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Aiming at peace with monstrous big cannon is the way a good many nations are going at it.

"An unfinished job" often answers very well for the headline announcing the result of the attempt of the boy to clean a gun that is "not loaded."

Hearst is right in his fight for municipal ownership. Tamany has owned the mayor's office long enough. It is time the people should have a say about it.

Don't stand around and tell "smutty" stories for others to laugh at. Low, vulgar conversation gives you away. It simply indicates the channel in which your thoughts run.

With the prices of poultry and eggs soaring toward the sky line it looks like common town folks would have to be thankful this time on a feast of turnips and stuffed liver.

This is one of the years when the farmer who has banked the whole season's work on hops is likely to conclude that a little mixed farming would add salt to the porridge.

If Oregon educators, when outlining courses of study for the public schools, would cut out some of the frills and put more time on the rudiments, "last day" essays would show up with a larger per cent of the words spelled correctly and the end of more sentences would be designated by periods.

President Roosevelt has appointed Judge Charles E. Wolverton, associate justice of the Oregon Supreme Court, as United States district judge of Oregon, in succession to the late Charles B. Bellinger. The appointment is conceded to be a good one.

A valley paper makes mention of a horse doctor, who, in speaking of the age of horses, cites several Polk county steeds that range in age from 31 to 36 years. The Graphic arises to remark that the unpaid bills of this same "hoss" man, if not attended to soon, are liable to reach the age of the aforementioned "critters."

Since the Portland business men have made a trip through the valley and visited all the old mossback towns, the Graphic extends an invitation to them to make a trip to Newberg and see a real live, wideawake town. It will do them good for a change.

It was a fine train that carried the Portland excursionists from Portland to Ashland and return. It isn't a fine train that carries passengers over the road day after day. The difference arises from the fact that those who make up the regular passenger list pay freight on the goods that are either sold or bought by the Portland business men. Cars that ought to have been thrown away twenty years ago are good enough for the people who have to foot the bills for their more fortunate fellow-men.—Telephone Register.

Say little boy, it is naughty to say a thing like that out of school.

The Myrtle Point Enterprise is now ten and "go in" on eleven. J. C. Roberts, the editor and publisher, has been at the helm for seven years. When he has something to say he says it and that is the style the people like. The young-man-afraid-of-his-shadow is in the wrong stall when he undertakes to furnish stuff for a newspaper. Readers of a newspaper may not agree with a lot of things that may be said in its editorial columns but they admire grit and they will show theirs by hanging on to his paper to see what he has to say.

Strange isn't it how often the "unusual" thing happens. Haven't seen such a long dry spell since '76, and as for a cold I don't think I ever had so severe one in all my life. Never saw so many foggy days right

along together since I came to the Coast. Rain, why it beats all how it keeps at it. Awfully dusty, don't think I ever saw anything like it. These are just a few of the expressions we hear from time to time and we may indeed conclude that the "unusual" has taken place for sure when we fail to hear them. Just force of habit.

David J. Wood, of Whittier, California, who spent some time visiting in Newberg and vicinity during the summer remarked to the writer that many people who were planting walnut trees in Oregon were doomed to disappointment unless they paid better attention to selection of varieties and cultivation. Mr. Wood knows Oregon soil and climatic conditions very well for he farmed for several years near Newberg and since he has been engaged in walnut culture since going to California, he is well qualified to speak. The walnut tree is a slow grower at best and with our dry summers and poor cultivation and no irrigation the results are certain to be very disheartening. There is too much at stake in laying the foundation for a walnut grove to risk slipshod methods. Better cut off a year at the start than five years at the finish. Under the head of "The Walnut Boom" the editor of the Oregon Agriculturist sounds a note of warning in the last number of that most excellent paper. If you have any idea of setting a walnut grove it will pay you to read that article. It is worth the price of a year's subscription.

The prediction of an eminent scientist that the grain fields of Umatilla county would become impoverished by the constant growing of wheat is not causing the farmers any great amount of uneasiness. "An ounce of experience is worth a pound of theory," and the actual experience of those who have farmed in this vicinity for years does not bear the professor out in his deductions. One farmer who this year seeded 560 acres to wheat informs us that constant cultivation of the soil, instead of impoverishing it, causes it to become richer, with a tendency for the grain to grow too rank, thereby going too much to straw. It is a matter of common knowledge that light soil which a few years ago could not be farmed profitably is now made to produce good crops and the longer it is cultivated the better the yield seemingly is.—Wilton Eagle.

Is it possible that Umatilla county soil is so far different from that of any other soil in the world that it will continue to produce good crops of wheat indefinitely from year to year without any soiling process? Argument similar to that given by the Eagle was put up by the farmers here in the Willamette valley twenty years ago but the unsatisfactory results of the last few years has knocked it all out. When you continue to take from the soil without giving anything back you are butting against nature's laws and the results are sure to be disastrous sooner or later.

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