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EDITORIAL.

The wheat situation grows stronger. Secretary Wilson of the department of Agriculture says wheat would have gone to $1 a bushel without increased foreign demand, but adduces no facts to uphold his theory, beyond mere general political optimism. A French authority declares the crop in Europe is falling far below the average. This must include oats, rye and barley which are used with wheat for breadstuffs. An authoritative report from Russia shows that the wheat crop to be short and of inferior quality. It is stated Russia will have no wheat for export for two years. It is going to be perfectly safe to put in a big acreage of wheat in Oregon for 1898, and the price may go to $1.50 a bushel for the crop of 1897. Russia is an uncertain factor in the wheat problem, but if the conditions are anything like what they are reported to be wheat will go higher. One report says our country and Canada may be called upon for 130,000,000 bushels in excess of wheat exports last year.

The people of Iowa are protesting against a proposed inhuman exhibition of making a pair of horses dive off a platform 25 feet high into a large tank of water. This feat is advertised to draw a crowd.

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Oregon will still have more good hops than any state in the union except New York.

Save all the fruit and dry it for the crowds that will go to Alaska next year. It will be in demand at good prices.

Industrious women and women with business abilite will be wanted in the Klondike next spring by the thousand. Let the Oregon surplus prepare.

The public credit of the city of Salem should be put in a healthy condition.

The people who only paytaxes and do not make money out of party politics are not interested in the struggle that is going on over the postoffices and federal appointments in Oregon. As usual, the partonage is sought to be utilized by one faction to build up its interests and place it in a position to levy a large campaign fund out of the salaries and fees of the appointees.

With the strife of these factions the people who want good state government are not concerned. The Republican party put a new deal set of state officials in power in 1894. So far as these officials have kept faith with their party pledges to the people, they deserve renomination at the hands of the party. Indications are that some will be nominated for a second term and some will not. The faction seeking to control the next state convention through federal patronage is making a mistake.

For one we are glad that Englishman Mulhall is alive. He is out with his latest figures to prove that we are the richest people in the world. The hopmold had begun to make some of us feel poor in Oregon, but Mulhall's statistics show that it's only a belief.

Dr. Andrews is right in refusing to be cajoled back into that little hidebound Brown university. Let him come west where the people at least are tolerant.

The women and children wageearners are the Oregon Klondikers.

The problem of the silk-stocking reformers seems to be, how to elect Senator Low, an Independent Mayor of Greater New York and yet not imperil the interests of the Republican machine. Some one must be deceived and many disappointed if that fraud is perpetrated.

The Oregon Road club, a social organization for the promotion of good fellowship and good roads, has for a time kept open a club and has now opened a restaurant. It is to be hoped it may some day surprise the public by opening a road. The members of the club have probably spent enough money to build several miles of good road. What the people need is an object lesson in the shape of a piece of good road, the merits and construction of which all can see and understand. It is whispered the Oregon Road club is purely a political enterprise.

In the large cities the women write the poetry. In the country men write the poems. Hence it is agreed that in cities women are the liesure-sex; in the country it is the men. It is hard to tell which sex has the more leisure in a town like Salem. The fact that there is no Woman's club in the Capital City would indicate that the women are the busy people.

It seems that Holland, a thrifty and prosperous country, has been a double standard country since 1875. It has a monetary system exactly the same as Mr. Bryan proposed for our country, except that our ratio of coinage is to be 16 to 1.

It is likely the Peruvian government will adopt a financial scheme similar to that of Holland; that is, silver coin will be a legal tender with unlimited circulation, but its value will be fixed on a gold standard basis.

From the single silver standard system, Holland, in 1816, adopted the double standard upon a ratio of 15,873 to 1, and again returned to silver in 1847, and again to the double standard in 1875. The unit is the florin, or the guilder of 100 cents, the full legal-tender pieces being the 10 and 5 florins of gold and the half florin rixdoler of silver. The weight of a florin in gold is .672 of a gramme, or 10.37 grains .900 fine. The silver florin is .945 fine and weighs 10 grammes. Accordingly, the gold florin equals 40.2 cents, and the silver florin 39.3 cents.

The coinage of silver is on government account only, since December, 1887. Paper money is furnished by the government to the extent of 15,000,000 florins, said to be entirely covered, but apparently not, by coin.

Why shouldn't the federal offices be used to furnish campaign funds for McBride and Mitchell? There is no other way to get anyone to support their aspirations.

Poor Ireland! She is coming in for an agricultural famine, possibly equal to the black year of 1847, say some reports.

The boom in values of farm products, resting on great scarcity in other countries, is at the best not exactly a vindication of the tariff. The tariff is a protection to our manufactures and serves to preserve the home market. But no one claims for it the advance in the price of wheat, on which rests the advance of other crops. The tariff will stimulate the establishment of new factories and new industries.

Municipal ownership is progressing. Des Moines, Ia., will collect a two mill tax this year for construction or purchase of waterworks.

Great distress prevails among a certain class in Washington, D. C. It is feared an important industry is ruined. There has been a dissolution of the Republican association of Illinois at Washington because its indorsement of an office seeker was ignored by the department applied to. This means that the small-fry politicians in Washington have realized at last that the merit system is in force; that the day of political pull in the departments is passing away; that President McKinley's last civil service order is going to be honestly construed in spirit as well as in letter in every department, and that when clerks and others secure promotion or advancement it will be because they deserve it and not because of influence.

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Whether the Klondike is in the United States or not, the output of its gold field will be in our country sooner or later.

The first magazine to recognize the Woman's club as a factor of social life in our country was the Inland Monthly of Des Moines, Johnson Brigham, editor. The New York Mail and Express has a daily department edited by the talented Margherita Arlina Hamm, which accords generous treatment of Woman's clubs for all purposes

Women's clubs are such a vigorous outgrowth of modern life that is strange no eastern periodical, until recently, should have formally recognized them. A short time ago, "Harper's Bazaar" began to devote a special department to their doings. Already this department affords most suggestive and interesting reading; and as the clubs grow into closer touch with it a mutual co-operation will be formed, which cannot fail to advance the progress of higher education. The high literary standard of the "Bazar" gives the movement quality favorable to women in the world of letters. Recent numbers contain signs of great promises from American women writers. September 4 contains a story entitled "Jenk's Jobometer," by Grace Livingstone Furniss, author of "A Box of Monkey's," She has a quick perception of the humor which relieves the seriousness of New England life, and a rare skill in depicting it. Miss Helen E. Smith will contribute another of her colonial papers, entitled "With Huguenots in New Rochelle,"

Same number contains a portrait and sketch of Lilian Bell, whose new book, "From a Girl's Point of View," has been recently published by Harper & Brothers. In this series of character-studies she shrewdly analyzes the manner of modern man as seen with the eyes of the modern woman, and yet with such apt humor that the masculine reader cannot but laugh, even while he realizes that the author is dealing with his own shortcomings.

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The following from yesterday morning's Albany Heald, gives the particulars of the capture:

"Deputy Sheriff T. S. Frowley, of California, arrived in Albany yesterday after Cal. Cornell charged with cattle stealing, who had fled from arrest. Mr. Frowley had learned that he was on his way to Jefferson. He secured the assistance of Constable Strainey and they togather drove to Jefferson and posting themselves on the bridge, when Cornell stepped thereon he was confronted by the two men, a rifle and a pistol, and concluded in spite of his ugly pistol and a club with which he was armed, that it was best to surrender. He was brought back and lodged in jail, and will be arrigned before Justice Powell this morning."

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