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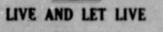
time of need, will not be out of place.

on, the lack of knowledge of military get action without a handicap. affairs and training was a tremenduous handicap to the Union and to the South as well for that matter. The small regular army could not It is a fact and it cannot be dis- you five or tes dollars to assist you supply officers nor military knowl- guised, the country storekeeper, in in rebuilding it? The home meredge to the thousands of boys of a business way, is up against a chant has and will do these things new levys. Many lives were need- serious proposition, these days. He and is an important factor in your lessly sacrificed on this account. sees his business falling off, when it community. When a charity fund Fortunately for the Union, the Con- should be normal. He sees his old is to be raised, the home merchant federates were no better prepared customers in town occasionally, but is the first to be called upon and, be in a military sense. But had the they buy sparingly. This condition it said to his honor, he always re-South been as well prepared, say as would not be surprising except that sponds. Germany at the opening of the he finds his neighbor merchant efbeen helpless.

with whom we should war, was well town for the reason.

soldier, does not necessarily indicate business because with one-half the that that nation is militaristic, no country trade going to the larger more so than if all the people under- cities, there are too many country stood blacksmithing would make it merchants to survive. Some of them a nation of blacksmiths. Expert necessarily forced to the wall. Only knowledge in any line of endeavor the strongest financially can conis an asset in the equipment for the tinue in business. Now merchants, battle of life and is in no sense a farmers and others, don't you be- SCIO liability. A year's training in the lieve that it would be a good plan school of the soldier in mature youth to try and get together in this mator early manhood, is an advantage ter? Of course all want to buy to a young man in his life work, let their house supplies as cheaply as that be whatever it may. In 1865 possible and expect to pay spot cash a large army of trained veteran for them. Try this same plan of 5c soldiers were discharged and thrown paying cash with your purchase to .10c upon civil life in every state of the your home merchant and you will breeder Union. Will anybody say that a find but little difference in the cost. knowledge of soldiering has been an But do not expect to buy on credit injury in any sense to this vast army at this reduced price, because the of the boys who wore the blue in home merchant, nor no other, can their successful careers in the battle afford to do a credit business on this of life. basis

Of course the United States is There is and there ought to be a not going about nor will it place it- feeling of mutual regard and self in the position of carrying the willingness to deal fairly between traditional chip on the shoulder. It the merchant and his customers. In Just now while there seems to be simply should desire to be the train- the case of the home merchant and a general feeling of need through- ed boxer ready to take up a defense his customer, a mutual friendship out the United States for a military at a moments warning. It is simply exists. In selling your butter, eggs, training on the part of the people, national life insurance to be reason- etc., you expect your merchant to a word in advocacy of a sufficient ably well prepared when the trouble pay you the best prices the general knowledge of military affairs, in comes. As a nation we do not want market will allow. And as a rule, war, and we are not hunting for it. the merchant will do this. But how But if the other fellow should be is it with the mail order houses? In 1861 when the civil war was the hunter, we want to be able to Will they buy your produce? Will



they help build your roads, help support your schools, churches, etc? If you should have your home burned, will the mail order people send

The Tribune is well aware that present war, the North would have fected in the same manner. His our home merchants have exacted goods are of good quality and the good profits on their goods-too Let us hope the United States sale price is as low if not lower than large in some cases. He has to do will never have another war, But formerly. Hence, he must seek so in order to overcome the bad in case we should and the nation elsewhere than in his store or his debts he makes. With his business on a cash basis, he would have no

prepared and should we remain in When he sees the rural mail car- bad debts and, besides, he would our present condition, our loss in rier leaving town on his daily round have the interest on the good debts life and property would be enormous. with his wagon filled high with as well. He would be able to pay But if our people had a general parcels post bundles, he has found his wholesaler spot cash for

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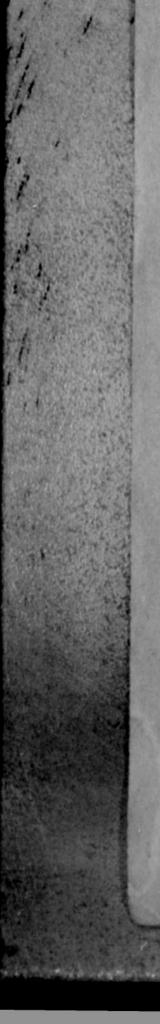
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how to conduct a defensive cam- a farm wagon heavily loaded with cheaper. paign, if our coast defenses and various packages taking the same least cost of life and property. And causes, before attacking us.

Then a plan should be adopted pursuade citizens to patronize their losing the choice part of your trade, needed military training.

Some of our anti-militarists are conditions. the school children and, in case of spot cash basis, there does not seem country merchant.

fire, may be the means of saving any reason why they could not sell This article is written in all kindtheir lives. Just why anyone should as cheaply. In fact, they will be ness for both farmers and merchants. object to school boys and girls forced to do so is they continue in We are simply trying to mitigate marching, keeping step, etc., is diffi- business.

to boys being taught the military starve out the home merchant? Is We must be willing to live and let evolutions and to assume the up- it a good plan to force all business live .- Reproduced from The Scio right position and bearing of a to the larger cities and make cow Tribune.

soldier. They enjoy it and the car- pastures of your country town? riage of person and training are What effect will it have on your conducive to better health. If every schools, your churches and the value young man could be given at least of your homes and farms? Instead one year of military training, the of moving forward on the march at Salem, on Saturday, October 23, necessary discipline, care for his of progress, it will be a step back- 500 young coarse valley ewes in lots person and ability to care for him- ward. self under any and all circumstances. The result of this patronage of on approved security. Sale to com-

battle of life.

knowledge of military affairs and a part of the cause and when he sees goods, consequently would buy

Whether you wish to or not Mr. navy were in a reasonable degree of from the railroad depot to the Home Merchant, you are going to preparedness, we could defend our- Farmers Union depot of delivery, he be compelled to sell for cash only, selves from any nation with the has found about all the rest of the else go out of business in the near future. You are getting but a

the fact that our coast defences But as men cannot be blamed for small part of the cash trade and all and navy and a well equipped and buying where they can buy cheapest of the credit, thus increasing your drilled army were ready at short and sell where they can obtain the business expense. If you mark your call, would make a nation think well best prices, it is difficult matter to goods up to meet this expense, you find a remedy or, in other words, to simply agravate the evil. You are

and probably will be at the coming local merchants. It seems to be up which you can illy afford. session of congress, to furnish this to the local merchant to find some Think about these things friends! means to restore former normal The conditions are here and must be

met. The parcels post is here toso extremely opposed to any show It is thought that fully one-half stay. Likewise the rural mail carof military training that they even of the trade which belongs to the rier, mail order houses and farmers object to our school boys and girls legitimate Scio territory, is supplied unions. There is no use to scold, marching out or into our school by mail order houses and by farmers for that only makes the other fellow buildings. Such a contention is not unions. Of course all of this for-laugh. Your only recourse is to only contrary to the best interests eign trade is on an absolute cash meet the prices which is taking of our schools, but is unworthy of basis There is no loss by bad ac- trade from you. Nor should you good American citizenship. This counts in this trade. If our local feel hurt Mr. Mail Order Farmer. little bit of discipline is valuable to merchants would adopt the same if you are refused credit by your

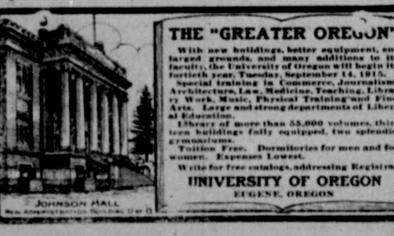
an evil which spells, if not ruin, cult to understand. Or to object But friends, is it good business to great inconvenience to our country.

Auction 500 Stock Sheep

At Southern Pacific Stock Yards, of 20 sheep. Nine months credit

he is the better equipped for the mail order houses and the activities mence at 1 p. m

of the farmers unions, in making Geo. Kohlbagen. The fact that a people in general itself felt in all country towns, Mr. Stevenson, Auctioneer.



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