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The new lo-and-behold shirts will never be in good favor with the lank, lean, skinny fellows.

Eastern people who visit Oregon after having seen the Fairs all express themselves as being delighted with our green hills and mountain sides, in comparison with the bleached brown hills of California.

As evidence that the right will finally prevail, a Philadelphian has vindicated Mother Eve by producing the evidence, so he says, to prove that it was Noah who was naughty—and of course the women folk will accept the findings of the Philadelphian.

A Kansas farmer in a sale notice published in the Haviland Onlooker announces along with various and sundry other things that he will sell "one black cow" and "one spotted cow," and we are wondering why, if he is going to carry out the color scheme at his sale, he fails to say whether the "three sows with pigs" are white, spotted or black.

F. E. Hoyt, of Lyons, Kansas, manager of the Lyons Republican, is here with Mrs. Hoyt visiting the Fred Griffith family, Mrs. Hoyt and Mrs. Griffith being sisters. Mr. Hoyt is also manager of salt works at Lyons and he carries some samples of pure salt that are as clear as crystal. A good scheme, too, for some of the yarns these Kansas newspaper men spin require a lot of salt to make them go down.

Fred Lockley, the man who writes the pioneer column for the Oregon Journal was in Newberg Tuesday on business connected with Pacific College. He is a good mixer and it is easy to see how he gets into the good graces of the pioneer settlers, causing them to warm up with a good story of the days before the coming of the iron horse. He expects to return in a short time to interview some of our pioneers.

Wm. Gunning of the Bellvue district above McMinnville, who was a strong candidate for county commissioner at the last primary election, has been appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Commissioner, Fred D. Sitton. Mr. Gunning has evidently managed his own affairs well, which is a qualification worth considering, and we believe his appointment will meet with favor from all sections of the county.

John Rader says he is confident the loss of his straw by fire on last Monday was occasioned by smokers who dropped matches while hauling the grain to the machine, and in the report of the gasoline explosion which occurred on the Phillips farm near Whiteson on Tuesday, resulting in the loss of the home and probable loss of life, the hint is dropped that Phillips was smoking while spraying the interior of the house with gasoline. Some years ago when notices were put up in the Newberg postoffice requesting no smoking in the lobby,

some of the faithful users of the weed dropped remarks for the benefit of the P. M. to the effect that those who occupy public positions must expect to "put up with some things not to their liking." These and other instances that might be cited go to show that habits get so firmly fixed with men that they seem to lose the thought or sense of danger, and that in many instances they fail to recognize the fact that others have rights which they ought to be willing to respect.

The expected has happened—the Sherwood Journal, aged one year, seven months and a day, has gone to the gaping newspaper boneyard. In the News-Sheet, E. O. Shepherd was giving the people of Sherwood all that his patronage would justify, but a faction that chafed under his outspoken opposition to saloons induced one Frank M. Melville, a very nice appearing young fellow, to butt in with the Journal, where the field is scarcely big enough to support one good paper decently, and the inevitable has happened. It is simply a case of a few disgruntled business men trying to get even, by inducing a short-sighted newspaper man to waste a lot of time and some hard cash, in trying to build up an opposition paper in a field that was already occupied. But it is an old, old story in the newspaper world, and the crop of suckers still remains good, so it seems.

On another page will be found an article from the Polk County Observer telling of the hard work a Polk county farmer is having in trying to eradicate Canada thistles, and giving warning to the people generally to fight this pest. At different times similar warnings have been given through the Portland papers, and yet while walking on Water street in Portland recently in company with George H. Himes, we saw a very thrifty patch of these thistles growing in such profusion on the parking that they were overlapping the curbing so much as to be a menace to those passing that way. This, too, in face of the fact that the city authorities have been insisting that owners of vacant lots see to it that ordinary tame grasses shall be cut. Near the same spot an exceedingly healthy growth of burdock is crowding the walk for space. To an outsider who has been warned by the powers that be to cut the ordinary tame grasses on lots he is so unfortunate—these times—as to be paying taxes on in Portland, it appears rather singular that the "smelling committee" has overlooked these noxious weed, seed-growing and weed-spreading spots so prominently located in the business district of the city. It seems that the old-time slogan, "sweep before your own door," has been lost sight of in the campaign to see that the "absent" property owner comes through.

In the "Twenty-Five Years Ago" column of the Oregonian—"August 10, 1890"—there appeared on Tuesday the following item: "The steamer Potter yesterday carried down the largest crowd that has ever been taken to the seashore on a single boat." The intervening time and this "largest crowd," along with the other "largest crowds" that have followed, have no doubt had to do with putting this "floating palace," as she is used to be, into the "has been" class, as she is now said to be. W. A. King, who was out from Portland Tuesday night, said that on a trip he made down the Columbia on the Potter last week, he noticed that the joints of the old craft were getting rheumatic and that the captain showed much solicitude and concern by making necessary turns with extreme care at the expense of

time. And this all leads up to conclusions reached in a recent casual survey of the list of Willamette and Columbia river passenger craft, when we noted that the old timers, the "Bailey Gatzert," "The Dalles City," the "Harvest Queen," the "Hassalo" and others with familiar names are doing the business, with no new steamers being launched to compete for the carrying trade. Is Portland failing to keep pace with the age in furnishing new and up-to-date steamer service on her rivers from a lack of ginger and public spirit, or shall we conclude that competition by rail has cut off the demand for good service?

Lew A. Cates, publisher of the Polk County Observer, announces that he has secured the services of Earl C. Brownlee, an experienced newspaperman, who has been added to the Observer's reportorial force. This will doubtless lighten the burden Mr. Cates has been carrying, but the new man will have to go some if he makes the Observer shine with more brilliancy as a readable "country paper" than it has in the past. Mr. Cates is evidently a believer in evolution, for his paper is already one of the best that comes to the Graphic desk, and his determination to give his constituents even a better paper merits the glad hand and liberal patronage on the part of Dallas and Polk county residents. It is purely a case of the servant being worthy of his hire.

ALL LIKE TO HEAR BRYAN

The Medford Sun says of Bryan: William Jennings Bryan's popularity rests upon his good intentions. Probably more people in this country have differed from the Great Commoner, than with any other public man, but there have been few indeed to doubt his motives or question his good faith.

Because he has always been working for what he conceives the higher and better things in political and social life, there has been popular affection for the man when there has not been endorsement of his opinions, nor approval of his judgment.

At the present time Mr. Bryan is crusading pioneer for a new and growing cause, the cause of universal peace. As usual he is prone to soar somewhat giddily upon rhetorical heights, to be impatient with hard facts and cold reason, but in our mind there is no doubt that with his prophetic political instinct, he has again hit upon a cause which is destined to grow with the years, and eventually become an accepted ideal among the civilized nations of the world.

Thousands and thousands of American people who opposed Mr. Bryan as presidential candidate, and as Secretary of State, welcome him now, as an oratorical free lance, engaged in mortal combat with truculent old Mars. The fight may be somewhat Quixotic. Our Hero may have a somewhat theatrical ear attuned to the plaudits of the gallery, but we all like to see him, to hear him, and most of us wholeheartedly approve of the business he is in.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Notices for Sunday, August 15.
Morning—"A Place For Each in the Church Home." I Cor. 12:7.
Evening—"The Earth Hung Upon Nothing," with picture.
Wednesday, Aug. 18—"Six Teachings of James I and II." Time, 7:45 p. m. sharp.

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C J Leavitt and wf to Thos Patterson et al Deskins subd tract 7 \$840.50.
Christill McAnley and husband to William W Nau 69 ac in A P Ankeny dlc in t 2 s r 4 w \$10,000.
Merritt McKinley and husband to Andrew McKinley et al 8 ac in Wm L Toney dlc in t 5 s r 6 w \$400.
A P Oliver et al to Halcyon Hobson various lots and tracts in Newberg, Or \$1.
John Parrott and wf to Ella and N H Wall 5 2-3 ac in Levi Hagey dlc in t 3 s r 3 w \$1000.
D W Pickett and wf to Elsie L Best 2.61 ac in N E Corner D D Deskins dlc in t 3 s r 2 w \$550.
John E Rea to Tom Tyndall 10 ac in 1/2 of Luke McKern dlc in t 3 s r 2 w \$10.
H D and John N Jr Bryan to E C Golden 1/4 (160 ac) sec 32 t 4 s r 7 w \$10.
Skeels Isaac and wf to W W Wilkins lots 7-8-6-10-11 and 12 in blk 38 Edwards add to Newberg Ore \$1000.
J T Smith to Rebbie W H Smith tract 6 Rural Homes sub No 2 \$10.
Henry Stevenson and wf to Renfrew N Stevenson nw 1/4 of sw 1/4 sect 22 in t 4 s r 7 w \$10.
L G Townsend and wf to S L Peer ne 1/4 of ne 1/4 con 40 ac sec 18 t 5 s r 7 w \$5.
Isaac VanBlaricom and wf to W S Morris 10.25 ac in Richard Everest dlc in t 3 s r 2 w \$100.
N W Wall and wf to Ruby and Trassie Ryan 20 1/2 ac in Levi Hagey dlc in t 3 s r 3 w \$1.
Anna M Wilson and husband to Frank Zumwalt part lot 4 blk 13 Hurley and Larges add Newberg, Or \$10.
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