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JOURNAL X RAYS.

When the spirit of liberty has fled and truth and justice are disregarded, private rights can easily be sacrificed under the forms of law.—Kent's Commentary.

Why don't "Decency" read a decent newspaper? He would realize that the decent public have been notified when there is a decent theater in town in the local columns of this paper.

Twenty-one patients died at the asylum in May, or nearly an average of one for each week day. But then, the per capita expense of keeping the poor unfortunate has been kept down to 31 and 14-100 cents.

When a poor working man takes his own life or dies a natural death alone, of course an inquest must be held, but when an insane patient, with salaried officials to guard him, does the same thing in the dark recesses of a state institution, no examination is called for.

By all means, Oregon grafters and gentlemen should have a chance to go to Paris on the Exposition commission. The French do not emigrate to any country, but they are prepared to sell us any quantity of logwood port wine and dried apple champagne. Those are imports that Oregon can well afford to spend from \$25,000 to \$50,000 "encouraging."

Judge Judah of the Salem police court deserves commendation for fining the Italian Signor \$50, not because the water in Hotel Willamette dining room belonged to the "fair sex," but because he thought he could insult with impunity a woman who was working for a living at honest labor. Such a woman is the peer of any society queen, and is entitled to respect.

The truth of the matter is that Dr. Briggs is hunting a soft snap, and the fellows who are already enjoying it object to dividing the pie with him. Bishop Potter wants him in the pulpit—ho.

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A more pitiful sight than a mother and her child, both captives and shackled in a dungeon, could not well be imagined. There are thousands of mothers and their babes who lie shackled by disease in the dungeons of death.

Without knowing it, or having the faintest comprehension of it, the fault lies with the mother. Too many women enter upon the responsibilities of wifehood and motherhood while suffering from weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs that make wifehood and motherhood possible.

Why object to decorating anyone's grave, whether it be a convict or the occupant of the Potter's Field? There must be some concentrated essence of smallness and meanness in a man's soul to object to strewing flowers on the grave of the dead. The poorest and meanest of God's creatures may have led a less selfish life than the rich, successful and highly respected. Who knows?

The Gatling Gun, of Cleveland, O., is an emulating Brann name, though it is to be hoped that its editor, Walter Hart, is not emulating his fate. He is indicted on nine counts by the grand jury for circulating obscene literature. His comments on the trial of the slayer of Mrs. McKinley's brother caused this. We know that if the political bosses could draw juries as they please, and control all the newspapers to shape public sentiment, no editor could discuss them without danger of indictment.

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MANILA LETTER.

Willard Learned Describes the Campaign of Lawson's Flying Brigade.

Continued from Wednesday's Daily. Bright and early the next morning we were astrid, our camp fires all along the line could be seen, and the boys in groups of 3 and 4 were making coffee and trying to fry a piece of bacon. After breakfast we advanced again in skirmish line till we came to Santa Cruz river which we had to ford. At this juncture we were attacked by the da-goes, but in less than ten minutes we had them hurrying down the road for the next town beyond. After all had safely crossed the river we only went a short distance before camping. All took a good scrub in the river, and after washing the mud and mire from our clothes and shoes we went to "rustling" grub. Before noon we had four fat hogs, and two sacks full of chickens, enough to feed the entire company for three meals but we were short of hard-tack. Two others besides the quartermaster sergeant and myself volunteered to go to Santa Cruz after some. When we returned there were fried chickens and roast pork galore for us, and we were not a bit bashful about eating, either. We stayed in that camp all of that day and night, and by 6 o'clock the following day we were on the move for Paganjan with a fresh issue of rations. The Fourteenth acted as the firing line, but the Washington scouts were our advance guard. We had not gone more than a mile down the road before we encountered the insurgents, and we immediately deployed out to the right and left in skirmish order. The little guns of Hawthorne's battery soon had the enemy in full flight, but we kept up our skirmish line clear into town. Just before we reached there company C, of the Fourteenth and company I, of the North Dakotas had a mountain to climb, and descent. It was here that six men from company C, and four from company I, played out from heat and exhaustion.

We arrived at the town at 11 o'clock and had 15 minutes rest; then one battalion of the Fourteenth, and two companies of the N. Dakotas were ordered to advance on the next town—Lumban, having to fight all the way. We drove the niggers into a big stone church, and the town was on one side.

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To whom it may concern: This is to certify that Bertha P. Connor, of Mt. Angel precinct, Marion county, Oregon, has suffered from a cancerous growth in the left ear for about three years. The growth was cut out twice and burned out once by Albany Physicians, but the growth came back as bad as ever, and pained her so badly that she had to be taken from school. After three weeks' treatment by Dr. J. F. Cook, of Salem, Oregon, the Botanical Specialist, the growth entirely disappeared, and at this date, four months since treatment was begun, the growth has not reappeared, and the ear has entirely healed leaving only the scars inflicted by the Albany doctors.

I hereby certify that the above statement is absolutely true, and that Bertha P. Connor, the person mentioned in the affidavit, has resided in my family since early childhood, bearing the relationship to me of niece.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this eighth day of June, 1899. W. W. Hall, county clerk of Marion county, Oregon.

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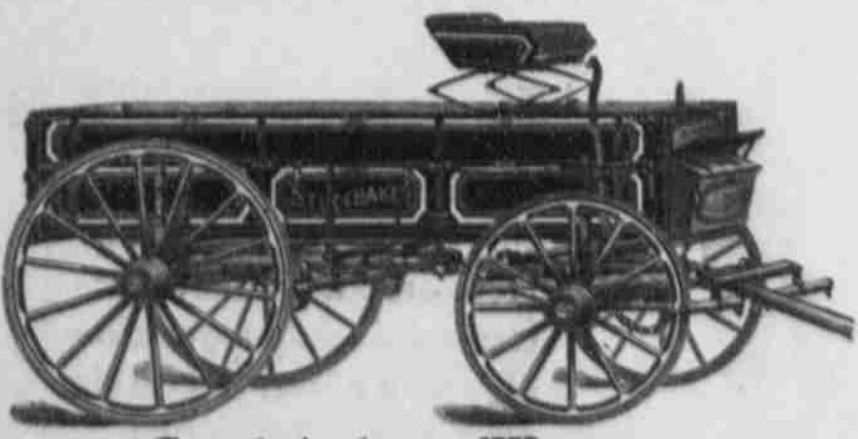
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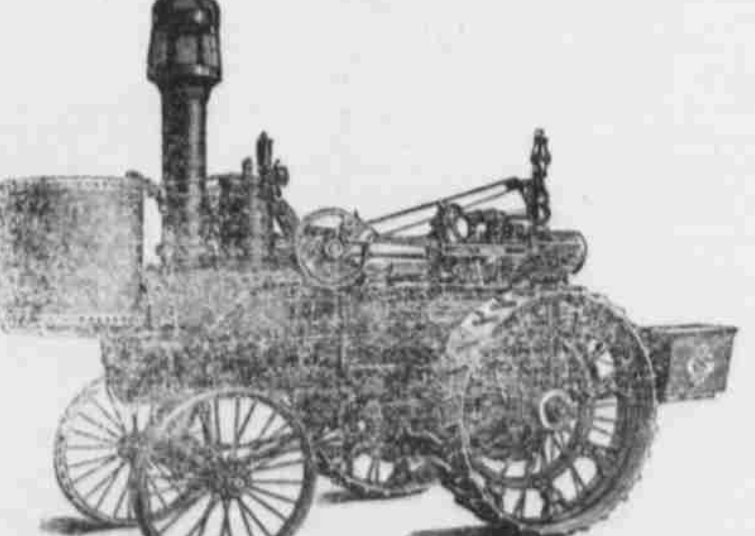
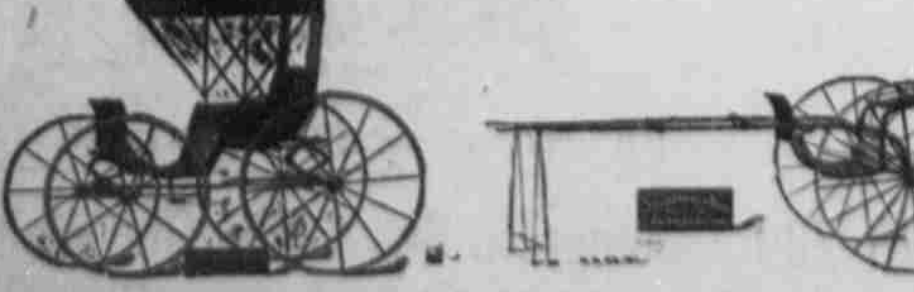
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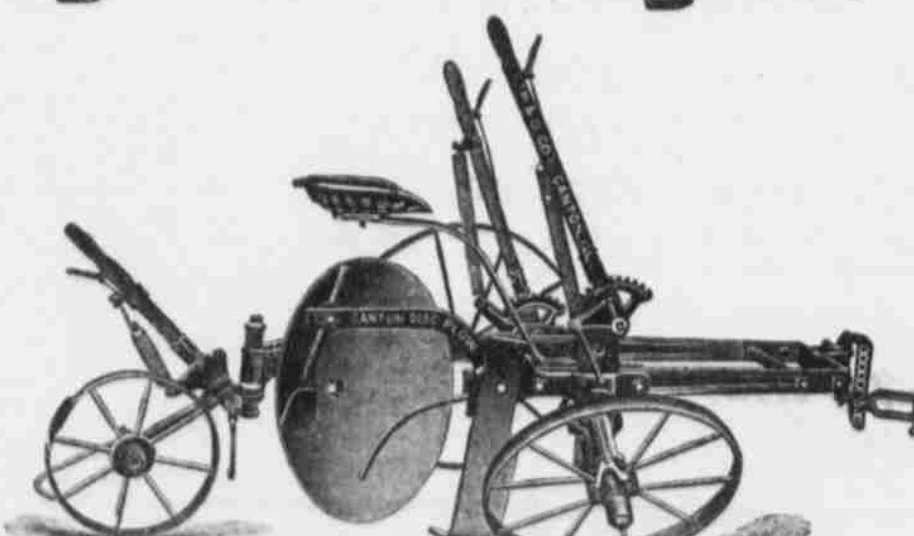
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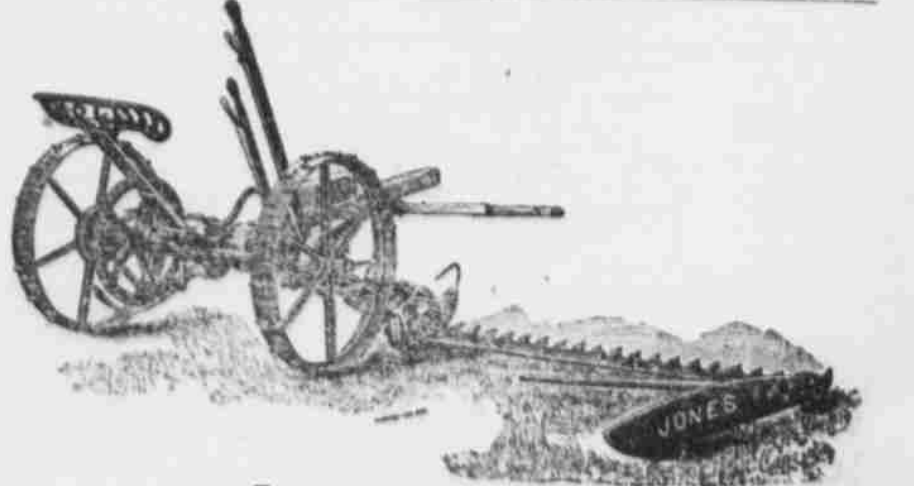
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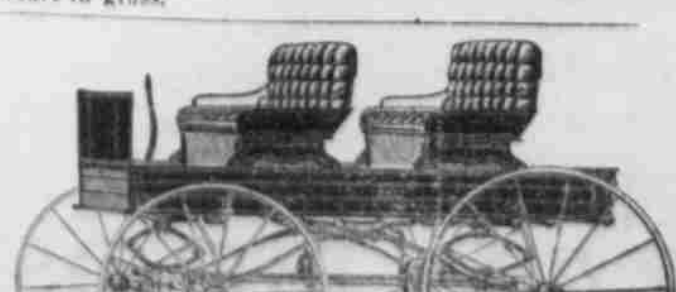
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