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Nothing could be plainer than that the recent O. R. & N. election means a continuance of the policy that has bottled up Astoria and deprived Oregon of any participation in the great and growing commerce with the Orient. The only road whose interests by any possible construction can lie in the development of the seaport of Astoria is shut out of trackage facilities down the Columbia. Under some form of stipulation the menace of Astoria's rivalry in the outgoing and incoming traffic of the Columbia basin is eliminated and this business will be concentrated on Seattle and Portland as heretofore.

Word comes from Berlin to the effect that the Baldwin Locomotive Works, of Philadelphia, is the winner in competition with a German firm, to supply twenty compound locomotives for the Saxon State Railway, at 54,760 marks for each engine. The German firm, at Breslau, made a "tender" of them at 220 marks less, for each, but they wanted a month longer to do the work. It seems the Saxon railroad authorities must have got a real American hustle on them, and so took the Yankee "tender"—and the locomotives, too. The fact that they were willing to pay 220 marks more for each marks an important fact, as it were, and that is, that in work of this kind the manufacturers of the United States stands without rivals, not only for the rapidity with which they produce, but for the excellence of their products. The Atbara bridge, ordered by the Sirdar of Egypt, Gen. Kitchener, from an American firm, is another instance.

The thoroughly sportsmanlike manner in which Sir Thomas Lipton has acted ever since his challenge for the America's cup was accepted and the many defeats sustained by equally good fellows, have led to many expressions of the hope that the Shamrock will be successful in her efforts to wrest supremacy from the Columbia. Several reasons may be assigned for this, but the one most pronounced is that we may have a chance to go abroad and bring back the cup. So far as the cup itself is concerned this is all well enough, but there is a commercial side to the coming races that has been overlooked by these well-wishers for the success of the challenger. Just at present there is a great boom in ship building, not alone in this country but in many others. Should the Shamrock prove herself the speedier boat of the two the fact will be heralded the world over, and be the greatest kind of an advertisement for the British ship-builder. They will make capital out of our defeat and her yards will feel its effects for many years to come. While we are now recognized as the equal of any in shipbuilding, the loss of the cup will make us second to England, for it will be a decided victory for their shipcraft, and millions of money will be spent where the Shamrock was built. The Englishmen are fully alive to this side of the coming international struggle, and so must we be. There is nothing but praise for Sir Thomas Lipton and his many way of doing business, but we must keep the cup to maintain our position.

The woman who truly loves her husband will keep a watchful eye on his health. She will remember that if his health is neglected, any telephone call from the office may be a message that he has been stricken by death. The average man does not feel that he has time to fool away about trifling indispositions. He is too busy making money. He says he leaves sickness to the women folks. That is the way men commit suicides of thousands of them. A woman can stand between this danger and her husband if she will. A little watchfulness—a suggestion now and then and a little of a good general remedy always at hand may save her husband's life. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a remarkable remedy for hard working men and women. In a certain sense, it is a cure-all, for the reason that it goes down to bedrock and cures the disorders that are responsible for the majority of serious illnesses. It strengthens the stomach, and makes the appetite keen and hearty. It invigorates the liver. It aids the natural processes of secretion and excretion. It makes the assimilation of the food perfect. It purifies the blood and fills it with the life-giving elements that build new and healthy flesh tissue. It tones the nerves. It is the great blood-maker and flesh-builder. It cures 98 per cent of all cases of laryngitis, bronchitis, throat and kindred affections, which, if neglected, lead up to consumption. It is also an unfailing remedy for all nervous disorders. An honest dealer will not urge a substitute.

"Last winter I took sick with what the doctors called a gripe," writes Mrs. Sarah Farley, of Fairfax, Michigan, Co., Mo. "I was sick for about four months and nothing that I took seemed to do me any good. My friends thought I had consumption. I coughed up blood for a long while, and nearly gave up all hope of ever getting well. I heard of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and thought I would try it. I had not finished the first bottle when I began to get better. I have taken two bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' and feel better than ever before in my life."

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R. E. Turner, Compton, Mo., was cured of piles by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve after suffering seventeen years and trying over twenty remedies. Physicians and surgeons endorse it. Beware of dangerous counterfeits. Chas. Rogers.

Plans for the Grand Army monument on the field of Gettysburg provide for a square tower 350 feet high, flanked by two large circular buildings, one to serve as an auditorium, the other as an art hall. The tower will be surmounted by a statue of Liberty.

"They are simply perfect," writes Robt. Moore, of LaPayette, Ind., of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the "famous little pills" for constipation and all liver ailments. Never gripe. Chas. Rogers.

Slow and sure was all right as a motto in days gone by, but how about quick and sure in this era of competition.

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Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a scientific compound having the endorsement of eminent physicians and the medical press. It "digests what you eat" and positively cures dyspepsia. M. A. Keaton, Roominghouse, Tenn., says it cured him of indigestion of ten years' standing. Chas. Rogers.

A woman must be sadly deficient in imagination who honestly believes that no man ever wanted to marry her.

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Chester H. Brown, Kalamazoo, Mich., says: "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cured me of a severe case of indigestion; can strongly recommend it to all dyspeptics." Digests what you eat without aid from the stomach, and cures dyspepsia. Chas. Rogers.

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The mosquito is generally believed to be the originator of the cradle song.

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