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THE JOURNAL EXPANSION EDITION.

The Journal receives only kind words in favor of its proposed Christmas Expansion edition. The idea is especially popular with the younger business men of the Capital City.

They realize that the future of our fair city depends on a more aggressive policy on the part of Oregon to attract migration, and they believe that the Lewis and Clark continental is the thing to push.

In their confidence in the progress and rapid growth of our city they are sustained by a large element of the older and more conservative business men whose cooler judgment backs younger enterprise.

The Journal wishes to recognize and emphasize as never before the work of the younger men in business and their untiring efforts in making this city what it should be—the Greater Salem of the Nineteenth century.

The young man and the wide-awake older business man has confidence in the future of Salem and in the magnitude and resources of the Willamette valley. They all know that these resources are stable and an inexhaustible mine of wealth out of which to coin fortunes.

At the meeting of the drygoods merchants with the Salem Press club the sentiment was expressed that the trade of this valley demands the best quality of goods, proving them to be a substantial people.

This substantial quality of our institutions will be reflected in the Christmas Expansion edition of The Journal. Would that all might know the real Salem, the real greatness of the Willamette valley.

Here we have a city extending several miles up and down the river, fringed with state institutions, general agriculture backed by special industries and the warehouses and skilled labor to handle their products.

What cannot the present generation make of such a city so favorably located? Was ever a community so richly endowed by nature so favorably situated as the seat of government, and not make something of itself?

It is the purpose of the Expansion Journal to call attention to some of these things in a striking way. The development of the natural advantages are enough to make Greater Salem what it should be if we grasp the opportunity.

NEW MINISTER TO JAPAN.

A man who was a newspaper reporter a few years ago on a Portland paper has been appointed Minister Plenipotentiary to Japan, with a salary of \$12,000 a year.

This is abouted about as a great triumph for the west, etc. Well, it may be but it is a question whether such precocity is profitable.

Judge Lord was made Minister to Argentina. He had been governor of the state, had been on the supreme bench for twenty years, and was an owner of property and a taxpayer.

Young Barrett may make up in brilliancy of intellect and superiority of self-assertiveness what he lacks in substantial qualities.

But as a representative of this country he should be counted more as a bit of political froth, a bubble

on the ocean of transient fame, than as a representative of the people.

He never even rose to the conduct of a successful country newspaper. He never was even an alderman of a second-class town.

He was reporter on a number of colorless newspapers that cling to the skirts of the community off which they live. Now he is great.

A MORE ELASTIC CURRENCY.

The exceedingly tight times in the great money centers of the east during the past four months proves the need of a more elastic currency.

This matter is dealt with by the report of the Secretary of the treasury in a comprehensive manner and ought to have weight with congress.

In fact, the U. S. treasury had to come to the rescue of the great money centers more than once the past few months or things would have popped.

H. H. Hanna of the Indianapolis Monetary Conference points out that it took the treasury department to relieve the semi-panic that prevailed.

This does not speak very highly for the alleged perfection of our present currency system.

President Roosevelt touches up the subject in his message and the business men of the country should sustain a reasonable expansion of the currency on safe lines.

The people are no longer afraid that this will be a conspiracy in the interest of the national banks and have no prejudice against increasing the volume of those notes if the United States will stand good for them.

AN UNJUST BILL.

That is Now Let Fall on Marion County.

Ed. Journal: I note in Saturday's Journal that two prisoners were committed from the state prison to the insane asylum, after an examination conducted by a local physician. Upon inquiry I learn that the expense of the commitment of prisoners to the asylum falls upon Marion county and as a taxpayer I desire to register an objection to this plan that I think should be corrected at the coming session of the legislature. It is unjust to expect the taxpayers of this county to stand the expense of transferring the criminally insane of other counties from one institution to the other.

There are a number of more equitable plans that might be adopted as a solution to this question. In the first place, the general appropriation for the support of the state prison might be made available for defraying this expense and in that way the cost would be equitably distributed among the various counties of the state. Another suggestion by which the added expense of an examination can be entirely removed, is to have the prison physician attend to the examination of convicts that may become mentally ill. Surely, no other physician can better and more intelligently pass upon their cases. Still another plan that would at least be more equitable than the present system would be to have the expense of committing a prisoner to the asylum assessed to the county from which the man was received at the penitentiary. A fourth suggestion is that a criminally insane ward be established at the prison where the afflicted may receive proper treatment and at the same time be kept within the jurisdiction of the house of correction.

With so many reasonable suggestions, it seems that the state legislature might provide a more equitable plan for handling the criminally insane of the state without saddling upon Marion county, alone, the expense of committing to the asylum the prison-

ers that are received from all sections of the state. Yours for justice to MARION COUNTY.

Salem, Ore., Dec. 2.

Politics and Municipal Government.

(The Pendleton Pendletonian.)
The rottenness of Portland's municipal government is an exemplification of the unfitness and treachery of politics in city government.

Municipal government involves the control of property and the management of affairs of police, health, street and other material interests contributing to the protection and comfort of the people. In municipal affairs politics should not enter. It has been thoroughly demonstrated, not in Portland, but in Pendleton also, that politics in local affairs have been conducive of no beneficial results to the citizens and taxpayers. When politics step in, honesty and good government step down and out, and the control of municipal affairs is turned over to the bosses of political factions who administer their offices for plunder and division of spoils.

Good citizens may widely differ in their opinion upon political questions, national, financial, diplomatic; they may differ in their estimate of men for direction of public affairs, but why intellectual citizens, of the same community, should upon the question of taxing themselves and spending their own money for the defense of their own property, the protection of their own lives, the security of their own homes, and the comfort of their own persons, divide into parties, hold party elections and be governed by party bosses, is beyond the comprehension of any sound mind or the explanation of any sane person.

The newspapers of Portland are narrowly inconsistent. In nearly every issue they volunteer the assertion that Portland's municipal government is rotten to the core, and they allude to their officials as grafters, corrupt political bosses and plunderers, who are robbing the city government for their own personal benefit. Yet these same party organs invariably encourage and "boost" for their respective political machines when an election is approaching. They are as unscrupulous as the plunderers, and as inconsistent as they are insincere.

Throw politics to the dogs.

WOOD AND FLOWER

Think of collecting perfumes directly from flower beds and converting them into colognes and pomades all by the help of electricity and without bothering with the complicated apparatus and elaborate processes hitherto employed! This is what is accomplished by a Washington scientist and inventor, who has devised an electrical machine which when connected by wires and zinc plates with a bed of roses, for example, will gather the odor from the blossoms and store it in bottles. Inasmuch as the roses go on blooming and producing perfume steadily, the precious volatile attar is drawn off continuously so long as the process is kept up. For every rose is, on a small scale, a perfume factory, its scent being due to an essential oil which it secretes.

Now, one advantage of the new process, says a writer in the Philadelphia North American, is that the perfume gathered by the electrical machine is in a condition of perfect ripeness and therefore much more agreeable to the nostrils than that which is separated from the blossoms in the ordinary fashion. Unfortunately much of the perfume ordinarily taken from the flowers is not quite ripe and therefore not at its best, while certain impurities are necessarily absorbed in the processes, injuring the quality of the cologne.

What is wanted is the natural and finished "bouquet" of blossoms growing in the sunshine, and this is what is obtained by the new electrical machine, which acts so powerfully that if a single rose be held in front of it it will cause a pint of water to smell like rosewater in six seconds by the watch. When the work is being done for business purposes, a flower bed is electrically grounded—that is to say, zinc plates connected with the machine by copper wires are buried in the earth of the bed. As the odor particles rise from the blossoms they are inductively charged and are then attracted to an adjacent static terminal—in plain language, a metal knob with a hole in it, through which the particles pass downward into a jar of alcohol and glycerin. This is kept up until the contents of the jar are sufficiently saturated with the perfume, when it is withdrawn and replaced by a fresh one.

A Costly Perfume.
Attar of ylang ylang, which rivals the attar of roses as an exquisite perfume and sells at \$40 to \$50 or more a pound, is the product of an Asiatic tree that reaches its highest development in the Philippine Islands. The tree grows to a height of sixty feet, when three years old begins bearing long greenish yellow flowers and at the age of eight may produce yearly 100 pounds of these flowers, blossoming every month. The attar is obtained by simple distillation of the choicest petals with water, no chemicals being used. Besides its value as a perfume for hair and toilet waters the product is prized among the natives as a medicine, being credited with curing toothache and numerous other pains.

Many a man is "center rush" among the four hundred who can't pay his board-bill.

Lottery Tickets by Express.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—Bearing on the question of trusts and involving the right of congress to regulate commerce between the states, the lottery case, which came up for reargument today before the United States Supreme Court, is of special interest.

The case is that of Francis v. United States. Francis was convicted in Cincinnati of carrying lottery tickets across the Ohio line into Kentucky.

The question is whether congress can regulate interstate commerce to the extent of preventing lottery gambling by the aid of express companies. Coupled with this case is one from Chicago—Charles F. Champion vs. John C. Ames, United States Marshal—which involves the constitutionality of the Lottery Act of 1895. Eminent lawyers and jurists regard the two cases as having decisive bearing on the future policy of courts and of congress.

What Consumption Means To-day.

There was a time when that word consumption struck terror to the stoutest heart. It need not do so now. In the light of present knowledge consumption is always to be considered hopefully.

We all know that when the little consumption germs have once gained a foothold in the lung tissue there is no one remedy which will directly destroy them or drive them out. The only thing that will eventually dislodge them is an abundant supply of rich blood throughout the whole body and particularly in the lungs. This will build up healthy tissue in which the germs cannot live.

To get this needed supply of good blood, and keep it pure, there are many things to do and you must try to do them all. Live all day in the sunshine and air. Sleep all night in a room that gets plenty of both. Keep warm. Don't use up one extra ounce of energy. Rest a great deal. Learn how to breathe. And above all take regular, abundant nourishment.

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