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ADVERTISING RATES REASONABLE.

The Taft Presidential boom is reported to be daily gaining ground, but Roosevelt, despite his denials, is looming up in the background.

Senator Fulton's reply to Heney's accusations is a document of 9000 words, straight from the shoulder, written in plain English and ringing with sincerity and truth. It is now up to Mr. Heney to prove his allegations or step down and out and admit that he has barked up the wrong tree.

That Gov. Chamberlain can see nothing wrong in the actions of one, Smith, who in the Fulton—Heney controversy makes affidavit that during the hold up in the Legislative assembly of 1903 he sold out and after accepting the money went back on his bargain, is enough to cause the Governor's downfall before the voters of Oregon.

The Blue Bloods of Boston refused to let Haywood speak on Socialism in Federal Hall. Such is the spirit of the sons of fanatics who banished Roger Williams and hung witches. This will again set the cradle of liberty a-rocking and hope the next youngster will have a higher conception of Freedom and Equality. Socialism will grow all the faster under such means of attempted repression. We believe in Free Speech, Free Press, Fair Play and Freedom; anything less is wrong and tyranny.

Marshall Griffith, while in Port Orford, stated that he had reason to believe that some of the indictments brought against Curry county parties for complicity in the P. F. & L. Co. Land Fraud case would be dismissed without coming to trial, but he also said that if he were in the position of one, in particular, he would go to Portland as fast as he could get there, plead guilty and take his medicine. What there is in this we do not know, but the TRIBUNE does believe that there is more smoke than fire in this widely heralded case, and it will go a step farther and say (and this not without foundation) that it believes that some of the witnesses taken from this county have wilfully perjured themselves against their neighbors through petty spite work, and if punishment is meted out to any, we hope that they will get theirs.

Mr W. H. Calkins, of Eugene, thinks the referendum system stops far short of what the people require for assertion of liberty and promotion of justice. He suggests that the system should be so amended and enlarged as to call the referendum on opinions and decisions of the Courts, and especially those of the Supreme Court. It does, indeed, seem anonymous that any branch of the Government should be above control of the people and of their right of review and reversal. The initiative and referendum, having conquered for the people the executive and legislative branches, should now advance to conquest of the judicial. The pretense that any branch of the Government should be above review and correction by the people is a doctrine dangerous to liberty. This new and final reform is necessary to completion of all that have preceded it.—Oregonian.

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On the 22nd of Feb. a meeting of voters of Chetco precinct was held in Harbor and a Good Government Club was formed, Mr. D. C. McLaurin being elected Chairman and Curt Wright Secretary. The purpose of the club is to elect the best qualified men for the different offices, and party politics will have no bearing in county officials standing with the club. At subsequent meetings the fitness of the candidates for the various offices will be discussed and the club will stand for the men deemed best qualified to fill the offices.

CURRENT TOPICS.

Editor TRIBUNE—The Legislature at its last session submitted the following excellent Constitutional Amendment to a vote of the people by whom it was overwhelmingly ratified last June:

"Corporations may be framed under general laws, but shall not be created by the legislative assembly by special laws. The legislative assembly shall not enact, amend or repeal any charter or act of incorporation of any municipality, city or town. The legal voters of every city and town are hereby granted power to enact and amend their municipal charters, subject to the constitution and criminal laws of the State of Oregon."

But now comes Mayor Rally of Medford, and files an amendment to the above providing that municipalities may license saloons, gambling dens, prize fights, pool rooms and what not, admitting the concluding lines of the section as it stands, viz: Subject to the Constitution and criminal laws of the State of Oregon."

And this proposed amendment is to be deceptively labeled, "Home Rule Amendment!" A truer designation would be, "A Constitutional Amendment to legalize a Carnival of Vice!"

However, so long as there is a big profit in vice, there will never be lacking advocates for the "Wide Open" town, which is but another manifestation of "Economic Determinism," a theory propounded by Karl Marx over fifty years ago, and which like the Initiative Theory of money, has passed out of the domain of "Theory," and taken its place serenely in the realm of Fact.

The people at large can be safely trusted to veto this latest attempt to get away from law and legal restraint, as they vetoed the Liquor Dealers amendment put forth under a deceptive label, but which would have had the certain effect of destroying the Local Option Laws, they also put down heavy on the proposed Barlow Road Graft.

The "Homerule" shibboleth which is seated to do duty in the campaign for the Reddy amendment will, upon examination and analysis lie uncovered as not only whimsical but absolutely silly. The American States enjoy "Home rule," yet subject to the Constitution and laws of the United States, while it will be seen that the proposed amendment imprudently seeks exemption from interference by any power on earth!

J. H. UPTON,
Langlois, Ore.

Mr Arthur Lewis, who, with his brother, formerly owned nearly all of Bandon and taking in the country as far as Prosper, arrived here last week after an absence of 22 years, and naturally notes a great many changes. When the brothers sold out to Messrs Averill and Dyer, they went East and made their home at Fall River, Mass. The brother died many years ago. Mr Lewis will stop in this vicinity about three months and then go to California.—Bandon Recorder.

(COOS BAY HARBOR.)

Robert Goetz of Coos River was in the city Saturday. Mr Goetz is out for the superintendency of schools. His announcement appears elsewhere in this issue.

The positive assurance that Swift & Company and other great packing companies will locate enormous plants at Portland will give an impetus to the live stock industry of all this portion of the United States.

The location of these packing houses will add to the value of the holdings of every breeder and producer of cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry, and the dairy products of Oregon will be trebled and find a market in every part of world.

The spirit of progress in Oregon was never more pronounced than at the present time. The commercial organizations of the state seem to be determined to do more effective advertising than ever before. There is a spirit of organizations in the air, and the biggest efforts center upon the colonists rates from March 1st to April 30, $30 rate from all points in the Middle West to all points in Oregon is emphasized in every advertisement and every appeal.

THE SUN.

Fred Lee, well known among the old-timers passed away, Friday last at North Bend, after a brief illness. Deceased was a native of Finland. He followed the sea in early days and was mate on the steamer Empire. Since retiring from the sea he conducted banking games, and has won and lost many bank rolls. Fred was a good loser and he lived up to his record, dying game. The remains were laid to rest, Friday, in the Odd Fellows' cemetery.

The committee appointed to manage the District Fair met at the Chamber of Commerce rooms yesterday to formulate a program of action. There was present L. J. Simpson F. P. Norton, A. J. Sherwood, W. E. Pike, S. Gallier and A. H. Powers. R. D. Hume, the Curry county representative was unable to be present, owing to the brief notice of the meeting, but is expected to be on hand at the next meeting March 4th.

The meeting was organized with the election of F. P. Norton, president; and L. J. Simpson, vice president. Sub-committees were appointed in various points of the county. A spirit of enthusiasm pervaded the assemblage and there will be hearty co operation in making the Fair a grand success.

Monday morning shortly after 2 o'clock the fire department was called out to subdue a blaze in South Marshfield. The fire originated in the arbor connecting the Merchant residence and out buildings, and in all probability was ignited by smouldering ashes. The flames were on the verge of communicating with the main building when the fire ladies arrived on the scene. Their quick and effective work prevented its further spreading. The chemical engine was given a trial but its work was pronounced ineffective. This fire-fighting machine will probably show better in battling flames confined within a building.

The loss and damage to the building is estimated at $500, and is covered by insurance.

John C. Merchant did the nice thing with the fire ladies, when in recognition of their valiant services, he presented the company with a check for $250.

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Brilliant Scenes In Peru's Capital.

LIMA, Peru, Feb. 25—The entertainment in honor of the American naval officers continues unabated, and Lima society is enjoying a series of brilliant functions, such as have seldom been witnessed in the capital. This afternoon there was a reception at the American Legation and a baseball match in the bull ring between nines from the warships, and this evening the National Club will give a ball. The gala performances at the Politeana Theatre last night brought out a crowded house. Lima society was well represented, while among those present were 33 American officers, including three Admirals, Minister Combs, Lieutenant Cordier, the American military attache and several members of the Cabinet. The Presidential box was given to the visitors. President Pardo himself was not present, as he was celebrating his birthday at his home.

In the final scene of the opera, the American and Peruvian flags were displayed on the stage. This brought out prolonged applause, in which the ladies present were conspicious. Admiral Thomas stood up and bowed his acknowledgment to the audience. At the commencement of the performance the orchestra played "Hail Columbia" and the Peruvian National Anthem. The Audience stood. The conduct of the American sailors on shore continues to be excellent, and has won the praise of the Peruvian press.

What Have You Been Reading?

In the March issue of WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION, Dr. Edward Everett Hale, under the caption above, very aptly reminds us of the importance of systematic reading, and sets forth the ground rules for such a system, in part, as follows:

"Here we are scattered over eight million square miles, more or less, and we are making our plans. Into these plans systematic reading shall come, just as sleep or breakfast dinner or supper. By systematic reading I mean that beside the newspaper and the magazine and the novel there shall be one hour of every day devoted to reading on system. Make it more if you like, though I shall not let you go beyond three hours a day, but one hour at least in a day there must be.

"Thus I take it for granted that you have it in your own room, on your own table, your Bible, your Hymn Book, and some one or two other books which will help you in your daily intercourse with the Good God. Each one of you can choose these for yourself.

"You ought to be grounded in a fashion the history of the town, the state and of the country. I do not care whether you were born there or not. You must not let any accidental visitor ever ask you what was the origin of these while you are unable to tell him. Was this place first open to Christian civilization when LaSalle came down the river; or when the Hampshire Grants were quarelled about; or when Captain Gray, in the Columbia, came to anchor?

And you ought to know decently well the history of the state, whether that written history be three hundred years or three months old. Do not let me come into Oklahoma this summer and ask you about the history of the emigration of the Cherokees into the Indian Territory, or the sun worship of Creeks, and find out that you know no more about it than I do. And side by side with this, and as a basis of this, you must have a decent acquaintance with the history of the United States."

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The Spirit of Winter.

The Spirit of Winter is with us, making its presence known in many different ways—sometimes by cheery sunshine and glistening snows, and sometimes by driving winds and blinding storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things worse, for rheumatism twists harder, twinges sharper, catarrh becomes more annoying, and the many symptoms of scrofula are developed and aggravated. There is not much poetry in this, but there is TRUTH, and it is a wonder that more people don't get rid of these ailments. The medicine that cures them—Hood's Sarsaparilla—is easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
January 30th, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Theron J. Fromm, of Port Orford, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No 12351, made Jan. 7th, 1903, for the Lots 2, 3, 4, & 5, Section 31, Township 33 South, Range 14 West, W. M., and that said proof will be made before Geo. W. Smith, County Clerk, at Gold Beach, Oregon, on Friday, April 3, 1908.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Fred Pfisterer, of Port Orford, Ore.
Willis White Jr., of " "
Charles H. Pearse, of " "
Eugene White, of " "

BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

Trespass Notice.

All persons are hereby notified not to enter upon or trespass upon the lands of the undersigned at and near Port Orford, and upon Hubbards Creek in Curry County, Oregon, for any purposes whatsoever without the owners consent.

Persons so doing for purposes of hunting, fishing, or traveling through or tearing down fences, leaving gates open, or molesting property, will be prosecuted according to law.

Louis Knapp.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATE AND DISTRICT OFFICERS:

U. S. Sen'ts—Jonathan Bourne Jr., of Portland and Chas. Fulton of Astoria.
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Attorney General—A. M. Crawford, Salem.
Clerk State Land Board—G. G. Brown, Salem.
Joint Senator for Coos and Curry—John S. Coke.
Joint Representative for Coos and Curry—Ed Rackleff.
Judge, 2d Judicial District—J. W. Hamilton, Roseburg.
Prosecuting Attorney, 2d Judicial District—George M. Brown, Roseburg.
U. S. Commissioners—J. H. Upton, Langlois.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Judge—E. A. Bailey, Gold Beach.
County Commissioners—J. W. Cooley, Chetco; Ed Sypher, Langlois.
Sheriff—S. E. Marsters, Gold Beach.
County Clerk—George W. Smith, Gold Beach.
County Treasurer—James Caughell, Wedderburn.
Assessor—A. J. Marsh, Port Orford.
School Supt.—Ames S. Johnston, Port Orford.
Surveyor—D. Cunniff, Jr. Gold Beach.
Coroner—Dr. F. A. Schliemann, Wedderburn.

MEETINGS OF THE COURTS.

Circuit Court meets Fourth Monday in August of each year.
County Commissioners Court meets first Wednesday in January, April, July and September of each year.
Probate Court meets first Monday in each month.

CURRY COUNTY POST OFFICES AND POSTMASTERS.

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