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LITTLE BOY BLUE.

The little toy dog is covered with dust,
 But sturdy and staunch he stands;
 And the little tin soldier is red with rust,
 And his musket molds in his hands.
 Time was when the little toy dog was new,
 And the soldier was passing fair;
 And that was the time when our Little Boy Blue
 Kissed them and put them there.
 "Now, don't you go till I come," he said,
 "And don't you make any noise!"
 So, toddling off to his trundle bed,
 He dreamt of the pretty toys;
 And as he was dreaming, an angel song
 Awakened our Little Boy Blue—
 Oh! the years are many, the years are long,
 But the little toy friends are true!
 Ah, faithful to Little Boy Blue they stand,
 Each one in the same old place,
 Awaiting the touch of a little hand,
 The smile of a little face;
 And they wonder, as waiting the long years through
 In the dust of that little chair,
 What has become of our Little Boy Blue,
 Since he kissed them and put them there.
 —Eugene Field.

MAKING SALEM THE CENTER OF THINGS.

The extension of the Oregon Electric railway to Woodburn is another step towards making Salem the center of things. The railroad to Falls City connects this city with a very rich country towards the coast mountains and big timber. The Oregon Electric will connect Salem via Woodburn with the heart of French Prairie and the rich country beyond. It will bring new life into our relations with Mt. Angel, Monitor Mills, Silverton and Scotts Mills, and beyond. Salem should hail with joy the proposition of Mr. Welch to build towards Stayton and Jefferson and Albany and beyond. Mr. Welch has been delayed and had difficulties in raising money, and so have others in trying to get capital for railroads. Salem should now push for a bridge to let the Falls City and Western into this city, and push it across to Silverton direct. We should have a line across to McMinnville, and for these two lines Salem could well afford to put up a bonus of \$50,000 for each. That is the spirit that would make this city the center of things and double and treble the value of all lands and city property. The Capital City of Oregon must awaken from the do-nothing dream.

RAILROAD COMMISSION DOING GOOD WORK.

Everything the Oregon railroad commission has tried to do has been contested in the courts. The railroad lawyers think it is wise to carry everything to the highest federal courts. So the practical going-into-effect of the commission's orders have been held up for two years. Now, by virtue of a decision of Judge Wolverton, the Oregon railroad commission has won its battle. Judge Wolverton has handed down an able and sweeping decision sustaining the commission at every point. Freight rates will be reduced on all the lines in Oregon that were known as interstate railroads. These reductions will amount to millions to the farmers and fruit growers and the manufacturer and jobber. The people should rejoice over this victory and thank God that men like Judge Wolverton and Judge Bean have been put on the federal bench. When they were appointed the corporation politicians were very busy trying to get their places and failed.

MORE GERMAN FARMERS WANTED IN OREGON.

A newspaper says President Taft got off wrong in his remarks about the German-Americans at Salem. Just the same, he told the truth about that kind of people being a valuable asset in the development of a state. Where a German family gets hold of an old run-down Oregon ranch they build it up and make it valuable, productive property. President Taft gave Salem an advertisement that will be

worth thousands of dollars every month for years to come. It will help bring thousands of German families to Oregon and do more to help build up the waste places than anything he could have done.

The prejudice against foreign-born citizens of the right sort is dying out, and Oregon could assimilate fifty thousand a year without detriment to the agricultural interests of the state. The census will show at least fifty thousand people in Oregon of the German-speaking nations.

They all come from countries where agriculture, dairying and fruit culture are the principal productive industries. They are a people among whom family life is strong, where industry is honorable and bill-paying and money-saving are practiced.

President Taft honored an element of our citizenship that is worthy of any man's respect and whose offspring are loyal Americans.

In the time of the civil war hundreds of thousands of Germans enlisted and fought under the flag against a dismembered union.

The adjutant of the Indian War Veteran's association for the four northwest Pacific coast states is a German born American citizen who helped make it possible for this country to be occupied by the whites in safety—Otto Kleeman, of Portland, president of the Oregon German societies. This is said for the information of persons who imagine the Germans are entitled to no credit in the founding of Oregon.

HAS A NEW BARN AND NEW CONNECTIONS

The street railway company is getting ready to open up a big new car barn on Chemeketa and Front streets. Chemeketa, from Commercial to Front, has been graded down and the ties and rail laid, and this morning the work of making the curve and connection with the Commercial street track was begun. The barn is a big one, and will hold all the cars the company can use for some time yet. This switch also connects the General Electric with the S. P. tracks on Front street, and the curve is such that any car can be handled on it, which will prove a great convenience in many ways.

The company already has connection with the S. P. on State street, but the curves are so short that it is almost impossible to get heavy freight cars over them.

FULL OF FIGS AND MAYBE A FEW PRUNES

Avalon, Cal., Oct. 6.—After living for 16 days on a fig diet, without water, John Brinkley announced today that he gained eight pounds during his fasting period, Brinkley, who is known as "Chicken John," undertook his fast to prove the nutritive value of the fruit of the fig tree.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. J. C. Perry.

One man advertises for a wife who has no mother. He must have taken the mother-in-law joke seriously.

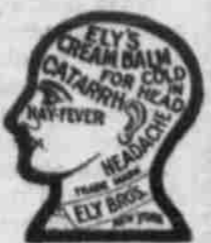
More Than 20

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A Reliable Remedy FOR CATARRH

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CHICHESTER'S PILLS

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When a young married man gets sick his mother always imagines it is due to his wife's cooking.