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Raising Cows by Note Book.

The slices of bread in the full dinner pail are to be spread thicker with butter. The pail-carriers have not complained, but American dairymen have become ambitious and entered on a campaign of education to the end that every milk cow must show a certificate of culture or be ignominiously ostracized.

But, it is exclaimed, no matter how cultured the American cow may become it cannot thrive on scales and notecards, there must be something else demanded. Not at present, for as a prominent New York dairyman remarked before a Farmers' Institute last winter: "Weighing a cow's milk may not make her give more, but it may cause you to put a better one in her place and so put more money in your pocket."

The close of the special tariff session of Congress leaves the Democrats with greater hope of success in the next election than at any time in the last twelve years. It has often been said that no party could revise the tariff without incurring defeat and the leaders believe this occasion will be no exception to the rule.

The largest trainload of passengers ever brought to Seattle, came over the Great Northern on Snohomish Day, when 1,511 persons were landed at the King Street Station.

To lessen the danger to standing timber along railway lines from sparks, in Northwestern states, the Washington State Forest Fire Association will start a campaign for the substitution of oil as fuel in locomotives.

ing sparks from locomotives. This is a great loss in wealth of one of the state's most valuable natural resources. President Earling of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul has announced that he will co-operate in the movement, as he does not want to see a foot of timber destroyed along his line.

As a result of misrepresentations published by the Underwriters Report of San Francisco, that publication has made defendant in a \$25,000 damage suit by the Northwestern Fire Insurance Association of Seattle.

CROWDS GOING TO THE CIRCUS.

A great many Oregon City people are going to Portland on Wednesday, August 25th to the Ringling Bros. Circus. It will be the only opportunity for the citizens of Oregon to see a circus in the city.

The circus offered this year is one of wonderful novelty. Instead of the usual single thriller presented by other circuses, the Ringling Brothers are heading their bill with no less than seven of the greatest and most sensational acts that have ever been presented anywhere on earth.

Victoria Punch.

Pour one cupful of hot tea infusion over one cupful of fine granulated sugar, and as soon as the sugar is dissolved, add three-fourths of a cupful of orange-juice and one-third of a cupful of lemon-juice.

Chamberlain's Cholera, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Never Known to Fail.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cholera, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use."

Philosophic Reflections of "The Traveling Salesman."

The man who finds excuses for not doing what he ought to do owes an apology to the man who pays him his salary.

A fish is always longer after he is caught than when he was in the water. The quickest way to make friends with a mother is to speak of how wonderfully beautiful her children are.

IRONPORT at Soda Fountains. Satisfies thirst's desire. Good for girls, also for boys. Men like it; women crave it; children cry for it.

SIGNS OF PROGRESS

Items Concerning Oregon's Advancement From the Columns of Our Exchanges.

Extensive plants are now being made for the reception and entertainment of the Japanese excursionists who will visit the Northwest during the early part of September.

Governor Shallenberger, of Nebraska, with his staff, will visit the Pacific Northwest this month and will be the guest of Portland on August 21 and 22.

Soundings made by the officials of the Port of Portland during the past week show that the Columbia river from the mouth of the Willamette to the ocean is in better shape for navigation by deep sea vessels than has been the case for some time.

The 14th annual convention of the American Association of Mutual Insurance Companies will be held in Portland August 17-20.

Many prominent Oregonians are in attendance at the National Irrigation Congress at Spokane this week.

A brand new town was dedicated Saturday, launched upon the uncertain tides that make or break ambitious cities, and christened Broadmead.

After selecting a place in which to spend his declining years, G. P. Eberhart, who came to Albany a week ago from Puyallup, Wash., died suddenly last week.

Questions affecting the dairy business and problems connected with that phase of husbandry in this county, were discussed at the meeting of the Washington County Dairyman's Association held at Hillsdale, last Saturday.

The street sweeper which is to be bought by the city from the firm of Barratt Bros. was put to work on First street Saturday evening.

The soliciting committees for the Eugene-Siuslaw railroad are very much encouraged with the results of the past three days' work.

The completion of the Falls City & Salem railroad, on which work is now being rushed along, is liable to make some railroad changes in the tract between Dallas and Sheridan Junction.

The residents of the Pleasant Valley school district are having troubles of their own right now.

Property owners on the Oak Creek road in Benton County, have agreed to donate \$400 for the improvement of that road if the County Court would give a like sum.

Twenty-one cents was offered for a crop of 500 bales of Independence hops last week by Julius Pincus and there is reason to believe another dealer made an offer of the same price.

A mass meeting was held in the council chambers at Silverton last week.

Wednesday evening for the purpose of perfecting the permanent organization of a commercial club.

Silverton is to have a new city park, known as the Coolidge and McClaine Park.

Corvallis is considering the question of paving her principal streets.

Electricity and the Barber.

Joke as much as you please about the loquacious barber and his dull instruments of torture, but he is kind enough to remember that he has not been backward about keeping fully abreast of the times in the matter of up-to-date devices for the benefit of his patrons.

In the first place the barber appreciates good artificial light, and the new tungsten incandescent lamps, with their pure white light, high candle-power and low current consumption, met with his instant approval.

One of the very latest electric devices for this trade is the electric hair dryer. After the patron's hair has been shampooed the hair dryer is started up and a fine breeze of warm or hot air quickly dries the hair.

Cholera Infantum Cured. "Something like two years ago my baby, which was then about a year old, was taken seriously ill with cholera infantum, vomiting and purging profusely."

MARKED THEIR TRAIL.

Two Brave Women Who Outwitted a Band of Indians.

One summer afternoon in 1776 Jennima Boone and two sisters named Callaway while boating on the Kentucky river, were surprised by a band of Indians.

Once in the power of the Indians, however, these youthful daughters of the wilderness betrayed a wonderful self-possession and resourcefulness. They knew enough of Indian customs to realize that if their strength failed them and they should prove unequal to the long march to the Shawnee towns on the Ohio they would be slaughtered mercilessly.

MAKES FORTUNE QUICKLY

Sears Quits Business at 45 With \$25,000,000. Chicago, Aug. 9.—Richard W. Sears, a former telegraph operator at Redwood Falls, Minn., at a salary of \$35 a month, has retired from business here with a fortune of \$25,000,000.

Canada to Build Navy.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 11.—The Esquimalt navy-yard will be formally taken over from the imperial government at the end of this month and arrangements are being made for the transfer.

NOTICE TO THRESHERMEN.

The Courier has published and has on sale some very handy order books with time pages attached, for the use of Threshermen.

SHORT NEWS NOTES.

For the first time in 50 years Nathaniel and Joe Webb, brothers, met in a Walla Walla cigar store last week.

A silver cup, valued at \$1000, has been offered by Frank Doubleday, a publisher, which is to be pre-empted by the American aviator making the best endurance record in a motor propelled air craft.

A serious row marked the investigation at Cleveland, O., to determine who is the rightful claimant to the reward offered by Pennsylvania for the capture of the kidnapers of Willie Whittle.

One of the four surviving widows of the Mormon leader, Brigham Young, died at Salt Lake City last week. She was 88 years old.

Two tons of cod, driven in by a school of whales, were picked up by beach campers at Moolips, Wash. The cod, together with thousands of other kinds of fish, sought the shore to escape the whales and were left stranded at low tide.

The first case of bubonic plague in a year has been discovered in Alameda county, Cal., by the federal and state authorities. The victim is a boy named Joseph Mendoza, aged 13 years, who is supposed to have caught the disease from squirrels he killed on a hunting expedition.

J. J. Nonan, a veteran of the Mexican war, died at Walla Walla, Wash., last week.

To commemorate the valor of both Union and Confederate soldiers at the battle of Gettysburg, a monument to cost approximately \$100,000 will be erected on the old battlefield by a Chicago business man.

With the closing of the gates Saturday night the first half of the Seattle Exposition was ended. The attendance for the first half of the fair was 1,744,861.

A movement is on foot to construct a boulevard 100 feet wide along the sound front from Seattle to Tacoma.

Miss Gertrude Kerke, of Fort Simcoe, on the Yakima Indian reservation, killed a golden eagle which attacked her. The bird measured seven feet from tip of one wing to tip of the other.

A. Grantham, one of the designated notaries to receive applications for land on the Coeur d'Alene Indian reservation, was arrested at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, Saturday, for taking acknowledgments after time for same had elapsed.

The 43d national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic is in session at Salt Lake City this week, with an attendance of 50,000 veterans.

Dr. Harvey Wiley, chief chemist of the agricultural department and guardian of the pure food laws, has started a crusade against embalmed cucumbers and gherkins inoculated with alum.



MRS. J. N. SUTTON of Portland, Oregon, who seeks to establish the fact that her son, Lieut. Sutton, of the United States Marine Corps, did not commit suicide at Annapolis.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND NEVER SUSPECT IT.

Fill a bottle or common glass with your water and let it stand twenty-four hours; a brick dust sediment, settling, stringy or milky appearance, indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys; too frequent desire to pass it or pain in the back are also symptoms that tell you the kidneys and bladder are out of order and need attention.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy, fulfills almost every wish in correcting rheumatism, pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passage.

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Portland Business College "THE SCHOOL OF QUALITY" Tenth and Morrison, Portland, Oregon. A. F. Armstrong, LL.B., Principal. Old in years, new in methods, admittedly the high-standard commercial school of the Northwest.

A LETTER PRESS.

It Was a Great Bargain, but He Knew It Too Late.

One of the smokers had been exhibiting a diamond pin which he had purchased at a board up trader and made at least a hundred dollars on when the gray haired man heaved a sigh and remarked: "As for me, I never had but one real bargain offered me, and I was fool enough not to take that."

THEATRICAL STARS.

Some Famous Ones That Started on the Variety Stage.

Edwin Booth was in his younger days a member of a minstrel company and, unless I am mistaken, appeared in some of the variety shows of that period. He lived to become one of the most noble and dignified figures of his day as well as one of the most distinguished actors that the English speaking stage has ever known.

Summons.

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

Mira May Sparger, Plaintiff, vs. Frank Sparger, Defendant.

To Frank Sparger Defendant: In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear in the above entitled Court and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 27th day of September, 1909, and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in said complaint, to-wit: as follows:

First: For an order of this court directing the defendant to pay into this Court for the benefit of plaintiff's attorney the sum of \$150 as attorney's fees to be allowed plaintiff's attorneys in the prosecution of this suit, said sum to be paid before defendant is allowed to move, plead or answer in this suit.

Second: That defendant be directed to pay to this plaintiff the sum of Thirty Dollars per month during the pendency of this suit and for \$30 per month permanent alimony to be used for the maintenance and care of the Minor John Gordian Sparger.

Third: For a decree giving and granting to this plaintiff a one-third interest in and to the following described property, to-wit: The W. 1/2 of the S. E. quarter and the S. E. quarter of the S. E. Quarter of Section Three and the N. E. quarter of the N. E. quarter of Section Ten, T. Four, S. R. Nine W. of the W. M. containing 160 acres in Josephine County, Oregon.

Also Lots Five & Six Block Thirty-two Irvington Park Addition to the City of Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.

Also Lots Five and Six in Block Nine Tremont Place Addition to the City of Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.

Also Lots Seven and Eight in Block Two Sussex Addition to Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.

Also Lots 35, 36, 37, and 38 Block 1 North Villa in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon.

Fourth: For the care and custody of the minor John Gordian Sparger and for a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem equitable.

This summons is published for six consecutive weeks in pursuance of an order of the Honorable Grant B. Dimick, Judge of the County Court of Clackamas County, State of Oregon which order was duly made by said Court on the 11th day of August, 1909.

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