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LETTERS FROM THE PUBLIC.

The People's Column Full of Inquiries and Kicks as Usual. ED. JOURNAL. I understood there was a big remonstrance out which a great many signed saying the present bridge was good enough for south Commercial street for twenty years. What has become of it?

[It has so far not been presented to the council. If it is THE JOURNAL will print it in justice to all parties to the discussion.]

ED. JOURNAL. In case of a contest as indicated in your columns, who will act as clerk? PATRON. [The present clerk will hold over until the courts decide.]

Governor Penney says he will not attend the Democratic state convention of his party. He did not attend it four years ago and will not now for the reason that he does not believe that public officials should interfere, even by their presence, with delegate conventions fresh from the body of the people.

ED. JOURNAL. I desire through your paper to make the following appeal to all Salem pastors and church members:—We, the colored people of the city of Salem, make an appeal to you to aid us in paying off the debt on the church building. Donations can be sent to pastor St. Paul's A. M. E. church with names of givers, as we desire to publish all names of parties who do not object.

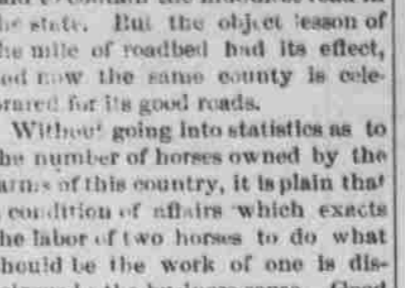
How a Few Miles of Good Roads Operate as an Object Lesson. The road question is now one of the great issues of the day. Of all civilized countries, the United States probably holds the palm for bad roads.

THE ROAD PROBLEM. Roseburg voted a special 10-mill school tax without a dissenting voice. That's business, and it speaks volumes for the enterprise and progressiveness of its citizens.

NEW DAILY MAIL STAGE Between Aurora, Butteville, Champoug, St. Paul and Fairfield. Leaves Aurora daily at 10:30 a. m. Arrives at Fairfield 2 p. m.

Those Afflicted With the habit of using tobacco COMPLETE, PERMANENT CURE AT THE KEELEY INSTITUTE

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Food Report.



ABSOLUTELY PURE

A large orchard is to be planted on the lowlands near Blatock's station, below Walls Walls. About 125 acres have already been prepared and a current wheel will pump water from the river for irrigation purposes.

Hopgrowers in Polk county in the vicinity of Dallas and Eola report that the hop house has made its appearance in those localities.

Roseburg Review: W. K. Caldwell informs us that hopgrowing is to receive some attention in this section in the future. On Hubbard creek, B. Sprague will put out a yard of six acres, and J. E. Zachra, one of fifteen acres. On the Calapooya, J. S. Miles will have a yard comprising several acres.

A gentleman who was walking over the hill at Astoria, located some town lots, came very near getting shot. A ball, evidently shot from a rifle, whizzed by his head too close to make him feel comfortable.

A Little Girl's Experience in a Lighthouse. Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trewett are keepers of the Gray Lighthouse at Sand Beach, Mich., and are blessed with a daughter, four years old.

New Washington, Penn., people are not slow about taking hold of a new thing, if the article has merit. A few months ago David Byers, of that place, bought his first stock of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

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Going to Behring Sea. WASHINGTON, March 15.—The United States steamer Thetis, which has been surveying off the coast of Lower California, has arrived at San Diego, and will be ordered to San Francisco to be fitted out for service in Behring sea.

DRIVEN INSANE

By the Loss of Her Baby Woman Takes Her Life. SUICIDE BY HANGING. How Mrs. Catherine Myers Took Her Life Yesterday.

PORTLAND, March 15.—Catherine Myers, a German woman, wife of Antone Myers, proprietor of a sausage factory at 287 Third street, hung herself in her room yesterday and the body is now resting at the morgue.

The story of the tragedy is the closing chapter in the drama of a sad life. Driven crazy by grief over the death of a babe while yet suckling at its mother's breast, Mrs. Myers, in a fit of madness, has departed this world.

Mr. and Mrs. Myers live in rooms over the Orin saloon, at 287 Third street. They are natives of Germany, having been in this country about twelve years. They have been married only a few years, and the fruits of their union was the child—the joy and pride of the parents' hearts.

But it was too frail to be nurtured into strength in this world, and six months after its birth the babe was laid in the grave. The loss of the little one unbalanced the mother's mind, and she has been demented ever since. Not a few weeks ago the doctors attending her decided that she must be committed to the insane asylum, but, as her insanity had never taken a desperate form, her husband was loth to have her taken away from him.

Yesterday Myers was working usual in his factory back of the saloon, and had left his wife in her room with no suspicious of any unusual demonstrations on her part. About 9:30 he had occasion to go upstairs, and found her hanging by a rope and swinging clear of the floor. A ribbon doubled was securely tied around her neck, and a common clothes line was fastened at one end to it, and the other around the sill of the transom over the door. An overturned chair was evidence that she had climbed on to it and fastened the rope, and then kicked it over.

Myers was too overcome to collect his senses, and instead of cutting her down rushed out of the room and downstairs, crying that his wife had hanged herself. John Bellin, deputy sheriff, was passing at the time, and on hearing Myers' story went upstairs with him to investigate the matter. He immediately cut her down and dispatched a messenger for a doctor and a coroner. The woman's eyes were open as she hung in her ghastly situation, and she winked several times, but was unable to say a word. It was evident that she had not been in the position long. She was black in the face and unconscious, and expired before the arrival of the doctor.

The coroner arrived soon after, and the woman was taken to the morgue. A deep red mark on her neck showed only too plainly how she had met her death. She is a plain looking German woman of about 30 years of age. She had no other children.

Mortality of Mexican Generals. CITY OF MEXICO, March 15.—There has been great mortality among the generals of the Mexican army during the past few months, and the list that was increased Sunday by the death of General Ignacio Penjaro at his home in Acambato.