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CONSTITUTION DAY.

July 4 is a date known to every school child. September 17 is another date of almost equal importance, but few people realize that it is anything different from the other 365 days. Yet this last named occasion is the date when the United States constitution was completed ready for acceptance by the several states. The American Bar Association has appropriately started a movement to have the week, September 16 to 23 noted as Constitution week. The United States constitution is probably the greatest achievement in government making that has ever been reached. Many democratic systems had previously been tried. But they all went to pieces, as the result of some vital flaw. The makers of the American constitution had from some source a wisdom that seems like divine guidance. With consummate insight into human nature, they put together a system of government that has worked without any vital change for 135 years. The wonderful thing is that in that period human life has undergone changes almost as great as those that occurred from the birth of Christ until the American colonies acquired their freedom. Yet this marvelous document adjusts itself so closely to the facts of human life, that it fits about as well now in this changed order as it did then. It may need tinkering here and there to make it meet the tremendous changes in human society, but in the main it adapts itself easily and flexibly to modern life. An instrument showing such marvelous skill needs to be approached with some reverence. It should be modified with some caution, because a thing that has worked well for so long is probably in the main wiser than any temporary popular emotion.

The newspapers recently carried a pathetic story of an aged couple who invested and lost \$35,000 in worthless stocks. It was every cent they had in the world and all of their lifetime savings. Their money was fooled away from them by the glittering promises of an unscrupulous broker who promised to make them millionaires. It is because the world is full of sharks absolutely without mercy, and full of people who believe they can get something for nothing that our poor house and penitentiaries are full and many people discouraged and heartbroken. Don't be fooled into thinking there is an easy road to wealth. Hard work and prudent investment secure the only lasting prosperity. There are reliable investment bankers in every community who are only too glad to give honest advice to those seeking a place to put their money.

Looks like the recall machinery is to be set in motion for Governor Pierce. This will be a good opportunity to test the law—a law that has been in disrepute ever since it was placed on the statute books, mainly for the reason that it is seldom used for other than selfish motives and personal aggrandizement by a set of wily politicians.

If recalled, Governor Pierce will save the opportunity of going to the trouble of cutting taxes in half—a pre-campaign promise that accomplished a great deal in assembling votes for the governor.

Jack Dempsey is still the champion pug of the globe. And it looks like it will take a man of more than ordinary fighting proclivities to take the title away from the slugger.

Study your own constitution a little next week, as well as that of your country's. Then compare the two—and make repairs.

The summer girls now have their victims roped and thrown and they are merely waiting to have them branded.

The Oregon State Fair promises to be an event of more than ordinary interest this year.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—
My hevings
How time do fly—
Here it is Saturday
Agin and it only
Seems like yestiddy
That we teok
Our bath.

DUMBELL DORA THINKS
A parasite is a Jane from Paris.

I kissed her once
Before she knew—
I wonder why
My eye's so blue.

Altho the rumor is unconfirmed, information reached this sanctum last eve that a flistic encounter took place somewhere in the suburbs of New Yawk.

The stacomb sheiks will kick their gardeners in the shine agin tonight at the armory, the Umpqua Five playin' the funeral dirge.

Louie Angelica Firpo, whose name is pronounced by most fight fans as frappo, kissed the canvas in the center of the Polo Grounds diamond last eve for keeps, and is today spending his odd moments picking the resin out of his molars. Wilyum Harrison Dempsey, who perhaps drove less nails than any shippard worker during the late guerre, socked the longhorn in the Pampas with everything but the spittoons and was finally successful in slowing away the big chunk of Argentine beef. Louis couldn't "Snik English" but that shouldn't have kept him from raising his left mitt now and then to demonstrate that it wasn't paralyzed. And on the other paw, Jack the nan-killer from some hicktown named Manassa, felt a few belts on his jaw and found out how it felt to crawl around on all fours outside of the chalked arena. Neither one of the bulls suffered badly financially and both will have enough to pay the grocer's bill when the first colls around.

A fellor brot in a bag of prunes today for us to look over and they tasted great, the seeds being the only hard part to swallow.

We guess this is still a hicktown for we heard two damels this p. m. talking over a dress "some stranger in town" was wearin'.

A bunch of wild-eyed Indians gathered down at Bert Lawrence's real estate office last night and decided to orm a tribe. A regular attendance at the meeting is expected unless the squaws concerned object and the paposes raise too much of a howl.

The blackjack experts and spotted ivory tossers will assemble at the armory Tuesday eve presumably for a legion meeting.

We noticed a couple kids out in a vacant lot today at noon chasing a bunch of grasshoppers around and we'll bet they don't know what an easy job it is compared to chasing the elusive dollar.

Bill Strandborg was down in our village from the metrop today hobnobbing with Freddie Phelps of the Copco bunch and Bill, like all true Portlanders, invited us up to his village to see the Columbia highway.

Guv. Pierce is facing a recall and we wonder if Walt can recall the days when he promised to slash taxes in half?

Do it electrically, with a Thor washer, \$10 down. Hudson Electric store. We demonstrate.

Wool sacks and twine at Wharton Bros.

WOMAN SUFFERED THREE MONTHS

Pains in Back and Nervousness. Made Well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Montevideo, Minn.—"I suffered for three months with pain in my back and sides, and was awful nervous that I was not to do my work. After I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I grew stronger, and now I weigh 150 pounds. I sleep well and am able to lift and do any kind of work. I have got wonderful results from the Vegetable Compound and recommend it very highly to my friends. I give your permission to publish my testimonial."—Mrs. Olga Gustafson, 219 5th St. So., Montevideo, Minnesota.

Another Nervous Woman Finds Relief
Port Huron, Mich.—"I suffered for two years with pain in my side, and I felt very much I was nervous and just as tired in the morning as when I went to bed. I was sleepy all the day and didn't feel like doing anything, and was so nervous I would bite my finger nails. One of my friends told me about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it helped me so much that I soon felt like"—Mrs. CHARLES BROWN, 1816 Elm Street, Port Huron, Mich.

Watkins products, 130 W. Latta street. Orders Delivered. Phone 177.

In Heaven Sitting Down

(By Wickes Wamboldt.)
There is a negro hymn that says something about being "in Heben, settin' down." Lots of people have that idea of heaven. They think it is a place to loaf in, with golden streets, golden crowns, and golden harps, and nothing to do but sing.
Personally, that is my idea of hell. I cannot imagine any worse torment than having to walk around forever on a hard glaring golden street, which would not be nearly as practical as asphalt and much harder on the eyes, and having to wear a heavy metal crown that would make horns on my head, and nothing in the world to do but to sing, and I like singing, but I want a better quality than I could produce, and I want a "reasonably small amount of it, too—just as a relish, like catnip and chow-chow."

Playing the harp would likewise get horribly monotonous, I should think. I never played a harp, but I play a banjo sometimes, and more than thirty minutes of this becomes wearying.

No person who is not in an elemental stage is going to be happy in idleness. The more elemental we are the more idleness we can stand. An oyster can put up with a good deal of it.

For a number of years I was so bound up in a business way that I had not a minute for relaxation. I got very weary of work and it seemed to me that I would give anything if I had nothing to do for the rest of my life. I remember saying once in a hotel lobby, "I wish I could sleep a thousand years."

There was a funny little Jap sitting there listening to me and he broke into a hearty laugh. I don't know whether he was a genie and had the power to give me my wish, but I broke down physically a short time after and they made me do nothing for nearly two years. It was the most miserable experience I ever had. It seemed to me I would give anything in the world to be active, even though I had to go out and chop wood or dig ditches. I am mighty glad to pass up the balance of the thousand years of repose that I thought I wanted.

My idea of heaven is a place of peace and harmony and of happy constructive work. But of idleness—no. That, according to my idea, is the other place.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH
First M. E. church services will be: Sunday school as usual at 9:45; and Epworth League at 5:30. The pastor being at conference, there will be no preaching, giving our people an opportunity for visiting.

Sale of Ford Cars—
The C. A. Lockwood Motor company reports the following sales within the past few days: Clyde Hatfield, Dixonville, touring; Roy Buell, Looking Glass, tractor; William Parla, Tea Mill, touring; M. K. Dean, Days Creek, truck; Joe Kirkendall, Camas Valley, touring; C. E. Grabe, Myrtle Creek, touring; R. E. L. Gallagher, truck; T. S. Thompson, Looking Glass, touring.

OFFICE TO BE CLOSED
Owing to the demands of the prune harvest, my dental offices in the Perkins Building will be closed until further notice.

DR. G. J. BACHER.
A. S. FREY & SONS
Are ready to furnish all kinds of rough and dressed lumber and timbers. Price right.

American fence, the kind with the hinged stay wires, at Wharton Bros. Buy now at the special discount.

Fifteen kiddies will begin training at Helmline Kindergarten, Sept. 17th. Is your child one of them?

Prune pickers will need a lot of galvanized nails for their work. We have them, and reasonably priced. Churchill Hardware Co.

Do it electrically, with a Thor washer, \$10 down. Hudson Electric store. We demonstrate.

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CHURCH TO OBSERVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

The local Presbyterian church will celebrate its 50th anniversary tomorrow with an all day service. This church was founded in 1873 and has made wonderful progress and is a great power for good in this community. The anniversary is to be celebrated by special programs, morning, afternoon and evening. The pastor will speak at the morning service which is to be featured by special music. In the afternoon the history of the church, written by Mrs. W. A. Smith, will be read by Rev. Wallace How. The afternoon anniversary address will be delivered by Rev. E. W. Washington. In the evening a fine program has been arranged, and as a special feature an anniversary week, this topic will be considered. Hon. B. L. Eddy will deliver the main address on the subject "Remove not the ancient landmarks."

You will be interested in the study of "The Life of Christ," directed by Rev. C. H. Hilton, teacher of the Loyola Men and Women's class at the Christian Bible school.

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NEW BIG PACKAGE

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Cigarettes

24 for 15¢

FORMER ROSEBURG MAN SENDS OUT NEWS

Trick Dispatcher Who spent Last Winter Here Was First to Handle News of Seven-Destroyer Disaster

To W. E. Watts, a former Roseburg man, goes the credit for giving the outside world the first real news of the seven-destroyer wreck on Point Arguello, last Saturday night. Watts is second trick train dispatcher at the Southern Pacific division office in San Luis Obispo at present. Last winter he was employed as a trick dispatcher at the Roseburg station and resided at the Umpqua Hotel. He is well known in this city.

At 9:40 on Saturday Watts received a telephone call from an S. P. operator at Surf station six miles west of Point Arguello, reporting a ship on the rocks. Watts immediately cut through by direct S. P. telephone to San Francisco where he reported the wreck to the Merchants' exchange. He later obtained a more detailed account of the disaster which was forwarded to San Francisco and to the Los Angeles Examiner radio station where the news was broadcasted so that aid could be secured for the vessels ashore. Identification of the boats was impossible up to that time because of the dense fog.

Later Watts, together with several railroad officials went to the scene of the wreck and established a telegraph station at Honda, where they relayed messages from the survivors and officers giving the first authentic accounts of the disaster.

R. H. S. BIBLE CLASS.
A high school Bible credit class will be started at the Christian church Bible school Sunday, Sept. 16. All pupils desiring to enroll for this course of study, for which credit will be given in the Roseburg high school, should be present at that time. Further particulars from Mrs. Charles G. Stanton phone 75-3.

TODAY'S MARKET QUOTATIONS
There are no material changes in the local market quotations today. Eggs are holding firm, and all fresh fruits are firm in price, excepting watermelons, which are bringing 1 cent less wholesale. Vegetables are plentiful and of excellent quality. Tomatoes are still coming in, but the season is about over for that class of product. Peaches, locally are getting scarce.

Prices Paid Growers
Potatoes, lb., 2 cents.
Onions, lb., 2 1/2 cents.
Peaches, box, 55c to 75c.
Apples, box, 50c to \$1.00.
Pears, box, 50c to 75c.
Tomatoes, box, 50c.
Strawberries, crate, \$2.00.
Watermelons, lb., 1c.
Cants, crate, \$2.00.
Butterfat, lb., 45 cents.
Eggs, 32c.
Hens, heavy, 17 cents.
Hens, light, 10 cents.
Springers, lb., 18c to 22c.
Veal, 8c to 12c lb.
Hogs, 120 to 150 lbs., dressed, prime, 12c.
Wheat, bushel, \$1.00.
Barley, per ton, \$24.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Pills in the Diamond Brand. These are the best and most reliable pills you can get. They are made with pure ingredients and are guaranteed to give you relief in all cases of constipation, indigestion, headache, and all other ailments of the bowels. They are sold by druggists everywhere.

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ALL NEW CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS WILL BE FOUND ON LAST PAGE, UNDER HEADING "NEW TODAY"

WANTED
WANTED—Waitress, at Roseburg Cafeteria.
WANTED—Apple pickers. Apply W. D. Hess, phone 32-F-2.
MESSENGER boy wanted. Western Union.
WANTED—Turkeys, large or small. Phone 14 F 14. Boyer Bros.
WANTED—Feeder lambs, ewes, and wethers. Phone 23a.
WANTED—Man with team or tractor to plow 16 acres. Phone 27 F 11.
WANTED—Apple pickers. Phone 31-F-2.
COMPETENT COOK WANTED—Lady preferred, at West Park Hotel. Apply by letter to Mrs. T. D. Barry, Dothan, Ore.
EXPERIENCED mill and yard men needed for day and night shifts. Western Lumber & Export Co., Cottage Grove, Ore.
WANTED—Man & wife in prune harvest, man for reoustabot & woman to do cooking, will pay good wages. J. W. Montgomery, Days Creek, Ore.
WANTED—A sheet metal worker. J. H. Sinniger Sheet Metal Works. 325 No. Jackson St.
HELP FEMALE—Earn \$20 weekly, spare time at home, addressing, mailing, music, circulars. Send 10 cents for music, information. American Music Co, 1658 Broadway, Dept. New York.

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL take boarder, working man preferred. Phone 557.
CAR OWNER—Don't forget to call 553 when in need of auto parts. Swift's Auto Wrecking House.
TOMATOES—Pick them this week for 25c per bu. across from Shell Gas Station, Dillard highway.
FAMILY wanted to pick prunes. Call on or address, V. Bounds, Ruckles, Oregon.
ANYONE having a piano they wish stored, will be guaranteed good care—no children. Phone 14 F 41.
BROCCOLI growers attention. Get your orders in for Broccoli carts early, to make sure you have them by harvest time. See C. A. McGinnis, Blacksmith at Junction of Coos and Pacific highway.
BETTER get that battery filled. Radio-lite is guaranteed to do the work. Your battery charged, to stay charged, instantly. Look for Radio-lite sign. See C. A. McGinnis, Dillard, Oregon.
27 GOATS for sale or trade for good used drag saw. J. P. Snick, Canyonville, Ore.
SMALL HOUSE—12x16 all built-in features and papered; water and lights in. All for less than lot alone cost. Phone afterwards or evenings. 59-W. Owner.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Small pocket book, lost near Mill street road. Twenty dollars reward. Returned to this office.
LOST—Unmated Eastern Star pin. Finder return to this office. Reward.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Safety deposit boxes. Roseburg National Bank.
FOR RENT—Four furnished house-keeping rooms. 246 N. Rose.
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. 646 So. Pine. Phone 453-J.
FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 230 S. Rose street. Phone 64-L.
FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. 217 Chadwick st.
FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping room. Reasonable. 311 E. Oak St.
FOR RENT—One 4 room house, close in. Phone R. L. Whipple.
FOR RENT—Furnished apartment, adults only. 814 Mill st. Phone 403-R.
FOR RENT—3 room apt. private toilet, privilege of bath. Adults only. 698 So. Stephens.
FOR RENT—Furnished house, Phone 1 F 23.
FOR RENT—On shares, 16 acres, suitable for hay or grain crop. C. W. Cook. Rt. 2 Roseburg.
FOR RENT—Furnished room. Phone 14 F 41 or call at 461 West Douglas after six p. m.

LOCAL NEWS

Stanford Burt, who is a resident of Dillard, was in town this morning visiting with friends and attending to business matters.
Here For a Few Days—C. F. Guldard, representative of the Standard Oil company of Portland is spending several days in Roseburg attending to business.
Brings Fine Prunes—Low Hanks of Days Creek brought some fine samples of his prune crop to the News-Review office today. The branches were loaded down with fine large Petites and Italian, some of the largest being from a young orchard. Mr. Hanks has some of the finest prunes to be shown this year.
On Hunting Trip—Dr. L. M. Lehrbach and L. F. Robinson left today for a hunting and fishing trip below Millwood. Dr. Lehrbach and wife, who reside in Idaho, are spending their vacation here.
Here On Business—Charles W. Ollinghouse of Astoria was in this city yesterday on business matters.
We carry the largest stock of tool for plows and disks in this part of state. Wharton Bros.

THE VILLAGE RHYMESTER

by Charles Emery

Dear Folks:
Here's a subject worth some thinking. Give-it thought and you'll agree, there's a truth in what I'm writing tho at times it's hard to see.
Being grateful to a person for a favor gladly done, is a feeling that is common, but the one who gets the favor is the giver, not the one who's treated well. Obligation is a product that you're always glad to sell.
For example, if there's some one who can help you out a bit when they find you need assistance at a time when you are hit, You'll be thankful for the helping and at first your heart will ring with a gratitude that pleasure to you both will surely bring. By and by another favor will be passed along your way by the same good hearted person, so more thankful words you'll say. Let these favors keep increasing, let your obligations rise, and you'll grow to think less of them, when they stop, you'll feel surprise. You'd have counted on them coming as they'd always come before, and you'd find annoyance growing when you learned there'd be no more.
To be grateful is a feeling that will thrive a little while, but it fades when obligations start to heap up in a pile. So be careful of the favors that you know you can't return, or they'll start a flame of trouble which will sear and scorch and burn.