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While Portland is reaching for the Alaska trade, says the Oregonian, Eastern Oregon should not be neglected.

The Oregonian talks about better street-car service in Portland. Impossible—the service there now is the best in the world.

Those Chicago authors of the anti-Santa Claus movement might do well to hold off until they have submitted the proposition to the young members of the family.

The passage of the anti-football bill by the Georgia legislature gives rise to the thought that some of the legislators must have got near enough to a college to witness one of the games.

A letter from Messrs. Moore Bros. of Moro, to a Portland firm, has had the desired effect. Portland may now learn that Sherman county is in Oregon, and has a trade of about \$5,000,000 worth of goods.

The emotional tour of Evangelina Cisneros may not be particularly potent to accomplish the separation of Cuba from Spain, but as a separator of local Cuban committees from the sinking funds it is a modern wonder.

There is an unmistakable tendency of late years to make athletic sports a matter of business. The mercenary side of the professional athlete scheme is getting somewhat too extravagant in its manifestations to suit the taste of good people in Sherman county.

There seems to have been a sudden slump in the Spanish war-scare market. As the pen is acknowledged to be mightier than the sword, the country will be satisfied to have the war, which is being carried on so suspiciously with the quill, continued indefinitely along the same lines.

Hard times, among other good effects, reduced the immigration to this country one-third for the fiscal year past, which is very satisfactory as America now has many embryonic citizens as can well be assimilated. But the problem is not solved and better times will probably increase the immigration another year.

Success in farming, as in any other business, depends upon the prevention of waste. It is a waste of land to give it only half the cultivation it needs. It is a waste of feed to give it to inferior stock. It is a waste of time to spend it half-doing a thing. If these wastes were utilized to their fullest extent another \$100,000,000 might be added to the income of the American farmers.

Every now and then some free trade organ raises a howl about an increase in the price of sugar because of the Dingley tariff. A little less howling and a little more work bestowed upon the beet sugar industry will benefit the American farmer more than sending a hundred million dollars abroad annually in payment for sugar which can be raised at home as well as not.

Manager O'Reilly, of the CSRY, in a recent Portland interview says: We are making surveys in order to get a right of way for an extension of our road for perhaps another ten miles. The direction has not yet been definitely fixed but will be before long." His suggestion that the Web-foot metropolis give Sherman county some attention, is timely and appropriate. Portland ignorance of this region is wholly inexcusable.

Senator Wilson is quoted as saying that in one county of his state, Sherman, which contains only 700 voters, 3,000,000 bushels of wheat were raised this year. The amount mentioned may possibly be exaggerated, Senator—but it is true that a great deal of wheat was raised in Sherman county in proportion to its sparse population. But Sherman county happens to be in Oregon, a great state too, Senator. With an area of 96,000 square miles, or 63,440,000 acres, and about 400,000 population, Oregon has this year produced 40,000,000 bushels of wheat worth \$30,000,000, lumber, fruit and wool and fish, worth \$22,000,000, gold and silver \$10,000,000. Oregon has 3000 teachers employed and but three per cent. of the population are unable to read and write.

Do you know the meaning of Schilling's Best? It means

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Castoria For Infants and Children.

THE ROAD COMPANY WINS.

In the matter at issue between the United States and The Dalles Military Road Company, and 55 others, involving about 150,000 acres of land pending in the United States district court for Oregon, Judge Bellinger made a final order on the 6th in favor of the road company and all other defendants. The case was called up by attorneys Mays and Dolph when the assistant United States attorney Schnabel stated that the government declined to further move or plead. The court thereupon made an order dismissing the cause.

Recently a law was enacted requiring these suits to be brought by the United States, which means that the government is to pay the costs of settling the controversy. The U. S. attorney general directs the action from Washington city, and the final order of Judge Bellinger for the defendants virtually closes the case and quiet the title to the lands, a source of relief to all parties concerned.

Cracker Jack Wasco Notes.

W.S. Barnes went to The Dalles Monday to consult an oculist about his little girl's eyes. Dr. and Mrs. Edgington were in Portland last week. Clark Denlap is having a well dug on his Wasco property. Mrs. E. M. and M. A. Leslie spent a few days in Portland last week. Wasco is building up. Three new business houses started last week. Mr. Isaac of Walla Walla talks of putting a dormitory in Wasco.

A MOUNTAIN OF BARK.

A few miles from Mannheim, New York, there is a village supported entirely by its vast manufacture for changing the cinchona bark into the quinine of commerce. Several other medicinal extracts besides quinine are got from the bark but after it is put to every possible use there remains a substance, it is built almost equal to the original bark, for which no possible use has been discovered. Usually manufacturers are able to turn their waste products to some sort of use—to fertilizers, to the making of embankments, to the filling of uneven ground. And if they cannot use them in some positive way, they may at least burn them, and so get rid of the burden. Not so with this refuse from cinchona bark.

Years ago, according to the New York Sun, the manufactory dumped this stuff into the river. But the government was called in to investigate, and found that the worthless stuff not only killed the fishes, but so embittered the water that they were not fit to drink. So it was forbidden to the manufactory to use the river for carrying off its waste products. The government was bought, and they started to dumping. And now the village is under the shadow of a great hill, that is rapidly growing, and will soon be little short of a mountain. This huge artificial mound is an unsightly, barren thing, covering many acres of soil that might be put to some use. Some day an order may come to remove the mountain into the midst of the sea. The manufacturers hope, however, that science, which has touched so many unsightly and useless things with a magic wand, may enchant even the bitter and worthless refuse of cinchona bark, and make their mountain a gold mine.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

A WINTER CLUB SUGGESTED.

THE OBSERVER would like very much to see a Social and Literary Club organized in Moro to aid in making cheerful the long winter evenings now upon us. A course of lectures might be given with profit to both old and young. "All work with no play" should remind parents of duties which they have to perform in leading children and youth in right paths, vastly more important than the devout woman who could not sleep at night until her husband had destroyed a pack of conversation cards that had innocently found its way into the house. Her answer to every criticism of her illiberal attitude was "Cards are cards," she persisted, "and one kind of card is as bad as another kind." Proper amusements, coupled with instructive lectures, it seems to us, is very essential to the rising generation in Moro, and we older ones as well may feel the need of the organization suggested.

Resolutions of Sympathy.

By Grass Valley Lodge No. 131 I.O.O.F. November 13th, 1907. WHEREAS: It has pleased the divine ruler of the universe to take from our returned brother, Presley King, be it therefore resolved: 1. That this lodge extend to the bereaved family its most sincere sympathy in their hour of sadness, and also be it resolved: 2. That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of our departed brother, entered upon the records and given to the local papers for publication.

Statistics about Oregon.

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes statistics for population, area, and other regional data.

Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills For People Who Are Sick or "Just Don't Feel Well."

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon. November 11th, 1907. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Wm. Hendricks, County Clerk at Moro, Oregon, on December 24, 1907 viz:

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NOTICE TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC. Office Columbia Southern Railway. Time schedule for passenger trains. To take effect Monday, November 1, 1907.

SHERIFF SALE. Pursuant to an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County on the 16th day of October 1907, in a suit therein pending wherein E. W. Marshall was plaintiff and James H. Hoss, Martha M. Hoss, his wife, Henry Bills and Mary Bills Britten are defendants, commanding me to sell all the following described land situated in Sherman County, Oregon, to satisfy the sum of \$1019.50 and accruing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from October 4th, 1907 and \$17.50 costs and disbursements and \$70.00 attorney's fees, and accruing costs, I will on SATURDAY, December 4th, 1907, at 2 o'clock p.m. at the court house door in Moro, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the following described real property, to-wit: All the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 15 in township 2 north of range 17 east of Willamette meridian, containing one hundred thirty-three and one-half acres more or less together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. Dated at Moro, Oregon, October 25th, 1907. W. M. HOLDER, Sheriff 6207d1 Sherman County Oregon

SHERIFF SALE. Pursuant to an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County on the 25th day of October 1907 in a suit therein pending wherein Truman I. Savory was plaintiff and Mary M. Knight, Zenna Knight, Sarah Knight, Ruth Knight, Hanna, Dosh, Brown, Chas. W. Brown, Rosanna Wehe, Chas. E. Wehe, Hector Pitzer, Frank Pitzer, Ethel Knight, Carrie Knight, Leroy Knight, Ovis Knight, and also A. Scott and E. Scott partners doing business under the firm name of Scott & Company are defendants, commanding me to sell the following described land situated in Sherman County, Oregon, to satisfy the sum of \$707.50 and accruing interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 9th day of March, 1907, and the further sum of \$70.00 attorneys fees and accruing interest at the rate of 8 per cent from the 9th day of March, 1907, and \$31.00 costs and disbursements and for accruing costs, I will on SATURDAY, December 4th, 1907, at 1 o'clock p.m. at the court house door in Moro, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the following described real property, to-wit: The east one-half of section 15 in township 3 north range 17 east of Willamette meridian, containing in all three hundred and twenty acres more or less according to government survey, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining. Dated at Moro, Oregon, October 25th, 1907. W. M. HOLDER, Sheriff 6207d1 Sherman County Oregon

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