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USE OF HORSES ON INCREASE

Horse Association Asserts Value of Old Dobbin is Greater than of Cars and Trucks.

CHICAGO, Dec. 8.—Data compiled by the Horse Association of America indicates that there are more than 19,000,000 horses and mules in the United States, seventeen millions of which are on farms and more than 2,000,000 in cities, according to the annual report of Wayne Dismore, Secretary of the Association, made here before the annual meeting of the Association recently.

In speaking of the value of horses and mules as compared with automobile trucks, Mr. Dismore said: "As a result of studies, other surveys made, and definite statements with cost figures furnished to us by firms who own and use \$1,927 head of horses, we are now in a position to say positively that on hauls within a horse's working radius, i. e., the distance a team can travel in a day, horses furnish more economical service than motorized equipment.

"On local delivery work, from store to store or house to house, the evidence is overwhelmingly for horse drawn equipment. Ice companies, coal companies, groceries, bakeries, milk companies, and all others whose business involves frequent stops and delivery work, agree emphatically with the great packing companies whose verdict is, 'On hauls under 20 miles a day, the horse is most economical.'

In speaking of horses in the cities, Mr. Dismore said: "Our investigations in cities during the past year show that competition will force all cities to develop abundant terminals and team tracks, and this factor will inevitably lead to increased horse use. Boston, with many wharves and team-tracks, has very few hauls that are not under two miles for the round trip, and Boston moves her enormous shipments of wool, leather, fish, vegetables, fruits etc., at a very low cost. Seventy-five per cent of her merchandise is horse-drawn, and she enjoys the distinction of having the best lot of horses, on the average, of any city in America."

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In showing how the development of the horse helps every section of the country, the report said: "The Georgia farmer who buys a team of mules pays over money which finds its way into the pocket of a Nebraska farmer, who, in turn, buys clothes made from the cotton raised by the Georgia farmer. Both profit Nebraska cannot produce cotton and it is more profitable for Georgia to raise cotton than to rear mules.

"Faulty road building in Pennsylvania has reduced the prices of horses in Colorado, for hard surfaced roads

Doings of the Ad. Club

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Irrigationists Will Meet.
Local irrigationists are urged by the officers of the Ad Club to attend the Irrigation Congress in Pendleton, December 15-17, inclusive. Many matters of importance to the general science of irrigation will be discussed and learned irrigationists will bring valuable information to all those who attend. It is seldom that this congress comes so close to Union county, and the easy access to it should make the local delegation a large one. Secretary Spinning, at Echo, should be advised, if possible, of anyone's intentions to attend.

Smith-McNary Bill Here.
The working plan of the Smith-McNary reclamation bill which is to be one of the big features of the present congress, is now in the hands of the Ad Club manager, where anyone interested may peruse it. It is distinctly different in type to any irrigation or drainage plans of the past and applies to private lands as well as public domain. The great keynote of it is that the ultimate farm units under the project must not exceed 160 acres, and ex-service men get first choice on the purchase of all lands

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St. Martin's Summer.
St. Martin's summer is a season in the late fall which prevails in England and the countries bordering on the Mediterranean, and is so called from St. Martin's festival which comes on November 11. It corresponds in a general way with the Indian summer of the United States and Canada, which occurs during October or November.

Ward Off Evil Spirits.
In Algeria, especially in the South on the skirts of the desert, and in Tunisia charms of all sorts abound. A chameleon's skull is the most valuable specific against the manifold evil spirits which roam the air searching for easy game, and in most villages you will see a mule's skull clamped to a house top or on a palm tree.

HARDING HEAD OF SOCIETY

Has for its Purpose Recognition of Magna Charter in Anglo-Saxon Nations

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 8.—President Harding has accepted the post of honorary president of the Magna Charta Day association, which seeks to further general recognition of Magna Charta day in Anglo-Saxon nations.

The association, founded by J. W. Hamilton of St. Paul, is rapidly completing its international organization under direction of Dr. William J. Johnston of St. Paul, its president.

Replying to Dr. Johnston's invitation to become honorary president, President Harding wrote: "Thank you for your notification that I have been selected to serve as honorary president for the United States of the Magna Charta Day association.

"Believing that you are doing a useful and patriotic work in your efforts to secure a commemoration of this occasion and a popular understanding of its significance to the Anglo-Saxon nations, I accept the position with pleasure."

Twenty vice presidents each will be designated for the United States, Canada and England, to serve in an honorary capacity, with executive vice presidents in those countries in active charge of the organization's work.

The association has extended its work to the "seven English-speaking nations," the United States, Canada, Newfoundland, the British Isles, South Africa, New Zealand and Australia.

The association emphasizes it is not seeking to have established an international holiday, but urges that the press and the pulpit, public schools and colleges, give a place each year to fitting expressions of the significance of the day.

Among those who have accepted places on the national committee in this country are Dr. Marion LeRoy Burton, president of the University of Michigan; Dr. Samuel Fallows, presiding bishop of Princeton; Senator Henry L. Myers of Montana; Dr. Cyrus Northrup, president Emeritus University of Minnesota; Dr. David Starr Jordan.

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TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.
Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Union county, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at La Grande High School as follows: Commencing Wednesday, Dec. 21, 1921, at 9:00 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, Dec. 24, 1921, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday forenoon—U. S. History, Writing (penmanship), Music, Drawing.

Wednesday afternoon—Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Teaching, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic.

Thursday forenoon—Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art.

Thursday afternoon—Grammar, Geography, Stenography, Association Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate.

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