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ROOSEVELT OR —?

Already the great question is asked, shall Roosevelt succeed himself?

THE PEOPLE ASK THEMSELVES THIS QUESTION, when it is proposed to make this man or that man a candidate for President.

Then the average citizen turns around, and, in spite of Roosevelt's assertion that he will not again become a candidate, asks why not.

In the wise dispensation of Providence Roosevelt was able to finish the second term begun by McKinley, along conservative lines.

But all know the country could not much longer have endured the tendencies that became so marked under McKinley.

FORTUNATELY OR UNFORTUNATELY MARK HANNA DIED.

This left Roosevelt a free hand to strike a blow for freedom against the exactions of the coal barons.

He was left free to begin the suit that resulted in breaking up the great railroad merger.

He has been able to bring suits against the beef trust, McKinley neither could nor would have done any of these things.

In the late presidential elections Roosevelt carried Missouri with Folk, Minnesota, with Johnston, Massachusetts with Douglas—all Democrats.

He put a bill through congress to regulate rates of freight in the interest of the producer.

The senate killed the bill and THE NEXT SENATE MAY BE DEMOCRATIC. IT SHOULD NOT BE PLUTOCRATIC.

There is no difference between the masses of the American people today and the French people in 1893.

They will stand about so much opposition, about so much hesitation and indecision, and then they will act.

THEY WILL ACT IN 1906.

THOUGHT MOVES THE WORLD.

The Russian nobility met at Moscow, and solemnly resolved that they did not want a constitution. THEY WOULD SUPPRESS PROGRESS.

They would allow some degree of popular representation, but think there should be no limit of autocracy or administrative arbitrariness.

These rotten and decaying fag ends of nobility, probably the most degenerate aristocracy on the face of the earth, are receiving some great big jolts by the Japanese.

The Japanese have a constitutional monarchy, and it is not their guns that are destroying the Russians, but their advanced thought that has moved them to the front in the affairs of the world.

Woe unto the individual or government that resists or falls behind the progress of the world—the advance thought that moves the nations and every community.

HE WILL BE RUDELY JOSTLED AND OVERRIDDEN by the oncoming hosts of progressive thinking. IT IS THOUGHT THAT IS BEHIND THE GUNS THAT IS DEADLY TO RUSSIA.

The atrophy of intellect displayed by those nobles is remarkable. Just as if there could be any extension of popular rights without limiting absolutism.

VALLEY IS INDEPENDENT.

So far as matters essential to Willamette valley progress are concerned the Valley League can take care of local interests, whether or not a state league convention is held. The things we need, want and must have are not

always what Portland wants, although the community of interest should extend to the entire state. Perhaps if the Willamette valley would paddle its own canoe for awhile the independent spirit thus engendered might put the metropolis in a more amiable frame of mind and cause her to court a closer relationship with this part of Oregon. Portland really needs to learn that we can worry along some way without her dominance, and further she needs a jolt to awaken her to the very patent fact that she needs us in her business. In fact the lesson must be pressed home that we must all live together in harmony, and that we can do so, provided the harmony is not all on one side.—Eugene Register.

THE DAY OF THE DOER.

There is a big, rough, practical sermon in the words of Lizzie Winters, a New Yorker, who has just become the bride of "Kid" Yanger. Kid is known as "The Dog" in pugilistic circles, and to say that he is not handsome, is to treat his facial characteristics with great charity.

Says she: "It ain't looks that win a girl. It's what a guy can do; what he makes good at."

And there you have modern philosophy.

For the doer is everything, and there is no place for the duder. Perhaps there was a time when a man could travel on his shape, and win a fair share of feminine popularity. It is pleasant to be known as the best dancer; to have a reputation for repartee and small talk; to know how a cravat should be arranged, and what to wear on particular occasions.

But the man who knows these things and little else is useless. He may be ornamental, but the world tires of ornaments, and has reached such a plain of advancement that it honors the human being who is skilled with hands and brain, and praises him and rewards him, and doesn't care if his face is as homely as was that of Abraham Lincoln.

You may marvel that a woman, as fair as a flower, beautiful of face and form, will tie herself to a man who is irregular in appearance from face to feet.

There is a reason. She told it when she said: "It ain't looks that win a girl. It's what a guy can do—what he makes good at."

THE FUTURE.

(Written for The Journal.)
Would that we could know the future, If it has the present soul.
Would that we could see our pathway, If it leads to ambition's goal.

Misty time alone can tell,
Can unravel and dispel,
Hopes or fears we entertain,
While we plan we do not ordain.

Thus we travel day by day,
Trusting to a guiding ray,
Idols shattered, torn and scattered,
Ever willing to berate.
At the cruel hands of fate.
Salem, March 20th.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

No Right to Decline.

Boston, March 29.—The report of the sub-committee, made yesterday, to the presidential committee of the American Board of Foreign Missions of the Congressional church, regarding the gift of \$100,000 by Rockefeller was made public today. It is announced that the presidential committee held their final action in abeyance for two weeks, pending the consideration of the report. In advising the acceptance of the gift, the sub-committee says: "Our responsibility begins with the reception of the gift. The responsibility is not ours, but that of the donor in his own conscience." The report ends with the statement that the committee has no right to decline the gift.

The Margaret Fischer Co. are still showing in the smaller towns. Just now they are making a tour of the Coos Bay cities.

STATE NEWS

Vacant houses are at premium in Eugene.

A blizzard and snow storm visited La Grande Tuesday.

Samples of ore from mines in Wal-lowa county assay as high as \$1700 per ton in silver.

While attending the revival in Portland, Dr. G. S. Wright, of McMinville, had an Elk's tooth stolen.

Grading has commenced on the Mt. Hood railroad. The road is expected to be completed by October 1st.

Eleven thousand dollars of stock has been subscribed for the fair association at Pendleton by the citizens.

Lake county mines are coming to the front. A recent strike at Willow Ranch went \$233.23 gold and \$2.70 in silver.

The Baker City Democrat says that Baker county schools are sore going to win prizes at the Lewis and Clark fair.

The Baker City high school basketball team skinned the La Grande high school team by a score of 9 to 5 last Saturday.

The census enumerators at Eugene found only one large family there, and that consisted of a man and wife and eight children.

Benton county is out of debt. The last indebtedness has been paid, and there is still money in the exchequer left to do business on.

Fifty young Austrians have arrived from the island of Vis, in the Adriatic, and will go to fishing in the Columbia at Brookfield and Clifton.

An exchange says that \$20,000 in gold was recently pounded out in a hand mortar from ore taken from the Belmont mine, in less than four days.

Since the Belgian hare business went to the wall at Corvallis, some of the citizens have gone into the China pheasant business, and are making a success of it.

Carl Sandelin, confined in the county jail at The Dalles, while in a fit of temporary insanity, committed suicide by hanging himself with his suspenders.

The students of the O. A. C. are preparing to give Handel's "Hallelujah Chorus, Triumphal March and the Wreck of the Hesperus," under Prof. Taillander.

A family cow at Lakeview, in Lake county, recently gave birth to twins, and when the owner went in to see how bossy was getting along she chased him all over the place.

A farmer named Megorden, living near Nyssa, killed his wife Wednesday night, and shot three times at his 16-year-old son, and then inflicted a slight wound upon himself.

Lakeview ladies recently organized a "mop" brigade, and scrubbed out the reading room there, and now patrons of the place have to clean off their feet before entering.

The O. A. C. athletic team, from Corvallis, will go to Portland the 15th of next month to participate in athletic contests against the Columbia University team, of that city.

A party of Eastern capitalists have concluded negotiations to purchase 5200 acres of good agricultural land east of Baker City. They will water the land and make other improvements.

Twenty-seven thousand dollars in money orders was sent out of the town of Lakeview last year, which goes to show that some of the people there are evidently patronizing foreign business houses.

Miss Alice Wicklund took first place in the W. C. T. U. contest at Corvallis Friday evening, and received the \$10 gold medal. She will have the honor of representing O. A. C. at the state prohibition contest, held at Newberg, April 14th.

W. A. Carter, of Gold Hill has just purchased a fine collection of Indian relics from J. H. Ring, of Sardine creek. He was prospecting in a creek in that region and found an old Indian grave from which he unearthed a skeleton, several pieces of U. S. A. uniform, old coins, quantities of beads, and various other articles. Mr. Carter intends to send the exhibit to the Lewis and Clark fair.

Have Formed a Co-Partnership.

Dr. D. O. Butler, of Independence and Dr. F. E. Slater, of this city, have associated themselves together at Independence, and practice together. They are both good physicians, and will serve the people well. Dr. D. O. Butler has been in Independence many years, and his practice has grown so large that it was impossible to conduct it alone. Dr. Slater is well-known in this city.

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Itching piles produce moisture and cause itching, this form, as well as Bleeding or Protruding Piles are cured by Dr. Bo-san-ko's Pile Remedy. Stops itching and bleeding. Absorbs tumors. 50c a jar at druggist, or sent by mail. Treaties free. Write me about your case. Dr. Bo-san-ko, Philadelphia, Pa.
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Shot Full of Holes.

"I am 65 years old, and have been a great sufferer from headache all my life. One of Dr. Miles' circulars was left at my door, and what it contained about headache interested me, so that I determined to invest a dollar in their make of shot, and go gunning for that headache. The first charge brought it down, but I continued to shoot until the thing was shot so full of holes that I believe it will never come to life again. I consider it the work of a "good Samaritan," to spread the knowledge of what Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills will do." I. F. MOORE, 1352 Fairfax Ave., Bridgeport, Conn.

Headache, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Backache, Stomachache, Bearing Down Pains, Rheumatic Pain, or Pain from any cause yields readily to the soothing influence of Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills upon the nerves, the irritated condition of which causes the pain. Harmless if taken as directed, and leave no disagreeable after-effects.

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FLOWER NEVER DIES

A flowering plant that can be pressed dried, packed away in the dark cases of an herbarium separated by the botanist's knife and then when exposed to the sunlight and moistened in the soil will spring into life and blossom, as if it had never been removed from its bed of earth, is the property of Pendleton Academy.

The Lewisia Rediviva, first discovered somewhere in the Northwest by Lewis and Clark 100 years ago, and found in rare instances in the hills and mountains of Oregon, is the wonderful plant that withstands such treatment and yet survives.

The first specimen of the plant, which was taken East by Lewis and Clark, was packed away in their botanical collection for three years, yet when exposed to moisture and light, immediately made a growth and blossomed in the herbarium, after lying dormant this length of time.

The specimen found by Prof. Bleakney, of Pendleton Academy, has been placed away in the botanical cases for over a year, its leaves stripped, its roots dried and parched, and every semblance of life absent, and yet when it was brought out for class work a few days ago it began to show signs of life. When it was placed in a box of earth it immediately began growing, and its hasty plant today, sending out strong shoots.

The question with Pacific coast botanists is: Where did Lewis and Clark find the specimen they carried to Washington 100 years ago? The hills and mountains have been searched in vain, along the Lewis and Clark trail, but no specimen has been found in any district supposed to have been traversed by the explorers.

The only specimens found in Eastern Oregon have been found by William Casiek and Prof. Bleakney, near North Powder. The plant has been called "Bitter Root," and has no medicinal properties, and is only remarkable for its powers of resisting the botanist's embalming processes. The Latin name, Lewisia, comes from Captain Lewis who discovered it, and the Rediviva comes from "reviving," because of its reviving after such long periods of hibernation, so to speak.

There are ginger worms and red-pepper bugs—queer boarders—that have to be looked for, not in Schilling's Best, but in making it. There are eggs of these queer boarders, too small to be killed by grinding. Don't keep spices warm, or they'll hatch.

To the Public.
You are respectfully requested to call on the undersigned and satisfy yourselves that the wines, liquors, cigars, etc., at 221 Commercial street are the best in the city. New patrons, as well as old, will receive the best attention. RALPH SWARTS.

Come now, own up, tell the honest
You don't like those gray hairs, do you? And your certainly doesn't like them. Then why not buy an Ayer's Hair Vigor? It restores color to gray hair even Cures dandruff also. Sold for over sixty years.

ANNUAL TOURNAMENT OF GUN CLUB

The twenty-first annual tournament of the Sportsmen's Association of the Northwest will be held in Portland June 22d, 23d and 24th, under the auspices of the Multnomah Rod and Gun Club. The prizes will be medals and trophies to the value of over \$2000, and the club will also add to purses from \$1000 to \$2000 in cash.

NOBBY WINDOW ENGINE

In the show window of R. M. Wade & Co. appears a little exhibit of articles sold by that large hardware concern, displayed in a most attractive manner. As put together the display shows a small locomotive, which has been produced by certain articles of their varied stock. The boiler is composed of a five-gallon oil can. The headlight of a bicycle lantern, several bread pans are utilized for a cab, and the tender is a tin bread box, while a small piece of stovepipe constitutes the smoke stack. The projecting fire shovel makes a very realistic cow catcher, while a couple of small table bells form the bell and sand box on top of the boiler. Some truck wheels below form the drivers, and they are attached by a two-foot rule used for a propeller. The whole thing is built on a track, and until closely inspected leads many a passerby to believe that it is a large toy locomotive. At the side of the track is elevated a large milk can, with cream gauge, which represents a water tank, to which is attached a piece of galvanized pipe, representing a water chute, operated by a chain. Just in front is a sign, "Look out for the cars; railroad crossing; stop."

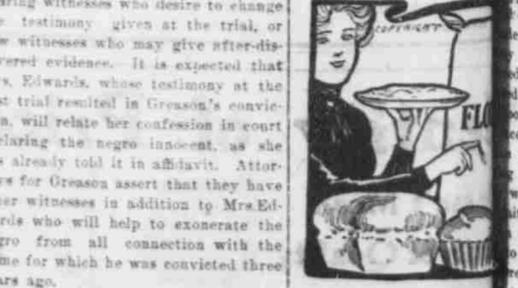
The whole thing is the work of Ivan Farmer, who is employed in the store, and gives indications of the young man's latest genius as a window dresser and advertiser. These two departments of any business, by the way, are growing to be recognized as among the most important, and in many instances, they mean more than any other branch of the business for its upbuilding and success. Salem has a number of successful young advertisers, and The Journal is glad to see boys dropping into this habit, as it means ultimate success.

Gets New Chance for Life.
Reading, Pa., March 30.—In pursuance of the order of the supreme court Judge Ermentrout today reopened the Greason case for the purpose of hearing witnesses who desire to change the testimony given at the trial, or new witnesses who may give after-discovered evidence.—It is expected that Mrs. Edwards, whose testimony at the first trial resulted in Greason's conviction, will relate her confession in court declaring the negro innocent, as she has already told it in affidavit. Attorneys for Greason assert that they have other witnesses in addition to Mrs. Edwards who will help to exonerate the negro from all connection with the crime for which he was convicted three years ago.

Greason and Mrs. Edwards had been sentenced to be hanged on February 16, but on the day previous to the date set for the execution attorneys of Greason appeared before the board of pardons and submitted evidence to the effect that Mrs. Edwards had confessed that Greason was innocent of the crime of killing her husband. The board thereupon relieved Greason so that his case could be further investigated and relieved Mrs. Edwards in order that she might be used as a witness in Greason's behalf. Nothing has been done looking toward a new trial for the condemned woman, and after the Greason case is disposed of, her application for a commutation of sentence will be acted upon by the board of pardons. That tribunal has twice refused to commute her sentence. Both Greason and Mrs. Edwards have listened to the reading of the death warrant ten times and both have been under the eyes of the death watch for two years.

CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA.
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