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ADVERTISING RATES.

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EVEN the price of silver is advancing, in harmony with the general boom.

McMINNVILLE is expanding, and the new light-draft steamer bearing her name...

THE pathos of Alger's retirement from the cabinet is now being pictured in glowing colors...

THE popular notion of what constitutes a sia varies with the locality. The fine for selling a glass of beer...

IN the face of the fact that Dewey has not asked the American people to buy him a home...

FARMERS of Yamhill have no fear of kissing bugs or such foolish and harmless things. If nothing worse than woolly aphids...

PREMIER Laurier now admits that he "didn't mean it" when he talked so loudly about war between Canada and the United States...

PERSONS who go down to the sea in tents, will, if they will admit it, accord to those who could not go, the best of it.

THAT trusts thrive well where absolute free trade prevails is proven by the Indianapolis Journal, which finds in free trade England 187 organized trusts.

LYNCHING Louisiana negroes as a pastime is safe enough because the black man has no country from which he can claim protection.

It is a dull day down south when the people do not get together and lynch a few negroes. It is a sign of enterprise to see the business men of a community pull together.

THE claim made by one of the boys of the Second Oregon that the regiment desired to administer a rebuke to the citizens of Oregon because no congratulatory messages had been sent to them after each battle...

SPRITUAL mediums are busy calling up the late Col. Ingersoll, but up to the present time his replies to the questions propounded have not been a part of the elegant language with which Mr. Ingersoll was gifted in life.

JUDGING from the signs hung out by the democrats, the fight next year will be pretty much as it was in 1896. Bryan seems to have the best of it now, and if he succeeds in getting the nomination again, on a 16 to 1 platform, the gold democrats will no doubt put a ticket in the field as they did before.

THE price of wheat may not reach a very high figure the coming season, but the conditions are favorable for a rising market. Reports from all parts of the world would indicate a materially smaller total yield this year than last.

OTIS will remain in command of the army in the Philippines, the dispatches say, until good reasons are given for his removal. President McKinley evidently does not attach very much weight to the complaint of the newspaper correspondents, who doubtless are better fitted after all to occupy a place on the staff of yellow journals than as advisers of the commander during a military campaign.

GOV. TANNER of Illinois violated the Colorado game laws by shooting a deer out of season while visiting in that state lately. Governors are no less liable to the penalties of violated laws than are their subjects, and acting upon this interpretation the people of Colorado are watching for the governor of Illinois to return from California, when he will be arrested and fined.

Bishop Thoburn Talks of the Philippines. Bishop Thoburn of the Methodist church has recently returned from the Philippine islands, and tells the following about our new acquisition, which may be regarded as reliable:

I have spent the last 40 years in Asia, spending much of the time in the central and southern parts and on the Chinese coast. The mission work extended into Malaya and the field took in the large islands lying to the southeast. The Philippines belong to this section. The islands, which are inhabited by people of the Malay race, are all included in the term Malaya. Some of them are very large; Borneo is larger than France, and Sumatra is as large as the entire Austrian empire.

I first became interested in the Philippines in 1885, when we planted our great mission at Singapore, which is one of the great key positions of the world. I then found out that the Philippines, among all the Malay islands, were closed against Protestant missions. I became convinced that the islands were very rich and destined to become a great factor in the commercial world as soon as the Spaniards could be induced to grant religious and political freedom.

The claim made by one of the boys of the Second Oregon that the regiment desired to administer a rebuke to the citizens of Oregon because no congratulatory messages had been sent to them after each battle, is absurd, and indicates a state of mind not shared by any true son of the noble Webfoot state.

I then went to Manila to personally inspect the situation. I learned much of the native Chinese and foreign residents. From personal observation, I have decided that it would be an impossibility to settle the country under Aguinaldo. There are over 80 different tribes in the islands, some of them as hostile to the Tagals as the French are to the Germans.

CASTORIA Bears the signature of CHAS. H. FLETCHER. In use for more than thirty years, and The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Echoes From Eastern Editors. Mr. Will Parrott, one of the editors of the Waterloo, Iowa, Daily Reporter, sends us a copy of his paper containing his impressions of Oregon.

"Tongue or pen cannot do justice to the beautiful Willamette valley. An artist might put a little portion of it on canvas, but to paint or draw all its beauties would be an impossibility. On either side of the valley are mountains. The sunlight reflects on their peaks and one beholds a coloring that surpasses in grandeur any beauty of nature one could imagine. Here is that peculiar blue so common in mountain scenery. Just to the left of this is a grass green color, a pretty gray, brilliant red, purple and yellow. Then comes the beautiful snow-capped peak with its pure white, the valley below completing with its rich vegetation a most artistic and gorgeous landscape.

"Our first stop of importance was at McMinnville, forty miles from Portland. It is the county seat of Yamhill county, and is one of the most productive and richest agricultural sections in the state. Young ladies visited the cars at this point, and presented each guest with a basket of choice flowers.

"To get down to the resources of the Willamette valley, one has only to speak of agriculture in a general sense. Every thing under heaven, nearly, grows in abundance. Wheat, of course, is the main crop, and such wheat. The average is 25 bushels to the acre, but 60 bushels is not an uncommon thing. There are quantities of hops, some oats, rye and barley. Two or three fields of corn looked well, but the balance was mighty poor. Potatoes, as we took it, are rather scarce, and during our feasting of three days we only had one meal of the Irishman's friend. Beet sugar culture is an extensive business in many parts of Oregon.

"Fruit of nearly every variety is successfully raised in the Willamette valley. Cherries, raspberries, peaches, pears, plums, grapes and a dozen others are on the list. Cranberries are also reared in portions of the state. Grasses of endless variety make an excellent hay crop. "Sawmills are abundant, and the wood both for lumber and fire is very nice to look at. It is soft, and we should judge would make a quick if not a lasting fire. The timber raised for lumber takes a high polish and excels in beauty oak and hard pine when finished in oil. There is birch, hemlock and fir. The latter is the most used.

Editor Rose, in the Angola, (Ind.) Magnet, has a very comprehensive description of his Oregon visit, in which he has the following to say of McMinnville:

"The next stop was at McMinnville, the county seat of Yamhill county, 40 miles from Portland. Several hundred people were at the station, and a cornet band serenaded us as our train pulled in. During a half hour's stop, the excursionists mingled with the bystanders and exchanged greetings. We were told that the clergymen of that town had issued a pronouncement against Sunday excursions, and the editorial push in particular, advising the faithful to keep away from the railway station and have nothing whatever to do with the wicked tourists. Coincident with this, we might record the fact that just before reaching



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McMinnville, devotional exercises were begun in the Indiana car. Preliminary hymns had been sung and the scriptural lesson had been announced by Rev. Dearing, chaplain of our car, when the halt necessitated a temporary suspension of the exercises. They were resumed however, on leaving the town. Mr. Dearing preached an able discourse from a text found in 12th verse of 20th chapter of Revelations: 'The books were opened.'

In Memoriam. Walter Lee Crimmins, son of John and Jane Crimmins, died of consumption at their home near McMinnville, July 28th, 1899, and was buried in the McBride cemetery west of Carlton, July 30th.

Card of Thanks. Mr. and Mrs. Crimmins wish to return their heartfelt thanks to their friends and neighbors for their kind attention during the sickness and death of their son Walter. MR. AND MRS. CRIMMINS.

Notice to Creditors. I desire to make settlement of all accounts now due me. Those knowing themselves indebted to me will please make immediate settlement, and avoid making further costs necessary. ELSIE WRIGHT.

Teachers' Examination. Examination for primary, county and state certificates will be held in the court house, August 10-11-12. Examinations to commence at one o'clock, Wednesday, August 9. Following is the order in which the examinations will take place:

For state papers—Wednesday, penmanship, history, spelling, algebra and reading. Thursday, written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, book-keeping and physics. Friday, physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography. Saturday, botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology. For county papers—Wednesday, penmanship, history, spelling, physiology. Thursday, written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar. Friday, geography, mental arithmetic, reading.

Primary certificates—Applicants will be examined on Wednesday, on 'The Art of Questioning and Methods of Teaching.' This will be the only examination held for county certificates until April. H. V. LITTLEFIELD, Co. Supt.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned Executors of the last will and testament of A. C. Davis, deceased, have filed the final account of their administration of said deceased, in the County Court of Yamhill county, Oregon, and said court has appointed Tuesday, September 5th, A. D. 1899, at ten o'clock A. M., as the day and hour for the hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement thereof. Therefore all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified and required to appear in the County Court room in McMinnville, in said county, at said time, to show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be settled, allowed and approved as prayed for in said account, and said Executors discharged and the estate forever and finally settled. Dated August 4th, A. D. 1899. P. Q. DAVIS, L. T. DAVIS, Executors of the Estate of A. C. Davis, deceased. ROGERS & ROGERS, Attorneys for said Estate.

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GOMEZ, the Cuban leader, finding no further need for his services in the island, aspires to the presidency of San Domingo, whose chief executive was lately assassinated, and it is currently reported that the old warrior will take advantage of the political disturbance in the black republic and organize an army with a view to carving his way to the presidential chair. If Gomez is successful in his San Domingo enterprise there is a suggestion to Col. Bryan of a fruitful field in Mexico. An expedition into the land of the Montezumas would be fraught with much danger, it is true, but look at the satisfaction in the realization of one's fondest, though a most forlorn hope—president of a free silver republic!

A Mother Tells How She Saved Her Little Daughter's Life. I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. We thought she would die. I tried everything I could think of, but nothing seemed to do her any good. I saw by an advertisement in our paper that Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was highly recommended, and sent and got a bottle at once. It proved to be one of the very best medicines we ever had in the house. It saved my little daughter's life. I am anxious for every mother to know what an excellent remedy it is. Had I known it at first it would have saved me a great deal of anxiety and my little daughter much suffering. Yours Truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Burdick, Liberty, R. I. For sale by Howarth & Co.

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