

HAS IT OCCURRED TO YOU?

John Stark has a Line of Things to Think About... Has it ever occurred to you... That while we are supposed to be governed by "law," no one, not even the judges, can tell you what the law says?

OPPOSE BOURNE'S SCHEME

Abernethy Grange Opposes Bonding of County, State or Nation... Bourne's Federal Aid to Good Roads Editor Courier:— It may be of some interest to your many readers to know that at a meeting of the Grange No. 346, of Park Place, Ore., Nov. 29th the following motion, after some discussion, was passed without a dissenting vote.

THE VOTE THAT WAS LOST

Maple Lane Writer Explains "Rambling Expressions to Miss B."... "They builded better than they knew," was remarked of the framers of our federal constitution. It seems I have gotten into that class by a little innocent piece of paper upon which I wrote two words which seem destined to go down into history. The words are "RECALL CAPITALISM."

TWILIGHT

A Portland minister asserts that extreme fashions of the American Women, originate with the Parisian underworld; the Tango and other closely fitting dances, with the South American Republic's questionable society. Truly something for the reared North American to be proud of.

OUR MAILCARRIER

I see him going up and down the street, I note the tired motion of his feet; The dust may blind his eyes, the rain may fall; He's always out to answer duty's call. The plastic mud or slush may get a freeze. The snow may fall and nearly reach his knees; The soaked and blistered be his weary feet.

TO MAKE YOUR HAIR MORE BEAUTIFUL

To give your hair that gloss and lustre and wavy silky softness, use Harmony Hair Beautifier. It takes away the dull dead look of the hair, stringiness into fluffiness—turns the oily odors and leaves a sweet, true-rose fragrance—makes each hair easier to put up neatly and easier to keep in place. It is just exactly what it is named—a hair beautifier, an dwitherer—your hair is ugly now or beautiful, it will improve its appearance, you'll be proud of and delighted with the results, or your undelighted. Very easy to apply—simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing it. Contains no oil; will not change the color of hair, nor darken gray hair.

NEWS OF THE COURT

The state against William Lillie, which was set for trial Saturday, was dismissed because the prosecuting witnesses, failed to appear. Lillie was accused by his wife of contributing to the delinquency of their daughter.

STRANGE REASONING

Portland Writer thinks George Hicibotham Argues Like a Chinaman Editor Courier:— I note in a recent issue of your paper a letter from Mr. Geo. Hicibotham regarding the \$1500 personal property exemption now in course of petitioning for the initiative. Mr. Hicibotham is truly a great reasoner—if he intended his letter to convey a sense of reasoning instead of deceiving.

CLARKES

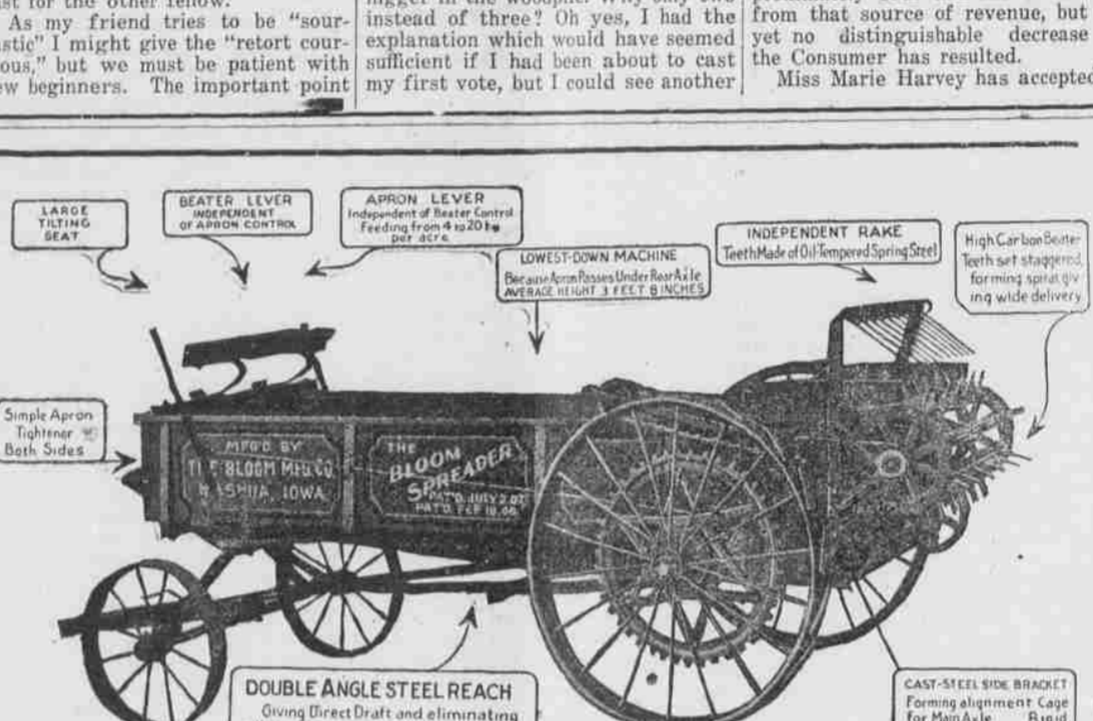
Mr. Albert Gasser, of Clarkes, has just finished picking the apples off of his 10 acre orchard and he reports a large crop this year. The fruit is a good size and Mr. Freytag, the fruit inspector, has looked some of them over, and pronounces them pretty good.

DOUBLE WEDDING

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eisele of Wilsonville, Ore., a beautiful double wedding took place, Nov. 30th at high noon, when Alice Leona Eisele became the bride of Cory E. Brown of Portland, and Ora H. Eisele was joined in holy wedlock to Lena L. Zimmerman of Oregon City.

DOING THEIR DUTY

Scores of Oregon City Readers are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys. To filter the blood is the kidney's duty. When they fail to do this the kidneys are weak. Backache and other kidney ills may follow.



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is that she voted upon opportunity, that word "opportunity" is my great hobby; have ridden her until she is saddle galled. If I may digress a little, in 1896, in a neighboring state we had a campaign to give women an opportunity at the ballot box. The strong argument of the antis was, she would not vote. It fell to my humble lot to write some "rambling expressions" for our sister and one was that no one could with absolute certainty say just how many would vote. If none voted then we were in no danger from the x-ray skirt government. If all voted they would teach us a wholesome lesson in citizenship, but give them the opportunity and we will make an experiment that will settle guess work. The majority decided in favor of opportunity the minority threw their votes away. And like our common mother when she saw the fruit on the tree of knowledge she went after it. In Oregon I voted four times for women to have the opportunity three times I threw my vote away because I voted with the minority. According to the antis our expressions were rambling. My friend seems to think I fill a unique niche in the hall of fame because my ballot was thrown out according to law. If Miss B. will read the editorial third column, page four in the Courier of December 4, headed "Legally Uncooned" she will see where about 3500 people had their ballots thrown out, but it seems no child was present to say "I told you so." I can cite her where the vote of a whole state was thrown out within her recollection.

election looming up in about fifteen months hence, and while I have no personal acquaintance with the local pushy, I could see it might come in handy to some one to have at least one friend at court. That all three must be equally guilty was admitted then why let one go free has never been answered satisfactorily to the man who writes rambling expressions. He knows things don't "happen so", having seen rogues escape with lightly charged laid against them in poorly drawn indictments by prosecuting attorneys. I plead being from Missouri when such a shabby job as the recall in question is put over. "There is something rotten in Denmark" to my way of guessing at that setting of eggs. Among the men working for the recall I believe to be embued with Utopian ideas. I am finding no fault with any of the persons. Well intentioned persons are useful when the chestnuts are roasting.

So far as taking sides went, perhaps Miss B. was well qualified to judge of the fitness of the candidates. I was not. Two of them I had never seen, and just barely knew the other two by sight. The charges and answers were not really strong enough to convince a respectable minority and as it turned out about eighteen percent of the voters decided a question which must not seem very important to about 65 percent of the people. Furthermore it is highly possible that a portion of those voting have or will regret the way they voted, among them it is not impossible that my critical friend will be found, though at present she like our common mother says "I done it" in a proud manner. To recall one person for being dishonest and put another in his place and still pay a premium on dishonesty is useless to me. The cause must be removed. Believing that capitalism is the cause I want it recalled and substituted with an economic system which will remove the incentive to dishonesty and that is why I voted to recall capitalism. If that is a rambling expression, make the most of it. John Stark.

DO YOU WANT HIRED HELP

Governor West has a Plan to Help You--Fill Out the Coupon

To the Editor:— We wish to ask your kind co-operation in a movement to connect our unemployed with a job. There are undoubtedly many residents of your county who could use the services of a good hand this winter and there are many idle men in Portland and other cities in this state who would be glad to have a place.

OFFER OF EMPLOYMENT

Form for offering employment. Fields include: Name, Address, Nearest railroad station or steamboat landing, Number of men or women needed, Character of work offered, Wages to be paid, With or without board and lodging, How long services, if they prove satisfactory, will likely be needed.

This blank to be filled out and mailed to the governor's office, Salem, Oregon, that it may be brought to the attention of those seeking employment.

D. D. D. Opens New Era in Cure of Skin Disease

Professor Dudley's case of eczema was known to almost every hospital and physician of reputation throughout the state of Connecticut. His letter is what is being accomplished by the famous specific D. D. D. Prescription. "It may be of interest to you to know D. D. D. Prescription has been of incalculable value to me. I was covered with eczema from head to foot when I began using your remedies. I could get no relief although I tried a thousand means. I applied but two bottles of the Prescription; a cure was effected in a very short time, in less than one month."—Prof. C. J. Duffless, South Lyme, Conn. Ask any druggist today for D. D. D. Prescription. He'll tell you it kills the itch instantly—and soon there are signs of cure. We have handled the remedy for years and regard it as the specific for skin troubles of all kinds. Come in or ask us about D. D. D. Prescription, also about D. D. D. soap especially for tender skins. We offer the first full size bottle on any guarantee that unless it stops the itch at once, it costs you not a cent. Jones Drug Co. Oregon City.

Coughs that Prevent Sleep... These coughs are wearing and if they "hang on" can run one down physically and lower the vital resistance to disease. Mr. Bob Ferguson, 319 Pine St., Green Bay, Wis., writes: "I was greatly troubled with a bad cough that kept me awake at nights. Two small bottles of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound completely cured me."—Huntley Bros. Co.

Not Beyond Help at 87... Sleep-disturbing bladder weakness, stiffness in joints, weak, insectivorous action and rheumatic pain are all evidence of kidney trouble. Mrs. Mary A. Dean 47 E. Walnut St., Taunton, Mass., writes: "I have passed my 87th birthday, and thought I was beyond the reach of medicine, that Mr. Busch had the remedy but Foley Kidney Pills have proved backed by home testimony, 50c all most beneficial in my case."—Hunt-bros. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.