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USE THE COOS BAY MYRTLE.

UNDAY'S OREGONIAN has a very full, and also a very fine description of the Morgan building, which has just been completed in Portland. Among other descriptive matter considerable attention is paid to the Circassian walnut used in decorating the main entrance. This lumber cost \$600 a thousand feet. It is no doubt a very beautiful lumber, in

many respects the finest in the world, but there is one that in our opinion at least is its superior, and that is the myrtle of Coos Bay. This, in our humble opinion is, not even barring the satiny Circassian walnut, the most beautiful finishing and decorative wood in the world. It ranges in color from a dark brown to a light pale yellow, is beautifully mottled and has the same satiny smoothness as the Circassian walnut. Its variety of color makes it available for any decoration, as it can be selected dark, light, or any and all shades desired.

Loyalty to the state suggests that this beautiful wood be used in finishing just such buildings as The Morgan. Its use in such a building would be worth a thousand advertisements, as it wold speak for itself, and would soon lead to its much larger use in finishing work. We earnestly urga that as our big sister city adds to her sky-scrapers, that the Coos Bay myrtle be given a chance, and we feel certain that the builder who uses this wood will be forever glad of it. In the near future this wood is to become one of the most used all over the country for decorative finishing, and Portland should set the example in its use. Shown in some of its big buildings it would soon attract attention, and admiration, and that much more quickly would be brought into larger use.

Oregon in this, as in most other things, leads the world, and it is little short of a crime to send Oregon money across the seas to purchase at jewelry prices what we have at home comparatively cheap, and certainly as beautiful. By all means give the Coos Bay myrtle a chance, for once brought into notice it will do the rest itself.

INGENIOUS BUT NOT INGENUOUS.

HE OREGONIAN editors are ingenious, but far from ingenuous, and they say many things they do not mean and say them in such a way that they keep their readers guessing. For instance here is a sample of what they say about the tariff laws as they will affect Oregon, and it will be seen that while they apparently think the laws will injure Oregon, or rather make their readers gather the impression that they think so they do not may so but evade by saying "Watch how it works."

The Oregonian editors are far too well informed to for a moment believe the tariff on the products named benefited the Oregon producer a cent hence it is hard to find any excuse for the editorial in question unless it is just politics, and not very good politics at that. Here is what they 88.Y.:

"Now that the new tariff is law, it is time for Oregon to consider the changes in the position of its leading industries wrought by the new duties, We must adjust our business to new conditions, which open the markets of our chief industries to the competition of the world.

We had a duty on raw wool equal to five to seven cents a pound on the scoured fleece; now we have free wool. "We had a duty on humber ranging from \$1.25 to \$2.75 per thousand

feet; now we have free lumber.

We had a duty of twenty-five ents a barrel; now it is wiped out are here. They have never been and will never be shipped into Oregon. The children's industrial fairs will stop all that. Butter and cheese? We have ooth for export and can compete with the world as we have always done. Cattle? Is there anyone who will think the present prices of meat are not high enough? And by the way we noticed in the Oregonian the other day where a ewe had been sold for above \$7, and this for the meat alone, which helps answer the sheep and wool question.

Apples and other fruits! We are now and have been for years shipping hem out of the country and competing with the world, and beating it too. Canned fish? The same answer as for the fruit question.

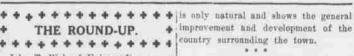
Jute bags! The duty has been materially reduced and the Oregonian will hardly contend that this will add to the price. It will be seen from this that the Oregonian does not mean what it says, nor does it say what t would have the restder assume it is saying, for when its statement is analyzed it does not say anything.

Leone Cass Baer in her column in Sunday's Oregonian says: 'Give me a sense of humor or give me death," Judging from the humor in the aforesaid column it looks like death would be her portion. It is strange that one who can write so interestingly and so charmingly of matters theatrical should insist on trying to do something she can not. Leone takes her humor seriously and so does the public.

The weather clerk has our permission to order up any old kind of weathnow and there will be no kick; but come to think of it, the prunes are ot vet all saved. However he has done such excellent work that he can be forgiven something. Just imagine the hops getting through with no rain worth mentioning, and after you have digested that get onto the state fair with cloudless skies.

Winter is a more fickle old chap than gentle spring, who somehow has always had the record as a flirtatious damsel. Here is the old chap now crawling onto the knees of antumn, and next we will hear of the old masher lingring ou the first hap of spring.

The Shaniko Star heads a local story, "Madras men steal sheep." This nay be true of some of them, but it is a rough statement to make so broad-



John T. Rich of Union, after a row with his wife in which he attempted at Astoria all through September, his to strike her and was knocked down private secretary, Mr. Gilmore, reportby his son, swallowed a couple of teapoonfuls of bichloride of mercury the precipitation was 5.98 inches, the Sunday. He was taken to the hospital greatest in any September since 1865. and the doctors say there is little hope of his recovery.

Umatilla's grain crop has turned out setter than at first estimated and will be at least 6,000,000 bushels.

8.00 4 Fire of unknown origin early Sunday norning destroyed the Sutherlin Mercantile company's store at that place. the loss is \$20,000 with about \$5,000 insurance.

Portland's tax levy for 1914 it is expected will be 7.7 mills. The budget is about completed.

At Vale the alfalfa growers are finding a ready market for their crop

at \$5.50 per ton. Many cattle buyers are laying in a supply of this excellent forage. The Oregon Eastern railroad was

completed at Juntura Friday, connecting Vale with that rapidly growing some time during the latter part of the little city. The distance is 62 miles week. and nearly three and a half miles of this was completed in the last three days of last week. There will be 100

cars of cattle shipped from Juntura chief stated this afternoon that when week.

this week and two train loads next the warden approached him, he was on his own personal property and that he had never given any one permission to The Dalles is on the list of kickers declare his land in the game reserve. and objects to paying some \$34,000 Shedeck says that he told the warder

RAT INFECTED WITH

[UNITED PRESS LEARED WIRE.]

BUBONIC PLAGUE FOUND

Seattle, Wash., Oct. 7 .- The first rat infected with bubonic plague to be found in Seattle, with one exception, since the scare of three years and nine months ago, today was announced to have been taken from the quarters of the Miller Produce company.

Men in the city health department found the animal dead last week. Careful laboratory tests on guinea pigs to day demonstrated that this one and possibly others were infected. This morning workmen will begin razing the building, a frame and corrugated iron structure, and a large force of men were set to combing all that part of the city for a radius of six blocks for other rats.

Announcement of the finding of the plague rat was made by Dr. J. E. Crichton, city health commissioner after he had completed a careful examination of the premises in company with Dr. Eugene R. Kelly, secretary of the state board of health, and Dr. B. J. Lloyd, representative of the United States health service.

Dr. Kelly says he will take no action unless there seems to be danger of plague spreading to other points in the state.

It is thought that the United States health officials also will rely on the city health department to cope with the situation, rather than to declare a quarantine.



[UNITED PRESS LAASED WIRE.]

Portland, Ore., Oct. 7 .- The Western Union Telegraph company was enjoined by Federal Judge Wolverton in a de have the blood tingle with the fright of cision yesterday from interfering with the operations of the Postal Telegraph company, in the maintenance of a pole line along the right of way of the Southern Pacific from Eugene to New Era, Ore.

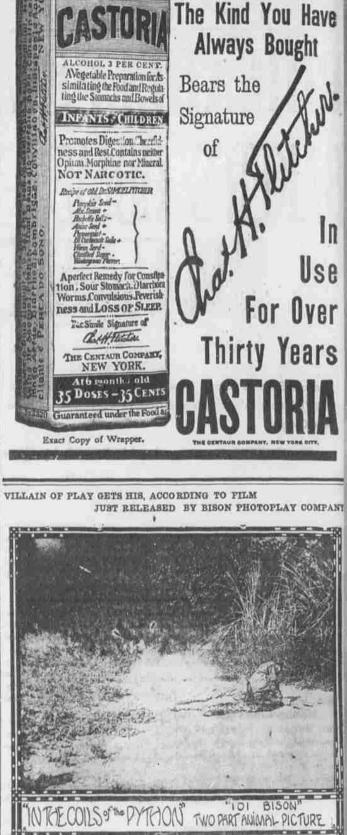
The Postal had entered into an agree nent with the Southern Pacific com pany by which the cross-arms of its poles should extend over the right of way. The Western Union, which also had a line along the right of way, re Justice Webster's court was full to fused to accept the clauses of the agree overflowing with defendants when the ment on the ground that it had an excourt was called to order yesterday afclusive contract with the Southern Paternoon and the arraignment of several cific company.

men accused of unlawfully hunting on Judge Wolverton held that such an game reserves began. All pleaded not exclusive contract was unlawful. guilty and they will have their hearing

WANTS TO SERVE TERM.

[UNITED PRESS LEASED WIRE.] Oakland, Cal., Oct. 7 .--- William According to Chief of Police Shedeck Walker, who escaped from the city the game warden tried to make him chain gang a year ago, and mado his quit hunting on his own land. The way to Alaska, returned yesterday with a bride. He asked the police to lock him up, that he might square himself with the world, by serving out the romainder of his term on the chain

gang. Walker, who is now prosperous,



900 DROPS

For Infants and Children.

wonderful animal photoplay full for the picture, and it is genuine sensations is "In the Coils grips with horror and suspense. of a Python," which has just been re- has been thrown from his horse wi leased by the Bison company. The un- fatal results and as he lies crippled usual thrills are due to the fearless ef- the dusty road an immense pyth orts of the die Abai



its own. It is a surprise to know what

can be done when a place wakes up.

It is fun too. It is worth something to

"There were duties on milk of two cents a gallon; cream, five cents a galion; eggs, five cents a dozen; now all are free.

"Butter and cheese formerly paid a duty of six cents a pound; this is reduced to two and one-half cents.

"Onts will now come in at six cents instead of fifteen cents a bushel, and onimeal will pay only one-third cent instead of one cent a pound.

"Cattle formerly paid \$2 and \$3.75 a head; sheep, soventy-five cents and \$1.50 a head; hogs, \$1.50 a head; now all come in free, as does fresh meat of all kinds, which was subject to a duty of one and one-halt cents a pound.

"Apples, peaches, cherries, plums, pears and quinces paid a duty of twenty five cents a bushel; now they pay only ten cents.

"We had a duty of 30 per cent on canned fish; now it is 15 per cent. Fresh, dried, smoked, salted or frozen salmon paid three-fourths cent to one cent per pound; now all are free.

"On jute bags we paid seven-eights cent a pound plus 15 per cent; now we pay 10 per cent. Wheat comes in free; the bags in which we ship our wheat are still taxed.

"These are a few examples of the bearing of the new tariff on Oregon's leading lodustries. Watch how it works."

Let us take a glance at the items and see where Oregon is hurt. We grow most of our wool on government land, the industry pays the smallest wages of any in the United States, and as we manufacture clothing from it that is sold abroad, it is evident on the face of it that the manufacturers have not been paying Oregon growers any more than they would with the tariff off. However this will be demonstrated in the near future either one way or the other, and is in fact the only product of the whole lot that there is any question about at all.

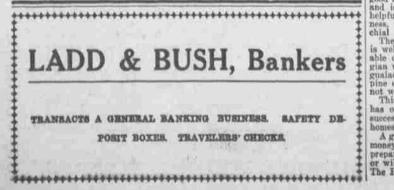
Lumber! What protection could a tariff give our lumber when we ship it to all parts of the world and in competition with the world. From Puget sound points lumber is now, and has been for years, shipped into British Columbia, and undersells the home product there.

Wheat I We ship it abroad and have done so for years, the world is our market and the price is fixed in Portland and on the Coast by the price in England and Europe.

The same applies to flour.

Milk and cream! Where could it be shipped from! Where will it be shipped into Tillamook from, for instance, or any other point which exports 517

Eggst The only hen fruit shipped into Oregon comes from the cast or California, and they are worth more in most foreign countries than they



due for paving about two miles of the contract. 10.00

The Baker Herald ventures the asertion that a city or town without in. a wild west show is as lonesome as a log without fleas nowadays.

According to the estimates of the Sugene Register, Springfield's right to andving fame is now firmly established since some of her citizeus have voluntarily requested that the assessment of their property be raised.

That Sumpter is a better business own than it was a year ago is the claim of the American, which save this



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to go along about his business and that grancy. The police say they will make street. The Linden-Kibbe company had he processed to finish his hunt after his stay with them a comfortable one. birds.

> A titter ran about the room when Deputy District Attorney Keyes came Game Warden Risinner sized the prosecutor up and wanted to know his business, not knowing the state's rep-

resentative. When Mr. Keyes asked the warden what the nature of the cases was, the latter said: "Why, haven't you just heard the

judge say f What is your business, any WRY?'

The spectators laughed outright and Mr. Keyes then introduced himself.

NEGRO KILLED.

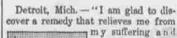
[UNITED PERSS LEASED WIRE.] San Diego, Cal., Oct. 7 .- That enough ircumstantial evidence to convict Burn Harris, the Los Angeles negro, suspect ed of having murdered Mrs. Rebecca P. Gray, in Los Angeles, 10 days ago, al ready has been gathered by the Los Angeles detective working on the case was the semi-official opinion expressed yesterday afternoon after Harris had been placed with questions for more than two hours at the local police station.

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had been sentenced to 30 days for va animal carnivo The Unanimous verdict: Biggest and best ana of state fair ever. **DOCTORS DID**

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But Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Mrs. LeClear's Health-Her Own Statement.



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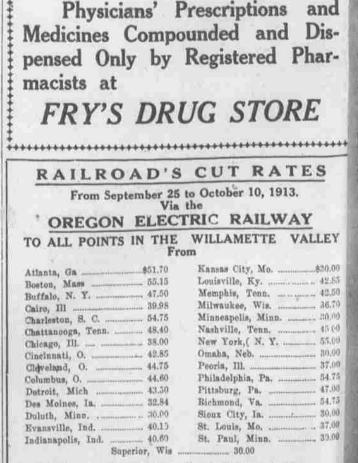
pains. For two years I suffered bearing down pains and got all run down. I was under a nervous strain and could not. sleep at night. I went to doctors here in the city but they AN did not do me any

good. "Seeing Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised, I tried it. My health improved wonderfully and I am now quite well No woman suffering from feagain. male ills will regret it if she takes this medicine."- Mrs. JAMES G. LECLEAR, 336 Hunt St., Detroit, Mich.

Another Case.

Philadelphia, Pa. - "Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is all you claim it to be. About two or three days before my periods I would get had nission and demand to know what they sides, and my head would ache. I called the doctor and he said I had organic inraw that a major league club owner flammation. I went to him for a while but cannot buy 47 reserved seats when did not get well so I took Lydia E. Pinkthousands of them appear to be in the hand's Vegetable Compcund. After tak-hands of speculators,'' Mr. Gaffney ashands of speculators, 'Mr. Gaffney as seried. He added that the New York club had refused to sell him the 47 turn of the old troubles."-Mrs. CHAS. BOHLL, 2650 S. Chadwick St., Phila., Pa.

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orous tigers and huge pythons.	life out.	
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