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## Change of Rule

To Principals of Standard High Schools or County School Superintendents:

The ruling of the State Board of Education that non-standard high schools are not to have the work of their pupils accepted where pupils enter standard high schools, unless the pupils take an examination in the subjects or subject for which they desire credit for admission, has been changed so as to permit the rule to go into effect on February 1, rather than December 1. Those high schools that wish to do so may, therefore, admit pupils from non-standard schools if they so desire.

After February 1, however, should a high school give a pupil an examination for the purpose of admitting him, a record must be made of the grades obtained, and the high school admitting him must become responsible for the preparation in the subjects through the examination given. The responsibility for the preparation of every high school pupil must be lodged in some standard high school of the state, should the preparation of the student ever be called into question. This is the reason for the rule.

## Business Follows Industries

Whether it is a big industrial corporation or a farmers co-operative industry, business of all kinds follows in the wake of payrolls.

For instance, a new business district has just been laid out near the Los Angeles ship building plant and houses and stores follow.

The community that concentrates its energies on securing payrolls and industrial enterprises will outstrip the one that neglects this.

Communities need churches, schools, lodges and reformatory enterprises like revivals and uplift conventions, but these do not supply payrolls.

Seek ye first the kingdom of employment at good wages for men, women and young people and all these things will be added. Too many communities float in an atmosphere of sentimentalism and wonder why families move away or are unable to pay their grocery bills.

They do not realize that it is only through payrolls and transacting business that money is put in circulation where ordinary people get it.

Those who live on public salaries or by clipping coupons and collecting rents are a very small minority that does not spell prosperity.

Ninety per cent of the population must live by working in industries or by producing from the soil, the mines or the waters.

## A Happy New Year

No \$2.00 that you can spend in Christmas-present giving will go farther than a subscription for The Youth's Companion. Look over your long list and see how few things on it are certain to be during every one of the fifty-two weeks of 1918. Acquaintance with it soon ripens into lasting

friendship, for it has that rare and priceless quality among periodicals, -character, -and the character of The Youth's Companion has made fast friends for it all round the world.

The Companion alone is \$2.00, but the publishers make an extraordinary double offer—The Youth's Companion and McCall's Magazine together for \$2.25.

Our two-at-one price offer includes:

1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues of 1918.
2. All remaining issues of 1917.
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The Youth's Companion, Commonwealth Ave., Boston, Mass.

New subscriptions received at this office.

## Mt. Pleasant

Ernest Knapp is spending Christmas visiting home folks at Salem.

Miss Dorothy Smith, of Stayton, spent Christmas with home folks.

Miss Hazel Lambert, of Lebanon, is visiting with home folks this week.

Pete Fiedler called at Jungwirth Bros. sawmill Wednesday.

John Huber and wife called on Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Baker at Kingston Wednesday.

H. Montgomery called at H. R. Shank's Thursday.

Linn Lambert and wife and W. R. Brenner and wife spent Christmas day at the P. H. Lambert home.

Miss Verna Shank visited with Gladys Downing Sunday.

Linn Lambert and Henry Jungwirth made a business trip to Albany last week.

Wayne Huber was a Sunday visitor at the Mrs. Roxie Shank home.

Miss Anna Miles is spending the holidays with home folks at Salem.

Dave and Earnest Aegerter attended the dance at Stayton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Shank and son, G. H. Ray and Mrs. Roxie Shank and family spent Christmas day at Ed Smith's.

Mrs. Arnold Senz, Frank and Nick Senz and Tony Laux are spending the holidays at Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Senz and son Arnold and Joe Pietrok spent Christmas day at Joe Senz.

Harry Downing was a Christmas visitor at Lee Downings.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith gave a party at their home Tuesday evening. A large crowd attended and a very enjoyable time is reported by all.

## NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of G. W. Murphy, deceased, has filed his final account in the said estate, and that the Honorable County Court of Marion County, Oregon, has fixed and appointed Monday, January 28th, 1918, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. on said day at the Court room, in the Court house at Salem, Marion County, Oregon, as the time and place for the hearing of any objections to said final account and for the settlement thereof.

Dated this 27th day of December 1917.  
GRANT MURPHY  
S. H. HELTZEL, Administrator.  
Attorney for estate. 5215

## AMERICA'S GREAT NEED.

Teaching That Will Lead to Contentment and Stability.

No steam boiler is safe without its provision against overpressure. A perfectly even application of its power to the work it is doing is not possible. All through mechanics runs this same necessity of safeguarding against the surplus of force which must be generated to accomplish the work which the machine is set to do. The safety valve for steam power and the fuse for electric circuits are mechanical essentials.

Sanity, national as well as individual, demands balance. It demands men and women who unite with special practical efficiency in producing an equal skill and wisdom in using products. The most vitally important question of our immediate future is not what wealth and leisure can we achieve as an average for our people, but what shall we do with the wealth and leisure which as an average we do secure.

It is assumed in our educational thought that with more money and leisure will come more contentment and stability. These will only come to a people prepared to secure and understand them. Unless our schools give their pupils this preparation we shall some day need a cataclysm to show us the eternal fitness of things.—Rochester Post-Express.

## MEANING OF HORSEPOWER.

And How a Person in Lifting Weight May Expend That Force.

It has been estimated that to lift 550 pounds one foot in one second requires what is known as one horsepower. Similarly a horsepower is able to raise twice that weight one foot in twice the time or one-half foot in just that time. Moreover, it can raise half 550 pounds one foot in half a second or two feet in a second, and so on. Therefore, if you lift one-quarter of that weight, 137½ pounds, four feet in one second you are exerting a horsepower.

Accordingly, when a person who weighs 137½ pounds runs upstairs at the rate of four feet a second he is exerting the equivalent of a horsepower. For a man weighing twice that much, 275 pounds, it would be necessary to climb at the rate of only two feet a second to exert a horsepower.

It is possible to do much more. As a matter of fact, a horse often exerts many times a horsepower. The average horse can draw a wagon up a hill where a ten horsepower engine with the same load would fall. A horsepower does not represent the greatest momentary strength of the average horse, but is a measure of the power which he can exert continuously.—Syracuse Herald.

## Washington's Tomb.

At the late date of 1827 a wish expressed by General Washington in his will was obeyed. He had called attention to his selection of a spot for a new tomb for himself and family and those of the family already buried in the old vault. The old tomb was disadvantageously situated on the side of a hill which was subject to landslides. For the new vault he specified not only the spot, but also dimensions and materials. According to these, his own plans, a tomb was built, and his and Mrs. Washington's bodies were transferred to it, along with the remains in the old vault of other members of the family. The latter were buried together within the vault, over or sight, while the bodies of General and Mrs. Washington are in stone coffins above the ground, within plain view between the slender bars of a grated iron doorway. It is for this reason that the most illustrious of our dead has so simple a mausoleum—obedience to his wish.

## Neighborhood Society.

"Oh, mother," cried Mabel, who had never visited in the country, "I have just had a letter from my schoolmate inviting me to spend two weeks on her father's farm!" Mabel's mother looked up languidly. "Yes, dear," she remarked, "and what does she say about the society in the neighborhood? Does she mention any one?" "No," answered Mabel thoughtfully, "but I've heard her mention the Holsteins and Guernseys."

"Oh, well," said her mother, "I presume they are pleasant people."—Exchange.

## Story of a Lion.

One of Sir Charles Wakefield's predecessors in office, while in the Arabian desert, came face to face with a lion of parts. Down on his knees went the worldly knight in fervent prayer. The lion understood—or did not—and retreated supperless. Thereupon the pilgrim came home and gave £200 to the Church of St. Katherine Cree, Leadenhall street, where the lion sermon is still preached on each anniversary of the escape, Oct. 16.—London Chronicle.

## Volubility.

Mabel (studying her lesson)—Papa, what is the definition of "volubility?" Mabel's Father—My child, volubility is a distinguishing feature of your mother when on account of urgent business affairs I don't happen to reach home until after 2 o'clock in the morning.

## It's Use.

"Maud has a very engaging personality." "Yes. That's how she's managed to get so many diamond rings."—Baltimore American.

## Cause and Effect.

"Lillian's health is greatly improved." "Yes; her good looking doctor got married."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Climbing is performed in the same posture with crooking.—Swift.

MOLES HAVE NO EYES, SO THEY CAN'T READ MY BILLBOARDS AND GET WISE. DON'T YOU BE A MOLE!



## Sheriff's Sale of Real Property on Execution

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Marion, on the 11th day of December, 1917, in favor of Bernard Klecker, plaintiff, and against J. H. Eiecker and Bessie Klecker his wife, defendants, for the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars in U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, from the 6th day of November, 1915, until paid, the further sum of One Hundred Thirty-five and 45-100 (\$135.45) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 13th day of November, 1912, and the further sum of Fifty-four and 63-100 (\$54.63) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 30th day of March, 1916, and accruing costs, I have levied upon and will sell at public auction on Saturday the 19th day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the Court House door in Salem, Marion county, State of Oregon, all the right, title and interest which the said defendants had on or after the 16th day of July, 1917, in or to the following described premises, to-wit: Commencing at a point 46 rods and 11 feet east and five rods south of the Section corner of Sections nine, ten, fifteen and sixteen in Township nine, S. R. one west of the Willamette Meridian, Oregon, and thence south 14 rods; thence east 110 feet; thence north 14 rods; thence west 110 feet to the place of beginning, containing 93 square rods more or less, all lying and being in Section 15, T. 9 S. R. one west in Marion county, Oregon.

Terms of sale cash unless bid in by plaintiff.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 14th day of December, 1917.

W. I. NEEDHAM,  
Sheriff of Marion County, Oregon.  
By O. D. Bower, Deputy. 5115

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On April 11, 1916, Mr. Brown said: "I am ready to confirm any time what I said in my former statement regarding my experience with Doan's Kidney Pills. They always do good work when I take them."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Brown has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Prop'rs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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—J. M. RINGO—

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