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HARNEY KING VISITS CITY

PROTOTYPE OF BRYAN HERE TODAY ON BUSINESS.

Harney Cattle King Discussed as Independent Senatorial Candidate.

William (Bill) Hanly, cattle king of Harney county, ex-president of the Oregon Development league, lately much discussed as an independent candidate for the United States senate, and whose facial resemblance to William Jennings Bryan has often led him into humorous predicaments, is in La Grande today. His purpose is largely business and pleasure. While here he is the guest of George Palmer, and was accompanied to La Grande by Guy M. Burkitt, former La Grande lumberman.

Mr. Hanly spent much of the day at Mr. Palmer's office and inspecting the plant and this afternoon was taken about town and valley points by Mr. Palmer in an automobile.

"I am not talking politics today—too busy enjoying the hospitality of my good friends," is the way Mr. Hanly laughingly evaded the query about his candidacy for the senate. "I am too busy; too busy," he reiterated, "to go into the matter right now."

The cattle king wears his proverbial healthy color wrought by Harney county ozone, and is in the best of health.

Warm Spring Weather Arrived.

Enterprise, March 16.—Farmers are busy plowing all through the hills. The buttercups are blooming on the sunny knolls and the pussy willows are taking on the soft fuzz of the early spring. In the canyons of the Imnaha, Snake and Grande Ronde rivers, the grass is growing tall and the fruit buds are swelling.

Spring has come with a rush, and much earlier than is often the case in this country. It has come with a succession of days of such radiant beauty that people find indoor life a burden, and get out into the sun to sit and soak in the charms of the weather and the landscape.

Winter wheat is sprouting and a few days more like those of the last week will bring it above ground. No one, however, will put in spring grain until the season is further advanced.

In the valleys, near the mountains, and in the north timber the ground is still soft or is covered with snow. Chinooks have been rare in the late winter, and so much of this land is shaded by the mountains part of the day that the snow goes slowly when the warmth of the sun is the only agency melting it.

Stock has come through the winter in fine shape, very little feeding having been necessary anywhere in the county. Weather has been perfect for early lambing. All told the mild winter and early spring have put the county in a buoyantly hopeful mood.

WITHYCOMBE LIKES STATUS

JAMES WITHYCOMBE HERE TO POLISH RODS.

Eastern Oregon Visited by Republican Gubernatorial Candidate.

James Withycombe, the former chief of Oregon Agricultural college so far as the agricultural course was concerned, and now republican aspirant for the gubernatorial nomination, is in La Grande today looking over the field. He has been as far east as Ontario, and is now on his way back to Portland, his headquarters. Dr. Withycombe is well known throughout this section of the state, having frequently visited every county in it during his connections with the Corvallis school. "I am well satisfied with conditions as I find them," said Mr. Withycombe in summarizing his campaign trip thus far.

RACE PROMISES EXCITEMENT.

Four-Corner Affair in Wallowa County Will No Doubt Be Thriller.

Al Jones, one of the quartet of candidates for joint representative from Union and Wallowa counties, was in La Grande Saturday evening, returning to his home yesterday morning. Mr. Jones is one of four that promise to furnish much of the excitement in the primaries.

An Enterprise paper remarks in this connection:

H. B. Davidson, the Prairie Creek rancher, has entered the contest, with Al Jones and Dr. C. A. Maher as his rivals. Mr. Jones and Mr. Davidson live only a few miles apart. Both are farmers on a large scale. In the upper part of the valley the contest between them promises to overshadow all other features of the primary. Mr. Jones "knows the ropes" at the legislature, having served a term when living in the Willamette valley. Mr. Davidson is an unusually aggressive man with many friends. Both are members of the farmers' union. W. G. Trill, the Wallowa attorney, is a candidate for the same office, but he has things all to himself so far. He is a progressive.

FAMOUS PLAYERS TONIGHT.

Maddern Fiske in "Tess of the D'Urbervilles" Is Arcade Feature.

There's an old proverb that says: "There is nothing new under the sun." But this needs revision, for each day some entertainer comes along with something just a bit different from that which has been here. That must be said of the vaudeville stunt now on the program at the Arcade. There's music in everything in nature and these people have absolutely the last thing thought of. And its music too. You've spun a dollar on a glass counter or on a marble slab and heard the silvery tones as it quivered and whirled. You love the music of a yellow twenty, and even of that little ten cent piece. Each has a different

sound. Disks of various sounds produce silvery music, when spun on a marble slab and, this is one of the features of this stunt. They are fine xylophone players too. Boxing to music is another feature of this act. Its worth the price of admission.

Everybody has read of Mrs. Maddern Fiske, who has been a favorite on the American stage for many years. She appears in "Tess of the D'Urbervilles," a motion picture of great merit, at the Arcade tonight and tomorrow. This is a feature film of Daniel Froham, head of the famous players, and will be a real treat. The stage setting is beautiful and patrons of the theatre will have an opportunity to witness some polished acting by this gifted star of the American stage. The price remains the same, 10 cents.

COMPLETE LONG TOUR.

Virtues of Interior Oregon Sung by Guy M. Byrkit Today.

Having covered interior Oregon by train up the Des Chutes as far as Bend and from there by automobile over the vast empire of undeveloped virgin soil, and striking the railroad again at Ontario, Guy H. Byrkit is in La Grande today visiting his former neighbors and old time friends. He is loud in his praise of that section of Oregon, predicting for it a tremendous future.

Mr. Byrkit will go on to Portland to join Mrs. Byrkit after completing his visit in La Grande.

Baker Jurist in City.

Judge William Smith, a prominent attorney and ex-judge of Baker county, is in the city on business.

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Hotel Room Keys.

A locksmith employed in one of New York's largest hotels explained the lock system of the house, saying that there were 1,500 rooms in the hotel with individual keys, each of which will open only the lock it was made for. The "master key," however, will open all of the doors in the hotel, and the "emergency key," besides doing this, will lock a door so that no other key will open it. The "master key" and the key made especially for any one of the doors are useless after the "emergency key" has locked the door. With it a man may be locked in or out of his room, and if so he will remain locked in or out until the "emergency key" is used again. It sets a lock so that no other key can turn it.—New York Times.

Do You Know Her?

"I do have the worst trouble with the phone."
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"The service, of course. Let me show you: Hello, exchange, hello! Why don't you answer? I want Mrs. Brown. Mrs. Julia Brown. What number? No. 62 Tanglefoot street. Number? I just told you. Oh, that? You mean her telephone number? Why, it's there—you've gone and put it all out of my head. I'll have to look in the book. Dear, dear, the book is upstairs! Well, I never in all my life saw such service!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WHEN CARUSO SINGS.

The Scene in His Dressing Room Before the Opera Begins.

The opera was "Aida." Caruso was to sing Rhamenes, and he was in the dressing room. In his train came his two valets. Wonderful indeed were they. Celerity and deftness raised to the nth power, with silencers on their feet, they passed and repassed each other in inconceivably small spaces without once touching each other or bumping into their lord and master.

Caruso sits before a stationary washstand, and one of the valets hands him a toothbrush and powder. Then for three solid minutes by his Swiss movement watch does Caruso cleanse and scrub and polish. The ever alert dressers stand behind him, watchful for a shrug of his shoulders, which they immediately interpret into a command.

Caruso takes a long breath, and he needs it. It must be a signal, for one of the valets has a glass of warm water in one hand and in the other a big, round pasteboard box full of little brownish crystals. Caruso takes a handful of the crystals and drops them into the warm water, where they dissolve immediately.

"That's gargling salt," he says. "I use it for my first gargle."

The gargle takes four minutes, and then comes the vaporizer. A glass of water containing bicarbonate of soda and glycerin is placed on a little stand. A rubber hose connected with the vaporizer is put into the glass, and a thin, forceful sputtering spray shoots out a full foot. Into this tiny Gatling gun spray Caruso plunges, mouth open.

Then the heavy artillery answers the little Gatling gun, for Caruso coughs back at the spray, chokes, bellows and sputters. Into each nostril, then deep down into the throat, go the bicarbonate of soda and glycerin over and over and over again until Caruso coughs no more.

The vaporizer bath has taken eight minutes by Caruso's infallible watch, but the end is not yet. There is a cold water gargle—sterilized water, please—minus the salt, to follow and that in turn by a spray for the nose only. Only about six sulfs apiece for each nostril and the spray is put away.

Then menthol and vasoline on absorbent cotton attached to long sticks and Caruso swabs out his throat with these as a gunner would a cannon.

"Dilates the throat," he says between gasps. One more gargle of cold water and the homage to the throat is finished. It has taken twenty-two minutes.

On goes his bathrobe, and he is in the corridor—smoking a cigarette! Twenty-two minutes of hard work he has given to that throat, and now he is calmly smoking a cigarette and inhaling every blessed puff of it. Shades of bicarbonate of soda, of gargling salt, of glycerin and of menthol, of what avail are you when a nervous man wants a cigarette and wants it now?—Charles Bloomingdale, Jr., in Saturday Evening Post.

ATTENTION BREEDERS!

The grandly bred stallion, HAROLD WELCOME 2:11 3/4, will stand for service the season of 1914 at the Fair Grounds, La Grande, Oregon. For further information address G. A. Lincoln, owner, or Chas. Butcher, trainer and manager, La Grande, Oregon.

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