MONDAY, DEC. 23, 1895.

HARVEY SCOTT-POPULIST.

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Harvey Scott of the Oregonian is a curious combination of plutocrat, pr pulist and pessimist. After borrowing \$300,000 to build a marble palace for of taxes on the taxpayers of Portland. In order to carry out this stroke of plutocratic socialism he relieved \$30,-000,000 of foreign capital from taxation and threw it on the shoulders of the people of the entire state. Another stroke of plutocratic socialism was getting up a bill to buy the Morrison street bridge and Stark street ferry, when it afterwards appeared that interested parties who own the Oregonian had a mortgage on both, and no sooner were the \$200,000 bonds transferred when the ferry was tied up and the people found the bridge let to the Electric Street Car Movopoly for a long term, and the only gain to the public is the privilege of paying for the bonds and interest. The cheek of a man, who helps carry out schemes of this size, to say nothing of city hall committee. commissions, waterworks jobs, Trinidad Paving companies, railroad receivership swindles, and the very old nick knows what not-then turns Populist and howls about the poor hoppicker and the unrighteous steals of the legislature, when the big steals and jobs were concocted by him and

In Monday's Oregonian Harvey Scott says:

The state administration, notorious power of power for two years.

This is copied by Populist papers with

The above is a bare-faced lie about our present state officials as results will at the end of two years will show reductions of hundreds of thousands of true. Harvey Scott and his gang have monopolized the politics of that county. Observer have the entire state under they have had little or no opposition until of late years. They have run the until of late years. They have run the until of late years. city five millions in debt. This gang controlled the last senate where every member had all the \$5, or \$10 a day clerks he asked for. Of the #16,000 expended for clerks more than twothirds of the expense was incurred by Harvey Scott's gang in the senate. But even that is a drop in the bucket compared to the big jobs which his paper and his influence has imposed on the people of Oregon. Then he has the impudence to talk about state officials keeping their pledges to the people.

HOW IT COMES BACK.

The Bank of England is getting more gold these days than it knows what to do with. It has about \$90,-000,000 more than it had two years ago This is all right, however. The Bank of England is as good a place to keep the world's spare cash in as can be found anywhere. When business gets lively again in this country much of the gold which we have recently lost will come back in the shape of invest-

The above paragraph is from the St. Louis Globe-Damocrat. The Bank of England may be as good a place to keep the world's gold as there is. But it will be no particular benefit to this country to have that money come back here to be invested. Our country has owing England and other European money lenders bundreds of millions payable in gold. American gold mines last year produced only \$44,371,949 of gold bullion according to the report of the mint. We do not produce gold enough to pay the bondholders of Europe the annual interest which we owe them. It is folly to talk about more gold coming back here for invest ment. The next bonds our country price. The manufacturers who do the puts on the market should provide that! neither the interest nor the principal Their rivals naturally do not like it should be payable to other than a bona fide American citizen. The bonds should be sold to our own people for what they will bring. The credit and integrity of the Americans formed a good enough basis for finance in time of war, and should be good enough in time of peace.

Mr. Hermann, of Oregon is second on the committee of rivers and har-bors. He will be able to do a great deal more for Oregon in that position than he would as chairman, as he will have Oregon alone to look after.

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THE RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF T

SPEAKER REED'S COMMITTEES OU ANT

The new house committees have been announced by Speaker Reed and his newspaper, and agreeing to pay the show that he has New York, Penntaxes on the loan for ten years, he gets sylvania and England the important pealed and thus unloads about \$120,000 portant committees—foreign affairs and appropriations. This looks like feathering his nest for the presidency. Henderson, one of the strongest men in Iowa, gets second place on rulesone of the strongest men in the house. ANSWER BY A CATHOLIC EDITOR The younger and weaker men from Iowa are given prominence, Iowa and Oblo have leading candidates for the presidency in McKinley and Allison- Rev. Roland D. Grant's Statements

Reed has made friends with Cannon f Illinois-the nestor of the house and a Republican who has never had much patience with Reed's tyrannical methods, of over-riding men even of his

Mr. Hermann was not given the while unloading the burdens on the up for the presidency althrough his l'he latter price was said to be sufficommittee incebation. There is this clent to atone for despoiling the virtue to be said of Reed: He would have been charged with fostering his presistatements made by the Rev. Mr. for the violation of every promise of been charged with fostering his presiretrenchment in public expenses and nential aspirations, no matter how he Grant." reform in methods that proceeded its arranged the committees. He has inauguration, has a further lease of boldly arranged them for that purpose and there is no concealment about it.

The Grant's Pass Observer published was nicely illustrated and contained a show at the end of the first two years. descriptive write-up of the resources of These officials are keeping the piedge Southern Oregon. It shows a remark- in which he is reported to have said, in made the people to cut down the exable variety of interests and delights a lecture in that city, that Roman
peases of state government to meet the
the year around to entice the weary conditions of hard times. Their work pilgrim seeking rest to settle down amid its heavenly delights of climate, crops, mines, game, and brainy, enerdollars. The state tax is lower than getic population. Such a paper cannot ever before. The statements of the but bring Grant's Pass into touch with Oregonian and rottenness and corrup-new people, and stimulate those tion in Portland politics are no doubt true. Harvey Scott and his gang have prosperous. The publishers of the

> The Barings and Rothschilds are the Udited States. It will be a blessed day for our country when they are not ask to do so. This nation should coin bring myself to believe that Dr. Grant its own gold and silver instead of talking about borrowing bullion of the old

The Great Tobacco War.

Many of our readers know of the war existing between the manufacturers of plug chewing tobacco, but few, perhaps, are familiar with the cause. For years some madufacturers have

been making enormous profits by giving consumers a small piece of plug for ten cents. Recently a very large manufacturer, seeing that the time had come for better things, has placed a maliciously traduced 10,000 of the law new brand called Battle Ax on the abiding citizens of Portland. market, which gives the consumer a very large piece of most excellent quality for the same price. This her raised a great storm among those who are hurt by it, but it gives joy to those who use the goods. In Battle Ax they get a greater quantity for their money, while the quality is equal to the finest of other brands. This has naturally too much foreign capital now. We are had the effect of greatly decreasing the business of those who have held to the old way, and it has materially curtailed their enormous profits. On the other band Battle Ax now taxes the resources of three large factories, which by running night and day, are still unable to make the goods fast enough

to satisfy the enthusiastic demand. The people want a good thing and the most of it that they can get for the best by them will get their trade. They raise a mighty howl, but the AX will cut them down.



at Salem.

and Denial Published.

The following was sent to the Oregonian from SalemDec. 18: "The Rev. man; with a legal quibble over every own party, when it suited his notion Roland D. Grant, of Portland, deliv- great popular franchise; with a legal to make a point by doing so. His age ered a lecture in the Baptist church gloze for every clear word of freedom; and ability put Cannon in a position here last night on "The Nation's with legal petifoggery against every where Reed could not ignore him and Perils," The speaker claimed the ad- establishment of right; with a legal he is chairman of the appropriations vancement of Roman Catholicism in weapon for nullifying every victory of this country is dangerous to the nation, and in conclusion made the state- Haggorty lately said, in the assembly, quairmanship of rivers and harbors, ment that Archbishop Gross, of the to pry open every man's safe; with Toat also went to New York as part of diocese of Oregon, had subscribed to a | legal mechanism for tearing out every the deal that will unite Reed's fortunes list of indulgences which might be exstill more strongly with those of Platt tended to sinful humanity. The rearing every pillar in the edifice of and Quay. Mr. Reed's objection to speaker said the list of sine published wrong? Hermann, that he always had his in indulgences was graduated, and the sleeves rolled up working for appropri- guilty person might obtain immunity stions, is a small objection when com- from punishment therfore by paying that Reed has had his sleeves ro'led from 35 cents for small sine to \$1350.

A REPLY TO THE ABOVE. The absence of Archbishop Gross in

the East, is printed in the Oregonian: PORTLAND, Dec. 20.—(fo the Editor.)
-Ouly today have I read Thursday's a fine 16-page Christmas edition. It Oregonian, in which a telegraphic dispatch from Salem reports a lecture de livered in Salem, December 18, by the Rev. Roland D. Graut, of Portland, Catholicism in this country is danger ous to the nation, and that Archbishop Gross, of the diocese of Oregon, had sutscribed to a list of indulgences which might be extended to sinfus numanity, and that the guilty person might obtain immunity from punishment by paying the price, which was said to range from 35 cents to \$1350, which latter price was said to be sufficient to atone for dispoiling the

ment for yiolating a virgin, only ignorant bigots will believe; but that does not, in any manner, excuse such an threatening to take no more bonds of unblushing lie. No amount of money made the statement with which he is accredited; and yet I have heard him the creek and woods. Yes, and let Udulid world Jews, and issue its treasury notes on the faith and credit of the ruth. He told his congregation that protestant marriage is invalid, and that children of a protestant marriage are illegitimate. If two baptized protestants are married by a protestant olergyman, and they are divorced, ueither of them can be married to a Catholic by a priest, whilst the other is living; that tells how the Catholic church regards protestant marriages.

At this very time, protestants and Catholics are denouncing the Jewbaiter, Ahlwart, whilst right among us

ROBERT HAYDN, Editor Catholic Sentinel.

The Oregonian says editorially: That is a very extraordinary series of addresses Rev. Dr. Grant has been delivering in the cities of the valley. They have been reported for the Oregonian with great moderation, and, we are assured, with scrupulous accur-acy. No intelligent person will believe the statements made in relation to Archbishop Gross, or share in the judgment passed upon the teaching of science in the state university.

In the same issue of the Oregonian was this, at the end of an elaborate interview:

Tuesday night Dr. Grant lectured at Salem. In the dispatch from Salem the next day, he says he was wrongly quoted. His remark as to include ocs, he says, "was the immolation of a girl suggested by Archbishop Gross for the escape of a soul from purgatory."
Dr. Grant will speak on "Indulgences"
anday night at the Baptist church.

A PERSONAL STATEMENT. In a letter received today by Rev. J P. Farmer of the First Baptist shureh, Roland D. Grant says: "I did NO!" say as reported by the Oregonian correspondent, that the indulgence was for 'the spoliation of a virgin.' I did without them. say it was that Gross would have a girl to be immolated in the monastery at M .. Tabor for the benefit of the soul w o paid \$1,330 and that her continued highly sacrifice of her self would accrue to the man's benefit, both here and after them, and death, and until finally released into many are taking them Heaven."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

John Swinton on Lawyers. "In the business of subverting the libertles of our beloved country, I do not dread the soldier with his riffs, nor the conspirator with his mask, nor the fool, funatic or demagogue, nor the king in his regalis, nor the cleric with his tongue, nor the editor with his quill, nor estan with his borns, nor yet the millionaire with his millions, if they have but a fair field. The man to be dreaded in this republic is the shys tering lawyer; legal machination is the thing of menace and danger. It is in this country especially that the people need to be on the alert against legal in and has the mortgage tax law re_ pieces, and Illinois the two most im. The Archbishop Was Attacked quibblers; here they swarm as they do the courts, but in the legislatures and lobbles, and every place of power and greatness.

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"Not a guilty deed has ever been perpetrated by power; not a base treason has ever been hatched against the commonwealth; not a device has ever been set for the suppre-sion of any popular rite, but the false lawyer has stood ready to uphold it with the armament of false legality. He battered the twelve tables of Rome, he made of no effect, the ten commandments of Moses; he stifled the genius of Magua Charta, and he is no scuttling the Constitution of the United states."

Oregon and Her Christmas Greens. The green holly boughs, boys-heigh ho!-and the mistletoe-O, ho! What a great wealth of Christmas greens to make homes cheery and sad hearts glad. Let us all have a share in the beautiful greens. Give the little boys a few pennies and have them troop to the woods and bring great armfuls of the mistleroe and holly, ferns and trailing vines; the red berries and the beautiful white wax berries, and bring good cheer into our homes and to our friends. Hang up the mistletoe and ribbons, and add the good cheer to the passers-by. Drape the glossy leaves and long trailing stems of the ivy over your pictures and doors, and also the pretty creeping vines of the woods. Have a vase of the hardy fern that snuggles in the cool and moist nooks of the Catholic church teaches that a damask, or of the simple snow white cloth of the humblest home. Let us all have a tree, old and young together, and let us not forget that these things and many others were given us that we might know of this never-ending love, so let us carry throughout this Christmas tide peace, love and good will toward all. COR.

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