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On April 25th last the Oregonian published a special industrial edition devoted exclusively to the exploitation of Oregon. It probably contained more special and miscellaneous information about Oregon than any one publication that has ever been issued. It is peculiarly useful and valuable to the home-seeker, because it gives the latest and most reliable information about so many different subjects that the home-seeker is naturally interested in. Almost every department of industry is specialized, and both descriptive and statistical information of a highly valuable character is given extensively and in entertaining form.

Residents of Oregon who know its advantages as compared with the congested and depleted East, and who still have friends back there whom they would like to see here enjoying the good things of this favored state can aid in a splendid work now without cost and very little effort. If you think your friend would be interested in knowing more about Oregon and might eventually become a valuable citizen send his name and address to the general passenger agent of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company, and a copy of this special edition, with a complete summary of the several subjects treated, carefully indexed, will be mailed to him promptly. In this manner you may be the means not only of doing your friend a good turn, but of helping to stimulate the growth and prosperity of Oregon.

Don't forget that commencing September 1st and continuing daily for two months, tickets will be on sale at almost every railroad station in the East to all points in Oregon and the Northwest at what has come to be popularly known as "colonists' rates." These rates are the cheapest general long distance rates ever established, and enable one to reach Oregon from any part of the United States at but a trifle more than one cent a mile. They are the greatest incentive to colonization and progressive home building of any known agency, and if the restless, dissatisfied resident of the East is made to know before-hand the advantages he can enjoy here, the problem is solved, and the star of empire will continue to move steadily westward.

Now is the time to spread the gospel of Oregon, so that it may be heard and heeded by the time the rates go into effect. Send one name or two, or a dozen, and you will be exerting a worthy influence toward the upbuilding of our state. Send the to your nearest Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co. agent, or to Wm. McMurray, General Passenger Agent, Portland, Oregon.

The Menely Quartette

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Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Capt. T. J. Miller, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of Capt. T. J. Miller, deceased; all parties having claims against said deceased, are hereby notified to present the same, properly verified, to the undersigned at their place of residence at DesChutes, Sherman Co. Oregon, within one year from the date of this notice.
Dated Oct. 5th, 1906.

Mrs. Sarah E. Miller,
J. J. Miller,
T. J. Miller, Jr.

The Owner and the Visitor.

His house, the first he had ever owned, being nearly finished, the Flat-bush man went forth one fine afternoon to inspect it. As he entered the front door he observed a well dressed man standing within, apparently admiring the beauties of construction and decoration. In an instant the pride of the owner swelled within him. Here was where he would make the visitor verdant with envy and, incidentally, intercept a few bouquets for himself. Stepping up to the stranger, he remarked:

"It's a beautiful house, isn't it? It's worth every cent of the investment and a great deal more."

"You are right," replied the stranger. "You are, I suppose."

"Yes, I'm the owner," interrupted the other, "and just let me tell you that there are not many men round here who own as fine a house as this."

"I quite believe you," serenely answered the visitor. "I'm the man, you see, who holds the first mortgage on it."—Brooklyn Eagle.

The First Woman Whip.

Who was the first "femme cochere?" To the Princess de Metternich, a lady of quality in the fullest meaning of the word, who flourished under the second empire, this honor must be accorded, says the London Chronicle. For in the days when the woman whip was a very rare spectacle indeed this dauntless dame was frequently to be seen driving her phaeton through Paris. One day two facetious youths took it into their heads to signal to her. "Pst, cochere!" The princess entered into the spirit of the joke. She drew up. "By the hour," said the two, seating themselves. "Where?" "Bois de Boulogne." She whipped up without another word and drove off to the Bois. After a silent hour of something over an hour the merry twain began to tire and asked to be put down. "Very good, citizens," said the "cochere," depositing them and holding out her hand. "My fare is 300 francs per hour for my poor." In the event the laugh proved to be on her side.

Rickshaws and Dandies.

In the mountain districts of India the principal vehicles of passenger conveyance are the rickshaw and the dandy, with which Rudyard Kipling has made us familiar. The rickshaw is pushed and pulled through the streets and on the roads leading out into the country by four coolies, and the dandy is carried on the shoulders of four and sometimes six coolies. Saddle ponies are also used to some extent, but most of the inhabitants and quite all visitors use the rickshaw and dandy. The latter is constructed on the plan of a sleigh box, but longer. A pole is attached fore and aft, which is long enough to give a springy motion when the coolies are walking and trotting. A cross-piece rests on the shoulders of the coolies and is shifted now and then from one shoulder to the other for rest. By the command of the coolie in charge this shift is made simultaneously.

Castle Garden.

Castle Garden was built by the United States in 1807 from the plans of Lieutenant Colonel Jonathan Williams, C. E., and was called Fort Clinton. In 1822 it was ceded to New York city. In 1824 it became a place of amusement and about 1826 got the name of Castle Garden. In 1845 there were Ethiopian minstrels there. In 1847-49 theatrical companies played there, and in 1850 Jenny Lind sang there. In 1855 it was closed as a place of amusement, and the commissioners of immigration took it as an immigrant depot. In 1870 it suffered from fire, and on July 9, 1876, it was burned to the ground. It was rebuilt at once. In 1892 the depot was moved to Ellis island, and Castle Garden reverted to the city, which in 1896 opened an aquarium there.

A Well Meant Suggestion.

At an "at home" given by a Yorkshire gentleman's wife an outside manservant had to do duty for a butler. The man was astonished at the thin slices of bread and butter with which he served his mistress' guests. As he was serving an ancient dowager for the fourth time he said to her in a voice that was meant for a whisper, but which was audible to the whole room, "If yer slays three or four slices together, mum, maybe yer can get a bite."—London Telegraph.

A Lesson in Ornithology.

A gentleman who rather overvalued himself, looking at a case of birds, said to an ornithologist who was with him, "What is that bird?"

"That," said the other, "is a magpie." "It's not my idea of a magpie," was the rejoinder.

"Perhaps not," replied his friend, "but it's God's idea of a magpie."—House Beautiful.

Quickly Supplied.

There have been many strange things in English history. One of the most curious was recently mentioned by a little schoolgirl.

"The hydra," said this much informed young person, "was married to Henry the Eighth. When he cut her head off, another one sprang right up."

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A Penny Saved.

When Benjamin Franklin wrote "A penny saved is a penny earned," he did not mean a penny skimmed from our daily living or from our necessities. That is not "a penny saved" in the best sense. It is a penny stolen from yourself. A penny saved is a penny rescued from waste. An hour taken from needed sleep is not an hour saved, but an hour stolen. An hour taken from idle gossip and turned to some good account—that is an hour saved. And it is the same way with our money and our products. There is no economy in self denial. It is the duty of every man and woman to live the fullest and best life possible, to get the most they can out of life, to nourish the body and mind and soul and to develop them to the highest possible degree. This cannot be done by skimping. Economy is necessary, but we must not mistake what economy is. We must save the wastes, stop the leaks; but, having saved, we must put our savings to some good use. We are like the miser with his gold—a detriment to society instead of a good.—Exchange.

The London Police Whistle.

What is the most powerful weapon a man can carry against the possible dangers of nocturnal London? For general utility and for special emergencies you cannot—at least such is one night rambler's experience—beat the ordinary police whistle. In addition to its services as a cab caller—one for a growler, two for a hansom—there are times, happily extremely rare, when it may prove a tower of strength. One such occasion the writer can recall. About two hours after midnight in a quiet byway. An agitated elderly gentleman at an open door, which he is afraid to enter. The lock has been forced, and within may be—burglars! Have you seen a policeman? No. But three blasts on the whistle and the deserted pavement swarms with them. From every corner one arrives, and the house is surrounded. The home going citizen knows not by what forces he is encompassed till he sounds that whistle in his or some one else's emergency.—London Standard.

The Sphinx.

The word sphinx is from the Greek and means the strangler and was applied to a fabled creature of the Egyptians which had the body of a lion, the head of a man or an animal and two wings attached to its sides. In the Egyptian hieroglyphs the sphinx symbolized wisdom and power united. It has been supposed that the fact that the overflow of the Nile occurred when the sun was in the constellations Leo and Virgo gave the idea of the combinations of form in the sphinx, but this idea seems quite unfounded. In Egypt the reigning monarch was usually represented in the form of a sphinx.

Trapped by a Picture.

A Hungarian burglar, who was once a painter of considerable repute, was ransacking a house when he came across the portrait of a very beautiful young woman which had been left unfinished by the artist. He began to add the finishing touches to the picture and was discovered hard at work by the owner of the house, who promptly sent for the police.

Too Easy.

Miss Cleo—Here is an example for you, Willie. A boy skates two miles the first day, three miles the second day, four miles the third day—Willie—Shucks! I could beat dat example widout half trying.—Smith's Magazine.

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