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**ADVICE TO KNOCKERS.**  
 (Gold Beach Globe)  
 God gave goose brains enough to quietly take their departure from any country that no longer suited them; yet there are bowlers in Carry, who are classed with men of ordinary intelligence, that don't show as much sense as the goose. If you don't like the country, move out of it. No one will grieve for you. If you like the country and have no idea how to promote your own interest along with that of your neighbor, keep your mouth shut and don't hamper those that have and are executing their ideas.

**HOMESEKERS' SEASON CUT DOWN TO 45 DAYS.**

Rates Granted by Railroads in 1909 Will Apply From March 1 to April 15, This Year.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 20.—Colonel rates will be granted from points in the east and middle west states to the Pacific Northwest from March 1 to April 15, inclusive, according to telegrams received here this morning by the Northern Pacific and Seattle, Portland & Spokane passenger departments.

The rates will practically be the same as those in effect last spring and last fall, when the influx of settlers was so heavy that the trains had to be run in sections, crowded to capacity.

Today a meeting is being held in Chicago for the purpose of deciding on homeseekers rates, which are, as a rule, granted each year, meaning a round trip from the east to the coast and back for the benefit of those wishing to look over the country, with a view to finding a suitable location. In the past it has been customary for the transcontinental railroads to give this round trip for the price of a one-way first-class fare plus \$2, and it is supposed by railroad men that the custom will be followed this year.

The telegram received by General Passenger Agent A. D. Charleton of the Northern Pacific this morning states that the rates will be the same as last fall, which means \$25 from St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Omaha, Kansas City and St. Joseph; \$33 from Chicago; \$49.45 from Boston; \$53.75 from Portland, Maine; \$50 from New York; \$37.50 from Cincinnati; \$52.50 from Buffalo, and \$42 from Pittsburg.

**MILLER OUT FOR GOVERNOR.**  
 Linn County Senator Will be Democratic Candidate.

LEBANON, Or., Jan. 20.—M. A. Miller, of this city, State Senator from Linn county, will be a candidate before the Democratic primaries next summer for Governor, so it is reported here. A number of Democratic politicians have been urging the Linn county Senator to enter the race. The Senator has been making numerous trips to Portland of late

and consulting politicians of the state. He is the first Democrat giving out any intimation of desiring to run for this office.

**GENERAL NEWS.**

The report is circulated in Washington that President Taft desires Secretary Ballinger, at the conclusion of the Congressional investigation, to become a candidate for the Senate, to succeed Pike, it being the President's belief that Ballinger will be fully exonerated by the investigation and that his election to the Senate would be an expression of confidence of the people of Washington.

Jim Jeffries is going to follow the example of Theodore Roosevelt and hunt big game in Africa. He announces that after his championship battle with Johnson next July, with a party of friends he will journey to the dark continent, following as far as possible the route of the Roosevelt party. The former champion has signed a contract with publishers, permitting their staff writers and moving picture men to accompany his party. The terms of the contract were not announced.

Vice President Allen, of the Mineral Point (Wisconsin) National Bank, which recently failed for something like \$600,000 through defaulting of its officials, is now serving a ten year sentence in jail for his part in the transactions. Allen was a church member and took a prominent part in the religious work of his community. On the night before the bank was closed he made an address in church, taking as his text the words, "Trust in Me." According to the Treasury officials he made it a habit to head each day's page of his ledger with a Scriptural quotation. "On one page, under the caption, "And Jesus Wept," it was discovered that he had immediately proceeded to alter the entries so that what should have been \$15,000 became \$150,000.

**REGULATES DIGESTION.**

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If your stomach is sour and full of gas or your food doesn't digest, and your meals don't seem to fit, why not get a 50-cent case from your druggist and make life worth living? Absolute relief from stomach misery and perfect digestion of anything you eat is sure to follow five minutes after, and, besides, one case is sufficient to cure a whole family of such trouble.

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"What to Eat and Where to Get It" is the title of a handsome Menu Card gotten up by the Umpqua Bakery. Call and get one. dtf

**S.S.S. NATURE'S CURE FOR RHEUMATISM**

In a disease so painful as Rheumatism, medicines containing opiate and nerve-quieting drugs are often used. Such treatment is dangerous not only because it frequently causes the sufferer to become addicted to the drug habit, but medicines of this nature are always injurious to the system. Rheumatism is a disease of the blood, and its cure depends entirely upon thorough purification of the circulation. As long as the blood remains saturated with uric acid, an inflammatory condition of the nerves, muscles and tendons of the body will exist, and the pains, aches, soreness, and hot, feverish flesh of Rheumatism will continue. The one safe and sure cure for Rheumatism is S. S. S. It is nature's remedy for this disease, made entirely of the healing, cleansing juices and extracts of roots, herbs and barks from the natural forests. S. S. S. does not contain anything that is in the slightest way injurious to the system. It is absolutely and purely vegetable, and free from opiates or sedatives of any kind. S. S. S. cures Rheumatism by removing the uric acid from the circulation. It makes the blood pure, rich and healthy so that instead of depositing sharp, uratic impurities into the muscles, nerves, joints and bones, it nourishes every portion of the body with natural, healthful properties. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice free to all who write and request it.

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**DRAIN BANK'S SUIT ANSWERED BY DEVLIN.**

Receiver Says Telephone Bonds are Not Lost as Alleged, but Were Transferred to Him.

PORTLAND, Or., Jan. 20.—An answer was filed in the Circuit Court this morning by Thomas C. Devlin, receiver of the Oregon Trust and Savings Bank, to the suit brought against him personally and as receiver by the Bank of Drain, charging that certain Home Telephone Co. bonds deposited with the bank of which Devlin is receiver was lost since his appointment and were never returned to the Bank of Drain. Bonds of equivalent value were returned, but the bank sued for \$750 for the expense involved.

In his answer Receiver Devlin declares that on April 26, 1909, after it is alleged that he mislaid or lost the bonds described, the Bank of Drain executed an instrument transferring to him, as receiver, all title and interest in the bonds referred to in the complaint.

"They are the identical bonds and stock," declared Mr. Devlin, "which the Bank of Drain alleges in its complaint were lost through my negligence, and this assignment was intended to transfer to me all title and interest of the Bank of Drain in the stock and bonds in question."

Receiver Devlin further states that on April 29, 1909, he delivered to the Bank of Drain certain other bonds and stock in lieu of that alleged to have been lost and in full satisfaction and settlement for the stock and that every cause of action was thereby fully settled.

For the reasons stated in his answer Mr. Devlin asks the court to refuse to allow the Bank of Drain to take anything by this action, and that he have judgment against the plaintiff for his costs and disbursements.

Raised and sweet doughnuts, fresh every morning at 9 o'clock at Umpqua Bakery. dtf

**BAD CHECK BUSINESS STILL FLOURISHING.**

MARSHFIELD, Or., Jan. 20.—Sheriff Gage and Marshal Carter are looking for Frank E. Caldwell, a forger, who passed checks which are found to be worthless. He gave a check to John Snyder, proprietor of a hotel in this city. It was drawn on a Roseburg bank and has been returned with the notice that Caldwell has no account there. It is believed that the man also cashed checks in the Coquille Valley. The sheriff thinks Caldwell is in San Francisco and has telegraphed there for his arrest.

This One Took Deep Interest in Eugene Church Work.

EUGENE, Or., Jan. 20.—J. E. Edgeworth, who recently came here from Ottawa, Kan., and who, in partnership with C. J. Murphy, opened a small electrical supply store under the name of the Oregon Electric Engineering Company, at 616 Williamette street, is reported missing by numerous of the firm's creditors. Today it was discovered that Edgeworth had sent his family from this city last Friday, and has since followed them, leaving behind the record of a somewhat meteoric career.

Creditors of Edgeworth, who figure in all trades in the city, have since learned that the Kansas man operated a similar scheme at Ottawa, Kansas, sometime ago, and also in a California town. During his stay here Edgeworth regularly attended a local church, and took a deep interest in church work. It is said.

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Freedom from excitement, coupled with gentle handling, means more butter fat from the dairy cow and more meat on the back of the steer in the feed lot. It is a simple case of cause and effect.

It was an astonished little house-keeper who took two cupsful of rice to boil for two and found when it overflowed the kettle in which it was cooking that she had food for a family of sixteen.

The Mexican turkey raiser cooks much of the food for his flock and always adds a moderate amount of chili pepper, which, he contends, keeps them in good condition and enables them to ward off disease.

There are said to be close to 8,000,000 dairy cows in the United States that are not paying for their keep. It is calculated to make a fellow grow to think of the job of milking this enormous bovine aggregation, and all for nothing—only the privilege of having them around.

There are many feeders who will carry good sized flocks of lambs in their feed lots this winter instead of so many steers, as in former years. With wool prices where they are and mutton kept up in sympathy with beef and pork prices the sheep feeder ought to do well in his feeding operations.

Folks who live in a latitude where the thermometer goes to 20 below zero have possibly a lot of excuse for following the example of the methodical old elder who during the cold weather was in the habit of having his evening prayer on a placard at the foot of his bed and was wont as he hopped in to look at it and say, "Them is my sentiments too."

Unlike some other fruits and vegetables, apples are not ruined by freezing, though there is little question that their texture and possibly their quality are impaired as a result. Such damage is reduced to the smallest if the fruit is kept frozen until used or allowed to thaw out very slowly. Often in going through the orchard in midwinter one will find apples covered by the leaves and grass and a layer of snow which seem to have lost little of their original quality.

A friend who this year tilled a low place on his farm, that for years past has been well high unproductive told us the other day that the best corn he raised this season came from this low tract and yielded close to seventy bushels, the return being sufficient in one season to pay for the cost of the tilling. This is an instance which may be verified in the experience of almost any farm owner who has made a serious and intelligent attempt to till the wet land. Low land is usually rich land and uniformly productive if relieved of its surplus moisture.

In the anxiety which so many folks are showing these days along the line of getting hold of cheap land the merits of the outcrop pine lands in northern Wisconsin, Michigan and Minnesota ought not to be overlooked. It is true that the stumps will have to be removed from this land, but if reports are true that much of it can be got at from \$5 to \$10 per acre it would not be high priced land with the cost of clearing added. The soil is fertile, suitable to the growing of grasses, oats and barley, but corn, clover, potatoes and other root crops. The conditions are favorable for stock raising and dairying, and altogether the opening would seem to be excellent for settlers of intelligence and energy. Were we in search of cheap undeveloped lands we would investigate carefully these outcrop pine lands.

Like some other much maligned things, the Ben Davis apple has its good points in spite of all the abuse which has been heaped upon it. Loaded with the obnoxious having been the variety which caused the fall of our first father in the garden of Eden, of having the rosy, smiling cheek, but the pink inside, the Ben Davis, notwithstanding this, has a good many friends. It is a hardy tree, a very prolific and regular bearer, the fruit stands up and takes a shine months after other choicer varieties have withered away, while many orchardists are coming to feel that, in spite of the lower price received for it, it will bring in almost as many dollars during a period of years as will the shy bearing Spitzenburg, which is generally accepted as the standard of apple quality. The Ben Davis would therefore seem to fill a mission like some other lonely things.

A northern Minnesota farmer had an unusual exhibit of alfalfa at his home state fair this year, and inquiry into the case has brought out the fact that he got four cuttings this season from his two acre patch, the first yielding four tons to the acre, the second three, the third two and a half tons, and of the fourth no record was kept, as it was saved for the hogs and chickens and was not weighed. If the last cutting averaged a ton per acre it would make the yield per acre for the season two and a half tons. The land on which this alfalfa was grown has a foot of sandy loam surface soil with clay beneath. The ground was prepared in the fall and the seed sown without a nurse crop in the spring at the rate of three pounds per acre. The field was mowed the 1st of July and again the 1st of September to dispose of the weeds. Another favorable condition was that the patch had a southerly exposure, which made it warm and insured excellent drainage.

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