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It now depends upon the decision of the Japs whether the vengeance policy of the Germans, in China, will be adopted or rejected. Japan's vote in favor of a policy of moderation will go far toward solving the problem. Great Britain, Germany, Austria and Italy favor presenting to the Chinese Peace Commissioner a demand for the imposition of severe penalties upon the authors of the Boxer outrages. The United States, Russia, and France are opposed to asking more than the Chinese Government can reasonably grant. It were well that the Powers agree upon a severe punishment for the Boxer assassins and rapists—a punishment of the highest degree—but the demand of outrageous and impossible indemnity, which will end in the partition of the great Empire, should be smothered. Undoubtedly the American Secretary's latest note has once more shown Europe that the United States purposes to obtain renewed assurances in line with those already given, or segregate the power or powers which have allowed ambition to smother their unselfish purposes.

Minister Conger is said to contemplate resigning his office because the President does not indorse his suggestions for radical action in China. Conger advocates measures which President McKinley regards as too radical, and has not taken kindly to the fact that his views have not been indorsed at Washington. Possibly Mr. Conger has reason to believe in "radical action" in China as he knows what that means when the other fellow is on top, but, by all means let his resignation come quickly and be accepted at once. The people elected Mr. McKinley President, not Mr. Conger, and he should be willing to take a few orders from the boss without getting ruffled. Mr. Conger can have the next chance at the Presidency, and can then do as he likes. But not just yet.

There is a movement on foot to have the question of Malheur's county seat settled by act of the legislature, followed by vote of the county. Vale is now the capital of Malheur, but Ontario, a progressive town thinks she ought to have it. The wide-awake citizens of Vale have forestalled the Ontarians, however, by subscribing a sufficient amount of money to build a two-story stone court house "without the aid or consent of any other nation on earth," and without cost to a single taxpayer in the county. Such enterprise should win and Vale continue to have the honor of the capital city of Malheur.

It is thought that when Lord Kitchener succeeds Lord Roberts as commander-in-chief of the British forces in South Africa, the Boer hair will fly and the troubles soon cease. But, probably Kitchener places little importance to the Boer slogan that before the war is over the Transvaal veldts will "run red with the blood of every burgher" in that land. When men fight to the death the battle is sometimes long drawn out.

The Sultan says that the reason he does not want the newly appointed United States Consul Norton located at Harpoot to look out for our interests in the land of the Turk is because Norton is a "liar." Well, let the Consul say it to his face when Norton goes there to take up his new duties. He is already on the way. But, by the way; how about that little bill of Uncle's? Has anybody lied about that?

It is now said that Paul Kruger's mission to France is to formulate specific charges of the breach of the code of civilized warfare on the part of Lord Roberts in instructing his officers to resort to reconcentrado methods in the effort to entirely crush Boer resistance.

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Creamery Plants Everywhere Successful.

A Virginian's View--Lake County Should Have One--Adin Plant Distributes \$1,040.

In conversation last week with S. D. Hawkins, the Virginian, regarding the creamery business, the gentleman could see no good reason why that industry should not be successful in Lake county. He is somewhat of an enthusiast on the creamery question, and has learned considerable about that business. He believes that when the railroad reaches this section a creamery would be a wonderfully successful enterprise.

In his town, Toms Brook, Virginia, a few farmers got together and formed a stock company to build a creamery, and it proved a big success. The plant with the capacity of milk from 100 cows cost \$1400, and besides obtaining the very best butter possible, the stockholders have made money. After the cream is separated from the milk the latter is returned to the farmers for use on the farms.

Before the creamery was established the regular ranch butter, made in crude form, sold at 12 to 15 cents per pound, but creamery butter sold readily at 20 cents, and the people were glad to get it.

On November 15th the little creamery plant at Adin distributed \$1040 among its patrons, at the close of a month's run. The business of that creamery is steadily increasing. From this it can readily be seen what an important industry a creamery is.

In a summary of the points in favor of the creamery system, the United States Department of Agriculture gives the following:

"First—The quality of the whole factory product is equal or better than the best of the single dairies in the same community.

"Second—A greater quantity of butter produced from the same cows.

"Third—The average selling price and the net returns per pound of butter considerably increased.

"Fourth—The gains sufficient to cover the whole cost of running the creamery, thus causing:

"Fifth—The cash income of the farmer from a given number of cows, as much and usually more than by the old system, while at the same time,

"Sixth—All the labor, trouble and expense of making and marketing the butter is removed from the farms and households.

"Seventh—Relief from the labor of caring for the milk and cream usually results in adding to the number of cows, and the effect of the friendly rivalry between patrons of the creamery, with the frequent money measure of the butter capacity of the cows, tends to a constant improvement in them, and in the consequent profit."

Oregon Bar Association.

The second annual banquet of the Oregon Bar Association was held at the Hotel Portland on the 21st ultimo, C. E. S. Wood, the newly elected President of the Association, presiding. Among those who attended, and who are well known in Lakeview, were Hon. H. L. Benson, Circuit Judge; B. B. Beekman, A. S. Hammond, C. A. Cogswell and Judge Webster. Mr. Hammond replied to the toast, "Discretion of the Court," and C. A. Cogswell, "Exceptions." Judge Henry L. Benson has been elected first vice-president of the Oregon Bar Association.

Among the recommendations passed by the association regarding the John Marshall day was one to the effect that a fitting celebration be held at the capital of the state on February 4, 1901, in commemoration of Chief Justice John Marshall, and that all the colleges and schools throughout the state provide for the celebration of the day in some suitable manner.

Many persons have had the experience of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratford, N. H., who says: "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigestion, but Kodel Dyspepsia Cure made a well man of me." It digests what you eat and is a certain cure for dyspepsia and every form of stomach trouble. It gives relief at once, even in the worst cases, and can't help but do you good. Lakeview Drug Co.

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STRANGE MURDER TRIAL.

Pretty Miss Morrison on Trial for Murder.

"I Forgive You. Ask God to do so and He Will Also."—"I Hope She Will Live!"

The Morrison murder case now on trial in Kansas City is one of the strangest cases that a jury ever had to deal with. The devotion of the accused girl's father is one of the affecting features of the remarkable judicial investigation. In brief, the story of the case is as follows: Miss Morrison, the good-looking daughter of a Kansas Judge, is accused of a terrible crime. On the morning of the 26th of last June, in the vicinity of the residence of Orin Castle, at Eldorado, Kan., screams were heard coming from the Castle house. The neighbors ran to investigate. In the front room were Mrs. Castle and Miss Morrison. Mrs. Castle was lying on the floor, with her throat cut from ear to ear and her body badly bruised. Miss Morrison, who was bending over the bleeding woman, was also cut about the hands and face. She murmured something about a letter. Mrs. Castle was placed in a physician's hands and lived several days. She was terribly wounded, but showed great vitality. When the end was near she sent word to Miss Morrison, "I forgive you. Ask God to do so and he will also." Miss Morrison turned pale and said something about "I hope she will live." After Mrs. Castle's death Miss Morrison was placed under arrest. The motive is a mystery. The tale must be unraveled on the witness stand.

It is believed that testimony at the trial now in progress will reveal the fact that jealousy of the woman she killed was the method in Miss Morrison's madness. She once loved Mrs. Castle's husband.

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