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Some of the leading democrats claim that the party needs no reorganization. They say that the democratic party as it stands is good enough for them. Evidently there is still a lack of harmony down the line.

The recent decision of the supreme court of the state of Michigan declaring the sugar bounty law of that state unconstitutional, has caused some uneasiness in other states where beet sugar bounty laws prevail. The decision in Michigan relieves that state from the payment of about \$330,000 to the sugar factories.

There is more gold in the United States treasury than there ever was before and more than in any other national treasury of the world. The exact amount is \$451,477,497, divided into revenue fund, \$150,000,000; gold certificate security \$248,409,579; general treasury, taken in the ordinary transaction of business \$53,067,725. These figures are very comforting and have a great deal to do with those other colossal figures, the election returns.

The part taken by the United States in the recent affair in China was not an act of conquest, but one of protection to the lives and property of American citizens in China, and beyond financial reparation for China's misdeeds the United States has no further demands on the Chinese government. Nothing short of China's absolute refusal to pay a reasonable indemnity will furnish sufficient excuse for the United States to take a slice of Chinese territory.

There is a movement on foot to provide at the coming session of legislature, for primary reform, so that nominations may be made at the primaries. The object is to endeavor to do away to a great extent, the opportunities for boss rule and crooked work and chicanery in the selection of candidates. It is not to be disputed that the nearer the voter is to the nominations and the less machinery that intervenes, the less possibility there is to defeat his wishes by placing men in nomination whom he does not desire. The utility and justice of such a law seems apparent, since it takes the nominating power from the delegate as under the present law, and places it with the voter direct, in the precinct primaries.

There are now about 267,000 Indians within the borders of the United States, and expenditures on their account last year amounted to slightly more than \$10,000,000, of which about one-third was devoted to education. The assumption that the bulk of the Indians are poverty-stricken is as unfounded as the idea that they are rapidly disappearing from the face of the earth. More than thirty-three millions of dollars are deposited in the federal treasury to their credit, and the yearly interest on this sum expended for their benefit amounts to \$1,616,465.96, of which over a million and a half is paid out in annuities. This feature is described by the commissioner of Indian affairs in his report to the secretary of the interior as distinctly detrimental, for in numerous instances it deprives the recipients of the annuities of all incentive to labor for their own support. The old fallacy that the Indians are dying out also receives another refutation in the report of the commissioner. This official points out that the present number of red men in the United States is substantially the same as it was thirty years ago, when the first count of the Indians was made, and that any decrease since 1870 is due to the admission of Indians to citizenship, not to the diminution of the birth rate or an increased percentage of mortality among the tribes.

According to the rate at which the assessors and county courts of Oregon are lowering the valuations to escape the onerous state tax, it will only be a short time until there will

be no property to be found in the state for the purpose of taxation. The matter of an efficient state board of equalization is a subject for the next legislature equal in importance to the election of a senator.

A resident of Walla Walla has been adjudged insane because he thought he was an actor. If all men who have this hallucination were treated likewise, insane asylums would have to be enlarged.

The market for the products of the Oregon dairy exists every day in the week, and extends from the Mississippi river westward to the westward borders of Japan. With this view of the situation no man need hesitate about connecting himself in a business way with the operation of a properly established creamery plant.

Chas. A. Towne, chairman of the silver republican national committee; George H. Shibley, Illinois committeeman; and E. S. Corser, treasurer of the committee, have decided to issue an address in which they will express the belief that the time has come for the giving up of the party organization and the merging of its members into the democracy. All silver and Lincoln republicans will be urged to become democrats in good standing.

The action of the O. R. & N. Co., which will establish a regular line of steamers between Portland and the oriental ports about the first of the year, is a commendable move, in point of benefit to this section of the Pacific coast. It is admitted by all who are conversant with trade relations on the Pacific coast that a new era of business is opening up. Japan is to be to the Pacific states what England is to the Atlantic, and China, with her vast millions, is not far in the background, and it is evident that great changes are taking place in the conditions of Pacific ocean commerce. This commerce must increase vastly in importance and value, and the future of this trade is a matter of supreme importance to Oregon, and to Portland in particular. It is certain that a new era is dawning upon the commerce of the Pacific ocean, and that the states lying on the Pacific are to have great opportunities from it. The first principle to be inculcated in the minds of the people of this section, then, is that this is a country thoroughly and completely capable of producing everything that the export trade requires. The advancement of Oregon depends more than anything else upon the ability and willingness of the people to make the most of the abundance of natural advantages that are everywhere present. The better our foreign shipping facilities, the greater our opportunities in this direction.

The efforts of the northern railroad lines to secure new people have resulted in the increase of population of the state of Washington far in excess of Oregon's increase during the last few years. As a result, Washington is outstripping Oregon in dairying, fruit-growing, manufacturing and diversified farming. What Oregon needs is special work along the line of colonization of men who are not afraid to invest money in enterprises sure to give large returns. Many points in the Willamette valley, our own city in particular, offer rare inducements for manufacturers, but no systematic work is done to induce parties to engage in this work. A tannery, a chair factory, a starch factory, a paper mill, and mills for the treatment of flax fibre, linen factories, creameries, cheese factories, canneries, cold storage establishments for eggs, fruit preserving and shipping concerns, are among the needs of western Oregon. As a forcible illustration, with the price of eggs up to 33c lately, the need of men who understand how to run incubators and brooders seemed pressing. This latter industry, as well as some others enumerated, could be carried on by our own people with a small outlay of capital, as experience in those particular branches would not be essential to success. In short, if our own people will take upon themselves the pleasant duty of doing all in their power to inaugurate a boom in home manufactures it will not be long before experienced manufacturers in lines not represented will listen to our pleadings with confidence, and with an abiding faith in the possibilities of the country, they will come among us to engage in business, and that too, without asking a bonus of money or land. Thus, even if the railroads do not boom us as they have boomed Washington, we can still claim prosperity by just reaching for it.

Colorado and Kansas legislatures will probably enact laws making capital punishment a part of their law after the next session of the legislatures therein. It is better to hang criminals according to law occasionally than to have the state disgraced by barbarous executions by an outraged populace.

San Francisco buyers made an industrious canvass of Oregon and Washington, and succeeded in diverting a considerable number of Thanksgiving turkeys to the California market, which ordinarily would have been sold in Portland. The price must have been higher in San Francisco in order to justify shipping there. Trade is apt to seek the highest market, which maxim the Portland commission men should paste in their daybooks.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, has outlined the following excellent program for the republican party: "We must reduce taxation by taking off war taxes wherever they can be spared. We must maintain the tariff so that our manufacturers may have stable conditions in their home market to build upon. We must maintain absolutely the gold standard, and if additional legislation is needed to strengthen it, that must pass. We must have legislation to develop and build up our merchant marine. There should be further intelligent restriction of immigration, and in the next four years the isthmian canal should be begun." Regarding the Philippines, he declares: "Material development, honest and able government, the largest measure of liberty possible, together with a steady advance to self-government and home rule, such is and such will be, I believe, the policy of President McKinley and of the republican party."

The Women Vote.
In the four states, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah and Idaho, where women have the full right of suffrage, there was a decided increase in the woman vote. All these states were carried by Bryan four years ago. Two gave a majority for McKinley this year and the republicans gained heavily in the other two. In a general way no division is apparent in the four states along sex lines. But there are a few incidental features of special interest. The democratic candidate for congress in Wyoming wrote a letter some time ago in which he said that the woman vote was the easiest to get, the easiest to keep and the easiest to manipulate of all elements in politics. As a result, the republican candidate for congress ran 800 ahead of the electoral ticket, and has the largest majority ever given a candidate in the state. Two-thirds of the women of Wyoming, it is stated, voted for McKinley.

Utah gave the country the greatest surprise of the election, and the woman vote had something to do with the remarkable overturn of the democratic plurality in 1896 of 51,000. Only one woman ran for office in Utah and she was defeated. She was a delegate to the last democratic national convention and seconded Bryan's nomination at Kansas City. Though president of the Utah woman's democratic league, she was beaten for the lower house of the legislature, and the extent to which she ran behind shows that many women voted against her. The woman vote in Colorado increased from 46,270 in 1896 to 86,943 in 1900. Bryan's plurality in the state declined from 134,000 to 35,000, but the falling off was not specially due to the woman vote. In Wyoming the women cast nearly one-third of the aggregate vote of 23,000. No change of a radical nature has yet been developed by full woman suffrage in the four small states where it is established.—Globe-Democrat.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets cure biliousness, constipation and headache. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Howorth & Co., druggists.

At the Christian church yesterday the services were made quite interesting by a short sermon by Pastor Lindsey, who took for his lesson the 23d Psalm. He said that as a nation we should be thankful for our rapid advancement, and for the liberal educational advantages which are ours; that while we are progressing in education the sectarian barriers put up in earlier years of the nation were being broken down, and christians everywhere were beginning to love each other better, and were therefore better able to enjoy the day of Thanksgiving. The chorus of sixteen male voices, the Hobbs-Patty quartet, and Miss Jennie Snyder furnished the music, and the auditorium had been tastefully decorated by Mrs. Lindsey. A large audience was present.

NO MAN IS STRONGER THAN HIS STOMACH.

The stomach is the vital center of the body. It is the organ from which all other organs are fed. A weak stomach means a weak man. There never was a strong man with a weak stomach. What is called "weak stomach" is in general a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, which prevents the proper digestion of the food which is taken into the stomach, and so reduces the nutrition of the body. When all food is taken away the body starves. When the food eaten is only digested and assimilated in part it only nourishes the body in part, and so the body is partly starved. And this starvation is felt in every organ of the body dependent on the blood which is made from food.

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Mr. Thomas A. Swartz, Box 103, Sub-Station C, Columbus, Ohio, writes: "I was taken very sick with severe headache, then cramps in the stomach, and food would not digest, then kidney and liver trouble, and my back got weak so I could scarcely get around. The more I doctored the worse I got until six years passed. I had become so weakly that I got so thin I had grown up to die, thinking that I could not be cured. Then one of my neighbors said, 'Take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and make a new man out of yourself.' The first bottle helped me so I thought I would get another, and after I had taken eight bottles I was weighed and found I had gained twenty-seven (27) lbs. in about six weeks. I have done more hard work in the past eleven months than I did in two years before, and I am as stout and healthy to-day. I think, as I ever was."

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Mrs. J. H. Cook enjoyed a visit from her two sisters of Carlton on Thanksgiving day.

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AMITY.

Frank Coulter, who has been in eastern Oregon the past summer, has come home to spend the winter with his family.

Dr. and Mrs. Matthis took the afternoon train for Portland last Saturday.

There were union Thanksgiving services at the Christian church Thursday. Rev. Douglas preaching the sermon, assisted by the pastor of the Methodist church.

Mr. Martin, who went to the Salem hospital for an operation for kidney trouble, was brought home last Sunday, much benefited, and his relatives and friends believe that the improvement will be permanent.

Mrs. Addie Harrison is in Portland.

Mrs. Minta Ayers of southern Oregon is here visiting her father, John Mahood.

Addison Jellison has returned from eastern Oregon, where he has been spending the summer.

Joe Roth is offering his stock of general merchandise for sale at a bargain. This is the best opening in Yamhill county for some one wishing to go into business.

NEWBERG.

Mrs. J. C. Nelson has returned from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Seattle, Wash.

Rev. D. A. Watters, of Salem, lectured at the M. E. Church on Monday evening, for the benefit of the ladies' aid society. The title of the talk was "Over the Sea to Blarney Castle."

Mrs. W. M. Townsend has been visiting in Astoria.

Mrs. Margurite Elliott visited in Portland a day last week.

The football team is doing some lively practicing these days.

The Epworth league gave an enjoyable social at the residence of Mrs. M. E. Satchwell on Tuesday evening.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

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Mrs. Mills, of Gaston, is down with the smallpox, though her physician, Dr. Tameisie, reports that she is on the convalescent list. She will be quite badly marked, probably as many as two hundred pits showing on face and neck. Her son had the contagion in a milder form and has recovered. The boy caught the disease from his uncle, and communicated it to his mother or else she took it direct from her brother, Magoon. Magoon had the smallpox in Portland, but in so mild a form that no quarantine was established. He stayed at his hotel till the slight eruption had disappeared, then he came out to his sister's at Gaston.

The other cases followed, and there may be more, for no precautions were taken and neighbors visited at Mrs. Mills' until after Dr. Tameisie was called. The law of quarantine is not well established in Oregon, so that the regulations are for the most part voluntary.—Hillsboro Independent.

Miss Jeanie Waddell is the guest of Mrs. Ethel Doris this week.

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