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NOTICE OF SCHOOL INDEMNITY SELECTION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, ROSEBURG, OREGON, February 26, 1908. Notice is hereby given that the State of Oregon on September 24, 1907, applied for the sale, under section 30, township 34 south, range 2 east of W. M., and filed in this office a list of school indemnity selections in which it selected said land, and that said list is open to the public for inspection. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described land or any legal subdivision thereof, or claiming the same under the mining laws, or desiring to show said land to be more valuable for mineral than for agricultural purposes, or to object to said selection for any lawful reason, should file their claims or their affidavits of protest or contest in this office on or before the 24th day of May, 1908.

I hereby designate the MEDFORD MAIL, published at Medford, Oregon, as the newspaper in which the above notice is to be published.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

Makes Kidneys and Bladder Right

Klamath County News

Klamath Falls Republican:

The Klamath Falls Transportation Company will begin hauling freight from Mt. Hebron on April 5th. It being deficient announced that trains will run to there on that date. This company has announced a reduction in rates, but the directors will meet next week and at the meeting the matter of lower rates will be considered. Indications are that the shipments over the new road will be heavy this season, as numerous parties have already asked for rates on several lots.

The annual meeting of the congregation of the Presbyterian church was held in the church Monday night a large and enthusiastic number answering to the roll call. Reports were read from the officers of the church and of the various organizations of the church. Thirty-five new members were received during the year. Nearly two thousand dollars was contributed in various ways for church work and benevolence.

County Judge Griffith and Commissioner Melrose and Walker will go to the Upper Gap next Monday to view the site or the proposed bridge at that place. It is generally recognized that a bridge is needed at that place, but the one heretofore considered was too expensive to warrant its construction at this time, and the County Court has concluded to go over the ground to see if it is not possible to find a site in that immediate vicinity, where a bridge can be put in for less money.

The steel gang on the California Northeastern arrived at Mt. Hebron Monday evening, and within a very few days the terminus of the new road will be established at that point. The work on the road is being rushed and it is very probable that it will reach the water early in the Fall, and possibly in time for the Harriman family to make the initial trip with a they come to Pelton Bay this summer.

Remarkable progress is being made on the "shoo fly" and those who have come over the line just recently say that they are fully convinced that the road will be in this city this fall. The force at work this side of Dorris are also making a splendid showing and by the time the grade across the hill is built they will have most of the road bed completed to the water's edge. If the dike across the marsh is ready for rails and ties by this fall there will be no cause for delaying the completion of the road until next Spring or summer.

Klamath Falls Express: Work on the Klamath canal began in earnest yesterday morning. A crew of about 40 men are now at work, and this force will be augmented as rapidly as possible. It is the intention of the service to employ about 100 men on this work this summer and get the work as far along as possible.

Sunday night Grover Logan, being filled with the spiritus frumenti, attacked Dennis Crowley with a knife and cut two severe gashes in the face of the said Crowley. Both are Indians. The trouble occurred at the camp of the Indian woman known as Glassy. Yesterday Judge Leavitt decided that Logan should pay \$25 into the city's exchequer and remain a guest of Marshal Low for ten days.

In two suits to remove a cloud from and acquire title to 1,200 acres of land in Klamath county which will soon be worth about \$1,000,000, argument on which took place at Portland last week. Federal Judge Wolverton decreed for the plaintiff against George von L. Meyer, formerly United States ambassador and now postmaster-general. The suits were brought by the Hot Springs Improvement Co. and by Wm. A. Wright, vice-president of the company, against the postmaster-general in the circuit court of Klamath county before Judge Benson and were transferred to the federal court for the reason that the defendant is a resident of Massachusetts. The lands in question are held by the Hot Springs Improvement Co. The California-Northeastern Railway Co. is about to extend its line into the district from Weed, Cal., when the value of the land will probably increase to the figure named. J. Couch Flanders and Thomas Drake represented the plaintiffs and F. H. Mills appeared for the defendant.

FOR SALE.

1 J. I. Case traction engine, 14-horse power.
1 3-stamp mill, Nisdon make.
1 small rock crusher.
1 8-horse power horizontal gas engine, Fairbanks.
1 8-horse power horizontal gas engine, Cincinnati.
1 4-drill air compressor.
1 double 6x8 hoisting engine.
1 3-side matcher, and planer, 8x24, nearly new.
1 15-horse power horizontal boiler, Atlas.
1 12-horse power steam engine.
1 10-horse power standard gas engine.
E. G. TROWBRIDGE,
Manager, Medford Iron Works.

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ROPE SUPERSTITIONS.

Odd Beliefs About the Cure of Cancer and Mumps.

"Yes, I am heartily glad that execution by hanging is passing out of existence," said the jailer of twenty-five years' service. "Not only was hanging by the neck a gruesome, horrible affair to me, but it was always followed by a host of requests for a bit of the rope with which the hanging was done. Of course, these requests came mostly from ignorant people, but they were no less of a nuisance on that account. Oh, no, they didn't want bits of the rope for morbid reasons, but because they firmly believed in the old superstition that a bit of rope used in a hanging would cure cancer if rubbed on the affected part. None of them ever came back to report whether a cure was effected, but I reckon if there had been any cures I would have heard of them."

"That isn't the only rope superstition, by the way. In Maine, where I came from, some folk always use hempen rope for the mumps. A piece of it is tied around the waist of the sick person, so that the disease will not creep to any vital part, but remain in the face. The superstition is observed by a few people of this day, and if you go into small remote country towns in Maine you will see hempen ropes hanging in the corner grocery store, bearing a label, 'Ropes For Mumps.'--New York Tribune.

LAST WORDS.

Thoughts That Marked the Passing of Some Noted Men.

There is a collection of "last words" of celebrated men which contains many beautiful and startling phrases. Whether they were really uttered by the men to whom they have been credited, says the Berliner Post, is another matter. "Thus the words of Augustus, 'The comedy is at an end--did I play my part well?' are known to nearly every reader. The collection of last words of great physicians published by 'The British Medical Journal' gives Haller credit for saying, 'The artery beats--it beats no more,' and says of Nathaniel that he wrote: 'The night of July 6, after a violent attack of angina pectoris. . . I will die of arterial calcification.' Cooper, Bright and Brodie died with blessings upon their lips, and Darwin, looking death calmly in the face, said, 'I really do not fear death.' Lowell's last words were flippant: 'Au revoir, gentlemen. At the autopsy we will meet again.' None of these classic sentences, however, impress one so much as did the words of one of the few mortals who to our knowledge went into the unknown with minds undimmed. He was an old man who had lived a good and full life. With his last breath he said: 'It is not yet time. I want to stay--that was the voice of nature.'

The Next Duty.

"What is my next duty? What is the thing that lies nearest to me?" "That belongs to your everyday history. No one can answer that question but yourself. Your next duty is just to determine what your next duty is. Is there nothing you neglect? Is there nothing you know you ought not to do? You would know your duty if you thought in earnest about it and were not ambitious of great things." "Ah, then," responded she, "I suppose it is something very commonplace, which will make life more dreary than ever. That cannot help me." "It will if it be as dreary as reading the newspapers to an old deaf aunt. It will soon lead you to something more. Your duty will begin to comfort you at once, but will at length open the unknown fountain of life in your heart."--George MacDonald.

He Drew.

A very pretty girl had a bashful artist for a sweetheart, but he would never come to the point. One night after he had made a desperate attempt to test her feelings he looked at him in a very significant way. "What do you mean by that?" he asked, with a startled look. "Do you profess to be an artist?" she replied evasively. "Yes." "Do you think you are a good one?" "I flatter myself that I am." "Well, I don't think so." "Why not?" "Because you cannot even draw an inference." He did, though, and now they draw conclusions.

Victims of Heredity.

It has been shown that criminal tendencies depend on heredity and social and physiological circumstances. The most important of these is heredity. Just as no amount of ambition will enable a man to write a Shakespearean drama if he have not the talent, so it is preposterous to expect in a child of vicious parents, brought up among vicious surroundings, that moral tone which would characterize the finest type of humankind.--Strand Magazine.

Precious Models.

"Just think, somebody broke into my studio last night. Unfortunately I had just begun a study in still life." "Was it stolen?" "No, but the models were--a ham and some sausages."--London TH-Bits.

Reassuring.

First Actor--I am in a quandary. I have been offered an engagement by two managers, and I don't know how to act. Second Actor--Well, don't worry. They'll soon find it out.

Do not neglect to keep your boots polished. You can always shine at one end if you cannot at the other.

Death Was on His Heels.

James P. Morris, of Skippers, Va., had a close call in the spring of 1906. He says: "An attack of pneumonia left me so weak and with such a fearful cough that my friends declared consumption had me, and death was on my heels. Then I was persuaded to try Dr. King's New Discovery. It helped me amazingly, and after taking two and a half bottles I was a well man again. I found out that New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and lung disease in all the world." Sold under guarantee at Chas. Strang's drug store. 50c and \$1.

DREAMS.

Hasheesh, the Strange Drug That Is Used in the Orient.

Hasheesh, that strange drug which has given our language its word "narcosis"--a man so frantically by the drug that he accomplishes murder--is used by the Persians, Turks and Egyptians in a manner akin to the use of opium by the Chinese. It is the product of plant grown in large quantities in the Peloponnese (southern Greece) in the district about Tripolita. The plant grows to a height of about four feet and its branches are thickly covered with small leaves and studded with tiny seeds.

The entire plant, stalk and branches, is cut within a few inches of the root and laid out in the sun to dry. The branches are then rubbed to separate the seeds, and these in turn are ground into a fine powder, which constitutes the drug. The drug has the power of inducing sleep and producing pleasant and fantastic dreams. Continued use of hasheesh renders its devotees wild and reckless and results in a complete wreck of their mental and physical constitution.

For this reason the Egyptian government prohibits the importation of the drug and entered into a convention with Greece to prevent its exportation from there to Egypt, where the consumers of hasheesh are very numerous. The drug is practically never used in Greece, but is now exported to the various ports in England, Austria, France and Italy, and from there much, no doubt, ultimately finds its way to Egypt.

BRIGHT SAYINGS.

A Little Batch of Stories Related by an Englishman.

The sultan of Turkey had sent the queen of Spain a diamond bracelet. She had the stones reset in earrings and called the fact to the attention of Fuad Pasha, the Turkish envoy.

"His majesty," replied Fuad, "will be delighted that your majesty gives an ear to what comes from Constantinople."

To the same Fuad an Englishwoman impudently said, "How many wives have you?"

"The same number as your husband, madam," said the wily Turk. "The only difference is that he conceals one of his and I do not."

When Robert Lowe married and said, "With all my worldly goods I thee endow," he grumbled to his wife afterward, "And at the time I hadn't a 'cess farthing.'"

"Oh, but my dear, you forget there is your son-in-law."

Lowe replied, "Well, you cannot say I endowed you with that."

In a much older story Frederick the Great is represented as saying angrily to the English ambassador of the day, "England is now without an ally upon the continent except God."

Sir Hugh Elliott instantly replied, "Yes, sire, but God is an ally that demands no subsidy."--From "Rambling Reminiscences," by Sir Henry Drummond Wolff.

What Might Have Been.

Lord Rosebery in an address at Glasgow university some years ago gave utterance to the following interesting speculation:

"Had the elder Pitt when he became prime minister hot led the house of commons he could doubtless have induced George III. to listen to reason, introduced American representation into parliament and preserved the thirteen colonies to England. The new blood of America would have burst the old vessels of the constitution and provided a self adjusting system of representation. There would have been no war of separation, no war of 1812, and finally, when the Americans became a majority, the empire would perhaps have moved solemnly across the Atlantic and Britain become a historic shrine, the European outpost of the empire."

The Roman Forum.

The Forum Romanum, the first that was erected in Rome, served equally for the purposes of trade and all public meetings as well as for the administration of justice by the consuls and other Roman magistrates. Later on, when the forum numbered some eighteen or twenty, they were divided into two classes, some for public meetings and the proceedings of the law courts and others for the various requirements of trade. The Roman forum corresponded to the agora, or market place, of the Greeks, and no Roman city was without this important center of judicial, political and commercial life.--New York American.

His Gratitude.

The Medical Record tells of a man who was cured of blindness by a surgeon remarkable for his unprepossessing appearance. When vision was fully restored, the patient looked at his benefactor and said:

"Lucky for you, young man, I did not see you before you operated or I would never have given my consent."

Humiliation.

"I tell you, sir, kissing the hand that smites you is nothing to what I saw in the hotel this morning."

"What was that?"

"The porter blacking the boots that had kicked him last night."--London Telegraph.

Art.

"Was that picture you just sold a genuine work of art?"

"No," answered the dealer, "but the story I told about it was."--Washington Star.

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