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E. P. Rogers, general freight and passenger agent of the Southern Pacific, in speaking of the better times says:

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"We receive a great number of letters of inquiry regarding Oregon from all parts of the east and south. These letters pass through my hands, and in my small way I do what I can to bring people here. I am constantly sending out all the literature I can get on Oregon to these people and to our numerous agencies. Not long since I sent a big supply to our European agent. But what is needed is for the state to take hold of this immigration matter with vigor and money."

Distance lends enchantment to the view of reservation lands. The Tillamook Headlight says the people of that county made no effort to take up the Siletz territory. They knew it too well. It is only to those far away that these reservations take on the semblance of a promised land.

It is a remarkable fact, says an exchange, that Grant county has not one mile of railroad, telegraph or telephone line; not a mile of express route, nor a bank within its limits. It is rich in all the resources of mineral, stock, agriculture and lumber industries, but it has never been developed. The people do not expect ever to have a railroad.

A new oyster bed has been found in Yaquina bay, four miles below Toledo. Oystermen claim that they have been aware for years of the fact that there were oysters at that point, but as the water was deep there, and several miles above the old oyster beds, they had neglected or forgotten the existence of the bed entirely. The newly found bed was a nice pick-up for the two discoverers, as is proven by the statement that during the last two weeks they have taken up and shipped no less than ninety sacks of the largest and finest oysters ever taken out of Yaquina bay. This means \$225 for two weeks work.

A Benton county couple were recently married in that county by an Albany justice. The following morning the justice consulted the statute and found that his jurisdiction was limited to Linn county, and that the newly married couple were in reality not married at all. With great diffidence however, he set about correcting his mistake, and sent word to the young couple to meet him on the Albany side of the county line, which they did about 24 hours after the nuptials had been solemnized, and there, on the Linn county end of the steel bridge, with the stars shining upon them in refulgent approbation, the balmly breezes of the Willamette fanning their cheeks and the light from the arc electric light lighting up the scene, the knot was again tied, this time, says the Herald, in a legal manner, and for life and true happiness.

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The Probable Hop Yield.
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The Gervais Star gives the following in its last issue concerning the coming hop crop:

"A report is circulating around already as to the probable crop yield of hops this fall. An estimate of 80,000 bales is given. This is by far too much for this state. A conservative estimate made by Henry L. Bents and W. E. Iler, of Butteville, who are canvassing the hop growing sections, gives the yield at not over 45,000 bales. They claim that from personal observation there is a short crop all along the line. There is any number of growers in Clackamas county that have not sold their last year's crop yet, and are too discouraged to take much interest in the growth of hops. Many yards will not produce their full bearing on account of slack work being done. It takes care to make hops grow, and that has not been given the yards. As a consequence almost all the yards show the effect and it does not take much of an eye to foretell a short crop."

"We have been through the Abiqua, Butteville, St. Paul and Gervais district the past week and we must acknowledge that fine looking yards are the exception rather than the rule. In some localities we found hand picking of lower leaves being resorted to by growers to offset lice and to save spraying. This is the case in small yards where large families prevail and easily utilized. Another method more common is to 'sheep and goat' the yards. These yards are thoroughly cleaned up to a height of three feet from the ground and the soil is both enriched and kept free from weeds and clods. As a rule yards thus treated are showing a thrifty growth on the top of the poles and arming out finely."

"The picking season will be about September 5th, and perhaps a few days earlier, if the present good weather continues. As we say elsewhere, spraying is being slighted and may entail considerable loss later on."

A Tall Bottle.
At the Bordeaux exhibition the special feature will be the largest bottle ever made. It will be 115 feet high, and divided into stories, in the lowest of which will be a restaurant. A winding staircase will lead up the neck to a kloog, where there will be room for thirty-five persons at a time to sit and look over the exhibition grounds and the city.

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OREGON NEWS AND NOTES.

The Care Required in Loading an Ocean Liner.

To watch the loading of grain either from an elevator or lighter into one of the mammoth vessels engaged in its transportation, is to witness one of the chief operations in the movements of the world's commerce, says a writer in *Donaloe's Magazine*. It is carried in long pipes, with a funnel-shaped, movable appendage at the end, which is shifted by means of a rope from one part of the hold to another, according as the stream of grain fills up the spaces. It rushes into the vessel with the velocity of a torrent, and sends a dense volume of dust and chaff upward, obscuring the depths beneath, and making the men attending the stowage below look like ghosts in the rising mist.

The "trimming" of the grain in the holds is an important part of its storage. After several thousand bushels have streamed into the hold, a dozen or more men are delegated to shovel the downpouring column in between the vessel's beams, a job for which they are paid at the rate of one cent a minute. In vessels of the Cunard stripe, it takes between twelve thousand and fifteen thousand bushels to fill a hold, and these vessels average 50,000 bushels in the total cargo. Ships carrying grain alone can take as high as 125,000 bushels, and when it is considered that from 4000 to 7000 bushels can be stored in an hour, every forty bushels weighing a ton, an idea can be had of the force of the torrent directed into the vessel.

Large vessels have four or five holds, and a distinction is made in storing the cargo into them. Grain, from its compact and dead weight, is reserved mostly for the center of the vessel, while cured provisions are packed as far forward and as far aft as possible, for their better preservation from the heat of the ship's fires. In some vessels, like the great Cunarders, which carry passengers as well as freight, the heaviest weight is stored in the lowest hold; this is to steady the vessel, and is called in the technical parlance of the stevedore "stiffening" the ship. It takes about 1500 tons to "stiffen" a great Cunarder, and when this is done the lower hold is fastened and battened down, and work is begun on the next.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A flood due to heavy rains at Winona, Mo., drowned eleven people on the 5th.

Hon. John W. Foster has returned from his diplomatic tour to China and Japan.

Fitzsimmons has been acquitted of the charge of manslaughter in the death of Riordan.

Five persons were killed and twenty injured in a cyclone at Baxter Springs, Kan., on the 5th.

The Pullman Palace Car Co. has restored ten per cent of the wages of its employes, affecting about 4000 people.

The National Educational Association convention is in session at Denver with thousands of delegates present.

Edward A. Stevenson, territorial governor of Idaho from 1885 to 1889, died on the 5th at San Luis Obispo by taking laudanum.

The third daughter was born to President Cleveland's family on the 7th. It was an open secret that a boy would not have been welcome.

The Emanuel Baptist church is to be reopened. The scheme of the pastor to raise money by lecturing on the murders did not prove a success.

The three-year-old daughter of Attorney Emmons of Portland, while on a trip with her mother to Duluth, fell through an open car window, caused by the lurch of the train, and was almost instantly killed.

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