

WEDNESDAY, MAY 20th, 1908.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES. One Copy One Year \$1.00 One Copy Six Months .75 One Copy Three Months .50

Published Every Wednesday, by HARDY T. STEWART, FRANK A STEWART, Associate editor

The printed address on your paper shows the date to which your subscription is paid.

LEADING PAPER OF CURRY CO.

ADVERTISING RATES REASONABLE.

OUR AGENTS:

A. B. SAMS, Bendou Oregon. Col. I. N. MUSKEY, Gold Beach, Ore.

The Republican State Convention sat down on Bourne and his friends in a manner that will rend the party. It is instructed for Taft. But it will be found if Taft should be nominated that the labor vote of the country and of Oregon will not support Taft, as against Bryan. The State Convention was a typical one. The old wheel-horses and leaders who knew every political trick, were there with their old leeches clinging to them. It was not a representative body, anymore than were the sham county conventions held in Oregon this year. The voice of the people has not been heard in Oregon this year, but their votes will speak in the future. It is to be hoped that all nominating conventions will be abolished in Oregon by the next legislature by extending the reach of the Primary law, so as to include every nomination. It is the only way to kill off dirty politics and unprincipled political parasites. The Republican party is no longer like a band of sheep that will jump the way the leader jumps. The people of Oregon are for Roosevelt or LaFollette, and not for Taft.

How to Vote on the Initiative and Referendum Measures.

- To increase the annual appropriation for the State University to \$125,000. Vote yes, if you have any pride in a State University. To require the railroads to issue passes to all state, district and county officials. Vote no, as the courts would no doubt kill such a law if passed. To appropriate \$100,000 for National Guard armories. The Pacific states need the nucleus of a big emergency army, and should provide for it in time. Vote yes. To give sheriffs exclusive control of county prisoners. It would give Sheriff's arbitrary powers and would lead to graft. Our present system is better. Vote an emphatic no. To increase the number of judges of the supreme court from three to five (by the legislature.) A necessary law if our Supreme court is to keep up its work. Vote yes. To give political parties proportionate representation in the legislature. A visionary, impractical, illogical scheme in a government of majority-rule. Vote no. To provide for the recall of public officials and for the election of their successors. The best law in the whole list. The power that puts a man in office is the power that should put him out. Impeachment is a failure. Vote yes. To take from district attorneys the power of indictment and vest it in grand juries. An immaterial law, because the district attorney will sway the grand jury in all cases. Vote either way. To exempt improvements, machinery, factories, etc. from taxation and place the bulk of taxes on land. This is a step towards Henry George's "Single Tax" dream. It is but a faddist's theory-impossible of adjustment, and indefensible in justice. All wealth should bear its just proportion of taxation, but families should have a reasonable exemption. Vote no.

Take the Man for Senator.

To prevent the legislature from amending or repealing initiative laws (by the state grant) The people are greater than the legislature because they made the legislature. Their law is therefore superior to a legislative law and can not logically be changed by an inferior. Vote yes. To give each city or town the sole right to regulate its business houses, theatres and the like on Sunday. Look carefully into this measure. It is said to have a trap concealed in it in the interest of saloons, gamblers and "undesirable citizens" of the cities. If you are not sure of a measure, vote no every time. To extend suffrage to women. This is the greatest law upon which we shall vote. Unless you are sure that you are smarter, and better and have more rights than your mother, your wife, your sister or your sweetheart, you will vote for this measure. Curry County has led the state in its vote in favor of Woman Suffrage in every election in the past, and let us strive to do even better this year. Vote yes. The corrupt practice act, limiting the amount of money candidates may expend for campaign expenses. A good law if it can be enforced. Vote yes. Requiring all legislative candidates to subscribe to Statement No. One. This is the best law ever proposed in any state for the election of United States Senators by the people. Our present law is not compulsory upon members of the legislature, but the above will make it mandatory. Keep all power close to the people, and you will keep the Republic alive otherwise it will die. Vote yes. Vote either for or against the division of Wasco county. For division of Wasco county and the creation of another county with Hood River as the county seat. Prohibiting the fishing for salmon and sturgeon in the Columbia river above the Sandy. Vote for the bill forbidding the catching of Salmon above the mouth of the Sandy on the Columbia river. This will kill the destructive Fish-wheels. Restricting the amount of fishing gear on the lower Columbia and providing a weekly and an annual closed season. Vote against the Lower Columbia fish bill, as it is a trick of the fish-wheel men. Enlarging the powers of the Port of Portland in the interest of better navigation on the Lower Willamette and Columbia rivers. Vote to enlarge Portland's power over the lower Willamette and Columbia rivers. Vote for increased pay to members of the legislature, as our present pay is ridiculous. Vote against allowing State institutions away from the capital, because they will combine to raid the treasury, which will lead to graft. Vote for changing our elections from June to November as a matter of economy. Washing Delicate Embroideries. Make a good lather with soap and warm water, adding one fourth of a teaspoonful of powdered borax to each quart of water. Place the articles in an ordinary glass fruit jar, then nearly fill the jar with lather. Seal tightly, shake the jar a little, and place it in bright sunlight for twenty-four hours. Of course, if the weather is cloudy, the time should be allowed for. Turn the jar around occasionally, so that the sun may penetrate every part. When the time is up, pour off the lather, press the fabric gently, then rinse several times in clear, soft water. Return it to the jar with more clear water, set it again in the sun, changing the water daily, until the material is white. I recently renovated a bit of fine old hand embroidery, which had become as yellow as saffron, by this method, and it was beautiful.—Woman's Home Companion for May.

Of Interest To Women.

To such women as are not seriously out of health, but who have exacting duties to perform, either in the way of household cares or in social duties and functions, which seriously tax their strength, as well as nursing mothers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has proved a most valuable and invigorating remedy. By its timely use, much serious sickness and suffering may be avoided. The operating table and the surgeon's knife, would it be believed, seldom have to be employed if this most valuable remedy is used. It is especially valuable in the treatment of all the ailments of the female system. The "Favorite Prescription" has proven a great boon to expectant mothers by preparing the system for the coming of baby, thereby rendering childbirth safe, easy, and almost painless. Bear in mind, please that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is not a secret or patent medicine, against which the most intelligent people are quite naturally averse, because of the uncertainty as to their composition and harmful character, but is a medicine of known composition, a full list of all its ingredients being printed, in plain English, on every bottle wrapper. An examination of this list will convince you of the fact that it is non-alcoholic in its composition, chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine taking the place of the commonly used alcohol in its make-up. In this connection it may not be out of place to state that the "Favorite Prescription" is recommended by the only medicine put up for the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, and sold by the name of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take as candy.

Imported Percheron Stallion

KEROR (No. 51,602) was a prize-winner at the District Fair at Roseburg in 1906, taking four first prizes as follows: First as percheron draft horse; first premiums on two colts; first on horse and family of five colts. WILL MAKE THE SEASON AT Bandon, Bear Creek, Four Mile, Dairyville, and Sixes river; being at the latter place on Sunday April 19th, and every nine days thereafter. SERVICE FEES: \$10, \$15 and \$20. S. J. CULVER & CO., BANDON, OREGON.

DO YOU LIKE TO FISH?

We have discovered a fish bait which makes 'em bite. One box FREE of all charge. Write for particulars. FISHING SUPPLY CO., Dept. D., Lebanon, Ohio.

DUMMY DEER FOR HUNTERS

Clarence Mackay Provides Target Run by Electricity Through Woods — Guests Occasionally Get a Shot. New York.—Even in this age of extravagant mechanical contrivances it is doubtful whether any toy has been constructed so unique and costly as that which Clarence H. Mackay recently has had installed on his estate at Harbor Hill, near Rosetta, L. I. Shooting galleries, in which rabbits, pigs and hens bob up and disappear in front of a screen a dozen feet away to tempt and test the aim of sportsmen have long been familiar to visitors of Coney Island and other similar resorts. Clarence Mackay has constructed in the wildest part of his big estate an electric railway to furnish him the means for sport on a scale and in a manner that is true to nature. The railway, which runs in an irregular ellipse, and is operated by electricity, is a mile long and goes winding in and out among the woods and broken ground with all the seeming irregularity of a wild animal. The animal is provided in the shape of a life-sized metal deer, mounted on a small bogie truck. At a speed which can be regulated at will, it is carried through the woods, and as it appears at the different openings that have been cut among the trees along the route, Mr. Mackay and his sporting friends get a chance for just such a quick shot as the hunter in the Maine woods has to rely on to fill his bag.

BIGGEST VASE IN WORLD.

Giant Piece of Cut Glass from St. Louis Exposition Is on Show in Pittsburg. Pittsburg, Pa.—The largest piece of cut glass ever exhibited in the United States is on display in a local department store, where it doubtless will be visited by thousands of admirers of fine crystal. The mammoth exhibit has arrived from the St. Louis exposition and will remain in Pittsburg. The piece was manufactured by a glass company of Philadelphia, and was awarded a special prize by the world's fair judges. After being displayed in the leading cities in the country it will be taken back to Philadelphia and will be placed in one of the state buildings in Fairmont park. The glass is cut in the form of a gigantic vase, five feet seven inches in height, and weighs 200 pounds. It is valued at \$1,500. All the colors of the prism are reflected in the gorgeous figures which have been cut from the great crystal column. The cutting required over 2,000 working hours of nine men, and all the stock patterns, with the new "Louisiana Purchase" stars, combine to make the work one of no ephemeral beauty.

High Pressure Days.

Men and women alike have to work incessantly with brain and hand to hold their own nowadays. Never were the demands of business, the wants of the family, the requirements of society, more numerous. The first effect of these things is commonly seen in a weakened or debilitated condition of the nervous system, which results in dyspepsia, defective nutrition of both body and brain, and in extreme cases in complete nervous prostration. It is clearly seen that what is needed is what will sustain the system, give vigor and tone to the nerves, and keep the digestive and assimilative functions healthy and active. From personal knowledge, we can recommend Hood's Sarsaparilla for this purpose. It acts on all the vital organs, builds up the whole system, and fits men and women for these high-pressure days.

AMES S. JOHNSTON

(Successor to John R. Miller.) GENERAL MERCHANT, Port Orford, Or. NEW GOODS, and fresh supplies will be received by every steamer. It shall be my purpose to keep a full stock of everything required by the GROCERIES and PROVISIONS, BOOTS and SHOES, MENS' and BOYS, CLOTHING, LADIES' DRESS GOODS, HARDWARE, GRANITE and TINWARE, CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, CANDY, NUTS and NOTIONS. In fact, a supply of everything usually kept in a well stocked General Merchandise Store. ORDERS TAKEN FOR ANY ARTICLE NOT IN STOCK. Call and examine goods and get prices.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE, Groceries & Provisions

Port Orford, Curry County, Ore. BARGAINS In Everything. Ladies' & Gents' Furnishing Goods, Dry Goods, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Cigars and Tobacco. Fine Assortment of Ladies' Dress Goods, muslins, calicos, flannels, etc. Hardware & Tinware, Ffarness, Leather, etc. All Goods New and Up-to-date. Orders taken for articles not in stock. A first class millinery shop in connection with store. Call, get our prices, and be convinced. N. C. NIELSEN.

GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Itching, Bleed, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c in stamps and it will be forwarded post-paid by Paris Medicine Co., St. Louis, Mo.

Visit DR. JORDAN'S Great Museum of Anatomy

1201 MARKET ST. No. 12th & 7th, S. F. Cal. The Largest of its kind in the World. We are continually adding new specimens, and have been wonderfully successful in making a few to send to you. If you will send us the name of the hospital or the name of the physician on the Pacific Coast, we will send you a list of the specimens. DR. JORDAN'S PRIVATE DISPENSARY. Established in 1872. Dr. J. C. Jordan, formerly of the University of California, is now in San Francisco, California. He is a graduate of the University of California, and has been practicing medicine for over 30 years. He has a large number of patients, and is well known in the city. He is a member of the Medical Society of California, and is a graduate of the University of California. He is a graduate of the University of California, and is a member of the Medical Society of California. He is a graduate of the University of California, and is a member of the Medical Society of California.

Wm. H. Ladd, Pres. Theo. B. Wiox, V. P.

COLUMBIA LIFE TRUST COMPANY OUR NEW POLICIES OFFER ALL THAT IS BEST IN LIFE CONTRACTS. LOW NON-PARTICIPATING RATES. HIGH CASH VALUES. W. A. WOOD, Local Agent, PORT ORFORD, ORE.

STATE OF OREGON, CITY OF TOLEDO, LECLAS COUNTY. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure. FRANK J. CHENEY. Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 20th day of December, A. D. 1908. A. W. GILGUS, Notary Public. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.