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THE LETTER WRITING HABIT.

Ben Selling, clothier and capitalist, or is it capitalist and clothier, has taken a leaf from Senator Jonathan Bourne's campaign book.

Being a rich man, Mr. Selling can afford to aspire to the United States Senate, and the postage stamp route got the place for Bourne, and why not for Selling?

So Mr. Selling, in his initial letter, says Bourne does not represent the people of Oregon. He more than intimates that Mr. Bourne is allied with the Aldrich crowd, and that his financial interests are identical with that bunch.

But what does the reflector say? Because Mr. Selling has stood for what is known as "progressive" things in politics, does it follow that he is a plain citizen?

Does it mean that his interests are those of yours and mine? To use a New Englandism, we want to know.

If the possession of city property valued at more than a million and a string on the clothing business of a great and growing metropolis means that Mr. Selling's real interests are so far separated from Mr. Bourne's that the voters of Oregon will have to choose between them, we want to know that too.

Trot out some more friends of the people.

MISSOURI'S YOUNG REPUBLICANS

On Abraham Lincoln's birthday, February 12, a good date for a good transaction, will be held in St. Louis the annual meeting and banquet of the Association of Young Republicans of Missouri, an organization formed fifteen years ago, a time when the Democratic party, in union with the Populists, was casting a larger vote than ever before or since.

Over 30,000 young men in the state will cast their first presidential vote this year. It is a duty of the first importance to them. They are just entering business careers, and the leading political issues of the period relate to business. Every intelligent observer knows that political events and indications have a powerful influence on trade and industrial conditions.

"Even if a man changes his mind, it ought not to embarrass him," says Dr. Woodrow Wilson. How the Baltimore June gathering will feel upon the subject will continue to give the good doctor considerable anxiety.

The first exhibition of local products ever held in the Philippines will open at Manila in February. No anti-imperialists will be displayed. They are essentially a Nebraska product.

WE VALUE SMALL ACCOUNTS AND GIVE THEM FIRST CLASS SERVICE

Men of limited means should have an account with a good strong Bank. We are not too large to give the small customer our best attention and are seeking his business.

THE BANK OF OREGON CITY THE OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY

15 CENT FARE TO PORTLAND ASKED

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had obtained a renewal of his Oregon City franchise for the next fall. John F. Jennings declared that the company had raised the rate to his station twice within the last six years. Prior to the acquisition of the line by the present corporation, the commutation rate between Jennings Lodge and Portland was 11 cents with a 5-cent fare to Oregon City.

Mr. Jennings said the commutation rate to Portland was later increased to 12-1/2 cents and now it is 13 cents. The Railroad Commission reduced the cash fare to Portland 5 cents and increased the commutation rate, though the residents of Jennings Lodge would rather have had the cash fare increased than the commutation rate lowered.

"Oregon City is the natural place for us to trade," declared Mr. Jennings, "and I know that with a cash fare of 5 cents there would be \$5 spent here where there is \$1 now."

After dinner a two hours' conference took place at the Commercial Club relative to the application for a terminal rate at Oregon City. Many pertinent points were introduced, among them being the local rate of 18 cents per 100 pounds that is charged on through rate from Portland to Oregon City, and which the association seeks to have eliminated by making Oregon City a terminal point.

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MOTHER SEES SON DROWNED IN BASIN

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and thought he would soon catch up with them. The accident caused much comment in this city and Canemah, and it is the general belief that the builders of the railing were derelict in not making it so it would be impossible for anyone to fall through it.

This section of the law of course, does not cover the entire matter, but Oregon City, with its natural and geographical advantages, should the Supreme Court sustain the lower court, will be in a much better position than any other Oregon point now claiming terminal rates.

Mr. Lounsbury, of course, could not come out and agree with the terminal rate association directors on this point, but did advise that the association save its money and await the decision, which has given the directors more confidence in their side of the case.

IMPROVEMENT OF FAIR GROUNDS BEGUN

Much work was accomplished at the Clackamas County Fair grounds at Canby Monday, when many of the residents of Canby and farmers of the county assembled at the grounds with teams and shovels to assist in the beautifying of the park.

There was some talk of the women of the city preparing a hot dinner for the men engaged in the work, but they did not attend, and the affair proved a stag picnic, as the men were obliged to take lunches with them. The day was spent in plowing and harrowing, but the task of rolling the ground and seeding will be done at a later date, and it is probable that at that time the women will be there to furnish the refreshments, who are working without charge, with a hot dinner.

The ground, which is being improved, lies between the pavilion and the grove north of the building, and will be a most attractive camping place for visitors at the fair this year.

CROUP ENDS LIFE.

Many Children Die of Croup Every Year Before a Doctor Can Be Summoned.

Parents of children should be prepared at all times for a spasm of croup.

Keep in the house a remedy that will give instant relief and keep the child from choking until the arrival of the physician.

Get a 50 cent bottle of HYOMEI today and in case of an attack of croup pour 20 drops into a kitchen bowl of boiling water. Hold the child's head over the bowl so that it can breathe the soothing, penetrating vapor that arises. In the meantime send for a physician.

This treatment has saved the lives of many children and is a precaution that all parents should promptly take. HYOMEI is sold by Huntley Bros. Co. and druggists everywhere and is guaranteed for croup, catarrh, asthma and bronchitis. 2-16

ESTATE FILED FOR PROBATE.

The estate of Clarence Hill, who died September 8, 1911, was filed for probate Saturday in the county court. W. W. Myers was appointed administrator. The heirs are: Joel O. Hill, father of the testator; Annie Hill, sister, and H. L. and Emmett Hill brothers. All of the heirs live in West Virginia. Mr. Hill had lived in this county several years.

Help Wanted For that cough Get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It is the best. For sale by Harding's Drug Store.

PROGRESS MADE IN FIGHT FOR RATE

SOUTHERN PACIFIC AGENT HAS CONFERENCE WITH ASSOCIATION.

OREGON CITY HAS BIG ADVANTAGE

Official Unable to Give Anything Definite Because Long And Short Haul Case Has Not Been Decided.

General Freight Agent H. E. Lounsbury, of the Southern Pacific Company was in conference with the directors of the Oregon City Terminal Rate Association Friday night for several hours, and the net result of the meeting was a better understanding between the representatives of the local shippers and the chief representative of the freight department of the Southern Pacific Company in this territory.

Mr. Lounsbury arrived here at 6 o'clock from Portland and was met by B. T. McBain, head of the local association, and was given a dinner at a local restaurant, where an appetizing menu was discussed.

Mr. McBain was the host and there were present besides Mr. Lounsbury, L. Adams, A. A. Price, E. Schwab, W. A. Huntley, M. J. Brown and E. E. Brodie.

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CANEMAH CITIZENS FIGHT FARE RAISE

A mass meeting of citizens of Canemah was held Wednesday night at Stokes' store to protest against the fares recently put into effect by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company. After the State Railway Commission made its first order the railway company discontinued issuing the books to Oregon City for ninety cents, providing a three-cent fare. New books were issued, providing a four-cent fare, but the company has abrogated the order for them and residents of Canemah now have to pay five cents to come to Oregon City.

The fare formerly from Canemah to Meldrum was five cents, but it has been raised to ten cents. The citizens of Canemah are working in conjunction with a committee appointed by the Live Wires of Oregon City, and will insist that the old rates be restored. Formerly the fare from Canemah to Portland was the same as from Oregon City to Portland, but it is now five cents more. The residents of Canemah will meet next Tuesday to petition the Oregon City council to use its influence to have the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company raise its tracks between this city and Canemah to prevent the tracks being flooded and service interfered with as it was a week ago by high water.

"MOUNTAIN GEM" IS SOLD TO LOCAL LINE

Within a short time the steamer Mountain Gem, which first floated on the Upper Columbia in 1904, when she was launched at Lewiston, will cease to be known in the material things of the marine sphere, at her purchase from the Columbia Steamboat Company completed by the Oregon City Transportation Company, known as the Yellow Stack Line, and her machinery will be used in a speedy new steamer for the Portland-Corvallis run.

Captain Clyde Raabe, of the Yellow Stack fleet, reached Kennewick Thursday with a certificate check for the ownership of the Mountain Gem, and when men can be assembled the work of stripping the vessel will be begun. Her boiler, engines and other gear in that department will be removed, and all deck and cabin equipment will be taken off. Nothing will be left of the upper river craft but the hull and house, which will be sold to be broken up. When the property reaches Portland, coming by rail, plans will be started for the proposed new stern-wheeler, which will have an approximate length of 145 feet, with a beam of 28 feet and a draft of 16 inches.

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Plant breeding and selecting has been our business for years. We raise the best in the shape of thoroughbred vegetable and flower seeds. They grow good crops.

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SECRETARY GIVES PRIMARY RULES

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favor with the Secretary of State, provided the candidates' petitions have been filed with the Secretary of State before March 9, 1912.

March 19.—Date on which county clerks shall prepare printed notices of primary nominating election and mail two copies of the proof to each judge and clerk of election in each precinct for posting in public places in the respective precincts.

March 20.—Latest date on which statements and portrait cuts (endorsing and opposing candidates) shall be handed to the State Printer by the Secretary of State, properly compiled, edited, prepared and indexed for printing.

March 22.—Latest date on which petitions for nomination for offices to be filed by the State at large or by any district consisting of more than one county and for Judges of Circuit Courts and for District Attorneys in districts consisting of a single county shall be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

March 20-April 1.—Dates during which Secretary of State must arrange names and information and certify same to the county clerks for primary nominating election, filing one, posting one, and registering one copy thereof to each county clerk.

March 30-April 4.—Time within which State Printer shall commence and complete delivery of pamphlets to the Secretary of State.

April 2.—Latest date on which county clerks shall mail lists of registered voters of the respective counties to the Secretary of State.

April 3.—Latest date on which petitions for nominations for offices to be voted for in only one county or district shall be filed with the county clerk.

April 4.—Dates during which the county clerks of the counties shall arrange the names and other information concerning all the candidates and parties named in the valid petitions for nomination which have been filed with them and those which have been certified to them by the Secretary of State, forthwith certify same, under the seal of the county court, file same in office and also post a duplicate thereof in the office and proceed forthwith to have official ballots printed as provided by law.

April 9.—Date on which county clerks close registration books before primary election.

April 9.—County clerk shall immediately send to the Secretary of State a certified copy of the numbers and totals of the electors for each party registered in the county.

April 9.—Immediately on the close of registration for the primary nominating election the county clerk shall deliver to the Secretary of State the postoffice address and party registration of every voter who has registered.

April 10.—Latest date on which Secretary of State shall forward by mail to every registered voter of the several political parties required to notify their candidates at the primary election a copy of the pamphlet of his political party containing the names and the statements provided for.

April 18.—Last day on which any person who has filed a nominating petition by the electors of a political party, and who has removed from his electoral district before the day of the direct primary nominating election may change his name to be withdrawn by a writing, duly acknowledged, by filing same with the Secretary of State or the county clerk or clerks with whom the certificate nominating him was filed.

April 18.—Last day on which any nomination by petition of the electors of a political party, vacated by death or removal from an electoral district may be filed by the committee which has been given jurisdiction so to do by the political party or the law substantially as provided in Sections 3345 and 3346, Lord's Oregon Laws.

April 19.—Date of primary nominating election. Polls open at 8 a. m., and continue open until 7 p. m. Judges at their discretion may adjourn at 1 p. m. for one hour.

April 22.—Date on which county clerks shall proceed with the canvass of votes. See 2377. Make copies of each abstract of vote and transmit same by mail to the Secretary of State.

SUTHERLAND'S EAGLE EYE SALVE

Sedentary habits, lack of outdoor exercise, insufficient mastication of food, constipation, a torpid liver, worry and anxiety, are the most common causes of stomach trouble. Correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be well again. For sale by all dealers.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar NO ALUM, NO LIME PHOSPHATE

POULTRY SHOW TO SET RECORD

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Light, middle, and heavy weight game birds—every rooster of them with blood in his eye. The lover of feathered beauty will find the show a delight, and should not miss it under any circumstances. Admission is only fifteen cents. The Philharmonic Military Band, under R. V. D. Johnston will play each night. On Friday night, February 2, the opening night, C. C. Chapman, of Portland, will speak.

POULTRY SHOW TO BE BIG SUCCESS

MORE THAN 400 ENTRIES FOR EXHIBITION WHICH WILL START TOMORROW.

TRAINED ROOSTER TO DO STUNTS

Music To Be Furnished By Philharmonic Band—Addresses Will Be Made By Leading Poultry Raisers.

The program for the Poultry Show which will be given tomorrow and Saturday at the Armory has been arranged. The exhibition will be one of the finest ever given in Oregon. There are more than 400 entries. The program follows:

- 9 a. m.—Judging of Poultry.
2 p. m.—Electric Picture show, with lectures on the poultry industry; in charge of Professor F. J. Toose.
3 p. m.—Lectures, demonstrations and discussions on the poultry industry, under the direction of W. D. Kelly, of Portland.
4 p. m.—Performance of "Dollar," the educated rooster; Miss Mildred Smith, of Oregon City, trainer.
7 p. m.—Electric Picture show.
8 p. m.—Addresses by Harvey Beckwith, of Portland and C. C. Charnon, secretary Portland Commercial Club.
9 p. m.—Concert, Oregon City Commercial Club Band.
10 a. m.—Poultry judging instructions.
10 a. m.—Organization of Poultry Breeders.
2 p. m.—Electric Picture show with lectures upon the resources of Clackamas county, by Professor F. J. Toose.
3 p. m.—Short addresses by Poultry breeders, in charge of W. D. Kelly, manager of the Tabor Green Poultry Yards.
7:30 p. m.—Electric Pictures.
8:15 p. m.—"Dollar" will perform under the direction of Miss Mildred Smith.
8:45 p. m.—Concert, Oregon City Commercial Club Band.
Band concert program. R. V. D. Johnston, band master.
1. March—Two-step, "Blaze Away"
2. Cornet Solo—"Serenade," Schubert
Dr. Clyde Mount, Soloist.
3. Entre act—"Curly"
4. Excerpts from Grand Opera
5. Tone Poem
6. Intermezzo
7. "Dollar"
Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve is the best eye remedy ever offered the public. It is a snow white ointment, painless, harmless and absolutely guaranteed to cure. At all dealers. 25c a tube. Harding's Drug Store.

FALLS HURL AGED LOGGER TO DEATH

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worked for Frederick Schafer, of Molalla. Peter Nehrent, who knew Bernart for forty years, said Wednesday night he was one of the most conscientious workers that had ever done service on the river here. "He was always busy," said Nehrent, "and had accumulated considerable property. He had rigged up a little cabin on his launch and frequently when he came to this city he would sleep in the craft. He also cooked his meals on it."

Many fatal accidents have occurred at the falls and only one man has ever gone over them and escaped with his life. The fortunate man was Harry Freeman, who with his father, George Freeman, his brothers James, George, Jr., and Mr. Shannon were in a boat that was carried over the falls in the spring of 1903. The bodies of one or two of the others were not found.

Edward Boyles was carried over the falls and drowned in 1898. A companion, Edward Brown, jumped out the boat and saved himself by clinging to the breakwater. Frank Perkins and Thomas Scollard were drowned there in 1892, and Charles Stewart was a victim in 1891. It is also said that many Indians have lost their lives by being swept over the falls in canoes.

Asthma. Is a distressing disease. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey relieves almost instantly. We guarantee it to give satisfaction. For sale by Harding's Drug Store.

PROGRESS EDITION LAUDED.

Oregon City Enterprise. To the Editor:

Some kind and thoughtful friend sent me a copy of your anniversary edition which I have perused with more than passing interest.

Having been reared on the soil of Clackamas county there clusters about those days some of the fondest recollections of my life. I have watched with profound admiration the persistent energy of the good people of Oregon City and vicinity who have never for one moment lost faith in the ultimate supremacy of Clackamas county as a home spot and peculiarly rich in opportunities for profitable personal and financial development. I do not see why Clackamas county shall not become one of the richest farming counties in Oregon. I have observed with peculiar interest the way in which the ax has made way for the plow, and where in the valleys and on the hills when I was a boy there was nothing but a thick growth of timber, now are located some of the finest farms and most beautiful homes that I know of anywhere. I do not believe this is all because of my early attachment, but real merit one will find underlying all the good things you and others have said about Clackamas county if inquiry is made.

The Oregon City Enterprise is one of the papers that always came to my father's home on the farm, and I am glad to note the pretentious and creditable showing in your progress and anniversary edition.

Please regard me as one of the boosters for Clackamas county. Yours very truly, CORWIN S. SHANK.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss. I, CLARA COURTNEY, Notary Public, do hereby certify that 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 Ohio, and that said firm will pay the sum 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. Notary Public.

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