From the Boaton Globe.

Practically, if not definitively, our Supreme Court has passed censure on the theory that the Executive is practically the whole of the Government of the United States-a theory on which both Mr. McKinley and his close advisers have acted more than once.

From the World,

A sane and sound philosopher, Mr Frederic Harrison declares in a letter to the London News that Great Britain's inability to conquer the Boers is "not only ruining, humiliating and making us odious as a nation, but is making us the laughing-stock of the world." pretense that the war is over he brands na "grotesque fooling for party ends."

As if to enforce the truth of both assyrtions a list filled three columns of the Landon Pimes on the same morning of casualties resulting from engagements not previously reported by General Kit-

And added emphasis is now given by the news of a victory at Valdfontein, an important point on the Durban-Johannesburg Railway, which was attacked by Delarey and successfully defended, but at a cost in killed and wounded of 174.

From the Plaindealer.

The young man stood before the great steel magnate. A moment later the latter looked up.

He stared at the rough clothing, the muddled shoes and unkempt hair of the youth.

"Well?" he said.

The youth retained his presence of mind. He wanted a job because he

"Sir," he said, "I have came-He got no farther. A smile irradiated

the magnate's face.
"That's all right," he said: "the job is yours. I was afraid at first that you might be one of these worthless college graduates.'.

And when the youth, the valedictorian of his class and the pride of the university, again faced his mirror he winked expressively at his own reflection.

Odds and Ends.

"Josiah Flyat," whom Commissioner Murphy was so anxious to find a while ago, gives Boston a pretty fair character as to public decency. Tale will not tend to assuage Mr. Murphy's wrath.

In a Texas court it has just been held that the work of a barber is not a work of necessity within the meaning of an exception to the Penal Code forbidding Sunday labor.

Washington is to have a pound where the police may store exhausted automobiles temporarily abandoned by distinguished owners.

A mystery of the West, as reported in the McHenry (Ill.) Democrat: "Amos Stephenson has been happy the past few weeks. We can't find the reason after a careful investigation."

Mrs. Emma R. Bailey, upon whom has just been conferred a master's degree by the Washington College of Law, was born in Alabama and comes from distinguished encestry. Her great-grand-father, grandfather and father were all lawyers. Mrs. Balley married young, and when her husband died a few years ago she found that it was necessary for her to support herself and her children, She secured a position in the Department of the Interior and then studied law.

Observations.

lice court, in connection with the srraignment of a negro for the theft of a
game roceter. The prisoner said:
"Jedge, I jes" seen dat chicken on de
sidewalk, an'de chicken acted kinder
friendly, I'se fond ob game chickens
wherever I sees dem, an' I had dat
chicken in my arms rubbing it up and down an' admirin' it when die heah policeman come up an' sez, 'Wher did you git dat chicken?" Den be run me in. I from which it appears that during the in England and France has resulted in had no mo' 'tention ob takin' dat chick- first ten months of the present first en dan a saint in 1 eben." The judge year, merchandisc—not money, but meraccepted the plea, but in discharging the chandise-was imported into Cuba from tinues to grow in the latter decades of time you meet a chicken to take the other side of the street."

How soldiers, even those of the regular army regard service in the Philippines, s unmistakably shown by a bit of official correspondence just made public by the war department. A number of regulars, now in the Philippines, whose terms of en istment will shortly expire. informed their officers that they would re-enlist, if assured that they would be allowed to return to the U. S. when the organizations to which they belong, were ordered home, and that assurance has been given in a letter from the Adintant General's office, showing that the war department has full knowledge of the discontent of the men with service in the Philippines.

From the Washington Star. "That was a very lucid document you prepared," said the friend,

Yes," answered the statesman dubialraid the public will fail to regard it as evidently does not a ways follow the able and profound.

The Dingley tariff bill needs to be revised in a very emphatic manner. It has wrought enough damage already .

Base ball continues to be the great national contest. 28,000 people recently witnessed a game one day and 20,000 the next. Regular foot ball crowds.

People have growled about our having pring weather in summer, but the have been doing worse in castern Ore gon. At Baker City yesterday the thermometer registered 6 degrees below

Oregon editors generally who are stay ing at home are produing the aggregation which recently left for the Pan-American exposition. Some one will be sure to yell "sour grapes."

Albany is proud of her educational institutions. They are progressive, up-to-date schools, and speak for the interest of our citizens in a high grade of advancement along these lines. We should give our echools the best support we

Some of the editors attending the Buf falo exposition wouldn't know a stick from a broom handle. In fact they never saw the inside of a print shop, except when they entered to sponge a newspaper.

Saveral excellent colleges in Oregon not run by government favoriteism would appreciate a liberal donation from some of the wealthy men of the east having money to give to good purposes. An endowment of \$100,000 for Albany college would fall into first class hands, and would advance the cause of education in a material manner.

A good name is a very valuable thing, but that is no excuse for rushing off into a libel or slander suit every time something mean is said about you. Slander and libel always react naturally against the slanderer or libeller. If your neighbor says something mean about you send him your compliments, and invite him to keep it up. It may be sort of disagreeable, but in the end it will level the slanderer to the ground ! more than any suit can do.

-From the London Times.

George Conquest whose death occurred yesterday, became known as an extraordinary skilful impersonator of out-of-theway animals. He would appear for instance, as an octopus, a crab, a bat or a porcupine, and he once played a tree which grew and spread its branches in the sight of the audience. In the course of his contortions he managed to break nearly every bone in his body and also in his face. But this did not at all lessen his energy.

From the Providence Journal.

The announcement that the Germans are about to leave Peking recalls, apropos meal time. "When I finish my dinner," he said, "I leave the table." "Yes," was the unfilial rejoinder, "and that's about all you do leave."

Our Trade With Cuba.

Washington, May 30. -Some time ago a statement was sent forth from this city to the effect that our trade with Cuba was falling off. Figures were given which supported the assertion and there seemed to be little doubt of t' is accur-

comes an official record given out by the insular division of the War Department. from Cuba to European countries were \$10,574,452 for the ten months of this year and were only \$4,568,618 for same period of last year. To the United States Cuba exported \$29,424,298 this year, against \$35,862,995 for the ten months of 1900. From these figures it will be seen that while Cuba's exports to Europe advanced \$6,905,935, those to the United States have receded \$6,438. According to the Insular bureau the apparent large increase in value of exports to Europe and the decrease in exports to the United States is accounted for in part by the fact that in the early period of 1900 many shipments of tobacco for Europe were consigned to New York for re-exportation, the fact of the final destination being other than the destination shown in the original consignment not being reported.

This, however, does not not begin to "I made it so lucid that I am account for the discrepancy. Trade flag.

Saturday Night Thoughts.

There has been renewed interest this seek in the Boer war by reason of an en- stitution is a useful instrument; but the sagement which left no doubt that the Boers were yet in the field with their public conscience of the nation." What arms barred to the cloow. The real end the "public conscience of a nation" is is not yet in sight.

Table proposed cases of the state of that paper means to say that the Su-Oregon to collect about \$30,000 on ac- preme Court of the United States has count of the shortage of a clerk of the superior standard to be governed by in land board suggress that things must be making its decisions than the constitu run in a very loose way by the state gov- tion. It would have us believe that eroment when a man can get away with there is a higher authority for the court that amount of money on a \$5,000 bond to consult than the written constitution Some one ought to be responsible beside of the country. This higher authority it the state, but no one in all probability calls the "public conscience of the naexcept the bondsmen for the \$5,000, and tion." This inevitably follows the Britthey sho ld step up like men and pay ish scheme of imperialism now so induswithout a suit.

that the education is secured that fits boys and girls for the active duties of life, the common every day affairs, drereed that congress can govern the Hence the pulse beat of the people is with that of the pupils in the public schools. Albany people show their appreciation of all our schools in a creditable manner. This is eminently a school city, and we are fortunate in having cur tween the provisions of our written conschools in such excellent hands, and on stitution and "the public conscience of as good a foundation as they are.

Boys and girls will do well to spend their vacation in some other way than all play. Some play, just enough, but an idle vacation is a poor way to prepare for the next to

Wanted to Lynch Aguinaldo.

Two of our prominent citizens who live within a thousand miles of where the writer is domiciled met in the public road the other day, when the following conversation occurred:

"What is the news?" "They've captured Aguinaldo."

"Captured who?" "Aguinaldo."

"What's he been doing?" "Killing folks."

(Excitedly.) "Who has he killed?" "Oh, lots of people."

"Where is the scoundrel?" "He's in jail."

(More excited.) Let's get a crowd and vneh him." "It would be too expensive."

"Expensive! What's going to make expensive?"

"He's too far off." "Why, ain't be in Moultrie jail?"

"Not a bit of it." "Well, where is he then?"

"He's in jail at Manila." "You mean Camilla, don't you?",

"No, I mean what I say."

"How far is it?" "About 8,000 miles."

"Get up, Jack." As he moved off he talk with every fool I meet in the road. of the tales of looting there, the story of Eight thousand miles! Why, that's the man who was trying to teach his clean outside of Georgy. Aguinaldo? youthful son and heir proper manners at Den't believe there is such a man in the world. Never heard of such a place as Manhiller betore. These fellows that do nothing but read newspapers are mighty smart. Get up, Jack : lost half hour talking with that slop head when I ought to been home planting taters." -Moultrie Observer.

> The following from the N. Y. World ounds familiar :

Yesterday's actuality was rain. Today's

From the Saturday Evening Post. 853,908, as compared with \$24,352,449 for growing until death. A woman who the same period of last year. The im- has small shell-like ears at twenty years ports from Europe were \$23,463,061, as of age will be very apt to possess medicompared with \$21,420,434. The exports um-sized ears at forty years and large ears at sixty.

> The air in South Carolina has turned blue since the Tillman-McLaurin controversy began.

Brownsville.

Prof W. F. Fargo has been elected principal of the northside school, and M. R. McKinney, Lena Powell and Win-nie Cutler assistants.

W. W. Bailey and J. W. Skillman will go into the patent medicine business. O. R. Dinwiddie is the new C. C. of the K. of P., and C. B. Wilson consul com-mander of the W. of W.

For Garden seeds in bulk go to C. E. Brownell's.

"Public Conscience."

The Oregonian says: "A written conneeds to be defined. The Oregonian very unwittingly avoids defining it. But triously being put forward by the Mc-Kinley administration in the country The public schools are closest to the But why should the Supreme Court be people of all schools, for it is in them the trammeled by constitutional restrictions and limitations in view of the fact that that august body has but recently Philippines and Porto Rico uprestrained cising monarchial power outside the constitution. The Oregonian's position is When there is disagreement bethia: stitution and "the public conscience of nation," (whatever that is,) then the Supreme Court or Congress, or the President must about 10 public depth must be supremented in the state of the dent, must obey the dictates of the "pubic conscience" rather than the provisions of our written constitution. What list was given as a reason why Corvallis is this "public concience?" It can not was falling behind its neighbors that it be the wil of the people for the supreme court has had no means of knowing what that will is. There is but one answer to the question and that is that is this "public consience" is no more, nor less, than the will of the trusts, syndicates, combines and corporations that Served him right. Now the fool killer now rule the McKinley administration with a rod of iron.

This teaching of the Oregonian is of the most dangerous sort, and no wonder that even republicans are to be found who denounce it as political heresy and bordering on treason. The truth is that the decision of a majority of the supreme court in the island cases is absolutely indispensible and thousands of soberthinking republican leaders are amazed at the rapid strides into imperialism now being made by the administration. Justice Harlan who dissented from the decision and who is the profoundest and best republican, by far. on the beach, gives earnest expression to the intense feelings of a staggered pa-

the result will be a radical and mis-chievous change in our system of government. We will, in that event, pass from the era of constitutional liberty, guarded and protected by a written Constitution, into an era of legislative was heard to ejaculate; "Got no time to abolutism, in respect of many rights that are dear to all peoples who love freedom. In my opinion, Congress has no existence and can exercise no authority outside of the Constitution. Still leve is it true that Congress can deal with new territories just as other nations have done or may do with their own territories. This nation is under the control of a written Constitution, which is the

exercise at any time or at any place. The idea that this coun quire territories anywhere upon the probability is rain. Tomorrow's forecast earth by conquest or treaty and hold is "ehowers"—another name for rain, them as mere colonies or provinces, is Lyon street to Washington, causing

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dependent on the socially adaptive and The systematic examination of more than forty thousand pairs of human ears in Eagland and France has resulted in some interesting conclusions. For one thing, it is ascertained that the ear continues to grow in the latter decades of the latter The attendance at the pioneer pionic the first day was small but the last two days witnessed immense gatherings from all parts of the county. Excellent programs were presented.

cerned, they now have liberty, and will retain it if those in authority will not deprive them of it in an abrogation of the constitution.

Mary A. Livermore in a Boston Ad-

Drunkness is the besetting sin of the Angle-Saxon race—a taint that has come down through thousands of years.

MISFITS

A large number of picnics this week vere bound to bring rain. They are as bad as straw hats.

Joaquin Miller tried to fly from civilization and an oil well fortune is thrust upon him and he is in the midst crowd.

The High School age is an observing one. What the High School graduate says is always worth listening to.

The battle of Viakfontein shows that there is lots of fight left in the Boers and that the war in South Africa will have to end several times yet.

Great is the United States. William C. Whitney's Volodyyski, mounted by Reiff won the great English Derby yes-terday and \$30,000 besides side money. Let all the bands play.

The jury decided that Mrs. Eddy was not guilty of libel, and instead of recovery \$150,000 damages demanded the plaintiff will recover 0. She should pay Mrs. Eddy for being advertised.

A correspondent in The Dalles Chronicle declares that no man with a

At a Citizens League meeting at Corvalwas isolated on account of being off the main line of the railroad.

There are fool editors as well as others. One of them went to Portland, lost \$48

Chas M Schwab says that out of forty great trust magnates only two are col-lege graduates. He uses this against a college education, but it is really in it favor. Education has a higher purpose than making infamous trust magnates

An eastern palmiet said a woman would live only thirty two days and she died on the day named. An Albany boy has been in misery because a paim-ist said he would marry a different girl from the one he is in love with. Even palmiets cannot satisfy everybody.

Some of the children of the editor of the Salem Journal had some money in to the intense feelings of a staggered patriot when he says:

"I take leave to say that if the principles now announced should eyer receive the sanction of a majority of this court, the sanction of a majority of this court, the sanction of a majority of the court, the sanction of a majority of this court, the sanction of the sanction of

> The Journal says that nine-tenths of those who recently left on the the edito. rial excursion to Buffalo, are hangers on and parasites of the newspapers and not the actual workers and calls it a dead beat organization. There is more truth than poetry in the statement. At the same time several of the people who went were real editors of real newspa-pers and should not be included in the

The McMinnville T. R. says of the recent field meet: "The Albany aggregation proved themselves to be as generous conquerors as valiant cone that. They earned their victory in a fair hard fight; they won because they were etrong in field events. Deleat at the hands of such an aggregation leaves no sting, but pleasant memories instead." supreme law of the land and the only ment or any branch or officer of it may

Yesterday a young man, a stranger, rode his bicycle on the sidewalk from

prisoner amout the grins of those present, the United States to the value of \$23,* life—in fact, it appears never to gtop jection. He attempted to convince the wigwams in the room, Indian booths, and jection. He attempted to convince the colonists that his conscience (the "public concience of the nation") was the intelligent and sacred custod an and guardian angel of their liberties, but their experience taught them that George the Third was an enemy of liberty as these are who now teach that the liberty of American citizens is not dependent on the constitution. The pointed and direct was to make the statement is, that the liberty of the American citizen is fully provided for and guaranteed by the various provisions, timitations and restrictions of the constitution of the United States and is wholly dependent upon a full, vigorous, and complete enforcement of all the provisions of that matchless organic law.

Bo far as American citizens are concerned, they now have liberty, and will

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A Pekin Fire.

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Pekin, June 5 — Lightning yesterday
struck a building inside the gate of the
American end of the Forbidden City,
causing a fire. Three buildings were
burned. The American and Japanese
guards did all passible to preventa
spread of the flames, A heavy rain
sayad the Forbidden City. One of the
buildings burned was a library, containing many valuable manuscripts and numerous historical records of the dynasty.

Poor Spain.

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Madrid, June 5.— The situation throughout Spain remain criticat. Nominal tranquility has been restored at Corunna, but the Octrol offices are still occupied by gendarmes, and arrests continue to be made. A general strike is threatened owing to the relusal of one factory to employ 300 workmen. The raliway men have struck at Vigo and anarchist excitement is rife in Barcesona. ona.

The Brewer's Speak

·Buffalo, June 5.—The 41st annual convention of the United State Brewers convention of the United State Brewers' Association was called to order today. The report of the board of trustees contained a denunciation of the war tax on beer, a demand for closer organization that shall make the power of the brewers felt at the polls and a denunciation of the abolishment of the army canteen.

Bryan's Prediction.

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KANSAS CITY, June 5.—W. J. Bryan addressed an audience of 1500 people at the Democratic Club rooms tonight. He declared that the Democratic party could not be reorganized by the men who had been with the enemy in 1896 and 1900. The Supreme Court decision, he said, had made imperialism a burning issue, and he predicted that it would wreck the Republican party.

Corporate Kroested Out.

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New York, June 5.—The liquor certificate tax license held by J. J. Corbett, the puglilat, was revoked today by Justice Freedman of the Supreme Court, on considering the report of Alfred Page as referee in a proceeding brought for the revocation of the license by Rev. J. O. A. Heary, superintendent of the New York Auti-Saloon League. The testimony showed that Corbett had kept his saloon open after midnight in violation of the law.

Woman Held Up.

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Salem, June 5.—Miss Rellie Gilliam was beld up and robbed of \$10 by two thugs tonight as she walking on State street near the Methodist Church. The robbers passed her, one on each side, and one caught her arms while the other secured her purse. The men disappeared immediately in different directions.

Philippine Government.

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Washington, June 6.—The new civil government to be established in the Philippines is reciving the consideration of the President and the Secretary, of War. It will differ little from what was first oxtlined, as there will be a Governor for archipelago and Legislative council and other officers. This government will have control of all civil affairs, but it will be under the war power to the extent of being directed by the Secretary of War.

Chamber ain All Right.

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PORTLAND, June 7.—District Attorney
Chamberlain declines to take part in an
official capacity in the suit which Attorney-General Blackburn desires filed in
the name of the state of State of Oregon
against Sylvester Pennoyer, George W.
McBride and Phil Metschan, as the
former State School Board, to recover
the \$30,932,08 shortage in the accounts
of ex-Clerk of the Board George W.
Davis.

Mr. Chamberlain in a letter to the At-

Mr. Chamberlain in a letter to the At-Mr. Chamberian in a letter to the At-torney-General expresses an optnion that the statute of limitation has run, and also that the act of 1889 relieved the members of the board from personal lia-bility for the acts of the clerk.

June Snow

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Jamestown, June 6.—A snow storm occurred today throughout the central and northern portions of North Dakota. At Jamestown snow fell two hours. A similar state of affairs is reported in towns on the Jamestown Northern Railroad. The snow quickly melted. Snow fell late in May, 1891, but a similar occurrence in June is not known to have happened before.

1 rummers Coming. FORT MONROE, Va., June 6.—At to-day's session of the National Travelers' Protective Association it was decided to hold next year's convention at Portland.

Or.

In the ballot for the convention Portland had 156, Cincinnati 71. By a standing vote Portland was selected unanimously for the next convention

Untimely Frost.

Ceusing Trouble.

LONDON, June 6.—After a long and comewhat embittered discussion of the

policy of the war office in buying horses for use in South Africa, the House of Commons tenight by a vote of 159 to 60, voted the sum of £15,779,000 for transports and remounts.

Sensational Sur. SALEM, June 8 -A sensational suit was begun in the Gilbert bank suspension today. Complaint alleges the late

Wm. Cosper was their partners. St. Peter's Episcopal church: Pastor Rev. Chss. MacLean, Ph. D. Services, Sunday, Morning prayer 10:30 s. m. Sunday school before service, 9:30 s. m. Evening prayer, 7:30 p. m. The Holy Communion will be celebrated at the morning service.

M. E. church: Services Sunday at 10:30 a m, and 8 pm. Sunday school at 11:45, Junior League at 3, Epworth League and class meeting at 7 pm, Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All are welcome to these services. Ohildren's Day will be observed by the Sunday school in the evening.