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THE PRO-BOER MEETING.

A preliminary meeting was held in Salem, Saturday night, to help the fund for the widows and orphans of the South Africans engaged in the war with England, and to express sympathy in other ways with those Republics in their struggle for independence. Rev. W. E. Copeland, of the Unitarian church, was made chairman and is seeking to constitute alarger committee, which shall hold a public meeting in Salem in keeping with the purposes intended.

It is not intended to hold a meeting after the plan of the one conducted at Portland, Saturday night, where British-Americans and probably persons not Americans assembled and held a glorification over the recent victories of the Empire over the Republics. The meeting at Salem ought to be one of protest at the war as an unnecessary and really causeless contest that is a disgrace to the opening of the Twentieth century. It is a war brought about by the lust for an Empire in the breast of the Jingoes and Tagoes, of Great Britain, and to give a lot of arrogant and boastful politicians and back-number military men a chance to even up on the disasters of the past.

It is said Americans have no right to even express sympathy with the perhaps misguided and mistaken burghers; that because England showed her friendship toward Americans in their war with Spain, we should keep hands off in this contest between the mother country and territory that has in some unaccountable way become possessed of an alien and hostile people. Leaving out of question all the arguments in the controversy between Kruger and Chamberlain, and we may admit both are headstrong and unfit for the great responsibility of plunging nations into war, there is no comparison between the attitude of England and our country in these two wars. England sympathized with us against an ancient foe; sympathized with us in our war for the liberation of Cuba and the Spanish possessions from an effete monarchy, and for the purpose of making those possessions free soil and giving them Republican institutions.

She claims to be desirous of giving the South African republics more freedom than they can give themselves, and those established republics repudiate her pretensions to do more for them than they can do for themselves. Shall we side with the pretensions of the present British powers or shall we give the established republics the benefit of the doubt? If the American people stand for anything it is for self-government. Where a people have shown their ability to govern themselves, even in so rudimentary a manner as the people of the two republics at war, shall we ask them to haul down their flag at the behest of imperialism and capitalism combined? The American people will have to take sides on that question if this war in South Africa proceeds, and we pray the God of peace it may soon be concluded and concluded in the interest of right and humanity.

UNNECESSARY EULOGY.

Probably with the idea of catching flies with a very poor quality of molasses, Mr. U'ren indulges in a very fulsome eulogy of the last legislature in the Direct Legislation supplement he is circulating through the press of the state. He makes out that it was about the best legislature that ever came to bless the people of this state. He is probably the only man who has made that discovery and it may be wisdom on his part to coax the members of the next legislature to submit the amendment by this kind of wholesale flattery.

THE JOURNAL is pursuing a policy of submitting the record of the legislators to the people and letting them pass judgment on them on their actual work. We shall print in tabular from this week the last of the record of the lower house, and the people can flatter or damn the individual members with an endorsement or a rejection as they see fit. It must be said, that it is not the custom to renominate very many of the legislators. They are not nominated by the people and having served the purpose of the machine that put them on the ticket they are displaced by a new creation of the machine. This is not true of all, but it is the general rule. The welfare of the state demands that the people return all members of the legislature who made a good record, or even a fairly good and honest record. All the soft-soap in the world will not improve the character of the legislature of Oregon. The fact that a bad record is going to be paid before his constituents may deter some legislatureman, as they are called on the Long Tom, from being quite so reckless with the people's money as he would otherwise be.

FIRST FARMERS' MEETING.

The Woodburn Grange has called a special meeting next Saturday to consider and discuss the facts as to our county government. Some big subjects are to be taken up and discussed, and if the consideration of county affairs can be kept on a purely business basis great good may result from such meetings.

It will be in order for some of our learned sidewalk politicians and plowhandle statesmen to explain how Linn county on a county levy of two mills is able to carry on a county government and build court houses and keep out of debt, while in Marion we levy about three or four times as much and keep magnificently in the hole. We do not consider these exact figures, but suppose the exact facts will be made known at Woodburn.

It will be in order for some of the great and learned mullgrubs who shape public policies and sweat under the cares of state to explain how, in the age of prosperity that has overtaken the city of Portland, how that rotten burrough can reduce its assessed valuation ten millions and heap just that much more taxes on the rest of the state? Where is this going to stop and what is to prevent Long Tom or any other enlightened and progressive community swearing to no valuation at all for assessment?

In the state of Iowa, and in Wisconsin, Illinois and some other back-number communities that have a shamefully pleasyune policy of not collecting very much taxes off the land and industry of the people, as high as forty to eighty percent of the state revenues are collected off the corporations and franchises. In Oregon we collect an insurance tax of from $30,000 to $40,000 a year. The gross earnings of the corporations virtually escape taxation, and it is not learned that public benefactors like Wells Fargo & Co., give Oregon any better rates on express packages than the states that make them put up liberally for their privilege of extorting all the traffic will bear.

If the innocent grangers will tackle some of these problems, as well as the initiative and referendum, and woman suffrage, they will find plenty to think about and probably come to the conclusion that the thing called self-government by the people is susceptible of some improvement. It is about the only thing that is not patented, although it is about as badly monopolized as if it were. The difference is, the fellows holding the monopoly have no interest in improvements.

PACKED CONVENTIONS.

THE JOURNAL'S contention that the people have no reason to hope for reforms at the hands of political conventions controlled by a machine is sustained by the discovery that the Republican politicians in getting up their convention call could not keep out crookedness at the very start. The apportionment committee, if the published reports are true, alloted the delegates on the Geer vote of 1898, but took the vote for Richardson for Mayor in December, 1896, as the basis for delegates in the four big Salem precincts.

Laying aside the question as to whether this was done in the interest o Senator McBride or not, if it is true, and it is being investigated, it is a rank fraud on the county delegations. The e inordinately large city delegations will be used to make a ticket in the interest of certain individuals, and to pack the convention for a slate that will not be in the interest of the people.

Let the taxpayers ask themselves the question, if the very fountains of the political system, supposed to be in the primary, are currrupted, how can any good result be secured? Will the fountain that is muddied at the source bring forth pure water? Will corruption breed incorruption? When shall this mortality put on immortality? Not until after it is dead. It is pretty nearly that, now, if what is charged is true. It is pretty nearly in the condition of Lazarus in the tomb, but it hath no Saviour to resurrect it.

Of course, the Republicans interested in this city, and who are to be defrauded by this scheme, will go to the bottom of the facts and will know how to protect their personal interests. But what protection have the country delegates against similar trickery all along the line? They have little. The only protection the people have is to refuse to participate in such rotten methods. The making up of a county ticket in Marion county that shall protect the people and transact public business cannot be left to the McBride machine or any other machine. The uncovering of this trick so early in the game may check such games at the primary, but what is to protect the people from just such jobs in a convention system resisting on such a rotten foundation, and from just such rotten schemes being carried on by the gang all the year around? One thing will do it. BREAK THE GRAFT AT THE START BY DIRECT NOMINATION. Destroying this monopoly of the rotten political combines—by taking away the power to name the candidates. It is a power that belongs to the people, just as much the power to elect.

Registration in Polk County.

There are in this country over 2,300 voters and up to date less than half of them have registered. In Salt Lake and Spring Valley precincts only a small fraction has done that which will become necessary before they can vote, and Ogden is nearly as far behind. Lackawanna needs to get a move on, and some Jackawnites may find themselves out in the cold at election time.

A Card.

We wish to extend our heart felt thanks and deepest gratitude to the dear friends one and all that aided and assisted us in the sickness and death of our beloved husband and father, May God's richest blessings rest and abide with them.

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SHELVED HIS INVENTION.

An Experience Which Taught the Mechanical Expert a Lesson.

One of the best mechanical engineers in New Orleans told an interesting story apropos of the tribulations of inventors. "About three years ago," he said, "I got up a little device that greatly simplified the working of a certain type of pump. I took out patents that cost me in the neighborhood of $300, including attorney's fees, and finally submitted the thing to a big manufacturing concern in the north. The proprietors at once conceded the merit of the invention and offered me $500 down and a royalty of $125 on each one used. The cash payment amounted to nothing, for it really fell short of covering my time and expenses, but the royalty was generous, and I figured it out that it would yield me an income of $3,000 or $4,000 for several years—perhaps longer, it depended on how soon something better entered the field.

"Accordingly, I accepted the proposition and transferred all my right. Now, how much do you think I actually received? Not a penny! No, I haven't been cheated; at least, all the accounts have been perfectly straight. The trouble is they never put the device on the market. They simply stuck the patents and drawings in a pigeonhole and there they remain to this day.

"Why did they do it, did you ask? To save money. The public is very well suited with their pump as it stands, and it is doubtful if they could get any more for it with my improvement added. Such a step would merely cut down the net profit, so they prefer to let well enough alone. It was necessary, of course, to get my invention safely shelved, or it might have been taken up by some enterprising rival, and the only earthly reason for spending $500 on the thing was to put it out of the way. It was rather rough on me, to be sure, but the experience was valuable, and I won't get caught that way again."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

GLASSES FOR THE EYES.

The Reason They Are Worn by So Many Persons Nowadays.

The question is often asked, particularly by those who can recall the customs and experiences of 25 years ago, "Why do so many persons nowadays wear glasses?" The answer is easy. "The increase in the number of spectacles worn is not to be regarded as an evidence of modern degeneration of the eyes, but rather that a long felt necessity has been met." For it should be remembered that within the past quarter of a century much has been learned about the value of glasses, and the range of their application and usefulness has been enormously extended. Of course the eyes need more help now than formerly, as the amount of work they are required to do is much greater than at any previous period in the world's history. The sewing machine and many other inventions of its class save the labor of the hands only to add to that required of the eyes.

New employments, new amusements and new fashions are continually being introduced to increase the exactions laid upon these sensitive and delicate organs. The steady decrease of illiteracy, together with the general cheapness of literature and a spread of a taste for it, the enormous circulation of novel, magazine and newspaper, the ever increasing use of artificial illumination, all combine to overtax the eyes and to weaken or possibly destroy the sight unless the required aid and protection be supplied through every means at our disposal. Thus it happens that the same time luxury of properly adapted glasses has come to be recognized and understood by very many of the present generation as one of the real necessities of their lives.—Lippincott's.

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The National Editorial Association which is in session in New Orleans passed resolutions against trusts by a vote of 744 to 46.

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HERE'S PROOF

Miss Carrie Sparr, 2780 Cherry Street, Kansas City, Mo., writes: "Six weeks ago I began using the Seven Sutherland Sisters' Scalp Cleaner and Hair Grower. My hair was very thin, having fallen out from scarlet fever. Thick, glossy hair is now coming in, and I am positive the remedies have greatly helped me. I advise everyone to use them."

They CURE where others fail.

A very pretty custom obtains among certain classes by which the newly married pair starts a savings bank for the child yet to be. Every day a penny or a dime, as the case may be, is dropped into the bank to swell the fund, and this practice is kept up until the child is old enough to save for itself.

The parents have the right theory but how rarely they carry it to its broadest application. Every mother is perforce laying up for her child what money cannot influence—happiness or misery. The nervous mother will have a nervous child. The irritable and fearful mother cannot have a happy and cheerful child. In mind and body the child will reflect the mother's condition.

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Mrs. Axel Kjer of Gordonville, Cape Girardeau Co., Mo., writes: "When I look at my little boy I feel it my duty to write to you. Perhaps some one will see my testimony and be led to use your 'Favorite Prescription' and be blessed in the same way. This is my fifth child and the only one who came to maturity; the others having died from lack of nourishment—so the doctor said. I was not sickly in any way and this time I just thought I would try your 'Prescription.' I took nine bottles and to my surprise it carried me through, and gave us as fine a little boy as ever was. Weighed ten and one-half pounds. He is now five months old, has never been sick a day, and is so strong that everybody who sees him wonders at him. He is so playful and holds himself up so well. I would like to see this in print for so many have asked me, 'Do you think these are the testimonials of the people, or was Dr. Pierce just made them up and printed them?'"

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The sheriff of Benton county has already collected $9100 in taxes for the current year.

Have to Eat.

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Lord Pauncefote, British minister, expresses the fear that Americans are growing unfriendly to England.

SHE BROKE HER CROSS.

Here is a case of a very charming young woman of central Ohio, who had grace, beauty and wit to commend her. Just as she was budding into womanhood a cloud came to darken her life. Her troubles weighed so heavily upon her that for a long time she would not—could not leave her house. She used to receive her friends stretched on a couch or leaning back in an invalid chair. And her friends were many. She was quoted as an example of Christian

courage. She referred to her condition as "her cross," and everyone thought how brave and good she was to bear her burden with such fortitude. One by one her girl friends were joined to the men of their choice. She sent them all presents and received from each a piece of wedding cake, which she cried over a little, and didn't put under her pillow because it wasn't any good for her to dream. No man could marry her. A life of solitary suffering was hers. Yet her sad smile only got brighter as her cross got heavier. One day a young man found his way into that home; looking upon this girl, he loved her. And so he came often and she grew to look for him, and learned to lean on him, and dreamed the pretty dreams that come to pure women whose hearts God has fashioned for happy love. But over all the prospect was the shadow of her cross.

"It could never be, never be!" She said it over and over again to herself many a night as the tears slipped down her face. Then she got to saying, "If it only could be! If it only could be!" And she said this many times day and night. One day she lay on the sofa and began to say, "It shall be!"

"IT SHALL BE!"

"I'll break this cross to pieces or I'll die trying." And then she looked around for help. And by chance or providence there came into her hands a book—the book whose title and contents are referred to below. It appealed to her. Common sense was what she needed. She realized now that she had eyes, hands, organs, dimensions like her girl friends, who were matrons and mothers. She realized that it was not common sense that she should be born to be crushed by her cross.

Life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness were her inalienable rights and she wanted the full rights of her womanhood. It was common sense she needed. She had tried all the uncommon, extraordinary and extravagant forms of treatment, now she wanted less medicine and more common sense. It was thus she began the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The rest of the story sounds like a fairy story. But it is only like a fairy story in that it ends amid the merry clang of marriage bells and with "they lived happy ever afterward."

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