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ANOTHER POPULAR LOAN

On September 1, 1900, the Salem school district will have to pay a bond debt of $16,000 against the East Salem school. These bonds are drawing interest at the rate of 8 per cent. For fifteen years Salem has sent $1280 a year to New York to pay interest on these bonds. As the school district is now getting out of debt at the rate of $7000 a year, no new bonds should be issued because the the whole $16,000 can be paid off inside of five years, and if the bonds are refunded they must be issued for at least ten years according to the school bonding law of this state—act of 1893.

Keeping the ring politicians off the school board and sharp collection of taxes by Sheriff Durbin has given the district the use of its tax money, and has enabled it to reduce the debt and reduce the school tax at the same time half a mill—from seven mills to six and a half. Now, instead of issuing new bonds for ten years, let the school board make a popular loan at 4 per cent from the people direct, and thus it will reduce its annual interest bill $640. If bonds are issued a special tax must be levied to create a sinking fund to pay off the bonds, and that is not necessary. At the present rate the district will be on a cash basis in three years, and then in two years more without increased taxation the East Salem school debt can be paid off.

Instead of issuing a new batch of bonds and selling them to Harris & Co., as has been the custom in the past, the board can borrow the $16,000 on its own call notes at 4 per cent. These notes are as good as a bond and cost nothing to issue them, while an issue of bonds and advertising them will cost several hundred dollars for printing. THE JOURNAL is confident that the people of Salem will take the East Salem school debt on the notes of the school board, issued on a proper resolution and under the seal of the board. Give the people the first chance to carry their own debts and become stockholders in their own schools and keep the interest at home. A reputation of this kind will do more for Salem's development than expensive advertising in Eastern newspapers or at the world's fair at Paree.

SOME HARD QUESTIONS.

EDITOR JOURNAL:—Is our Declaration of Independence a falsehood and our Constitution a lie?

The first says: "We hold these truths to be self-evident that all men are created equal, that governments are instituted among men deriving their just power from the consent of the governed."

The second says: "Congress has the power to declare war."

We know our congress declared war with Spain and declared Cuba should be free.

Did congress declare war with our allies in the Spanish war, the Filipinos? If not who did? Who has taken this constitutional right from congress? Is Cuba free as our congress declared she should be, or is she a subordinate nation depending on this so-called republic for such laws as we choose to give her? If congress has not declared war with Aguinaldo and his republic, what emperor has?

Are our people tired of their boasted liberty? Will we, like the Israelites of many centuries back, demand a king, or will we, like the Roman republic, suffer for hundreds of years and emerge into despotic monarchy? Will we, like Rome, have the name of a republic when our senatorial power is gone, or like despotic Russia which was a republic for a thousand years?

In 851 a violent political disturbance took place which lasted until 862, when she became an empire. This republic continued in name 11 years after her decline.

A CITIZEN.

SALEM, Feb. 19.

Dr. Bull's Cough syrup is not a Common everyday cough mixture. It is a marvelous remedy for all the troublesome and dangerous complications resulting from a cold in the head, throat, chest or lungs. Sold for 25 cts.

The creamery to be started at Salem, it is said will be seprated in the building in East Salem in which the ice factory is, and which is owned by James Maguire, proprietor of the ice plant. The machinery for the creamery will soon be placed in position and ready for operation.—Dayton Herald.

"A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned."

Economy is the lesson taught by this saying. It is true economy to take Hood's Sarsaparilla at this season because it purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood and thus prevents sickness, and puts the who system in a state of health for the coming season. Every bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla contains 100 doses—positive proof that it is economy to take only Hood's.

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The Salem Popular Loan Plan.

Astoria Daily Budget.

The city of Salem has successfully experimented in the line of a popular municipal loan and the success is held up to the attention of other cities. A short time ago Salem refunded a portion of her debt on the popular loan plan. The interest on the refunding bonds was placed at 4 per cent, interest payable in Salem, and bonds were issued in sums ranging from $50 to $500. The bonds were offered to Salem citizens at par and the loan was subscribed four times over. The result is that the interest on the bonds will remain in Salem to add to the volume of Salem business instead of being sent to an eastern financial center to be loaned back to Salem people. In addition to this, people of small means are offered a safe investment for their savings. The Salem plan might be tried with beneficial results in other western cities. The little premium secured by offering the bonds to the highest bidder would not overbalance the good that would result by the keeping of so much interest money at home.

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A Farewell Party.

A farewell party was given last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Stouber, corner of Church and Leslie streets, in honor of their daughter, Kate, who will leave shortly for Portland. Many of their friends were invited and a fine time was had. Refreshments were served and all departed home at a late hour, wishing the host and hostess many such happy gatherings.

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is added; set the pan on the range until the water goes to boiling point, then lift out each piece with a wire spoon and lay on a soft linen cloth, wiping quickly with chamois skin. The groves to stone will be highly polished and look like new.

He Was Too Smart.

It was at one of the recent receptions. All society was there, and it was a brilliant occasion. One young man who has a reputation for brightness and repartee began throwing bouquets at one of the fair young ladies. "I heard somebody say you were the most charming debutant of the season," he whispered to her.

"Oh, who was it, Mr. Blank?" she asked expectantly.

"I can't tell now," he replied, "but I will tell you some time."

"Oh, please do!" she pleaded.

He was obdurate, and she was persistent, and soon the other girls were attracted to where the couple stood.

"I think it is real mean of you, Mr. Blank, to arouse my curiosity. And what do you think, girls?" she said, turning to the crowd. "He heard something nice about me and won't tell who said it."

"Yes, I did hear that she was the most charming debutant of the season," spoke up Mr. Blank.

"Who told you, please?" spoke up the girl in a last effort to get the name of her admirer.

"Your mother," answered the young man. And now they never speak as they pass.—Memphis Scimitar.

The Most Ancient Machine Tool.

There can be very little doubt that the potter's wheel, or potter's lathe, as it is also termed, represents today the most ancient form of machine tool known. Among the many sculptured records of the trades and occupations which so vividly represent the customs and habits of the ancient Egyptians the potter and his wheel have been found frequently depicted, and it is curious to note that through the almost countless generations since that time this crude type of lathe has undergone no material modification.

The primitive form was evidently a small, round table set on a pivot and free to revolve, being turned by hand at intervals, and to this device there were added in the course of time such simple conveniences as a table to support it and a foot or a hand power turning arrangement, displaced in recent years in possibly a few isolated cases by actual engine power driving. In general use, however, the potter's wheel of the present time bears all the characteristics of the one which, 4,000 years or more ago, served to turn out pottery attesting unsurpassable taste and skill.—Cassier's Magazine.

Cost of a Loaf of Bread.

The average "pound loaf" of fresh bread sold by bakers, says a college professor, weighed on an average about one pound one ounce. A pound loaf of bread can be made from about three-quarters of a pound of flour, about 25 per cent of water being added to the flour during the process of breadmaking. With some flours 5 to 10 per cent more water can be absorbed, making a greater weight of bread from a given weight of flour. This additional weight is water and not nutrients.

At 2 cents a pound for flour it is estimated by the professor that a pound loaf of bread can be made, not counting fuel and labor, for about 2 cents, a half cent being allowed for shortening and yeast. The loss of dry matter in breadmaking is usually considered as amounting to about 2 per cent of the flour used. In exceptional cases, as in prolonged fermentation, under favorable conditions the losses may amount to 8 per cent or more.

A Diplomatic Drummer.

Assistant Secretary of State Thomas W. Cridler, in the discharge of his diplomatic duties, crossed the ocean probably more times than any other official in that branch of the national government. On one voyage he made the acquaintance of a traveling salesman, whose companionability was marred by curiosity.

"Traveling on business, like myself, I suppose?"

"Yes."

"What line of goods?"

"Papers."

"Wall, writing or printing?"

"Papers for cabinets."

"Humph, I thought cabinet makers used only wood, steel and brass!"

"Most of them do," and the diplomat began to speak of other things.—Saturday Evening Post.

The Popular Southern Girl.

Two men of southern manner of speech were talking of a mutual friend named Henry.

"Did Henry eveh get ma'ied to that young lady in Memphis?" asked one.

The other shook his head and replied: "No, seh. When Henry got down theah, he found he had to take his numbeh and stand in line so as to be able to see the young lady, so he came away."—Chicago Record.

The Pursuit of Pleasure.

We smile at the ignorance of the savage who cuts down the tree in order to reach its fruits. But the fact is that a blunder of this description is made by every person who is overeager and impatient in the pursuit of pleasure.

Virtue.

The elements of virtue are at the bottom of every heart, and, though they may be trampled underfoot and crushed into the mud, they still exist, and, when rescued and restored, nobility and manhood will grow out of them.

A Well Beaten Path.

Teacher—Can any of the class explain to me why the way of the transgressor is hard?

Scholar—I guess it's because it's traveled so much.—Ohio State Journal.

The hours of work in the Calcutta jute mills are from 4:30 a. m. to 9 p. m., or 16½ hours per day. Saturdays included, and all repairs and cleaning of machinery have to be done on Sundays.

American News Via London.

Another case of going abroad to get the news. A London paper said the other day: "New York is on the eve of a fierce social struggle. The persistence with which 'Boss' Croker, Mayor Van Wyck and the other magnates of Tammany have been ignored by the Vanderbilts, the Astors, the Gerrys, the Goelets, the Livingstons and the other members of New York's exclusive Four Hundred has so galled and irritated the families of the former that they have resolved upon founding a new and still more exclusive society of their own, which is to take the sails out of its rival."

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The Laugh on the General.

The late General Clinton B. Fisk was once addressing a Sunday school convention. One of the speakers had reminded the children that it was Washington's birthday.

"Children," said General Fisk, "you all know that Washington was a general. Perhaps you know that I am also a general. Now, can any one tell what was the difference between General Washington and myself?"

"I know, sir," replied a small boy in the back part of the room.

"Well, what was the difference?" said General Fisk, smiling at the lad's eagerness.

"George Washington couldn't tell a lie, sir!" cried the boy in exultant tones. Shouts of laughter followed, in which the general joined heartily.—Detroit News.

A Candle Trick.

Let a candle burn until it has a good long snuff; then blow it out with a sudden puff. A bright wreath of white smoke will curl up from the hot wick. Now, if a flame be applied to this smoke, even at a distance of two or three inches from the candle, the flame will run down the smoke and relight the wick in a very fantastic manner. To perform this ceremony nicely there must be no draft or "hanging" doors while the mystic spell is rising.

Two Towers.

Students of architecture may have often wondered why the two towers of Notre Dame at Paris were not of the same size. It appears that when the cathedral was built it was the cathedral of a suffragan bishop, who was not entitled to two towers of equal height, and for centuries the bishop of Paris was suffragan to the bishop of Sens.

A Rude Suggestion.

Great Actress—That's an atrocious portrait! Is that the best you can do? Is there no way you can improve upon it? Suggest something.

Photographer—Madam, you might permit your understudy to sit for you.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

When Henry Irving Was Hissed.

"I was hissed every night for a week when I was playing the provinces about 35 years ago," said Henry Irving to a writer in Ainslee's. "I was given an engagement as leading man in a very small theater, and before I made my bow to the audience I learned that the man whose place I had taken was very popular in the vicinity and that the people strongly disproved of the way in which the management had forced him to retire, so that when I made my appearance the audience showed their disapproval of the manager by strongly hissing the successor to their favorite, and they kept it up for a week. It was a very unhappy week for me."

Started a Run.

A very simple statement proved very unfortunate to a savings institution in the rural district recently. An editor, in writing of the institution in his paper, said:

"The president is a very tall man; the cashier is short."

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I returned to the depot about 7:20. When passing through the gates the gateman said: There's your train to the right." I added my grip to the gentlemanly porter, who placed it in my berth. (You will notice I call this my train, will it really belongs to the Wisconsin Central. I could not help but feel that I owned the train, and even the rod, the employes are so courteous.) I then prepared myself for the comfortin store. Well, talk about traveling! I have traveled all over the wide wrld, but never had a more delightful trip than this one from St. Paul to Chicago over the Wisconsin Central Ry. I retired about 10 p. m., and enjoyed a good night's rest in the Pullman Palace car; only woke up once during the night, and that was when the porter punched me and said: "Mr. Brown, don't snore so out, you disturb the rest of the passengers." I at once fell asleep, and awoke again about 7 a. m. and prepared myself for breakfast; went into the dining car about 8 a. m., and partook of a most sumptuous meal. All meals are served a la carte, as you know. My entire trip was a delightful one. I will never cease to praise the Wisconsin Central Ry., and I know your sentiments are the same.

Our friend Jones reached Chicago via another route and was six hours late. Consequently he missed connections for New York, and cannot make connection there with steamer for the Paris Exposition. Hence has given up his trip, and will return home via the Wisconsin Central Ry.

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