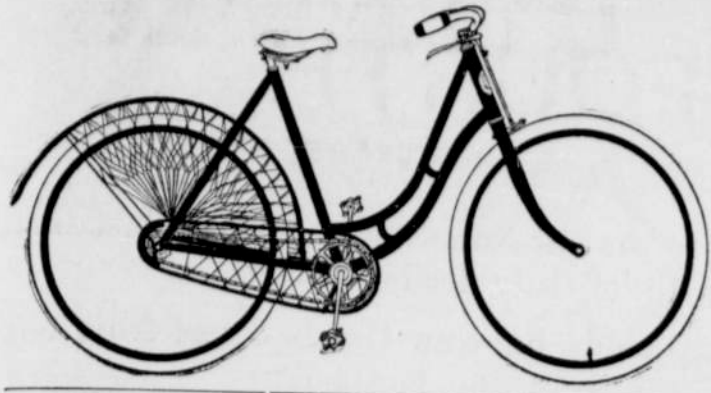


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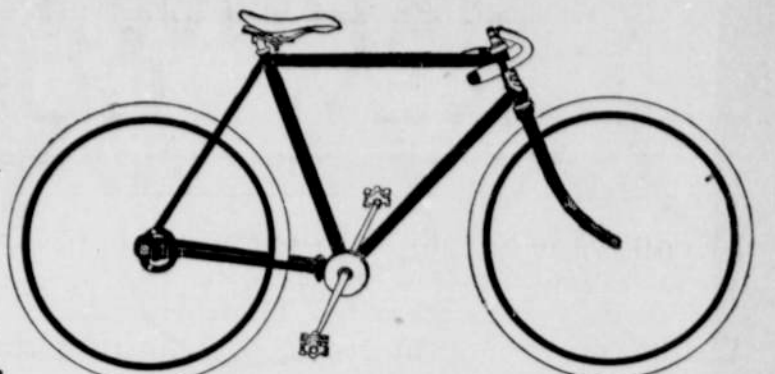


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**Fixing Chuck Holes in Roads.**

A number of roads in this county would be in a fairly good condition at the present time if some provision had been made to fix small chuck holes from time to time, but as it is these have been neglected and allowed to become larger and larger until the road becomes impassable at these points. Where a load of gravel would have fixed several of the chuck holes if they had been attended to at the proper time, it will take several loads now to fill some of them, which means, of course, additional expense in fixing them. In building county roads it is poor economy after fixing them to let them run down. Now that road supervisors have been elected in eighteen districts perhaps it will be easier to attend to fixing roads when they only need a little work upon them from time to time to keep them in good condition. This is a matter which the county officials should consider with a view of having it looked after in future, for it is false economy and a detriment to good roads to spend money upon them and not make any provision to keep them in repair.

**Bovine Tuberculosis.**

Dairying appears to be attracting the attention of a number of farmers in Oregon, and by the establishment of a large number of creameries and cheese factories in some parts of the state the past year the industry is making good progress. There is one feature connected with dairying which needs attention, that of tuberculosis in dairy cattle. The office of dairy and food commissioner is a move in the right direction if it was filled by a person who was a specialist and could determine whether cattle were infected with tuberculosis, and who should have an assistant in each county. We believe the next state legislature should make some provision to ascertain definitely the health condition of the dairy cattle of Oregon, for it is only by the most rigid inspection can this infectious disease of tuberculosis be eradicated in dairy herds. That the disease exists to some extent in the cattle herds of Oregon will be vouchered for where the government inspectors make a most thorough examination at slaughter of all stock before it is killed and the vital parts when the carcass is being dressed, for it is no uncommon sight to see a beef condemned as unfit for human food and consigned to the tank to make fertilizers. We understand that Oregon cattle is not infected with tuberculosis nearly as much as the cattle and dairy herds in California. Take a dairy county like Tillamook, with perhaps no less than twelve thousand head of cattle, and there is no provision made to eradicate the disease or to know where tuberculosis exists. Dairy men can do much by keeping their barns in a healthy condition and with plenty of ventilation, for this is a good preventative for stock not infected with the disease. The medical profession traces many diseases of childhood to the unsuspected cow, and the yearly mortality is variously estimated in all large cities, traceable to the distribution of tubercular infected products. It is not only in milk but in meat that the germs of tuberculosis may be taken into the system and the person become a victim of consumption, therefore a law cannot be made too stringent to condemn cattle and destroy meat infected with tuberculosis.

**String them Up, by all Means.**

The oft repeated assertion made by Otis that the war is over in the Philippines don't appear to pan out that way, for in a report from that island it is reported that a number of American soldiers were ambushed, and that seven were killed, eleven wounded and one missing. But guerrilla warfare is what was expected and may continue yet for a long time. Evidently harsh treatment will have to be resorted to before this mode of fighting can be stopped. It may be considered inhuman and shock the sensibility of a number of Americans who are on the political and not on the shooting line, if it is absolutely necessary to string up a batch or two of Filipinos who may be captured fighting in this way. We predict it would soon have a good effect, for stern measures will bring the natives to time sooner than to keep pandering to them and politely inviting them to lay down their arms. Besides, the lives of many American soldiers will be spared by stringing up a few guerrilla warriors, for that would make the natives scared for fear of getting their neck in the noose. It may be thought un-Christian to recommend such a course, but it's humanity to do so if this guerrilla war in the Philippines cannot be stopped in any other way.

**Bryan's Goose is Cooked.**

The re-nomination of McKinley for president and Roosevelt for vice-president is an assurance that the republican party will remain in power, for it dispels all doubt as to how the electors of New York will vote, which, until the nomination of Teddy, was considered a doubtful state, for this is the year it was expected that New York would flop over and take a somersault to the democratic column. Bryan had a fighting chance before the nomination of Roosevelt. It has all vanished now, and Bryan must consider his political goose already cooked.

**The Unpatriotic Educator.**

The resignation of Dr. Henry Wade Rogers as president of the Northwestern university was not altogether unexpected, for he has not been in complete accord with the trustees of the institution for some time. The direct cause of Dr. Rogers' withdrawal from the college whose head he has been for the past ten years was a difference between him and the trustees of the institution regarding policies and plans regarding the conduct of the university; but back of this is a friction between them which has existed for a long time.

Over a year ago Dr. Rogers began to identify himself with the so-called anti-imperialist movement. At a public meeting held in Chicago on April 30, 1899, he was one of the principle speakers who denounced the national administration and its policy of expansion. At this meeting, whenever the name of Aguinaldo was mentioned it was greeted with cheers, and President McKinley and the American soldiers in the Philippines were hissed. Dr. Rogers was one of those who called McKinley a tyrant and held up Aguinaldo as a patriot and a second George Washington. Following this meeting were several smaller ones in Chicago and vicinity in which Dr. Rogers was the leader and star speaker.

This "pernicious activity" in supporting a man who was in arms against the government of the United States was disapproved by the trustees of the university, and President Rogers was severely criticized for the prominent part he had taken. His attitude of opposition to the government of his own country was bitterly resented by patrons of the school, for the Methodists are a loyal class of people. They regarded his expressions as highly improper from a man intrusted with the education of hundreds of American youth, who should be instilled with patriotic ideas and not with disloyalty to the American flag.

A man who holds such views as those uttered by Dr. Rogers is not a safe man for the head of an institution for the education of young men and women; and when he shows no more discretion or decency than to give public expression to them he certainly establishes his unfitness for the place occupied by him. To teach the doctrine of disrespect to the flag of his country and to encourage the youth under his charge to the belief that men who are in armed rebellion against the government are martyrs to a worthy cause is sufficient evidence that a man is not a proper person to be engaged in educational work. He is a dangerous individual to guide young America. If he holds to such opinions and cannot refrain from making them public, he should join the Democratic party and take the platform as a professional political alarmist.

**The "Good Europeans."**

Talleyrand's "good Europeans," with their "spheres of influence," their consultations and missions, their offers to "lease ports," their unquiet dreams of "partition" are about to make as pretty a mess of their benevolent interference in China as do the good angels of peace who attempt to step in between in a family row. The menacing attitude of some of these covetous peacemakers is certainly not apt to gain the favor of the Chinese government, and may drive the two-faced old dowager empress over to the "boxers" without reserve.

If all the powers were represented at Peking for the same purpose and with the same object that the United States is represented there the present deplorable condition would be impossible. It has been correctly stated that there are four possibilities of the outcome of the present condition of affairs in China: First, the dowager empress will come out victorious; second, the so-called emperor may be restored under a coalition of the foreign powers; third, China may be divided among the nations; fourth, Russia may seize China. The best informed students of international politics are inclined to the opinion that the most probable of the four possibilities named are the first and fourth, with the first having the advantage. If the unscrupulous dowager empress, through connivance with Russia, should escape the consequences of her open sympathy for the boxers, China would be henceforth a very unsafe place for missionaries or foreigners in any capacity. The effort to partition China would result in the most deplorable conditions, unless Professor Goldwyn Brown has overdrawn it. A fearful vista of slaughter and desolation would follow, he thinks. China has a population of 400,000,000, and the inhabitants are fanatically hostile to foreigners. Though unimpaired, they are utterly reckless of life, and being poorly equipped with the modern appliances of war, in the case of a conflict the butchery would be by the millions, and fearful to anticipate.

Americans are not as intolerant of Chinese hostility to foreigners as are some of the European nations. Besides the knowledge on the part of the Chinese that their country is in danger of being seized by these foreigners, the opium wars are an eternal bar to favor and to confidence. There is the warning of Egypt and of other nations old in story. The Chinese are jealous of their rights. They have occupied their country for 4,000 years, and they behold the foreigner as their hereditary enemy. The boxers are a new organization formed to eradicate evils, to them intolerable, and the sympathy of the people as well as the government is with them. They will win in the end.

**Tug For the Nehalem.**

Craft of exceptional strength seem to be in vogue at the present day, and besides the strong steam schooners now building at Supple's, there is another of greater strength being built at the yards formerly occupied by the Hale & Kern Co. at Portland.

This is a tugboat, and will be the property of C. H. Wheeler, a well-known saw-mill owner who has business interest on the Nehalem River. The craft was designed and modeled by J. Johnston, the well-known shipbuilder. The work is being done under the supervision of Edw. G. McKay, one of Portland's early boat builders, and an expert in his line. It is intended to use the boat as a tow craft, for the purpose of bringing lumber barges from the Nehalem country to Astoria.

Her dimensions are 85 feet over all, 20-foot beam and 9-foot depth of hold. The framework is the most astonishing portion of her many advantages. The material used on the ribs is 10 by 12 inches, and placed at an interval of 6 1/2 inches. The work was begun the first of the present month, but some delay has been experienced because of the nonarrival of a portion of the material.

Her machinery is of an old model, and will be secured from another craft in the upper country. Her boiler will be new, however, and is now being placed together at the shops of the Willamette Iron Works. It is not known at just what time she will be launched, as the repairs to the machinery will hold the work back.

**Real Estate Transfers.**

- Homer Mason to Elizabeth Wiley, lot 5 and W 1/2 of lot 6 of block 8, in Tillamook City.
- Howard T. Rankin to Charles L. Graton, W 1/2 of Ne 1/4, Ne 1/4 of Nw 1/4 of sec. 13, and Sw 1/4 of Se 1/4 of sec. 12, tp. 1 S, R. 8 W.
- A. E. and Jennie Cook to Catherine Cook, lots 11, 12, 13 and 14 in sec. 6, tp. 2 S, R. 6 W.
- Jennie A. Robeson to Benson M. Martin, 27 acres in lot 4, sec. 7, tp. 1 S, R. 6 W.
- I. D. Peters to T. E. Davies, W 1/2 of Nw 1/4 and W 1/2 of Sw 1/4, sec. 22, tp. 2 S, R. 7 W.
- John Magnuson to the Astoria Co., Nw 1/4 of sec. 9, tp. 2 N, R. 9 W.
- Althea Magnuson to the Astoria Co., N 1/2 of Sw 1/4 and Se 1/4 of Sw 1/4 of sec. 5 and Ne 1/4 of Nw 1/4 of sec. 8, tp. 2 N, R. 8 W.
- U.S. to Anson F. Rogers, Se 1/4 of sec. 24, tp. 3 N, R. 7 W.
- U.S. to Frederick M. Heidel, Nw 1/4 of sec. 24, tp. 3 N, R. 6 W.
- U.S. to George O. Rogers, Sw 1/4 of sec. 24, tp. 3 N, R. 6 W.
- U.S. to Julia L. Joyslin, Ne 1/4 of sec. 25, tp. 3 N, R. 6 W.
- U.S. to John L. Barnard, Nw 1/4 of sec. 25, tp. 3 N, R. 6 W.
- Geo. W. Phelps to Mary L. Hayes, part of lot 2, in block 8, town of Tillamook.

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