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FAULT ON BOTH SIDES.

The Deseret News, with its solid, concrete policy, sizes up the present situation in the following sensible manner, and in so doing it drives home a few points to everyone who has faced the problem of life.

"Sometimes men are heard to complain of financial conditions and rail against society and its various institutions. To judge from their talk they would like to join a crowd and proceed to wreck everything, in the spirit of the mob that caused havoc during the French revolution.

"Without question there is much that could be otherwise, and would be otherwise if the spirit of brotherhood, or even fairness, instead of rapacious selfishness were the governing principles, as it ought to be after so many centuries of preaching. Trusts oppress the people. Prices are too high for the prevalent wages. And many things are different from what they will be when Millennial conditions prevail.

"On the other hand it cannot be denied that the opportunities actually offering themselves to most people in this country are not grasped. The papers have told the story of a New Yorker who established a record by saving a small home on a bank account of more than \$1000 from the small earnings of \$7 a week. While the average individual might not wish to be as thrifty as the New Yorker must have been in order to achieve this result, he could have much more of the saving spirit than he has without harm to himself. If this man could procure a home and save up \$1000 on the small sum of \$7 a week what could not the man who earns from \$25 to \$40 a week do? Undoubtedly the New Yorker of the pretty little story had an excellent wife who did the saving, and undoubtedly, she was, what every wife ought to be, the treasurer of the family.

"But what we desire to call attention to is this, that a great many discontented men in our day have no idea of, and no desire to practice frugality, though that is a virtue of no low degree. You will find them smoking cigars, drinking, attending amusement halls and pleasure resorts, and all the time complaining of hard times. Extravagance is the besetting sin just now. People with moderate means want automobiles and other luxuries enjoyed by the rich; the clerk must have tallormade suits the

same as his employer; the maid vies with the mistress in possession of hats and apparel. To live within their income and in such style as befits their station in life never occurs to these types. They never have a penny for a rainy day, for they take no thought of the morrow. And if they cannot revel in luxury they complain of fate or society. They turn to socialism or even anarchism for comfort.

A great many with a small income will spend from \$50 to \$100 a year in saloons and how much more on tobacco and cigars? If they would keep an account of the nickles and dimes spent in this way during one year, they would probably be astonished at the total. Again, some do not know the value of a dollar and do not know how to buy to advantage or to cook with economy. Money and food are wasted. Clothes are not half worn out before they are discarded, owing to the demands of the most foolish and most tyrannical power of the world—fashion.

An Egg Tape Worm.

The egg tapeworm is the latest discovery in parasites according to a letter just received from Major Lee Morehouse from a niece who is an egg candier in a packing plant at Binghamton, New York. As this young lady has discovered three of these diminutive animals in as many different eggs during the past few months it would seem that those who are accustomed to taking their eggs raw had better be sure that they are fresh from good healthy Oregon hens. The young lady states in her letter that during the past winter she found something that looked like a tapeworm in an egg. As it was a curiosity at the plant the manager took the animal to his physician who pronounced it a parasite and a species of the tapeworm.

Last week she ran across another one and the steward of the state hospital being in the store, he took it up to the chemist of the institution for a minute examination and classification. On the day the letter was written she had found another and this one she intended to keep. She expected to preserve it in the egg watching it from time to time to note developments.

She says the worms were about an eighth of an inch in width and the head was so pronounced that it was easily discernable—E. O.

A Real Prima Donna.

Dorothy Morton is one of the very few prima donnas of the day who possesses the faculty of fun making and her glorious voice, added to her art as a comedienne, place her in a position where she has no rival. She comes to the Steward next Saturday. The latest song successes will be heard in "Widow Jones," rendered by Dorothy Morton and her clever company, while the bevy of handsome show girls are sure to win admiration from both sexes. The production of "Widow Jones" will be a lavish one and no expense has been spared by Miss Morton's managers to present her in a manner worthy of her high professional standing.

J. A. OLIVED

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MUCH WORK IS PLANNED

MANAGEMENT OF MEET WILL GO AT IT SYSTEMATICALLY

Big Proposition of Handling Event Already Being Cared For.

Co-operation between students of the high school, the track team and business men of the city has been secured for the arrangement of affairs for the coming big Eastern Oregon track and field meet in this city on May 21st. It is the aim of the school to conduct the meet with a dash and speed, and to arrange for details by the committees in such a way as to avert any possible mistake in any of the great number of details.

Athletes will commence to arrive here on Friday night and from that time on, all will be in the hands of a committee of some sort. The men will be met at the train, shown to their hotel, and waited on, like princes. Saturday morning an information bureau will be established down town and from there all information pertaining to the meet will be given out. It will be meet headquarters. Automobiles will start from headquarters in the morning, taking the athletes who must enter in the preliminaries to the field, and return in the afternoon autos will again take athletes from headquarters to the field.

Planning For a Train.

Although the proper officials have not yet been seen, an effort will be made to have a flat car train leave La Grande at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of the meet and take spectators to the field at the fair grounds and turn with them. If possible this will give free transportation to the spectators, the management paying for the train.

Referee Undecided Upon.

The referee and starter have not been selected but they will be out-

MILITARY DAY SUCCESSFUL

O. A. C. Cadets Behave With Fitting Decorum During Inspection

The annual military day at the O. A. C. is assuming significant proportions as a social event and is attracting state wide attention. For the occasion many visitors from all parts of the state come to the campus and in the future this will be encouraged by offering special rates on the railroads of the state.

This year the event was a brilliant success. The day was ideal and the campus at its best. The white dresses of the women, the full dress uniforms of the visiting officers and the drab suits of the cadets made a gay setting for the peaceful campus.

Military activities commenced with the first bugle call in the morning and there was no cessation until taps were sounded at 11:30 at night. Captain Lenihan, War Department Inspector, spent the entire forenoon in a careful inspection of the cadet regiment. In the afternoon Colonel McGunnegle, Commanding the Vancouver Barracks, reviewed the student troops. Following this the companies drilled for the Brodie Banner which was won by Company M., Captain Rowe commanding. The evening exercises were held in the gymnasium and consisted of individual competitive drills. Butt's musical saber drill by the officers and closed with a military drill.

The cadets have high hopes of being ranked as the best cadet regiment in the United States. The regiment ranked as one of the best three last year.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION—180-DATED TRACT

Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the commissioner of the General Land Office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906 (34 Stats., 517), we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 2d day of June, 1910, at this office, the following described land:

The S 1-2, SE 1-4 Sec. 32; SW 1-4 SW 1-4 Sec. 33, T. 2 S., and the NW 1-4 NW 1-4 Sec. 4, T. 3 S. R. 37 E. W. M., Serial No. 06729.

Any persons claiming adversely the above-described land are advised to

side meq. The other officials of the meet have been tentatively named at a meeting of the track team last evening and if their services can be secured they will be:

Field Judges—W. D. Zimmerman, P. A. Foley, J. C. Price and Ralph Reynolds.

Finish Judges—R. L. Lincoln, Roscoe Doane and Jerry McKennon; Timers—P. A. Charlton, J. H. Peare and Roy Conklin, of Cove.

Inspectors—Mike Halley, E. E. Bragg and Forest Ivanhoe;

Scorers—Prof. Landers, Pendleton, and Milton Stoddard, La Grande; Clerk of the Course—W. D. McMillan.

Announcers—Good and Grady. Concessions at the Grounds—La Volte club of the high school.

In addition to the judges and officials of the meet, the following are some of the committees appointed from this city to attend to the many details falling on the management of a meet of this sort.

Executive—J. D. Stout, Captain Peare, Manager Heidenrich and Trainer Nelson.

Transportation to grounds—J. H. Peare and R. L. Lincoln.

Tents for athletes—Roy Currey.

Chief of Hurdle "Relays"—Joe Ingle; assistants, Gene Good and Geo. Kerr, George Currey and Ray Williams.

Hotel accommodations—Bill Bohnenkamp, Harold Grady and Gene Good.

Track—A. W. Nelson, R. L. Lincoln and J. D. Stout.

Tickets—N. J. Mansager.

Advertising—J. D. Stout, Manager Heidenrich and Nelson.

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