive well in the Republican soil and became so decayed that it was considered unsafe to letit stand. It was cut down after a thorough examination had been made. The splinters and small branches were burned while the trunk and larger branches were put aside to be divided
up among the numerous historical societies of Greater New splinters from the "King's Oak" has poured in upon the park authorities that its members sincerely regret the recklessness the gardeners w
of the royal tree
The extraordinary demand for such fragments can scarcely be attributed entirely to the fact that souvenir-hunting is an ex
tremely popular fad. It is quite possible that a majority of the requests came from that numerous class of Americans in Ne nected with royalty, or at least with nobility
or a chip of rotten wood.

## STILL HAVE RIGHTS LEFT

 decision recently which has caused considerable commen
throughout the country. The decision is to the effect that ev ery person, irrespective of sex, color, nationality or creed has proprietary rights to his or her own face, which cannot be
fringed upon or violated with impunity. This decision cause general surprise, as nobody ever suspected the existence such a right. The fact eir soul is so generally known that it wa naturally surprising to hear from good authority that there is really something not owned by the trusts, but by the individual citizens. The people of New York are in great luck.

Although marriage takes place now at wen than formerly, it is not yet at all an uncommon thing find a mother and daughter who look like sisters. One imag ines that it must be at least as common a happening as in the days of the matron who wore a bonnet; who, whatever her in
clinations, was restricted to the wearing of sober blacks, with grays for weddings and such great occasions. To be sure, now adays mothers and daughters dress pretty well alike. The wo Ean of 30 has come to her own, to be wooed and won; she still desirable in her circle now at 40 or fifty. Fifty, the ag which seems so appalling to the imaginative girl, has lost its ter rors. She is no longer robbed of all the feminne graces ai but may be, and very often she is, a wholly delightful and attra tive person, says the London Daily Mail. And with this revoln thon the old woman has ceased to be. No longer is there the r diculous ,prinked-out elderly woman in the caricatures. Th spinster of 50 in her tailor-mades and neat hats has nothing to
do with the unseemly and ridiculons. Across the slight interven ing space unseemly and ridiculous. Across the slight interven with an elusive grace which her the woman of this period glide believed impossible.

We are now cutting timber from the forests of the United States at the rate of 500 feet board measure a year for ever man, woman and child. In Europe they use only 60 board feet.
Few statements could be made which would better convince th average man that this country leads the world in its deman
which treats of the conservation of the forests, soil, water, and
all the other great natural resources, which has just been pub-
lished by the United States Forest Service. In speaking further of the consumption of timber in this country Mr. Cleveland says:
"At this rate, in less than thirty years all our remaining virgin timber will be cut. Meantime the forests which have been cut over are very generally in a bad way for want of care; they will
produce only inferior second growth. We are clearly
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We wonder what has become of

The pablic has patiently waited during the last campaign jus closed for a big hit in the line of cartoons, but nothing of the
kind appeared. In the early Bryan campaigns por, now of the New York Evening Mail, never failed to give the
public something of a brilliant nature, but he was scarcely heard from this year, so we may safely conclude that this once bright intellect has ceased to be or has grown stale with age
But the last campaign was a peculiar one in many ways, and it warcely to be wondered at that the funny picture man failed We were given the go-by in other directions my institution usage. Thereme to recognize as permanent by reason of long other red-hot methods of stirring up public enthusiasm. If there was any money spent by the campaign committees it was for
literature to educate the people and not put out among the dealvoted just the same as in the days of red fire, drum corps and
the marcbing of hundreds of thousands of ard great change has come over the nation and we believe it is for leads us to conclude that the people are becoming wiser in thei Burbank has set to work to turn out a cobless corn and
romises success in the endeavor. Let us hope that it will be more popular than his spineless cactus, which it was claimed
would furnish food in abundance for both man and beast. So
confident was the great plant wizard that the cactus would meet all the requirements of food-devouring animals and put the
meat and flour trusts out of existence for all time to come that he gave a banquet in one of the Southern California towns, the
sole menu being composed of roasted, baked, toasted, fried and steamed cactus. Still, we have not heard of any of those who
attended the feed going about the country advocating that humanity subsist wholly on that diet. But that has nothing to less appendage to
finally disposed of

We presume the city of Eugene contributes more per capita or advertising purposes than any other city in Oregon, says the oo, for we note that this fall they have subscribed an aggreof $\$ 1.50$ for each man, woman and child in that city. If Eugene The Oregonian of yesterday printed a splendid descriptive article on the Bohemia mining district illustrated with photographs taken by Mr. Hartog during his visit to the mining camp
recently. The Oregonian is doing good work in writing up the of Lane county will do much toward attracting public attention and perhaps capital in this direction.
$\qquad$ hibtis carried by the train. Agriculture, dairying and fruit grow ing were all represented and the most approved modern met
ods were illustrated. The Southern Pacific Company are cer tainly worthy instance
A third and unexpected bidder for the submarines authorized department, and with the lowest bid at that. If the new navy cern, said to be connected with the Cramps, wins, look out for squeals from the bunch which has been monopolizing this work. party huntsmen had to the Democratic ammunition, and the game bag. The party elected governors in Minnesota, Ohio, In diana ,Nebraska, Colorado ,North Dakota and Montana.
 15 for the slitting of the ears of a merchant caught handling oycotted stuff. Sure; China's waking up.

The great and good railroads allowed a man to use the other 859. Not sure whncinnati to Washington that was bought of advertising the honesty of railroads.

At last the hankering of the American heiress for a title is explained. A theosophical spellbinder, who of course knows a bout it, says it s because she had royal affiliations in a previous carnation. Can you beat it?

One of the game birds of Buganda, Africa, is the whale headed stork. Can you guess the name of a sportsman to whom his bird will specially appeal?
ohn D. Rockefeller declares that he is naturally an optim It is the fellow without a sou in the world who makes the The Dutch are proverbially slow, but that need not encour-
Castro to think that he will not get all that's coming to him Castro to think that he will not get all that's coming to him
the end.


Today's Suggestion by Ellen Stan. F

LAUNDRY ASSOCIATION EFFECTS ORGANIZATION

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