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EDITORIAL.

The highest estimates give the wheat crop of Washington and Idaho at thirty to fifty million bushels. Harvesting, threshing and marketing this crop will employ thousands of laborers. After it is marketed the producer will pay off debts and back interest. The surplus will be expended on improvements on land and investments in business. New wealth, created and distributed for the first time alone produces highest prosperity

Real estate will be slow to respond to the better times that have set in for our country. Lands generally are offered for about one-half what it was held five years ago. Much land was sold at high prices on credit and is encumbered with mortgage debt, which at a high rate of taxes and interest at ten percent has either changed hands or been sold for taxes. For instance: property valued at $40,000 in Portland was mortgaged at $15,000 at ten percent. Mortgage has taken it and would be glad to sell at $15,000. It is rented and pays about three percent on his investment. A city lot at Salem of 1¼ acre, with good house and 100 fruit trees sold for $8 00. It rented for $30 a month. Now offered for $3500, rents at $10. Property will not soon come up to the prices paid five years ago. Before sales can take place there must be liquidation of old debts. This will be an obstacle to sales. But there will be a considerable demand this year yet for cheaper class of farms and homes. Next year we may look for a better demand if prices of wheat and other crops keep up. Now is the time to buy a cheap farm or home.

What sense is there in Chairman Hooker, of the River and Harbor committee of congress going down the Columbia where all that can be done to give the mouth of that river a deep channel has ben edone? Why don't the New York chairman visit Yaquina Bay, the Umpqua, Coose Bay and places where extensive improvements are on the stocks? This is significant of a policy of doing nothing for Oregon.

Give the children an outing once a week with a picnic dinner under the cooling shades of a tree near home somewhere.

J. L. Jones, of Corvallis is publishing "The New Dispensation." He says: "Nature abhars a vacuum—especially in a flour barrel." Mr. Jones wants a printing outfit. He says: "We do not propose to publish advertisements or any irreleyent matter." Unless Mr. Jones has a stake in Klondike he will strike that abhorrent flour barrel vacuum.

There ought to be a law against killing the great American eagle, noble specimens of which still survive along the rivers, lakes and bays of Oregon.

We are not prosperous yet but when it takes four days' labor to find one days' work. Men who can find employment even at 75 cents to $1 or $1.25 a day better take it. There is a long winter ahead when there won't be much doing. The use of improved farm machinery enables the land owners to cultivate with one man and a team as much as five or ten can harvest. The season of employment lasts at best but three months. Then there are eight or nine months with no employment to speak of. A laboring man to live in such a country must have the foresight of a Philadelphia lawyer.

The Wells, Fargo Express company shows a very gratifying balance sheet for the year just closed. We are glad some one has made money, even if it was a high-priced monopoly.

The rumor that Justice Field, of the United States supreme court expects within the next few weeks to resign the judicial ermine, which he has worn for the past 34 years, is again revived in Washington, D. C. Scarcely a year passes without resurrecting this somewhat antiquated rumor, but in spite of all efforts to retire the associate justice from public life, his career of judicial activity glides on.

In all human likelihood, however, the retirement of Associate Justice Field from the supreme bench cannot long be delayed. With the burden of four score years weighing heavily upon him it is only natural that he he should crave some rest from the exactions of his high office, and the wonder is that he has not seen fit to resign long before this But the associate justice is made of ambitious material. Twice in his judicial career he has ventured to aspire to the highest position on the bench, only to be disappointed each time. The only solace which is now left to the aged jurist is the prospect of eclipsing Chief Justice Marshall's period of service on the bench.

In the muddled state of Oregon politics it is not likely that anyone from this state will ever apply for Field's place.

THE ONE CENT X-RAY DAILY is a good tonic to encourage your neighbor to enlist in the grand army of good government Show him a sample.

Eighty thousand Oregon sheep are being driven overland to Kansas.

Mark Hanna is welcome to all the assistance he can get in carrying Ohio from General Coxey and his confreres. The Bryan Democracy is well rid of all that class of middle-of-the-roaders. A safe, sound, conservative and enduring financial system cannot be founded upon the gold standard, the silver standard, nor on fiat money. The intelligence, commonsense and progress of the world today demands bimetallism, or the double-standard supplemented by a sufficient volume of full legal tender national treasury notes.

The Washington county Hatchet seeks to make out the editor of the Oregonian insincere, for declaring bimetallism to be the "most mischievous and dangerous of errors," and yet supporting "McKinley who openly advocated bimetallism." Editor Austin Craig should attack Editor Harvey Scott on other lines. Mr. Scott has been accused of being a free trader and what not under the sun, but he has never been accused of wavering in his advocacy of the gold standard. He boldly declared that the bimetallism in the last Republican platform was only a subterfuge to catch votes

A Salem woman has performed a wise act in sending her daughter to a business college instead of leaving her the dangerous alternative of drawing a lucky number in the lottery of marriage. The business college promotes woman's progress.

Lotteries are forbidden by law, and the conviction of a Salem merchant trying to beat the holder of the lucky number in a bicycle lottery he conducted in open defiance of law for six months, may have a good result.

There is no greater cruelty than to send out a livery team with tightly drawn overhead checks.

"The Land of the Dollar" is the latest work of critism on our country and is having a wide sale. It is published by Dodd, Mead & Co., New York, and written by G. W. Stevens who spent the year 1896 in the United States to write a book. He entered deeply into the details of the contest for the presidency and it is said to be the first attempt on the part of an averaue Englishman to give a true picture of America as she really is. The book is made up of a series of letters contributed to a London newspaper during the campaign of 1896. It is written from first to last with unflagging vivacity, clearness and sympathy. The author calls himself "an ignorant but unprejudiced Englishman." The ignorance does not matter; It is the lack of prejudice that is the important thing. And Mr. Stevens, whether he writes of the United States navy, or McKinley, or the Colorado silver men, or American hostility to England, or Chicago, or our railway system, or breakfast table, is keen sighted, amusing and unbiased. He introduces just enough criticism and comparison to make an American realize what manner of country America is; and his comment is never harsh and unreasoning, but sober, kindly, and usually very just. Even when he is wrong, one could not wish for a pleasanter writer to disagree with. The descriptive passages are admirable for their terse vividness, and the whole style of the book is altogether above any journalistic work we are used to here. But there is another reason why the book should be read on this side. No man ever understands his own country till a foreigner comes to explaine it to him. Mr. Stevens can be recommended as a bright, thoughtful, and discriminating guide.

STATE NEWS.

The Gypsies are now at Baker City. They are everywhere asked to move on.

Out of 48 applicants, 26 were successful. There were fewer failures than usual, the papers being fuller and more carefully prepared than common. The examination of the state papers has not yet been made. —Eugene Guard.

Ten Astoria police commissioners have concluded to close all places of vice and wil begin on Sept. 1. All houses of ill fame, dance houses and other places of vice. The closing of gambling houses has cut off the revenues of the city to the amount of $7,000.

Two men, giving their names as C. M. Larkins and E. Lewellen, were arrested four miles this side of Oakland, Tuesday morning, by Constable Willis and taken to Myrtle Creek to answer to the charge of stealing a horse and mule. It seems they took the horse, belonging to Wm McLain, from John Weaver's barn.

James Everest, who lives near Newberg, jumped out of bed while asleep Tuesday night and, after plunging through a window, crashed through a picket fence and ran into the garden, calling for his wife to come and help him over the fence. When caught he was covered with blood and on examination a piece of glass was found to have penetrated to a depth of four inches in the region of the kidneys. He is lying in a dangerous condition.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physcians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the gennuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

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Jack Webb, of the O. R. & N. Co., is distributing among his friends a sample of a new fruit that is grown in the Burnt river country, which is famous for its fruits of all kinds. The new fruit is a cross between a prune and a peach. It is very nearly the shape of a tomato, It tastes like a peach and has a smooth skin. It is dark red in color and attractive to both eye and palate. The worst thing about it is its name, which is prunufsimonis. Where that name came from nobody will ever know. It probably was dug up in the fossil beds of Burnt river or the John Day.—East Oregonian.

"The Foot of a Fly"

says an eminent English doctor, "will carry enough poison to infect a household." In summer-time, more especially, disease germs fill the air, multitudes are infected, fall ill, die; multitudes escape. These messengers of mischief do not exist for millions. Why not? because they are healthy and strong—protected as a crocodile is against gunshot. It is the weak, the wasted, the thin-blooded who fall; those who have no resistive power so that a sudden cough or cold develops into graver disease. We hear of catching disease! Why not catch health? We can do it by always maintaining our healthy weight.

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March 8, 1897. Samuel Pitcher M. D.

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That all money issued by the government, whether gold, silver or paper, shall be legal tender for all debts, public or private.

That no contract or law shall descriminate against any kind of money issued by the government

We are opposed to the issue of United States interest bearing bonds in time of peace.

We demand the redemption of Oregon from rings, commissions and corrupt methods, and demand honest elections and election laws, including stringent registration laws

We demand that the people shall have the veto power over all legislative enactments by the use of the referendum.

We demand the election of all officers by a direct vote of the people

We favor and advise that all nominations for municipal and county officers, including members of the legislature, shall be made by primary elections.

We recommend that this party shall be known as the Union party, and invite all reform forces of the state to unite with us in realizing these principles by united efforts and we pledge ourselves to unite with such reform forces in carrying out this bond of nion.

Wise Men Know

It is folly to build upon a poor foundation, either in architecture or in health. A foundation of sand is insecure, and to deaden symtoms by narcotics or nerve compounds is equally dangerous and peceptive. The true way to build up health is to make your blood pure, rich and nourishing by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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NOTICE.

To the taxpayers of Marion county:

Notice is hereby given that the county board of equalization for Marion county will convene in the assessor's office in the court house at 9 oclock a. m. Monday, August 30, 1897, and will remain in session during six consecutive days, as required by law.

All owners of property are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and show cause, if any there be, why the assessment of Marion county, as taken by the assessor should not be accepted as correct.

J. W. HOBART,
Assessor for Marion county, Oregon.
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Salem, Marion county, Oregon, July, 1897.

The county court of Marion county has ordered the Tax Roll for Marion county Oregon fro the year 1896, closed on September 1, 1897. All taxes will be delinquent after said date. All persons paying taxes before that date will save costs, as at that time all property upon which taxes have not been paid will be advertised and sold.

F. T. WRIGHTMAN,
Sheriff and tax collector, Marion county.
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WOOD.

Proposals will be received by the Common Council of the City of Salem up to the hour of 4 o'clock p. m. September 7, 1897, to furnish the City of Salem eighty cords of large fir wood, the same to be dry and sound, and to be delivered at any place within the corporate limits designated by the Common council, and not later than October 1, 1897.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

ED. N. EDES,
City Recorder.
Salem, Or., Aug. 12, 1897. 14 d&w

COKE.

Proposals will be received by the Common Council of the City of Salem, up to the hour of 4 o'clock p. m., September 7, 1897, to furnish the City of Salem 25 tons soft gas coke, to be delivered at any place within the corporate limits designated by the Common Council and not later than October 1, 1897. Coke to be delivered at call of council.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

ED. N. EDES,
City Recorder.
Salem, Or., Aug. 12, 1897. 14 d & w

CALL FOR WARRANTS.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds on hand applicable to the payments of all warrants of the City of Salem, endorsed on or before February 1, 1896, drawn upon the general fund. Please present said warrants for payment at Ladd & Bush bank, as interest on same will cease from the date of this notice.

A. A. LEE,
City Treasurer,
Salem, August 10, 1897. 14 10d

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Bids will be received by the commissioners' court of Marion county at the September term 1897, for competent persons to board and take care of the poor of Marion county from November 1, 1897, during the pleasure of the court, the county furnishing the farm, house, bedding and clothing. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids may be filed with the county clerk until Wednesday, September 8 1897, at 4 p. m.

L. V. EHLEN,
8 6 d 3t w td County Clerk.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Bids will be received by the commissioners' court of Marion county at the September term 1897 for furnishing at the court house twenty (20) cords of body fir in five (5) cord lots from any one person; also for fifty (50) cords of pole oak in ten (10) cord lots from any one person. The court reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids may be filed with the county clerk until Wednesday September 8, 1897, at 3 p. m.

L. V. EHLEN,
8 6 d 3t w td County Clerk.

Salem Steam Laundry

Please notice the cut in prices on the following:

Shirts, plain	10 cents
Under drawers	5 to 10 cents
Under shirts	5 to 10 cents
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