

HINTS FOR WOMEN

THE WEDDING GIFT.

It is a golden rule to send a wedding gift in good time, the first to arrive being much more appreciated than that which is one of the many pouring in from all quarters during the last week.

By adhering to this rule one will be spared the annoyance of hearing that the salt cellars are charming—the third set already received.

A month before the wedding day is not too early to send the present, which should be accompanied by a visiting card.

The package should be addressed to the bride if one is intimate with the happy couple and to the bride's house, addressed to the bridegroom, if it is he with whom one is best acquainted.

Most people wish to give something novel, useful and pretty. The future circumstances of the recipients should influence the choice.

Novel Flower Cravats. Fancy cravats are parts of the Spring costumes of cloth, and designers vie with one another to produce novel schemes.

One of the oddest effects was seen at a recent flower show on a very handsome-looking woman wearing a robe of wood brown. The cravat was of thin poppy red silk, with a bow of soft orange-like silk adjusted under the chin in startling resemblance to a poppy.

Light Menu for a Day. Breakfast. Fruit. Hamburg Steak. Brown Gravy. Fried Potatoes. Coffee.

Lunch. Sweetbread Patties. Escalloped Potatoes. Stewed Apricots and Figs. Tea. Dinner. Cream of Celery Soup.

Roast Chicken. Sweet Potatoes. String Beans. Lemon Sherbet. Water Thins. Waldorf Salad. Hickory Nut Cake. Coffee.

Individual Styles. Never in the history of fashion has there been so much allowance made for individual styles as now.

Throughout the State. The Heppner Gazette says that a large number of residents of that vicinity are neglecting to register for the coming election.

Quoting Oregon Editors. A Tennessee Judge has actually declined a renomination after holding public office for 40 years.

Charity begins at home. That is a text which should be practiced by those who subscribe money to foreign missions.

Proof Slips. "Is that a proof slip?" inquired the visitor to the sanctum.

Willie's Definition. Teacher—Willie, what is greediness? Willie—Wanting something that other people want themselves.

A correspondent writes to the Field of the death of his fox terrier at the advanced age of 18 years, having been born in 1884.

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EXPOSITION SITE

Sensible Reflections of W. S. Griswold—The Vote Tomorrow.

The following communication explains itself: PORTLAND, April 22.—(To the Journal.)—Some important considerations enter into the question of selecting a site for the exposition, the first of which is proximity to the center of population.

Financial success or failure depends upon the judgment of the committee in this respect. It is pretty sure that the gate receipts will be in proportion to the distance. Portland, unlike most cities, has a great area of vacant acreage close to the center of population.

Had Buffalo this advantage, she would have suffered no financial failure. Not less important to the city, and even to the state at large, is a convenient ground centrally located.

Here both the city and the commonwealth may erect permanent buildings to commemorate the historical events, and, more than this, create a center and a conservatory for the great natural curiosities and productions of the country of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

What point in the city is most central and convenient, available as a permanent resort for travelers and visitors to a great city and a great state? Speculation in land values is sure to lumber this question, and may not be eliminated, but it is worth while to consider that no one suspects Mr. Ladd of boomeranging his property, and it is logical to presume that most of the votes for his field and Hawthorn Park are only interested in the public utilities.

There is no doubt but that Mr. Ladd would donate a few acres to the city and state, and do it with pleasure, and many public-spirited men would welcome the opportunity of associating their names with such an effort that promises prosperity to Portland and glory to the state.

A lot of votes were sent in again yesterday, which will be counted and the result published tomorrow evening. Address "Exposition Site Editor," The Evening Journal, 29 Yamhill street.

This is the count today: Peninsula 13,790; Ladd's Field 13,741; Sellwood 12,240; City Park 417; Cyclone Park 401; Knox Tract 318; Fulton 228.

JOURNAL CONTEST. MY CHOICE FOR THE EXPOSITION SITE. Name Address.

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EXCITED NAVIGATORS.

Steamboat captains manifest considerable agitation respecting the proposition to close, at certain hours every day, the draw of the several bridges that span the river.

To one who views the matter from an impartial standpoint, it does seem a really ridiculous undertaking. It is one way of beginning to remedy an evil that ought to be doctored in another way.

One of the penalties of good citizenship is that men shall cheerfully surrender, if necessary, some of their own comforts and conveniences for the general welfare.

Large numbers of Portland people have never before experienced the conditions that exist in Portland. Here is a city which, in population, is almost equally divided by a large, navigable river.

Possibly masters of river craft are not the men best adapted to relinquishing personal conveniences or personal interests for the public good and comfort; but, if they were, relief for the afflictions that beset those who complain of the frequent delays in reaching employment and places of business, from open bridges, will never come through the closing of the draws at any stated intervals.

Half the delays on the bridges, in truth, are occasioned by the structures' lack of breadth. The Morrison-street bridge, for example, should be the full width of the street, with a roadway for teams going east and those going west separate and apart from the street car tracks.

THE CITIZENS' TICKET. The coalition ticket was completed last evening, and the voter has exactly 42 days in which to make up his mind for whom he will vote.

There are some most excellent citizens named as candidates by the coalitionists. Doctor Lane, for example, a native son, comes of a family honorably allied with the earliest history of the state.

As we have before remarked, the workingman is now very dear to the throbbing heart of the candidate. But this tender passion can not be expected to extend beyond the 21 of June.

The street car men of San Francisco ought to be able to put up a "nickel" plated strike; the weavers at Oregon City one that is full wool and a yard wide.

The JOURNAL SHORT STORY.

Among the sixty-three professors with whom I am acquainted, it is natural to suppose a variety of religious beliefs are to be found, and it will not, therefore, appear surprising if he should be a Buddhist, or, as his Irish servant expressed it, "a blooming bodhist, bogorra."

"I intend to take away her life. Do not shrink. She will live again. I shall merely what you call hypnotize her for awhile." He rose to his feet, moving towards the door. "Come I wish you to witness, my act. You understand my motives, whether you admit their justness or not."

We passed to his daughter's chamber. Fusa was reclining upon the bed. Her father poured some liquid into a cup and handed it to her.

"Drink, sleep, and wake after a year, when I or our friend here shall give the word."

Fusa took the draft without other resistance than an appealing glance at me. Then her head fell back upon the pillow and she lay rigid, motionless, with closed eyes, as one dead.

"Her death was announced in the usual form and the funeral took place in the regular way."

A few months later Professor Markham gave up his position and went away. I understood, to Japan, though after this episode our intimacy was interrupted.

"What answer shall I give him?" I asked myself on rising.

"In telling this story I was accustomed to pause here and look around the absorbed listening circle with an expression which I hoped would imply my belief in some profound mystery. Sometimes the audience would say to my wife: 'And so you were in a hypnotic sleep for a year?'

"To which the lady would reply demurely, with a glance from half-closed lids in my direction: 'It appears so from the narrative.' 'And you did not know what transpired during all that time?'