

SUMMER EXCURSION EAST

SALE DATES June 1 to Sept. 30 Final Return Li mit October 31 Liberal Stopovers

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JUDGING PAINTINGS.

Expert Advice on How to Go Through a Picture Gallery.

I should recommend you to go through a picture gallery as one seeking the face of a friend in a crowd and to let yourselves be led on by your sympathies.

In our times a distinction is made between painting which is decorative and painting which is pictorial, which I think, an unfortunate distinction, and one which should not exist, for all pictures should decorate the walls or places on which they are placed.

It seems to me that taste in a picture is something like natural good manners in man, not depending on the elements—the clothes—of the picture, but on the temperament it displays and the measure of its harmony with our acknowledged standards.

And it seems to me that a picture to be in good taste must have analogous qualities—that it should, like our ideal friend, be in accord with the best standards. It should be in harmony with the best we know.

MIGRATING BIRDS.

Shore Lines and River Valleys Help Them in Their Flight.

Experiences of aeroplane pilots with air currents have given to a noted English naturalist an explanation for the fact that some birds in making their annual migrations fly along coast lines and along river valleys.

Upward currents of air greatly help flight, and many kinds of birds are known to take full advantage of them. So the naturalist sees an opportunity for birds to take advantage of upward currents of air in migrating by day if they follow the coast of a sea or the bank of a river.

A further explanation of such routes is that the birds might learn them in their migrations, for shore lines are the easiest of all markings on the earth for an aviator to see and follow.

Europe Has Largest Tunnels. The United States has for so long been pre-eminent in the realm of size that it comes almost as a shock to realize that the largest railway tunnels are on the continent of Europe.

Italy's Pioma Grass. Pioma grass, used in Italy for the manufacture of brooms for sweeping highly polished floors, is a product of swampy regions, particularly in south-eastern Lombardy, southern Venetia and northern Emilia.

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Want Ads

WANTED—Loan of \$600 on property worth \$3,000. Call room 8 over Silverthorn's, or 'phone Main 777—Adv. 3-28-14.

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FOR SALE—Or rent, house and 9 lots family orchard. See Tuckey and Jester.—Adv. 3-28-14.

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FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms, Phone Red. 962. 1-5-tf.

FOR RENT—Brick store building. Inquire Mrs. M. Anthony, 1606 St. 3-19-tf

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination on the Republican Ticket, for the office of Circuit Judge of the Tenth Judicial District. In the event of my nomination and election, I will endeavor to discharge the duties of the office with equal justice to all, and as economically as possible, and will stand for the strict enforcement of all laws. Adv. J. W. KNOWLES.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Judge of Union county, subject to the voters of the Republican party, at the coming primaries. Should I be nominated and elected I will give the office my entire time. I believe in good county roads, but favor permanency in construction. I believe in retrenchment along all lines of county expenses so far as practicable. Adv. W. W. RANDALL.

Announcement of Candidacy I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination on the Republican ticket to the office of joint representative to the legislature from Union and Wallowa counties. Adv. H. B. DAVIDHIZAR, Joseph. Ore.

To the Voters. I respectfully announce my candidacy for representative subject to decision of the republicans at the primary election. I will give vigilant and active service to reduce the burden of taxation and procure legislation to meet the wants and necessities of the people.—Adv. L. DENHAM.

To the Voters. To Union County Voters: I desire to represent you as representative from Union county in the next legislature. If elected my policy will be retrenchment of public expense and abolishment of commissions. I ask for the republican nomination. Adv. W. B. SARGENT.

Announcement. To the Republican voters of Union county: I hereby announce myself as a candidate for renomination for joint senator for the 19th senatorial district, comprising Union, Umatilla and Morrow counties. In submitting my candidacy to the voters of the district I will stand on my past record, and favor retrenchment; less appropriations, fewer officers, easy terms and time of tax payments. Adv. C. A. BARRETT. 3-25-tf.

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