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OUR HELPER—"Hitherto hath the Lord helped us."

Some more marvels—there are girls who are good swimmers and yet haven't any desire to swim the channel.

It may have been a long, hot summer for parents, but to the school boy today's school bell started ringing all too soon.

The much-discussed fake "yellow ticket" used by the Oregon Journal to get Stanfield out as an independent turns out to be the individual effort of one man to destroy a hated opponent. As everyone has taken for granted, the Steiwer organization had nothing to do with it and knew nothing about it. The tremendous total of one or two thousand of the things got into circulation—causing, as Mr. Stanfield says, the loss of "thousands of votes." Could anything be more flimsy? Now that this terrible mystery has been solved, what reason will the defeated senator give for running as an independent? His original and only reason—hatred of The Oregonian—will, of course, never be admitted in so many words.

THE OPEN DOOR FOR MURDERERS

It shocks and angers the American public to be told that Richard Loeb and Nathan Leopold, the cultured Chicago youths who killed little Bobby Franks just for the fun of it, will be eligible for parole in 1935.

The public has supposed that those heartless murderers were securely penned up for life. The widespread demand for their execution was relaxed only on assurance from the Chicago court that the murderers would be put and kept where they could never do any more harm to society. Each was given two sentences, one for life and the other for 99 years.

Yet the Illinois supervisor of pardons and paroles explains that, because the judge failed to state whether the sentences were to run consecutively or concurrently, they presumably run concurrently; that there arises then the question whether the period served shall be determined by the life sentence or the 99-year sentence that in the former case the prisoners would be eligible for pardon 20 years from the beginning of their term, and in the latter case, in 33 years; and on the former supposition, that good behavior would reduce the period to a little over 11 years altogether, making it legal to pardon them only nine years from now.

Truly American criminal law is a fearful and wonderful thing, particularly in piling up unheard-of protections and benefits for the criminals. Let it be observed, however, that mere "eligibility" to pardon or parole does not make it imperative or inevitable that those two murders should be let out of prison a few years hence. No board will dare to free them, or their kind, if the public is alert in opposition to such frivolous or sentimental action.

This applies to hundreds of other criminals throughout the country who ought to pay the full penalty imposed, for the good of their own souls, the protection of society and the discouragement of potential social enemies. Their punishment depends on the way the public feels about it. Governor "Ma" Ferguson's pardon of 2523 criminals during her term of office didn't endear her to Texas.

Loss of Appetite



A DANGER SIGNAL

Loss of appetite is a sure sign of failing health. Everyone knows that something is wrong—but what? Nine times out of ten it is the stomach, bowels, kidneys or liver. When the digestive and eliminative organs are working properly, Nature demands food and one eats with a relish and feels well.

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ROUNDUP SET FOR STARTER

PENDLETON, Sept. 7. (Special)—With ticket orders pouring in from all over the country, with the Round-up barns filled with top-notch livestock awaiting the events of track and arena; with famous performers arriving to compete; and with the city in gala dress for the big event, Pendleton is awaiting the opening gun which will start the 1926 Round-up, September 15, 16, 17 and 18.

The crowd gives promise of being a record breaker, the orders from out-of-town now totaling 52 per cent more than those at this time any year in the past. The performers will be the most skillful in the game and will include champions like Mabel and Hugo Strickland; Bob Crosby, Sam Garrett, Loren Trickey, the Irwin and McFarly attractions and scores of others. Pinky Gist, and his educated mule, will be present to supply ample comedy. Pinky is known as a clown supreme.

Plenty of Animals.

Snappy race horses, wild Mexican steers and real, honest-to-goodness, rip-roaring bucking horses will comprise the livestock. The staff is particularly fine and some had moments for would-be champions are promised in the bulldozing, roping and bucking events.

Pendleton is gay with color these days. Citizens have laid off their somber attire and wear the rainbow-tinted shirts, the earthy hats, the boots and the spurs of the cowboy.

An example of this lovely Indian queen holds sway. She is Miss E. Lee McManis, full bloomed, Unadilla maiden, and the first Indian girl ever entrusted with the cowboy scepter. Queen Esther I has been acclaimed the most beautiful Indian girl in the United States and is known also for her vivacity and charm.

NORTH POWDER PERSONALS

NORTH POWDER, Sept. 7. (Special)—Mrs. Nella Hutchinson and son, Lowell of Union, accompanied by Mrs. Ethel Forstrom, motored to Portland Wednesday and returned Friday driving a new sedan purchased by Mrs. Hutchinson.

W. A. Hudson drove to Wenatchee and brought back a truck load of peaches late last week.

Mrs. Edith Maharry, Misses Pearl and Veda Wicks left for Eugene Thursday where Veda shall attend high school.

Walter McGrath is making many improvements on his home just purchased from John Cavender.

Kevin Laughlin of Baker is attending North Powder high school. He is staying at the home of Garford Parker. The two boys purchased a Ford run about, which they will come to school in.

Darvey Hess of Union is here to attend school. He is staying with Bainbridges.

2,805 ACREAGE IS BURNED OVER IN WHITMAN FOREST

During the recent period of forest fires, covering a period of 10 days, a total of 2,805 acres inside the Whitman national forest reserve was burned, and the cost of fighting amounted to over \$2,500, according to a report issued by H. J. Stafford of the forest service.

The Tipton fire destroyed over 2,200 acres, and the Glad fire burned 450 acres. Smokers caused three of the fires and lighting started six. It was stated.

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Radio

Mountain Standard Time Stations
KOA, Denver, Colo., (322.4m-830kc), 8:30 p. m., Brown Palace string orchestra; 8:50, Scheuerman's Colorado orchestra; 9:25, Public Service Company of Colorado; Marie Mellow, soprano; Lucile Fowler, contralto; KOA orchestra; sixophone band.

Pacific Standard Time Stations
KFI, Los Angeles, Cal., (407m-642kc), 7 p. m., Victor Trevic, concert pianist; 7:30, Nick Harris detective story; 9:10, Patrick Marsh dance orchestra; 10:11, program arranged by Charles Beauchamp, tenor.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal., (522m-1190kc), 7-8 p. m., program, Corduroy Tire stores; 8:30, program, Velveteen corporation; 9:10, popular song hour; 10:11, Warner Brothers frolic.

KGW, Portland, Ore., (491.5m-610kc), 6-7 p. m., dinner concert; 8:30, Bernie Herman and his dance orchestra.

KHL, Los Angeles, Cal., (402.5m-740kc), 8:30-7:30 p. m., Uncle John and the children; 8:10, varied musical program; 10:11, Jerry Grant and his dance orchestra.

KLV, Oakland, Cal., (508.2m-500kc), 8-9 p. m., educational program; 9:10, special program.

KNX, Hollywood, Cal., (336.9m-800kc), 7-8 p. m., feature program; 8:30, Stewart-Warner dealers program; 9:10, El Sereno Country club orchestra; 10:11, Edgewater club, Santa Monica; 11:12, Ambassador hotel dance orchestra.

James H. Delaney Is Laid to Rest at Union

UNION, Sept. 7. (Special)—After a brief ceremony at the Cook Undertaking parlors, the body of James H. Delaney, who died here last Tuesday, was laid to rest in the Union cemetery following the Odd Fellows' ceremony Thursday afternoon.

The services were in charge of the Cove Lodge of Odd Fellows of which he had been a member for many years. James Henry Delaney, who died Tuesday, August 31, following a long illness which was terminated by a stroke of paralysis, was a well known rancher in this end of the valley. He was born in Blount county, Tennessee, in the year 1862 and had lived in Colorado, Wyoming and Montana before he came to Oregon in 1888, since which time he has made Cove and Union his home. Just ten years after coming to Oregon he was united in marriage to Jennie Boswell. He is survived by his wife and four children, Ed H. Roy, E. Lella, and Othella, all of whom live in this vicinity, and one sister, Mrs. Mattie Brower, who lives in Vermont.

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PROSPERITY IS SEEN BY GREEN

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 7. (AP)—General Prosperity now enjoyed in the United States is ultimately associated with and dependent upon high wages and a shortened work day for labor, William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, declared Monday at the Labor Day celebration at the semi-centennial exposition. As the application of power and mechanical devices to production increases output, he said, workers would expect to share fairly and equitably.

"Confronted with the stern realities of present day industrial conditions and the fact that many economic problems will arise with in the future," Mr. Green continued, "thinking workers in all lines of industry turn to the organization of labor for guidance, protection and advice. They are conscious of the fact that their salvation lies in their economic strength, and their collective action and influence."

"Our country must remain a high wage country. The living standards which we have built up will not permit a lowering of wage rates. The industrial supremacy of the United States must ever depend upon the efficiency and producing ability of American wage earners rather than upon low wages or living conditions."

"We can only readjust our economic life to the constant increase in production of manufactured articles through a reduction in hours of labor. A shorter work day is not only upon sound economic reasons but is justifiable from the humane point of view."

JOE SWINDLER K. O'ED
KLAMATH FALLS, Ore., Sept. 7. (AP)—Earl Ritchie knocked out Joe Swindler, fighting prohibition, in the third round of their headline bout on the Labor Day fight card here yesterday. They are heavyweights.

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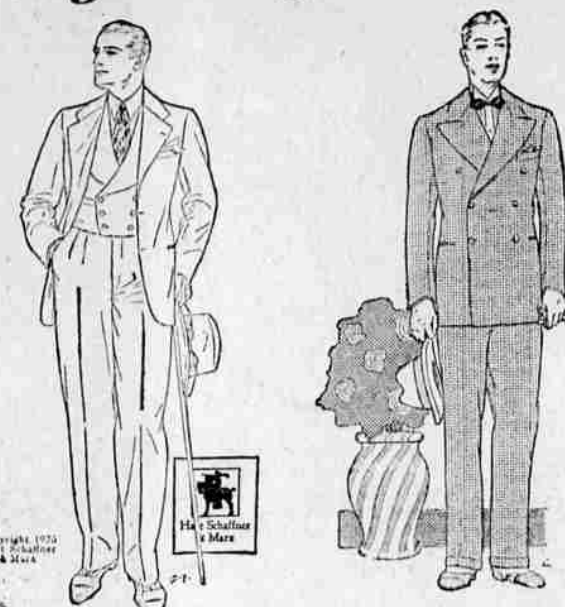
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The double breasted suit, three-button, two to button, is a leader among the young men this fall. You will see them where you see well dressed men. The colors, cedarwood, plum bloom and thunderhead gray, are the new shades the college men want.

\$45 \$50 \$55

SMART FALL FELTS Styled by Stetson and Schoble

The hats you will see on the campus this year will be in the lighter shades of tans and grays with either curl or snap brims. The bands vary in colors but all are in the swaggy autumn shades, correctly styled by the leading hatters.

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NEW FALL PATTERNS Of Manhattan Shirts

The broader stripes and larger checks are better style this fall and the colors are a little brighter. The good fit, smart weaves and the expert tailoring found in Manhattan shirts makes them a favorite among the better dressed men.

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