

PORTLAND LETTER

Heg Brings \$61.20--Coos Bay to Have Railroads--Portland will Entertain Big National Conventions

Portland, Ore., Jan. 29th(Special) -- A big convention of the coming year for Portland is that of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. The annual gathering of the national body will be held here July 15-21 and it is thought the greatest meeting in the history of the order in America will occur at that time. There are 1400 accredited delegates who will be in attendance and in addition many other members and their friends will make the trip to the Northwest. It is expected that no less than 30,000 visitors will be attracted to the North Pacific Coast by this convention. Committees are at work planning entertainment for the Hibernians and every indication now points to the gathering being a big success.

Wool growers of the country will gather at Portland in 1911, bringing to this city a convention representative of a great industry. Delegates to the recent convention of the wool men at Ogden from the Pacific Northwest were a unit for Portland as the next meeting place and they captured the gathering without serious opposition. Ninety per cent of the wool growers of the country are members of the organization, and the convention will bring thousands of visitors to Portland. The next meeting of the national body will be held here in Jan. 1911.

Grocers of the state will gather at Eugene January 26 and 27 for the annual convention of the Oregon Retail Grocers' Association. There is splendid program of deep interest to the dealers in food stuffs, and the attendance is expected to be the largest in the history of the state association.

Problems coming up in the grocery business will be discussed and mutual help gained from the interchange of ideas of the various dealers. Portland is entertaining today what is said to be the biggest excursion party ever organized in the Northwest and which includes 225 residents of Spokane, the Cœur d'Alene country, Walla Walla and the Palouse country and of the Canadian provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan. The party occupies a special train of Pullmans and is bound for California. It was organized by the Spokane Chamber of Commerce and the Walla Walla Commercial Club in connection with the Harriman lines, it having become a custom to run a midwinter excursion to California each year. While in Portland the excursionists are being entertained by the Portland Commercial Club.

An example of the big money in hog-raising was given here during the past week, when a single porker, weighing 680 pounds, brought \$61.20. This is the highest price that a single hog ever brought at the stock yards. The hog was raised by Henry Larkin, of Colfax Wash. Hogs reached \$9.20 during the week.

Coos Bay seems to be in line for some real railroad building and both the Hill and Harriman Systems are reported to be showing interest in that section. It is said work is about to be resumed on the Southern Pacific line from Drain and the Northern Pacific is said to be negotiating for big coal holdings, which lie close to Marshfield.

A Sprained Ankle.

As a rule a man will feel well satisfied if he can hobble around on crutches in two or three weeks after spraining his ankle, and it is often two or three months before he is fully recovered. This is an unnecessary loss of time, as by applying Chamberlain's Liniment, as directed, a cure may as a rule be effected in less than one week, and in many cases within three days. For sale by City Drug Store.

Oregon Sidelights.

Stockmen are feeling easier. The Astoria brick yard is doing a big business.

Eugene's high school will soon have 500 pupils.

Salem is going to try as never before to make itself a city beautiful.

The places of seven Albany telephone girls, who struck, were filled with girls from other towns.

A Harrisburg man shot and killed a big eagle, which had destroyed many lambs, and which had often been shot at.

The good roads agitation is not a passing fad, but the idea is firmly seated in the minds of nearly every taxpayer, says the Roseburg News.

Several of a large number of horses sold in Union County last week brought \$250. each. Union maintains a high reputation as a fine horse raising country.

Newberg Graphic: It is beyond doubt that larger crops can be produced from ten acres through tilled than from two or even three times ten acres cultivated as they usually are.

Duck hunters are having great sport these days, says the Corvallis Gazette-Times. It is said that there are many birds here now and hunters bag the limit every time they go out.

The first farmers' high school in Oregon is that known as Union High School No. 1, at Pleasant Hill, Ore., it being the result of the union for high school purposes of five common school districts in Lane county.

Marsfield News: Empire City, on Coos Bay, was the first portion of the county settled by the whites, when the Coos Bay company, consisting of Maple Harris, Thrift, Lockhart, Foley and others arrived there from Jacksonville, Ore., in the summer of 1853.

Eugene Guard: Another crew of surveyors and cruisers in the employ of the Lucy Timber Company arrived here this morning from Seattle and left immediately for the Siuslaw country to survey and cruise the 20,000 acres of timberland, which the company intends purchasing.

Already the Linn County roads are pretty good, says the Albany Democrat. Our soil is such that with fair attention, a road can be kept in splendid condition, a fact demonstrated by the Tangent road, over which in the wettest weather of the winter, farmers experience no trouble in getting into Albany with heavy loads. The entire county should be gradually covered good roads being made an issue. Journal.

A Horrible Hold-Up.

"About ten years ago my brother was 'held up' in his work, health and happiness by what was believed to be hopeless Consumption," writes W. R. Lipscomb, of Washington, N. C. "He took all kinds of remedies and treatment from several doctors, but found no help till he used Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles. He is a well man today." It's quick to relieve and the surest cure for weak or sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Coughs and Colds, Bronchitis, La Grippe, Asthma and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by City Drug Store.

News of the State.

J. Ernest Laidlaw, of Portland has been awarded the government contract for lumber for barracks at Manila. His bid was \$44,507.

J. M. Wilson of Eugene claims he has the prize potatoes for size, He has seven Burbanks, which weigh 3½ pounds each, and when placed in a row strung out, they measured seven feet two inches in length.

Articles of incorporation have been drawn for the organization of a new bank at Halsey with a paid up capital of \$10,000.

Prof. A. M. Sanders of Albany, one of the foremost educators of the state, died from an attack of pneumonia Saturday.

General News.

Chicago mothers have declared war against the "red light district."

Late reports from Roosevelt's camp in Africa states that the colonel refuses to comment upon the dismissal of Pinchot by President Taft.

Congress passed the New Mexico and Arizona separate statehood bill, Monday.

Three men were killed by the fumes of nitro-glycerine; in a tunnel at Monroe Colorado, Sunday.

Sold by Druggists. Price 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

An Upright Judge.

The following tribute to our venerable jurist, Judge Hanna, appeared in the editorial columns of the Oregonian, Saturday.

"Judge H. K. Hanna, having served on the bench of Oregon as Circuit Judge for the First Judicial District for a full quarter of a century, has resigned the office for the reason that, with his eighty-odd years, the duties of the position were too arduous for him. With the long record of an upright Judge behind him, Judge Hanna passes from the bench to the retirement of private life, and from arduous labors to well-earned rest. That he may live yet as many years as he can enjoy is the wish of a faithfully served public."

Spelling Contest Prizes.

No. 8 of the rules for spelling contests for the scholars of Jackson county provides for prizes as follows:

"8. mention will be made each month in the county press, of the classes making the highest percentages. At the end of the series of contests the school in class "A" making the highest percentage, and the school in class "B" making the highest percentage, throughout the series, will each be presented with a flag (12 feet in length).

Ten framed pictures will also be given, five in class "A" and five in class "B", to the grades making the highest percentages throughout the series of contests."

All grades from the fourth to the eighth inclusive, are entitled to enter the contests.

Schools maintaining more than one room shall constitute class "A," and all one-room schools shall constitute class "B."

Every Mother

is or should be worried when the little ones have a cough or cold. It may lead to croup or pleurisy or pneumonia —then to something more serious. Ballard's Horsehoe Syrup will cure the trouble at once and prevent any complication. Sold by City Drug Store.

Home Training.

Over in Germany some one has suggested as a means of solving some of the household problems, which seem to afflict all nations alike, or as a step towards that solution, that all girls shall be compelled to undergo a period of training as domestic servants. It is argued that inasmuch as every young man must give a stipulated part of his years to the service of the nation as a soldier, it is quite as important that all the girls shall be compelled, through a form of conscription, if necessary, to perfect themselves in the household arts, to the end that the nation, in its days of peace, shall have more comforts.

The idea had its origin with the women themselves. Just how it is to be carried out, if such a revolutionary program were adopted, has not been made plain, for the idea is simply still an idea with no details worked out. The incapacity of the average servant is the reason for the suggestion, of course. But might not the idea of the training of girls for the household go a bit further? If there are incapable servants, there are also incapable mistresses. Why, then, should not girls be trained to be the heads of households as well as servants in the house?

Ex.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contains Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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A Little Learning.

Here are a few history answers collected in New York State Education Department in the past year:

Modern conveniences, Incubators and fire-less telegraphy.

The Republican party was formerly known as the Free Soil.

The President takes the yoke of office.

The salaries of teachers are paid from the dog tax.

Benjamin Franklin produced electricity by rubbing cats backwards.

Lincoln had a woman make him a suit of homespun from rails which he had split. They were hickory rails,

hence hickory shirts.

The cause of the Revolution was that the colonists wanted room to pasture their cattle.

The Spoils system: The place where spoiled things and waste are kept. The Board of Health has largely taken the place of this.

The difference between Jackson and Roosevelt is that Jackson has been dead a long time and Roosevelt is in Africa shooting lions.

Notice Of Administratrix's Sale Of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of J. R. Neil, County Judge for Jackson County, Oregon, dated December 4th, 1909, duly made and entered in the matter of the estate of Nancy Steuber, deceased, pending, in said court, directing me to sell the interest of said estate in and to the premises hereinabove described. I will after January 28th, 1910, sell, at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, all the right title and interest of the said estate of Nancy Steuber, deceased, and to the West ½ of the Southwest ¼, Southeast ¼ of Southwest ¼ and Southwest ¼ of Southeast ¼ of Section 26 in Township 38 South, Range three East of Willamette Meridian.

Bids therefor will be received by the undersigned at Medford, Oregon, on and after January 28th, 1910. Dated December 24, 1909.

Frances M. Snyder, Administratrix.

NOTICE OF GUARDIAN'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to an order of J. R. Neil, County Judge for Jackson County, Oregon, dated December 22, 1909, duly made and entered in the matter of the Guardianship of Eva E. Magerle pending in said court, directing me to sell the interest of said minor child in and to the premises hereinabove described. I will after January 28, 1910, sell, at private sale to the highest and best bidder for terms one third cash, and the balance in two equal installments payable respectively, November 1, 1910, and November 1, 1911, and bearing interest at the rate of 6% per annum, payable annually, all the right title and interest of the said Eva E. Magerle in and to the West ½ of the Southwest ¼ of Section 3, and the East ½ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 4, the Northwest ¼ of the Southeast ¼ of Section 4, and the West ½ of the Northwest ¼ of Section 10, all in Township 38 South, Range 4 West of Willamette Meridian.

The deferred installments to be evidenced by promissory notes, in due and usual form, and to be secured by a first mortgage upon the interest conveyed in and to said premises.

Bids therefor will be received by the undersigned, at Woodville, Oregon, or by H. D. Norton, attorney-at-law, at Grants Pass, Oregon.

Carlos A. Magerle, Guardian of the person and estate of Eva E. Magerle, a minor child.

SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY.

Mary M. Estes, Plaintiff, vs. Julian O. Estes, Defendant.

To Julian O. Estes the above named defendant, IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled Court now on file with the Clerk of said Court within ten days after the date of service of this summons upon you if served within Jackson County, Oregon; if served personally upon you out of the State of Oregon then within six weeks after the date of such service; but if served by publication of said summons then within six weeks after the date of first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to-wit, for a decree of divorce.

Under and by virtue of an order made by the Honorable H. K. Hanna, judge of said Court, dated 23rd day of January, 1910, this summons is served on the Defendant by publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, and the Clerk of said Court within ten days after the date of service of this summons upon you if served within Jackson County, Oregon; if served personally upon you out of the State of Oregon then within six weeks after the date of such service; but if served by publication of said summons then within six weeks after the date of first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to-wit, for a decree of divorce.

To G. A. Link, the above named defendant, IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON,

you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled Court now on file with the Clerk of said Court within ten days after the date of service of this summons upon you if served within Jackson County, Oregon; if served personally upon you out of the State of Oregon then within six weeks after the date of such service; but if served by publication of said summons then within six weeks after the date of first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to-wit, for a decree of divorce.

Under and by virtue of an order made by Hon.

H. K. Hanna, judge of said Court, dated 20th day of January, 1910, this summons is served on the Defendant by publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, and the Clerk of said Court within ten days after the date of service of this summons upon you if served within Jackson County, Oregon; if served personally upon you out of the State of Oregon then within six weeks after the date of such service; but if served by publication of said summons then within six weeks after the date of first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to-wit, for a decree of divorce.

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H. K. Hanna, judge of said Court, dated 20th day of January, 1910, this summons is served on the Defendant by publication thereof for six successive weeks in the Jacksonville Post, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Jacksonville, Jackson County, Oregon, and the Clerk of said Court within ten days after the date of service of this summons upon you if served within Jackson County, Oregon; if served personally upon you out of the State of Oregon then within six weeks after the date of such service; but if served by publication of said summons then within six weeks after the date of first publication thereof, and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the Complaint, to-wit, for a decree of divorce.

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