

## PREDICTS TEAM WILL SHOW WELL

Joe Woods Praises Horses  
Will Moss Will Take  
to Portland

When Will Moss takes a six-horse team to Portland to enter in the Pacific International Live-stock exposition, that team, although it will be pitted against some of the best in the United States, still return with some of the prize money, is the prediction of Joe Woods, veteran stage coach driver.

Woods, who takes great pride in the six-horse team he has driven on various unforgettable occasions, including the time when he hauled President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding from the depot to the celebration grounds at Meacham in July, 1922, freely admits that the team is better than his in every respect but one. He maintains that his horses can outrun the Moss string.

The half a dozen animals that Moss will take to Portland carry the well wishes of the county in general and the owners in particular.

The wheel team, which tips the scales at two tons, is the heaviest. The swing team weighs 2,700 pounds and the lead horses are registered at 2,500.

Moss owns two of the animals and the other four belong to Robert Withycombe, of Union; W. R. Hughes, of Granger; Grinnett and Henry McGoldrick.

Woods, who has been helping Moss with the horses, declares the team is a credit to any county. "Some people think that good horses are gone from this county, but if they'll go out to the Moss ranch they'll learn differently," Woods concluded.

## SCIENCE RENEWS STUDY OF MARS

Brilliant Red Star of War  
Still Puzzles—Is It  
Inhabited?

WILLIAMS BAY, Wis., Oct. 23 (AP)—In the early hours of today astronomers and laymen began their biennial study of the neighboring planet of Mars for signs of living Martians.

Last night the path of the moon brought it close to the brilliant red star, and five days later Mars will be closest to the earth in its two-year orbit. In August, 1924, Mars was about seven million miles closer than it will be this month, but the planet will be much higher above the horizon this time and hence more easily studied.

Seen With Naked Eye  
The earth and Mars will be but 42,600,000 miles apart on Oct. 27, and while Mars will then appear only one-hundredth as large as the moon, it will be easily visible without a telescope.

At midnight on Nov. 1, Mars will be very close to the zenith for observers in the middle west, and three days later observers will have 24 hours to study the planet, which for that night will be "in opposition," as the astronomers say, to the sun, or on the opposite side of the earth from the sun.

Some Discoveries Possible  
"It is not possible to predict that new discoveries of importance will be made this fall," said Prof. Edwin B. Frost, of the Yerkes Observatory here, "but when the weather is favorable, the planet will be carefully studied. The most important results obtained in 1924 showed that the dark spots of the planet, supposed to be water or swamps, radiated more heat than the bright reddish portions, which are supposed to be desert areas. This has not yet been explained."

"It also was shown that while the temperature there might rise above the freezing point of water during the daytime, it must fall perhaps as much as 120 Fahrenheit degrees during the Martian night. Such extremes would make it difficult or impossible for plants and animals such as are known on

## OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



the earth, to exist on Mars." Through a new photographic apparatus it is hoped to obtain good pictures of about a quarter of an inch in diameter, of the planet at its closest approach to the earth.

## Pastor Ordained At Union Oct. 20

UNION, Ore., Oct. 23 (Special)—Ordination services for the Rev. Arthur Dickinson, who recently came to Union to take charge of the Presbyterian church, were held Wednesday evening, in charge of the moderator, the Rev. David Ooster, of Mt. Vernon. Other visitors who were present and participated in the services were the Rev. William Crosby Ross of La Grande, Dr. D. A. Thompson state officer for the church, the Rev. Thomas of Halfway, and the Rev. Shields of Walla Walla. A vocal number was given by Mrs. Edith Phyllis and the arrangements of the meeting were in the hands of Mrs. Viola Parker, and Mrs. Alex. Sitt.

LEOPARDS AND LOVE  
NEW YORK — If Dr. William Mann has brought enough leopards back from Africa he and Miss Lilian Quary, of Ann Arbor, Mich., will be married soon. He says the date depends on the number and she will count them when his ship arrives at Boston Monday. He is superintendent of the national zoo at Washington.

PUNISH BRIDE THEFT  
MOSCOW—Anybody who steals a bride hereafter in Russia will be liable to two years imprisonment unless the bride is willing. The law won't be filled if one precedent is followed. The Sabine women refused to leave the Romans who kidnapped them.

All that's keeping us out of the lake these days is the lack of a song whose title might be "Peaches, Papa's Pining for You."

One-sixth of the 5,500,000 persons in the United States who are over sixty-five years of age are dependent upon public charity, according to insurance statistics.

When you dance these days, you must pay the battery man.



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Sam: They keeps some of 'em, sah."

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## Wallowa Grange Favors Eastern Oregon Normal

WALLOWA, Ore., Oct. 23 (Special)—A meeting of the Wallowa Grange, which held an open session at the I. O. O. F. hall here Tuesday evening, was well attended. A banquet prepared by the women of the grange and others was greatly enjoyed by those who sat down to the tables at 7 o'clock. A short program was given following supper.

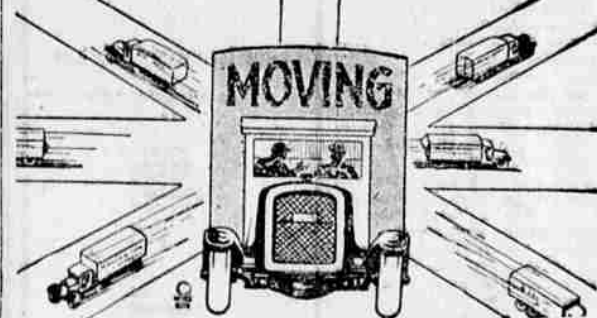
The first number on the program was a piano solo by Mona Louise Hamstreet. Miss Virginia Persons gave a humorous reading.

The purpose of the open meeting was for discussion of the measures to be voted on at the November election. A. R. Hunter, of Union county, talked for about 45 minutes on the different measures, giving a clear explanation of those which were not already understood. Mr. Hunter told of the need of a normal school which should be located somewhere in the eastern part of the state, and gave figures which showed that the present institutions of learning were not fully able to take care of the preparatory work of training the large number of young men and women who desire to avail themselves of teacher's training. A resolution was prepared and submitted to a vote of grange members present at the meeting, favoring a normal school to be located in Eastern Oregon. The resolution was unanimously passed. Short discussions were made by J. H. Leonard, master of the grange and also Chas. Thompson, following Hunter's address.

The tomb of Rajah Baginda, first Mohammedan missionary to arrive in the Sulu Archipelago, and father-in-law of the first Sultan of Sulu, has been discovered on the mountain of Bud Datu, Sulu.

The Australian cricket team on arrival at Montreal enroute home, will travel to New York, thence to Buffalo, Chicago and through Calgary to Vancouver.

One new hotel a month has been the rule in Detroit for the last two years.



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The federal constitution is carefully preserved as to the original text. But this preserving at times fails of observing.

"Now that you are married I suppose you will take out an insurance policy?"  
"Oh, no! I don't think she's going to be dangerous."

Girls don't carry money in their stockings any more for fear of being accused of making a vulgar display of wealth.

Tad: Pa, what's a matrimonial bureau?  
Dad: It's a bureau, son, with six drawers packed full of women's fixings and one man's necktie.

"I've heard about this bathin' business," says Amos Tash, "but it don't do no good. Two or three weeks after you take one o' these here baths, yer just as dirty again."

The following sign is displayed above the ice cream counter of a drug store:  
"Take a brick home; it's fine when company comes."

What did the moths eat before Adam and Eve had clothes?

FAIRY STORY  
"Yes, it is my firm belief that a newly married couple should be left entirely to themselves," announced the bride's mother.

"How could they have the wedding if the groom wasn't there?"  
"Well, no one noticed his absence until the ceremony was over."

Does it take more courage to raise a mustache than to race one?

Right! Robbed heads are going out—and the others stay at home.

WEATHER OUTLOOK  
SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23. (AP)—The weather outlook for the week beginning Oct. 24, was announced here today by the United States weather bureau as follows:  
Far western states: "The outlook is for normal temperature, unsettled weather with occasional rains in Washington and Oregon and

possibly in the north portion of Northern California, and for fair weather over the remainder of California and in Nevada and Idaho."

A majority of Christians in Syria believe the end of the world is coming and that the final battle will be fought in the plains of Esdracel, Damascus, in the year 1934.

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# VOTE AGAINST Higher Taxes

OREGON'S TOTAL BONDED DEBT IS ALREADY

## \$166,000,000

Its per capita state debt is the highest in the Union

The Housewives' Council "Water and Power" Amendment would permit a new political board to issue \$53,000,000 more bonds, or an increase of 32 per cent to start state adventures in irrigation and power.

## VOTE 337 X NO

- Against an issue of \$53,000,000 of new bonds
- Against an unlimited amount of new taxes
- Against creating a board of politician-dictators
- Against enrolling a new army of public officials
- Against paralyzing industry by bureaucratic despotism
- Against revolutionizing our form of government
- Against a wild joy ride without brakes at your expense

## IN SELF-DEFENSE

# Vote 337 X NO!

## In November

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