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Cities of Oregon.

The census bureau gives out the following figures concerning the population of Oregon towns of more than 2,000 and less than 65,000 population. It is very likely that none of the towns named feel greatly elated over the returns as given. We in Grants Pass think we should have at least 3,000.

These returns show Baker City to have made the most phenomenal increase. After Baker City, Grants Pass and Ashland show the largest percentage of increase, about 50 per cent in the 10 years. The figures show Eugene and Salem to have receded, which hardly appears possible in consideration of the great increase of population in the state:

	1880	1890	1900.
Albany	1867	3079	3149
Ashland	842	1785	2634
Astoria	2852	6186	8381
Baker City	1258	2695	6663
Eugene	1117	5111	3236
Grants Pass	...	1432	2290
La Grande	...	2583	2991
Oregon City	1263	3062	3494
Pendleton	730	2506	4406
Salem	2856	5721	4258
The Dalles	2232	3029	3542

Reliable News From China.

Martin Egan, the well known correspondent of the San Francisco "Chronicle," returned from China on the U. S. transport Thomas, Saturday. He has been acting as a staff correspondent and has the following to say regarding recent events in China.

The campaign just closed will probably be without moral effect upon the people of North China, for some of the allied troops duplicated nearly every atrocity which the Chinese inflicted upon the foreigners. Great Britain, the good and true friend of China disclaiming any intent to make war on the Chinese and moved only by the worthy plan of rescuing her ministers, turned ner Indian thieves loose and they looted and pillaged until they sickened of the game themselves. Stolen property, valued at many million of silver dollars, was sold at the British legation and will be divided as prize money as in good old days of piracy. The Russian and French troops, good looters, too, could not keep their unclean hands of the women of the country, and all of the soldiery, with the exception of the Americans, shot their prisoners and even unarmed men suspected of complicity in the anti-foreign movement.

The Germans set up courts and shot scores and scores of men upon charges of being in the Boxer movement or concerned in the anti-foreign crasade. The treatment of the Chinese everywhere was inconceivably brutal. There were murder, robbery and rape until the heart sickened of it all. Mind you, this was all done by the armies of Christian nations seeking to show the poor pagan the right way. I am proud that the hands of the American soldiers are clean. They did some looting, but despite the example and the opportunity they were not carried off their feet, and once the confusion was over General Chaffee saw that his troops remained honest. There was no need to prevent American soldiers from shooting prisoners and unarmed men. They do not do that and they could not be taught to do it. Our army will come out of China with credit to us all. It was not the best disiplined force there, for the American can hardly be trained down to absolute discipline, but in the matter of fighting in showed superior to most others and was second to none.

A Few Pointers.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough, which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c. and 50c. For sale by all druggists.

Letter From Charlton Perkins.

CALAMBA, P. I. Oct. 7, 1900.

At one time it was fascinating pastime for me to write letters and my mind was constantly filled with thoughts which I could translate on paper with assurance that it would be of interest to the receiver, but that time has passed. I now find it a task to sit down and write a letter. Perhaps it is caused by my long separation from friends and the world has drifted us apart so that I have nothing of interest to write, for I have lost the course of their ideas and thoughts, therefore I know of nothing that would interest them. Well you know this world drifts friends apart all too easily unless we stem the tide of friendship by frequent meetings.

One who remains in this country for any length of time becomes a native in respect "Never do today what you can do *manana*." I find it even very hard to sit down and read, no matter how interesting the book or article may be. One's mind becomes slow acting and your perception leaves you.

I send by mail a bolo and a krease, the former, silver mounted, was captured from a native lieutenant when the American forces made their advance hrough these southern province. The latter came from islands south. Each notch in the hilt denotes the number of human beings that have been killed with the blade. I have some very valuable curios and as I am most likely to be moving from time to time, I shall begin to send home those that I can send through the mail, for when I take a notion to leave here I will not have so much luggage.

I have been asked, "Do we have watermelons here." Well they have a vegetable here that resembles the melon at home but they are tasteless like all the vegetables and fruit. Nothing is cultivated here. It just grows up, like Topsy grew up. There are only two things here that are what you would call good. They are the mango and a select species of the banana which grows in small quantities through the islands but should the fruits and vegetables receive cultivation, the best or at least among the best in the world would be produced. Corn grows fairly well here without cultivation. I see the natives carrying it by my door almost every day, to the market. It sells here for about 65 cents gold per bushel.

General Hall and his staff with two companies of the 8th Infantry, and 150 native scouts left on the 3rd to scour these provinces for Insurecto bands that may be here. They are constantly growing more bold and as long as the present system of kindness is practiced hundreds of Americans are going to meet death.

CHARLTON B. PERKINS.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall,s Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co, Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure.
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The Census of 1900.

A booklet giving the population of all cities of the United States of 25,000 and over according to the census of 1900, has just been issued by the Passenger department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and a copy of it may be obtained by sending your address, with two-cent stamp to pay postage, to the General Passenger Agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, Chicago, Ill.

Many persons have had the experience of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratford, N. H., who says: "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigestion, but Kodol Dyspepsia Cure made a well man of me." It digests what you eat and is a certain cure for dyspepsia and every form of stomach trouble. It gives relief at once even in the worst cases, and can't help but do you good.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

Washington Letter.

(From Our Regular Correspondent).

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3, 1900.

Few sessions of congress have opened more quietly than that which convened today. Advance knowledge of the fact that adjournment was to immediately follow the opening of the session in honor of the memory of the late Senators Davis, of Minn. and Grear, of Iowa, served to lessen attendance both on the floor of the house and senate in the galleries and consequently to lessen interest in the short proceedings.

Congressional interest is strongly centered in the Isthmian Canal question. Rightly or wrongly, the announcement that the canal commission had cut out of its report its original recommendation in favor of the Nicaragua route, and left it to congress to decide between that and the Panama route, from the facts and figures presented, is taken to have been brought about by the shrewd work of the lobbyists employed by the Panama canal company, and to presage a fight, which may cause scandal before it is ended; the lobbyists are also credited with pushing forward the Ship Subsidy bill, which is likely to be the bitterest fought measure of the session, for the purpose of displacing the Nicaragua canal bill, which by resolution adopted by the senate at the last session, should be taken up on Wednesday of this week. This last may have been partly the case, but there are other reasons why senators will not object to seeing the canal bill go over for a while. The Hay-Pauncefote treaty, has not yet been ratified, and Secretary Hay has just made a treaty with Nicaragua, giving the United States all the rights and privileges needed to construct the canal. Many of the strongest supporters of the Nicaragua canal bill think that both of these treaties should be ratified before the canal bill is seriously taken up by the senate.

There is constant watchfulness on the part of senators to get better seats for themselves. Applications are often filed by senators for the desirable seats held by retiring senators, several years in advance of the date of their retirement, and for a senator who has a good seat, to get sick, is always the signal for applications to be filed for his seat, in case it should be vacated. Senator Hanna, who has had a less desirable seat, filed a claim for the seat occupied by the late Senator Davis, about two years ago, and it is now his. He did not dream, however, that the seat would come to him through the death of Senator Davis. The claim was filed because Senator Davis had filed one for the seat of Senator Hoar, who at the time talked of retiring on account of his health.

Representative Shaffroth, of Colorado, is an enthusiast and an expert on the subject of irrigation. He has introduced a bill providing for the construction of reservoirs in the arid sections of the West and for the disposal of the public lands reclaimed thereby under the homestead law. He thinks it an erroneous idea that money spent in irrigation only benefits the state in which it is spent. In his own words: "What benefits one state largely profits another. Thus enriching now idle and useless ground would result in the providing for homes and a great future to thousands and thousands, of homeless, helpless and penniless men in every state in the Union."

Captain Carl Reichmann, U. S. A. who has just returned from South Africa where he was sent by the war department to observe the military operations of the Boers, said of the Boer commander, whose recent successes have revived hopes among the friends of the Boers: "De Wet's a dandy. He is a little man with a clear, fierce eye and a stern visage, and wears a small black hat. One would not pick him out in a company of men as a warrior; and he's a butcher, or his brother was, but he knows how to fight." Captain Reichmann says that although the Boers are fine hunters and good marksmen, they are not good soldiers, because they are not susceptible to discipline."

The story is very persistently asserted around Washington, although denied by war department officials that the president has promised to set aside the sentence of the court martial, suspending him from duty for six years, and restore General Eagan to active duty as commissary general of the army. Eagan is in Washington, but he declines to do any talking about his case.

No one seriously doubts that there will eventually be practical flying machines, but that doesn't prevent money being invested in railway and steam ship lines. Yet, a level-headed man like Chairman Hepburn of the house committee on inter state and foreign commerce, who at the last session reported and urged action on a bill for a Pacific cable is quoted as expressing the opinion that the claim of Marconi, whose previous experiments with wireless telegraphy have not been entirely satisfactory even for short distances, to have discovered a system by which messages can be sent across the ocean, without cables, will prevent action on the cable bill.

There may be some significance in the remark of Senator Allison, who is in the front rank of the majority leaders, that the only legislation which must absolutely be disposed of at this session in order to prevent an extra session of the next congress, outside of the fourteen regular appropriation bills, were the army bill and the reapportionment bill, and all the other proposed legislation was subsidiary and could if necessary, be laid aside until the next congress meets.

AUNT JOSIE'S CHAT.

Bread.

In the preparation of breads after the following recipes, the measure of flour should be heaping.

MILK BREAD WITH WHITE FLOUR.—Scald and cool one pint of unskimmed milk. Add to the milk when lukewarm, ¼ of a cup or 3 tablespoonfuls of liquid yeast, and 3 cups of flour. Give the batter a vigorous beating, turn it into a clean bread bowl or small earthen crock, cover and let it rise over night. In the morning when well risen add 2 or 3 cupfuls of warm flour, or sufficient to knead. Knead well until the dough is sufficiently elastic to rebound when struck forcibly with the fist. Allow it to rise again in mass; then shape into loaves; place in pans; let it stand until light and bake. If undesirable to set bread over night, an additional tablespoonful or two of yeast may be used to facilitate the rising.

VIENNA BREAD—Into a pint of scalded milk, turn a cup and a half of boiling water. When lukewarm add ½ cup of warm water in which has been dissolved a cake of compressed yeast, and a quart of white flour. Beat the batter thus made very thoroughly and allow it to rise for one hour. Then add white flour enough to knead. Knead well and allow it to rise again for about 3 hours or until very light. Shape into 4 loaves handling lightly. Let it rise again in the pans and bake. During the baking, wash the tops of the loaves with milk, to glaze them.

WATER BREAD—Dissolve a tablespoonful of sugar in a pint of boiling water. When lukewarm, add ¼ of a cupful of liquid yeast and sufficient flour to make a batter thick enough to drop from the spoon. Beat vigorously for 10 minutes, turn into a clean, well scalded bread bowl, cover (wrapping in a blanket if in cold weather) and let it rise over night. In the morning when well risen, add flour to knead. Knead well for half an hour, cover and let it become light in mass. When light proceed as usual.

FRUIT ROLL—Take some bread roll prepared as for milk bread, which has been sufficiently kneaded and is ready to mold, and roll to about one inch in thickness. Spread over it some dates which have been washed, dried and stoned, raisins, currants or chopped figs. Roll it up tightly into a loaf. Let it rise until very light and bake.

FRUIT LOAF—Set a sponge with 1 pint of rich milk ¼ cup of yeast and a pint of flour over night. In the morning add 2 cups of Zante currants, 1 cup of sugar, and 3 cups of flour, or enough to make rather a stiff dough. Knead well and set to rise; when light, mold into loaves. Let it rise again and bake.

POTATO BREAD—Cook and mash perfectly smooth potatoes to make a cupful. Add a teaspoonful of best white sugar, one cup and a half of warm water and when the mixture is lukewarm, ½ cup of yeast, prepared as directed for boiled potato yeast No. 2 and flour to make a very thick batter. Allow it to rise over night. In the morning add a pint of warm water and flour enough to knead. The dough will need to be considerably stiffer than when no potato is used, or the result will be a bread too moist for easy digestion. Knead well; let it rise, mould into 4 loaves and when again light bake.

WHOLE WHEAT BREAD—Scald one pint of unskimmed milk, when lukewarm, add ½ cup of liquid yeast, or ¼ cake of compressed yeast dissolved in 1-2 cups of warm water, and a pint of white flour. Beat this batter thoroughly and allow it to rise. When well risen add 3 and ½ cups of whole wheat flour. Knead thoroughly and allow it to become light in mass; then shape into two loaves allow it to rise again and bake.

Where They Went.

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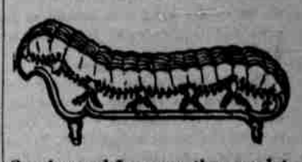

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" " 8 " ..12
" " 9 " ..15
Meat Platters, full measure, 12 in....22
" " 14 "....35
" " 16 "....50
Covered dishes 50
Gravy boats.....20
Pickle dishes.....15
Tea pots.....33
Sugar bowls 30
3-piece butter dishes.....35
Pitchers, cream.....12
" milk.....16
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WOMAN TO BUILD A ROAD.

Mme. Beard Now in Arizona for the Purpose of Pushing a Plan for a Road.

Mme. L. J. Velasquez Beard, known throughout the country as a woman promoter, is in Phoenix, Ariz., which she intends making the terminal point of a railroad starting from Benderez bay, on the Pacific coast of Mexico, and altogether about 1,000 miles in length. She recently came off a trip lasting 28 months, covering 3,000 miles, on donkeys, examining the contour of the country between Costa Rica and the Pacific coast.

Mme. Beard produces papers showing a concession of $10,000 a mile by Mexico. She has been working on the project for 17 years, and has been aided by A. K. Coney, Mexican consul general at San Francisco, who is close to President Diaz. Mexico is anxious for construction of the road because it will not only tap rich mineral and agricultural regions, but will lead to Benderez bay, where that government contemplates establishing an important naval station.

Mme. Beard was first distinguished as the south's representative in Canada, where she secured large sums of money to aid the confederacy in the civil war.

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