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"TO-DAY'S NEWS TO-DAY."

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THE TEST HAS BEEN MADE.

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A MILD DENIAL.

The Oregonian denies the mild inference of THE JOURNAL that possibly the only use that the state board of charities had been to anybody, was to give a fifteen hundred dollar clerkship to one of the Oregonian force. It calls THE JOURNAL a "very disreputable newspaper" etc. The secretary of the board of charities is not on the form of the Oregonian it says. He is simply a paid writer on that newspaper. The people will hardly know the difference. THE JOURNAL has not said it was any crime to be a member of the Oregonian force or clerk of the state board of charities. The Oregonian should be above allowing a member of its force to get a salaried position or a clerkship in the legislature on account of his position on that paper. The state board of charities ought to be wiped out of existence, if for no other reason, than allowing the state to salary a young man on the Oregonian force, whether he is paid by the week or by the column. After a while the only way to get official promotion no doubt will be through the doors of the million dollar Oregonian building.

If the young man of the Oregonian were holding this fifteen hundred dollar clerkship in order to give the people the benefit of his discoveries or of any investigations that the board might conduct, through the columns of that paper, it would be a more tolerable scheme. The board has conducted several investigations of state institutions. Has ever a word leaked into the Oregonian through this salaried channel of information? Not a word. Will the Oregonian reporter give the public one word about the investigation at one of the state institutions which the board is now conducting? No, a word. We do not assume that there is anything to report or if there was that this board would report it. Reforms in state institutions are not reached in that way. They are reached only by the fearless exposure of the press and when the press is used to get office and hold office its services to the people become a secondary matter. The abuse of these boards by foisting upon the paid members of newspaper forces, and regularly paid newspaper writers is at the bottom of a great deal of corruption in the public service. And this is not the only branch of the public service in which the Oregonian has men paid out of public funds.

THE LEGISLATURE.

There is a remarkable absence of political issues at this session of the legislature. None of the members seem to have come to Salem for any special purpose, except those who have appropriations to look after. They all, of course, represent their constituents in a general way, but seem to be as devoid of any special political schemes looking to the future as new-born babes. There is an occasional aspirant to sit in the chair of governor, or some other state office. Eastern Oregon wants the portage railway built, and Speaker Keady has declared himself heartily in favor of that measure. But there is no politics in that. Every member is or should be in favor of that upon the general merits of the proposition. It passed the senate two years ago and died in the house. This year it will pass both houses, and as the governor has helped build one portage the state will probably ask him to help build another and thus throw the Columbia open to the traffic of the whole eastern portion of the state. That will mean a new day for Oregon.

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THE DUTY OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.

The Republican house caucus at its session took the first step toward making a good record for the party when it adopted the resolution restricting expenditures for clerk hire. It is nonsense for any one to pretend that it should cost the state \$45 a day to perform the clerical work at the desk in front of the

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



THE NEWEST NOVELTIES.

Claret pitchers are cut intaglio. Glass vases are filed with bows of metallic ribbon. Dresden china is now fashionable for small wares and special dishes. Bohemian glass is now made like an alexandrite, which is green by day and red by night. A handsome whisky flask is of dark blue glass mounted in silver, with cuttings of fish, shells and seaweed. One of the finest pieces of bric-a-brac is a caravel of silver, covered with pictures in enamel. These are from antique subjects and each is a different picture.

The latest fashions in pocketbooks are black seal; cigar cases of lizard skin, card cases of salmon colored seal, memorandum books of lizard or alligator skin. All are tipped with silver. Modern delect is one of the most attractive wares now shown, since it is used in such a variety of interesting articles. An ink set simulates a steamship with small boat hanging from the davits. —Jewelers' Circular.

WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

The National Farmers' Grange has voted against opening the World's fair on Sunday. One of the curious things to be exhibited at the World's fair is a map of the United States, 18 by 25 feet, made of pickles. Catharine Weed Barnes, of Albany, will deliver an address before the photographic convention at the World's Columbian exposition. The managers of the Chicago exposition have made restaurant arrangements which will enable them to seat 45,000 persons at one time. Spain's Columbian exhibition committee is organizing a military band comprising 100 performers, who will give concerts during the entire period of the fair.

The territories of New Mexico, Arizona and Oklahoma have united on plans for a joint World's fair building, in which each of the territories will have its headquarters.

A gathering of players one of the party told a little tale that amused them all. "It was in London that I heard it," said he. "Three actors were dining together, and one of them left the table a little early. 'Poor old Hanks,' says one, 'thinks he can play Hamlet! Why, he isn't up to melodrama.' 'That's so,' says the other. 'I saw him do a serious part once, and it was the funniest thing of the season. Well, I must get to the theater. Good night, old man.' The one who was left at the table gave him good night, and as he watched him receding down the room he folded his arms across his breast and soliloquized: 'Poor old Fitz! Thinks he can play lago. The audacity of that man is sublime.' 'After he had smoked up his cigar he likewise arose and stalked out. Then the waiter ran his fingers through his hair, rested on his right foot, put his hand into his waistcoat, and in Irving's esquisse tones exclaimed: 'For his own benefit: 'These youthful popinjays fancy that they—they, forsooth!—have learned the art of acting. Now, when I was in the legitimize'— But just then he caught the landlord's eye and began to clear away the dishes.'—New York Sun.

NOTICES OF NEW BOOKS.

The JOURNAL review editor is thrown into an unusually pleasant frame of mind by receiving from the author, Judge William C. Jones, of Robinson, Ill., a copy of "Birch-Rod Days, and other poems." The lines contained therein are written in a most happy vein, yet they are nearly all contemplative in character. In perusing its pages one cannot but conclude that the writer is a happy, contented American citizen, one whose highest ideal is a perfect home life for all his fellow men. Judge Jones was a college champion of the Hoop, G. H. Holman of Salem, at Delaware, Ohio, in the early sixties, and the poem which gives his back its title relates the experiences of those interesting days.

If any reader would take a summer outing in midwinter, or enjoy a light summer atmosphere by the January fireside, he or she should read Mrs. J. H. Riddell's latest novel, "A Mad Tour." It gives a lively account of a tour on foot on the continent, and is one of the brightest e-books issued from the press of the United States Book Co., Chicago. Price, 50 cents.

"The Woman who Dares," by Ursula N. Gesteled, is a recent volume on the sociological question which is just now attracting such wide attention. It is published by Lovell Gesteled & Co., New York and is well worth reading, even by those who are not in sympathy with the idea set forth by the authors. Many works are coming forth on this and kindred subjects, all of which find an appreciative circle of readers among those who accept their standard of truth as the correct one. The Gesteled volume no doubt reaches as large an audience as any work of the kind easily can.

"The Rose" is a valuable book published by Dodd, Mead & Co. on the cultivation, history and management of that favorite flower. It is from the pen of H. B. Ellwanger, of Mt. Hope nurseries, at Rochester, N. Y., an experienced florist. His chapters on the soil, planting, pruning, diseases, hot house work, etc., have a practical value that every rose grower in Oregon would appreciate. Some of Salem's many amateurs should possess the book and profit by it.

Prickly Heat.

The affection known in hot climates as "prickly heat" is not confined to the tropics. Certain occupations induce it. For example, bakers, grocers, bricklayers, washerwomen have it, and in a very painful and serious degree some times. It is a non-contagious disease of the skin, characterized by the appearance of small, hard, slightly red, accompanied by itching. This disease appears on the forehead, neck, chest, arms, hands and feet, the sides of the neck, face. It is often due to irritation in diet or habits. The best treatment is simple, unstimulating food and proper attention to the skin's health. A daily cold or hot shower should be resorted to. It is the cure of the disease.

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Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1898. Co-executors of the last will and testament of H. H. Ringo, deceased, 12 9 5w ALVA K. RINGO

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