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A NAVAL SITE.

A writer in the Astorian gives a description of Young's Bay, which if accurate would make it one of the finest points for a navy yard to be found in the United States, as well as one of the best situations for a great harbor.

WHY?

It is said by some of the Portland papers that "the greater per cent of the immigrants pass through here and go to the Sound." Oregon is and has been, for several years, quite as well advertised as the Sound country.

WILL NOT DOWN.

Some ideas will not down. You may make war on them, you may legislate against them, you may formulate your barbarism into a creed and demand worship under it, you may watch every remonstrating lip and crush the life out of the thinker and raise your idiotic nonsense into a shibboleth or an idol and demand sacrifice and incense—but the very stones will rise up and cry aloud against it and even the winds will laugh at you.

THE membership of all the farmers organizations is near one and a half millions; of the Knights of Labor, the engineers and the like exceeds one million. They could rule this nation if combined and in union. The trusts and other monopolies rule because of their secrecy and determination.

If any one dies under the so called Christian Science treatment the matter is telegraphed to all the world by the Press dispatches; but not a word is said of the tens of thousands who daily die under the other methods.

ANOTHER PRODIGY.

Oscar Moore, the colored prodigy of Texas, is but four years old. As an arithmetician he is a phenomenon equal to the celebrated Colburn. The most profound calculations are made by him instantly. His judgment is supernaturally good. At the public exhibition in Chicago printed cards containing 1,000 questions, with the correct answers, were distributed among the audience; they read questions at random, and the boy promptly gave the correct answer.

RUMOR has it that Russel Sage, Jay Gould and one or two other eminent railroad operators contemplate gradually withdrawing their funds from their present investments, preparatory to heavy operations in real estate.—Exchange.

And rumor is right, though it may be a little premature. Long ago it was foretold that just as soon as it became worth their while, the monopolists would combine to own all the land. Land ever has and ever shall be the foundation of aristocracy, whether of blood or wealth.

By a preconcerted arrangement the regulars of the medical fraternity are making war on those they call quacks all over the Union. The center and original starting point of the war seems to have been Boston. A bill similar to that which just passed the Oregon legislature is now being fought about in the Massachusetts state house.

GEORGE CATLIN, the celebrated painter of Indian portraits and scenes of aboriginal life and author of books about Indian life, was the originator of the idea of a National Park. In his book "Eight Years," he elaborates the idea and declares he "would ask no other monument to my memory than the reputation of having been the founder of such an institution."

THE new Senate is 30 republican to 37 democrat. Eight new republican senators will come in to represent the four new states making 47 republican senators. Five more republican members will enter the House and give there 8 republican majority, and the government now goes entirely into the hands of the republicans.

THE longest speech ever made, 'tis said, was by Leonard McClure of Victoria, B. C., in the Columbian legislature. He spoke twenty-one hours continuously, occasionally sipping water and looking over books of reference.

PHILADELPHIA deserves her name. Her builders discourage the miserable flats where no family can properly live and this year have put up over six thousand two story houses.

Charles Lamb's brother once knocked down Hazlitt, who had been impertinent, and on those who were present interfering, and begging of Hazlitt to shake hands and forgive him, Hazlitt said, "Well, I don't care if I do; I am a metaphysician, and do not mind a blow; nothing but an idea hurts me."

A Seasonable Hint. Genuine new buckwheat flour, and a fine article of table syrup, at the Grange store, 128 State street, Salem.

DIED.

MASSEY.—At home in North Salem, Tuesday, March 5th, 1889, of consumption, Hiram Massey, aged twenty-one years.

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