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That Stayton is entitled to use its own tax money, no one can deny. The essence of local government is founded upon this fact.

A glance at the many lady clerks and stenographers in the legislative halls makes one think that the wives of the politicians took no chances by letting hubby hire any real pretty girls to sit by their sides during the session.

After the "bone dry" law passes they can banish the spittoons in the corridors and substitute waste paper baskets. The lobbyists will be so dry they will expectorate cotton.

President Wilson's outline for permanent peace is being highly commended by nearly every newspaper in the United States. So far Germany and England are silent on the subject, but it looks as if they might be sparring for an opening and that peace may be nearer than we think.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY ON FORECLOSURE

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the county of Marion and to me directed on the 23rd day of December, 1916, upon a judgment and decree duly rendered, entered of record and docketed in and by said Court on the 13th day of December, 1916, in a certain suit then in said Court pending, wherein F. M. Mitchel and R. G. Henderson were plaintiffs, and E. J. Sauter, Mattiej. Sauter, D. A. White, H. O. White and F. M. White, partners doing business as D. A. White & Sons; F. W. Spencer F. H. Reasoner, A. J. Houck, Salem Tile and Mercantile Company, a Corporation, and Falls City Lumber Co., a corporation and S. F. Anderson as Trustee in Bankruptcy of E. J. Sauter, were defendants in favor of plaintiffs and against said defendants by which execution I am commanded to sell the property in said execution and hereinafter described to pay the sum due the Plaintiffs of \$260.00 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from the 30th day of January 1915 until paid and the further sum of \$50.00 attorneys fees together with the costs and disbursements of said suit taxed at \$24.50 and costs and expenses of said execution. I will on Saturday, the 27th day of January, 1917, at the hour of 11 o'clock, a. m. of said day at the west door of the County Court House in Marion County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand on the day of sale, all the right, title, interest and estate which said defendants and all persons claiming under them subsequent to the date of mortgage in, of and to said premises hereinafter mentioned and described in said execution as follows, to-wit: Lots Nos. Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22) and Twenty-three (23) of Maple Glen Addition to Salem, Marion County, Oregon, as shown by the recorded plat thereof, also lots Nine (9), Ten (10), Eleven (11), Twelve (12), Thirteen (13) and Fourteen (14), save and except the plat and parcel of land sold to the Southern Pacific Railway and now used as a right of way along the north side of above described lots, as the same appear upon the recorded plat of the "City View," said land being situated in the County of Marion, State of Oregon, and being Twenty-six Acres, more or less.

Said sale being made subject to redemption in the manner provided by law.

Dated this 26th day of December, 1916. Wm. Esch, Sheriff of Marion County, Oregon 12-28 By W. I. Needham, Deputy 1-26

Umbrellas appear in the carvings at Persepolis. Therefore we know that they must have been in use at least 2000 B. C.

ENVY.

Do not let envy blind you. We might enjoy to their utmost many things that we now spoil by the selfish craze for possession. Why should the velvet lawn and strip of woodland cease to be a pleasure and become a source of jealousy and heartache because they are our neighbor's? —Anon.

One of the hardest things to make a pretty girl understand is that we shouldn't judge by appearances.—Philadelphia Record.

Constable and His Picture.

Constable, the eminent British painter, once sat on the hanging committee of the British Royal Academy when a small landscape was brought up for judgment and pronounced "awfully bad" by everybody but himself. He rose and made a short and startling speech: "That picture was painted by me. I had a notion that some of you didn't like my work, and this is pretty convincing proof. I am very much obliged to you." When his colleagues recovered from their stupefaction the head carpenter was bidden to bring back the picture. But Constable would not have it. "Out it goes!" he said grimly.

Alaska's Great Forest. The Tongass forest comprises about 15,000,000 acres and is described by the forest service as one of the most extensive bodies of timber remaining in the United States. Single trees in this great forest often reach a diameter of seven or more feet and tower to a height of 200 feet. One log brought to a local Alaskan mill was 154 feet long and cut 18,000 board feet. Many parts of this forest will cut from 50,000 to 75,000 feet per acre, and some areas carry 100,000 feet per acre.—Tree Talk.

Persian Lamb Fur. The term astrakhan is used for coarser grades of Persian lamb fur, which is made from the pelts of a kind of black sheep. The skins are mostly imported from Bokhara. They are from still born lambs or from lambs killed before they are a week old. The curl of the wool is lost as the lambs grow older, and a tight curl covering the skin uniformly is what the furriers seek. The skins are variable in quality, and the traders grade them according to the closeness and particular character of the curl as well as the fur's lustre. Dyeing is used to give an even coloring and make the skins more lustrous.—New York Sun.

A Feat of Horse Riding. At Newmarket, England, May 3, 1758, a wager was laid by a young woman that she would ride on horseback 1,000 miles in 1,000 hours. She accomplished the feat in a little more than one-third of the time named.

English Surnames. The following list of surnames actually extant in England today was composed by an official in Doctors' Commons who had his own name changed by law:

Asse, Bub, Boots, Bones, Beast, Cheese, Cod, Cockles, Dunc. Demon, Dam, Drinkmilk, Fati, Frogge, Goose, Ginger, Ghost, Giolet, Gready, Hugg, Hump, Headach, Jug, Jelly, Kneebone, Kidney, Leaky, Lazy, Mug, Monkey, Pighead, Poker, Radish, Rottengoose, Snags, Swine and Vittles.—London Mail.

Johnnie on the Spot. The young teacher had been having a trying time with her nature study class because Johnnie had discovered he knew more than she did about birds and frogs and had assumed a derisive attitude in consequence. She appealed to the man principal, who replied: "Next time you have the class let me know, and I'll come in and take charge of it. I think I can settle Johnnie." He was duly called in, and all went well at first. With confidence the principal said at the conclusion of the lesson, "Now you may each ask me one question." Johnnie had been silent up to this time. When it came his turn he rose and asked, "Has a duck eyebrows?"—New York Times.

OREGON INDUSTRIAL REVIEW

Oregon Legislature Shows Every Inclination to Eliminate Freak and Radical Legislation and Hold Taxes Down to a Minimum. This will be a Great Encouragement to Industry

Goshen, S. P. Co. purchases and deeds parcel of land to county highway eliminating dangerous crossing.

North Bend, Preliminary work begun on paving waterfront highway.

Astoria, Port Commission to build new dredge. Will improve Skipanon River.

Eugene will have cheese factory if quantity of milk is available.

Gresham, Fruit cannery to be rebuilt, to also handle vegetables.

Portland, Improvements on North Bank, Oregon Electric, Oregon Trunk, and United Railways lines for the last 12 months have totaled \$500,000.

Vale, Stockraising Homestead act causes big rush for lands. Will add millions to tax rolls.

Due to the enterprise of the Bell System, the whole United States may be enabled to hear Pres. Wilson's inaugural speech on March 5, over long distance telephone.

By adding the Convenience and Necessity measure to the powers of the Oregon Public Utility Commission, the legislature would do much to encourage investment of capital in the state.

Roseburg, City will control jitneys owing to several recent accidents endangering citizens lives.

Southern Pacific Co. adopts plan of building all wooden freight cars at own shops and from lumber produced along its lines

New Era, State to provide \$15,000 for highway here in addition to Clackamas Co.'s \$16,000 and Federal aid of \$30,000.

Umatilla County income tax payers to show big increase of past years prosperity.

Bandon, Fertilizer factory suggested to utilize fish cannery waste.

Deer Creek, California company to start cheese factory.

Grants Pass, Utah-Idaho Sugar Co. lets contract to quarry 2,000 tons limestone annually for 5 years from quarry 18 miles from factory. Will haul with auto trucks.

Coquille, Dollar mill idle since 1912 to again operate and employ 40.

Baker, \$60,000 paid for 6500 Walowa county sheep.

Gold Beach, Curry county buys rock crusher and equipment to improve roads in northern part of county.

Pendleton, Local syndicate pays \$200,000 for 3600 acre Umatilla ranch.

Roseburg, May build fruit juice plant here.

Washington, D. C., River and Harbor bill includes \$80,000 for Oregon City locks and \$36,3000 for improving river above locks.

Falls City to have new S. P. Depot soon.

Grants Pass, New brick garage to be built.

Bend, Strahorn railroads will develop 28,000 sq. mile area having 30,000,000,000 feet of western pine, 10,000,000 acres dry farming land, 50,000 acres reclaimable land, sats, sodas, nitrates and potash, cattle and sheep ranges, and vast waterpowers.

Regulation of railroads at hands of national government instead of 48 varieties of state commissions seems to be an assured fact in near future.

Albany, Peppermint growers of state perfect organization.

Eugene, Coos county co-operates to urge highway from this point.

Myrtle Point ships carload of cheese directly to New York.

Oregon is giving \$128,111 from the Forest Road Fund.

Umatilla county has increased in wealth nearly \$1,500,000 past year.

Pendleton, West End Chop mill changes hands. Will erect large warehouse.

Molalla, \$100,000 company organizes to work fire clay deposits near here.

Portland, Columbia Engineering Works increasing facilities to handle six ships.

Total Oregon mineral output in 1916 was \$5,500,000.

McMinnville, Milk condensing plant to enlarge.

Portland, Cero Mfg. Co. moves here. To employ 25.

Roseburg, 95,000 pounds Douglas Co. prunes go to England.

Oregon City and West Linn plan joint municipal paving plant.

A bill has been introduced by so-called "sportsmen" attacking commercial fishing in Columbia and Rogue rivers as being injurious to the "sporting fraternity." To hamper or kill an Oregon industry that employs thousands of workmen for the benefit of a few "sports" would be a black spot in the state's history.

Pepper.

White pepper is allowed to ripen upon the vines, and after being plucked the berries are decorticated, or deprived of their outer coat. Black pepper is the product of the berries plucked before full ripening.

REFORM.

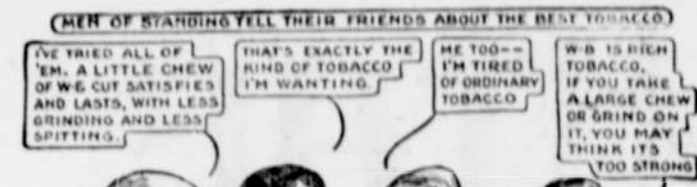
Reform is the work of reason slowly awakening from the lethargy of ignorance, gradually acquiring confidence in her own strength and ultimately triumphing over the dominion of prejudice and custom.

Advantage of Dignity.

"What are we going to do about Bliggins? He won't pay his club dues." "Make him a member of the board of governors. Then maybe he'll be ashamed to see himself posted."—Washington Star.

Speeding Up.

"We're speeding up." "Yes, indeed! But why the announcement now?" "I was just thinking that when I was a boy father used to offer boys gold watches if they wouldn't smoke until they were twenty-one." "Well?" "Now the age limit has been cut down to eighteen."—Detroit Free Press.



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" - Aumsville - 9:40 "
" - Turner - 9:55 "
Arrive - Salem - 10:25 "
Leave Opp. Ore. Elec. Salem 2:45 P. M.
Arrive - Turner - 3:15 "
" - Aumsville - 3:35 "
" - Sublimity - 3:50 "
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