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"For Sandy Always."



Who Wants County Division?

The following is a vote taken on County Division in 1912:

	yes,	no
Cherryville,	4	32
Sandy,	24	176
George,	7	23
Milk Creek	7	97
Eagle Creek	32	104
Estacada	276	54
Springwater,	56	28
Harding,	6	106
Highland,	18	77
Colton	2	54

It is significant that Estacada and immediate vicinity is the only part of the county that is in favor of county division. Why is this? We are almost led to believe that Estacada is trying to create a new county for the sole purpose of establishing a county seat at that point at the cost of this end of the county.

Why is it that, if the people of this part of the county are so enthusiastic for a division, as the Eastern Clackamas News would have us believe, that Estacada attempts to put the measure thru by the logrolling, lobbying method of presenting it to the legislature who do not know conditions except as they are misrepresented instead of appealing to the people who are directly interested.

For years certain interests have been endeavoring to create a new county and have always received scant sympathy except at Estacada, each time they have decreased the territory within the boundary lines. It is not at all unlikely that the next legislature will be confronted with a measure to create a Cascade County making the boundary lines the corporate lines of the city of Estacada.

To show to what ends some of the solicitors for signatures to the petition to create Cascade County will go, one of them promised a man residing near Dover, that he would work to get the county seat at that point if he would sign the petition. Do you think he will?

Can anyone discover the reason that the dreamed Cascade County embraces but one incorporated town. The city of Estacada.

If salons are driven out of Washington the thirty brigade can always slide home and go to work—or drink.

In the event of a shortage in gold we might use eggs as a circulating medium

Tom Lawson has been urging congress to investigate the New York stock exchange. But not a word about investigating Tom.

Make up your mind you are a gentleman and in time you may become one.

Don't cuss the weeds this spring. Pull 'em up instead.

If you must have a variety, make it "Jack at all trades and good at all."

No fluctuations, however, have been noted in the market quotations on postage stamps.

No wonder some men are always suspicious of others. They know themselves.

When your husband begins to treat you with unusual consideration it's time to go through his coat pockets.

Get a baloon and go up with the high cost of living.

There is always a better way, but there are so many crooks and turns one gets off the path.

Brevity is the source of wit, and sometimes the origin of a punch on the nose.

There are times, bedad, when it's a great consolation to know that we all haven't got the same wife.

No, there is no selfishness about some men. They just grab everything in sight and then howl for the sight.

Who says there are no wise people in this world? Every time we get off one of our stock jokes our wife laughs—and then taps our pocketbook.

If every man in this town would spend half an hour a week in cleaning up the rubbish and accumulations we would soon have a clean town, a better community, a happier set of people and a lower death rate. Is it worth thirty minutes a week?

Smoking In Japan.

In Japan woman has smoked ever since tobacco was introduced and invariably used the pipe of metal with the tiny bowl holding only sufficient tobacco to provide half a dozen whiffs which was in universal use until the cigarette entered Japan with other western innovations.

His Excuse.

"Your honor, I frankly admit that I was exceeding the speed limit, but I was afraid of being late at court."
"What was your business at court?"
"I had to answer to a charge of exceeding the speed limit."—New York Times.

Friendly Advice.

"We surprised all our friends by getting married."
"Good enough. Now surprise 'em by staying married."—Exchange.

An Ancient Cake.

Patience—Would you like to see the cake I got on my twenty-eighth birthday? Patrice—Why, yes! Is it well preserved?—Yonkers Statesman.

How blessings brighten as they take their flight!—Young.

Too Much Music.

Street singing is an especially Neapolitan institution, and when for the first time one hears beneath his windows the more often than not off key versions of the snappy, lilting, inexpressibly infectious Neapolitan songs he is enchanted and throws pennies freely. After a week or so of it as a steady diet, day and night, he inclines much more toward heavy crockery.—National Geographic Magazine.

His Idea.

"Would you say that marriage is a failure?"

"Not exactly; it's more like a business venture."

"In what way?"

"Well, you can't blame the business for the failures that get into it."—Detroit Free Press.

In The County Court of The State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE of
MICHAEL McCORMICK, deceased.
Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, M. A. Deaton, Administrator of the estate of Michael McCormick, deceased, by virtue of an order issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clackamas, on the 5th day of January, 1917, will sell a public sale to the highest bidder for cash, subject to a mortgage of \$6500.00 plus interest, and a second mortgage of \$1000.00 plus interest, the following described personal property, to-wit:

The North Half of the Southwest quarter, and the South Half of the Northwest quarter of Section 17, Township 2, South Range 5, East W. M., containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) acres, more or less, in Clackamas County, State of Oregon.

Said sale to be held on the above described premises on Saturday, at 10 A.M., on the 10th day of February, 1917.

M. A. Deaton, Administrator.
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WAR AND AGRICULTURE.

There Must Be a Sufficient Live Stock Population.

A pamphlet put out by the publicity department of the International Live Stock exposition contains the statement that the European war concerns every American citizen and that its beneficiary in a commercial sense must inevitably be the United States. "This is an accident which we as the friends of mankind deplore, but which as a nation of producers we are compelled to regard as an extraordinary opportunity for the expansion of our productive industries. . . . Pending the settlement that cannot be long deferred, our business is to build up and proportion our own industries so that we can be prepared to accept our responsible position as a producer of the commodities which millions of people will expect us to offer. Such action will reward the world in general and us in particular. Our first step should be fundamental. Agriculture is our basal industry. At present it is unbalanced, one sided and unstable; it lacks meat, milk and wool, runs largely to starch and is deficient in protein. It is like a sandwich inadequately buttered or poorly chinked with meat. A self sustaining agriculture is economically impossible without a live stock population sufficient to balance it."

WINTER CARE OF POULTRY

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Was Coming Back.

"Seemed to sadden old Geldbox when his new son-in-law said goodby after the wedding. Is he so fond of him?"
"Well, not exactly. You see, the new son-in-law didn't say goodby; he said 'Au revoir.'"—Browning's Magazine.

Foiled.

"Dearest, I ordered to be sent home today a most beautiful hat for only \$30. It's a perfect love!"
"My darling, your love will be returned."—Puck.

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THE WORD "CASUALTY."

First Used as a Battlefield Term in the Crimean War.

When did the word "casualty" first assume the modern specialized meaning with which it is associated in war reports? I think it must have been at the time of the Crimean war, for in the latest volume of "Disraeli's Life" I have come across the following passage, dated Sept. 2, 1855: "Lady Londonderry is in despair about her son, who is now in the trenches. . . . Casualties, she says, and, truly, what a horrible word to describe the loss of limb and life!"

The underlining and the comment seem to show that Disraeli, one of the greatest masters of words, found its use unusual. Murray's Dictionary does not give much assistance on the point, for all its quotations, such as one from the Duke of Wellington's dispatches in 1810, "the casualties of the service," do not necessarily imply anything except loss by unavoidable accidents.

My suggestion, however, is borne out by the following from Stocqueler's "Military Encyclopaedia," published in 1853, which says, "Casuals or casualties, a term signifying men that are dead (since first enlisted) or have been discharged or have deserted"—in other words, total losses. No mention is made. It should be noted, of the application of the word to temporary losses caused by wounds. It was Lady Londonderry's use of it in this sense perhaps which Disraeli found strange.—Westminster Gazette.

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