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One of the fears that have recently taken possession of Europe is that if the Czar should banish Count Tolstoi, that eccentric genius and William T. Stead might form a partnership and establish a literary bureau. But now that Tolstoi is to remain in Russia this fear has vanished.

A German paper says the Kaiser's pride is hurt because the bolt from an air-gun hit him. He is entirely too sensitive. He ought to run for office in this country and listen to the speeches of the opposing candidate or read the editorials in the opposition press. Then he might have cause for feeling that his pride was hurt.

"I saw a most singular sight in this town yesterday," writes a soldier boy from Vigau, Luzon Island. "I saw 1,000 Filipinos take the oath of allegiance to the United States. And it is an oath that will stick, for it was taken before the army officers and a priest in the church, and the Filipino is faithful to anything about his religion. The Filipinos came to town early in the morning and lined up in the church, which will hold 5,000 people. They marched to the altar and there placed one hand on the bible and also kissed the crucifix when the oath was taken. This rebellion is busted beyond any doubt, and the body of the Philippine people are mighty glad of it."

Apparently it is the president's intention to keep the new army down to about 65,000 men. This number would be sufficient for all the country's immediate needs in the situation which presents itself at this moment. A larger army will be required for the United States proper than it has had since the reorganization soon after the close of the civil war. The defenses on the coast have never been fully manned, but it is expected that this lack will now be supplied. This will necessitate an increase in the artillery arm to near the maximum figure provided in the law recently passed, but the infantry and the cavalry are likely to get fewer men than were authorized in the act.

According to Chairman Cannon, of the congressional appropriations committee, the amount of expenditures during the next fiscal year will be under \$700,000,000, and this includes \$123,782,688 for the postal department and \$53,000,000 for the sinking fund. Calling it, with these two items included, a round \$700,000,000, and putting our population next year at 78,000,000, it will be seen that our government expenditures will be less than \$9 per capita. Deducting the \$123,000,000 for the postal department and the \$53,000,000 for the sinking fund, the expenditures would be \$6.72 per capita for the year, 56 cents a month, and less than 2 cents a day. The British budget for the ensuing year shows an expenditure of \$305,000,000, or \$21.50 per capita, and a deficit of \$220,000,000 must be provided for in spite of the enormous taxes now levied. The American does not mind that 2 cents a day, in fact he does not know of it, while comparing his own lot with that of the British taxpayer.

The legislators of Maine have decided to apply an effectual remedy. At the session recently ended a statute was passed which provides that "whoever, while on a hunting trip, or in pursuit of wild game or wild birds, negligently or carelessly shoots and wounds or kills any human being shall be punished by imprisonment not exceeding ten years, or by fine not exceeding \$1,000." County officials themselves are subject to penalties if they fail to enforce this law properly. Legislation of this sort, or something similar, is needed in every state of the union in which the statutes do not now contain provisions for the safeguarding of human life against inconsiderate bunglers. Not only in Maine, but scattered all over the United States there are too many excitable, impetuous persons who shoot when they think they see something to kill, and too often they maim or kill hapless human victims. It is only by the

exemplary penalties in such cases that proper caution can be taught to gunners who are naturally heedless and reckless.

The erstwhile level-headed and conservative old state of Ohio, whose residents have scarcely ever had an ambition other than that of holding office, has produced a freak in the person of Dr. C. W. Woolridge, whom the dispatches say advocates the creation of a glacier at the top of San Bernardino mountains that would change the arid lands of Arizona and southern California into a garden. He would have the standing army employed, and suggests as one of its tasks that it erect an immense chimney on the Pacific coast, of such height that the upper air could be carried to the top of San Bernardino mountains, whereby atmospheric action could be used at an extremely low temperature, thus forming, according to his theory, an immense glacier. The presence of this glacier would cause a sufficiency of rainfall, which in that country is now lacking because the upper stratum of the atmosphere is too warm. Dr. Woolridge should come to Oregon if the humane officers in Ohio will permit, and discover some means of improving our climate. A system of immense windmills, and a pipe line to the moon, for instance, might solve the problem of how to rid Oregon of a surplus of moisture, at the same time giving the arid lands of our lunar neighbor the aqua pura which they are reputed to need so badly.

MR. LINDEN'S POSITION.

Not Far Removed From the Republican Fold.

SHERIDAN, OR., April 16th, 1901.

Mr. Editor: I noticed what you said in last week's issue, about my being a populist, etc., and I thank you very much for your compliment; but beg to call your attention to the fact that there is no populist party in Oregon, at this time, and consequently, I am not a populist. The people's party, as an organization, went out of existence last winter, when the state central committee unanimously voted to disband. I suppose it is in order now, for those who have hitherto been identified with that party to seek their political home in some other organization, or be an independent; this last, is about my position. I am waiting to vote with a party that believes that the money question is settled; that believes in standing by the flag when there is a fight on, until the other fellow is whipped, and discuss the merits of the case afterwards; that believes in a modification of the present protective tariff system; that believes in a more economical administration for our government; that believes in an income tax, and opposes the trusts and the granting of subsidies for any purpose. Such a declaration by any party, that honestly intends to carry them out, will sweep the country at the next presidential election. These are democratic principles. What is the matter with the democratic party adopting them at the next national convention?

C. C. LINDEN.

Not in Harmony With His Idol.

It ought to be a source of pleasure to every person in Oregon to meet with as distinguished a person as the president, or chief executive of the nation. The person who will permit his partisanship to prejudice him against honoring the nation's chief executive by extending him a hearty welcome to the state and the best hospitality the state affords, is so waterlogged with blind and unreasoning prejudice that he is not worthy of much consideration.—North Yamhill Record.

The president has announced that he will go to San Francisco soon to witness the launching of a battleship. There is still work for the peace society when the chief executive of a great nation travels across the continent to celebrate the completion of an engine of destruction.—Bryan's Commoner.

The social given last week by the W. R. C. was a success. America was sung by all. Then J. C. Cooper gave a very interesting talk of his trip to Washington. A solo by Mrs. Talmage, a cornet solo by E. A. Smith, Miss Maude Hobbs acting as accompanist. At the table the following toasts were given and appreciated very much: Our Nation, by C. W. Talmage; Our Army, by A. E. Lambert; Our Flag, by C. V. Galloway. A social time followed and all went home feeling that such occasions are bright spots along the pathway of life.

The musical recital at the college Friday evening by the junior and the sophomore classes of the conservatory of music was a very pleasant affair and a success in every way. The stage settings and decorations were pretty, a profusion of apple blossoms scenting the rooms. It was Miss Trumbull's first appearance as a vocalist, and her reception was hearty, and her talents duly appreciated.

Hons. W. D. Fenton and A. H. Tanner leading attorneys of Portland, attended court here early in the week.

We have had a revival in the Christian church all winter and we are delighted to know it does not cease with the beautiful spring. We are troubling the waters each Lord's day evening. The Y. P. S. C. E. and S. S. are growing in interest as results of said revival. All the financial obligations of the church have been met up to date. We appreciate the fact that our choir has no superior in the state. Subject for next Lord's day morning: "A Remedy for Sin." Evening: "How Use Influence?" L.

Has an Appointment.

We congratulate Al Snyder. There is bright prospect of his appointment to the deputy revenue collectorship at Wrangle, Alaska. The position was tendered him on Wednesday by telegram from Senator Mitchell, and he has the offer under consideration. The place pays a salary of \$7500 and expenses. We are pleased to see Al get this windfall. It may prove doubly serviceable to him as a change of climate may prove beneficial to the health of Mrs. Snyder, who is troubled greatly with asthma. It is understood that his presence in the new field will be required early in May.

AMITY.

Fred Garrison was circulating among his Amity friends last Wednesday.

The beautiful weather still continues and garden making and house cleaning is the order of the day.

Willie Graham has bought the huckster wagon of Howard Elliston and will continue to run same this summer.

Mr. Hardin has bought the grocery store of Harris & Co. and will continue the business at the old stand.

All the school marns in this neck of the woods passed very creditably at the recent institute, and of course are happy.

Mrs. Grace Martin and Libbie Cockram went over to Salem last Saturday to attend the funeral of the little son of R. A. Harris.

Mr. Smith has returned from Portland and is once more installed as S. P. agent at this place. He will occupy the Osborne property on Nursery street.

Several parties who own cows are taking their milk to the Jones separator and there shipping the cream to Independence. Amity should have either a creamery or a cheese factory; this would be a paying institution and a Godsend to everyone who has surplus milk or cream. The communities that have these institutions are always prosperous, with plenty of cash in circulation.

SHERIDAN.

Mrs. C. L. Pray is very ill of heart trouble.

A party of young folks went out serenading last Friday night.

The measles are still raging here and seem to be in a very bad form.

Mrs. F. B. Churchman returned Monday night from the hospital at Salem much improved in health.

Fred Garrison has severed his connection with the Sheridan Sun and returned to his home in McMinnville.

Jesse Morris made a business trip to Perrydale last Thursday. Miss Iey Ralston stayed in the store during his absence.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Shortridge has been very low with measles and pneumonia, but is improving slowly now.

Chas. W. Young of McMinnville returned to his home by stage Saturday morning, after a week's visit with Sheridan friends.

Ray Barnhart made a flying trip to Sheridan Monday. He came in on the train Monday night, and left on the early train Tuesday morning.

Mrs. B. E. Fields and son Roscoe departed for San Francisco on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Fields goes to receive medical treatment for a cancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Street left last Monday afternoon for Astoria to visit Mrs. Street's sister, after which they will leave for Denver, their future home. The best wishes of their friends go with them.

Mrs. J. K. Weatherford of Albany, state president of the order of Rebekahs, paid an official visit to the local lodge at this place last Thursday night. While here she was the guest of Mrs. George Neely.

Mrs. J. W. Cowls spent several days in Sheridan last week. She returned to her home in McMinnville last Saturday morning, accompanied by her grandsons, Masters James and Harry Bewley, who will spend a week with her.

Gap Closed.

The operation of through trains between San Francisco and Los Angeles, via Surf and Santa Barbara, will begin on Sunday, March 31, 1901, on the new Coast line. Two through trains daily. The Coast Line Limited leaving each terminal in the morning, equipped with elegant cafe and parlor cars, will make daylight trips through the most picturesque, varied and entertaining scenes on the continent. Inquire of agents of the Southern Pacific.

Eastern Washington and Idaho farmers are putting out an unusual acreage of flax this year. It is for the seed, the sale of which is contracted at a price far in advance of what Oregon can produce a better quality of flax product than her neighbors, and this state will wake up some day to a realization of her possibilities.

N. C. Christenson of Newberg was a business visitor in McMinnville yesterday.

According to his physician's statement the Crar's health is shaky, his hands tremble and his general condition is unsteady, but the editor of a Russian newspaper has been arrested for intimating that he is wobbling.

"Pleasant Dreams"

Cries the young maid to her mother, as she retires to rest. The mother smiles, but sighs. She knows that the pains that rack her will not stop for darkness, and that if she sleeps her dreams will only be echoes of the sufferings of the day.

Why not sleep soundly and rise refreshed at morning, with strength and courage for the day's duties? Weak, nervous women, suffering from backache, bearing-down pains, and other womanly ailments, have found a perfect cure in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It heals the most womanly diseases which cause the pains and nervousness. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

"I deem it my duty to express my heartfelt gratitude for having been the means, under Providence, of restoring me to health," writes Mrs. B. H. Munn, of Springhill, Leon Co., Fla. "For nearly two years I suffered from female weakness so I could not stand on my feet any length of time; could scarcely walk at all. Appetite was much impaired; I had bearing-down sensations; can't express how badly I did feel. Had tried several kinds of medicine which did me little or no good. At last decided to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I had not taken all of two bottles before I saw it was benefiting me, so I continued to take it until I had taken seven bottles, when I felt entirely cured. Did not feel a touch of my old complaint. It has been over a year since I took your medicine, and I can truthfully say that my health has been better for the last year than it had been for four years previously."

"You may publish this as testimonial." Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, in paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 27 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The Best Remedy for Rheumatism. Quick Relief from Pain.

All who use Chamberlain's pain balm for rheumatism are delighted with the quick relief from pain which it affords. When speaking of this Mr. D. N. Sinks, of Troy, Ohio, says: "Some time ago I had a severe attack of rheumatism in my arm and shoulder. I tried numerous remedies but got no relief until I was recommended by Messrs. Geo. F. Parsons & Co., druggists of this place, to try Chamberlain's pain balm. They recommended it so highly that I bought a bottle. I was soon relieved of all pain. I have since recommended this liniment to many of my friends, who agree with me that it is the best remedy for muscular rheumatism in the market." For sale by Howorth & Co.

DAYTON.

I. O. Alderman, the optician, is in town doing business.

Miss Ida Little of McMinnville is visiting with Mrs. Creson.

Miss Marie Mauts is playing the role of chief clerk in Jones' store.

Born, to the wife of F. J. Wirts, on Friday evening, April 12th, a boy.

Wm. Getson and Enin Loop of Perrydale were in town on Sunday last.

The entertainment in the Wirts district was a success, and \$23 was raised for the bell.

Miss Dora Sears, who has been staying with Mrs. J. S. Courtney, has returned to her home in McCoy.

Contagious Blood Poison

There is no poison so highly contagious so deceptive and so destructive. Don't be too sure you are cured because all external signs of the disease have disappeared, and the doctor says you are well. Many persons have been dosed with Mercury and Potash for months or years, and pronounced cured—to realize when too late that the disease was only covered up—

Like Bogots Like, driven from the out again, and to their sorrow and mortification find those nearest and dearest to them have been infected by this loathsome disease, for no other poison is so surely transmitted from parent to child as this. Often a bad case of Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula or severe skin disease, an old sore or ulcer developing in middle life, can be traced to blood poison contracted in early

The Sin of the Parent. life, for it remains smoldering in the system forever, unless properly treated and driven out in the beginning. S. S. S. is the only antidote for this peculiar virus, the only remedy known that can overcome it and drive it out of the blood, and it does this so thoroughly and effectually that there is never a return of the disease to embarrass or humiliate you afterwards.

SSS Contagious Blood Poison in any and all stages; contains no mineral to break down your constitution; it is purely vegetable and the only blood purifier known that cleanses the blood and at the same time builds up the general health.

Our little book on contagious blood poison is the most complete and instructive ever issued; it not only tells all about this disease, but also how to cure yourself at home. It is free and should be in the hands of everyone seeking a cure. Send for it.

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First Comers for Spring

SPRING newness is commencing to roll in. Advance Spring Styles in Gentlemen's Ready-to-wear apparel have made their initial appearance at the Grange Store. We are just in receipt of a

New Invoice Spring Suits

In the New Spring Shapes. These garments are made of serviceable, Fancy Worsted Fabrics, Clays and Cassimeres possessing in a high degree the latest inventions of the Artist Tailor craft. Also a complete line of

NOBBY SUITS FOR YOUNG MEN AND CHILDREN.

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