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CONSTRENATION OVERSPREAD THE FACES of Democratic leaders when they read a few days ago the true story of the nomination of Woodrow Wilson...

And the reason for the consternation is plain. While McCombs makes no charge of ingratitude against Wilson...

The story has thus far been published by only two newspapers, but it is certain to gain wide circulation before the November election.

McCombs is a New York lawyer, a graduate of Princeton, a personal friend of Wilson's for many years...

McCombs then opened headquarters in New York, paid the rent, hired the stenographers, bought the postage stamps...

By his publicity work, his letter writing and personal appeals to friends, McComb gained the initial support of 327 delegates...

At no time did McCombs count on Bryan as a dependable asset. In fact, Bryan's brother tried to persuade McCombs to quit...

NOTHING COULD BE more sophisticated than the Democratic contention that the low rates of the Underwood tariff cannot hurt American farmers...

During the first year of the war our exportation of breadstuffs to Europe increased 213 per cent; of horses, 2490 per cent...

The cash gain in the value of these six classes of exports to Europe for the first year of the war, as compared with the year before...

Then, unless the Democratic tariff bill shall have been radically revised, the American farmers will feel the real effects of the Democratic tariff bill.

THE PUBLISHER OF THE ENTERPRISE has had his own high opinion of the value of the small city daily and the country weekly to the advertiser for all these many years...

Prosperity Dates From The First Dollar Saved

Perhaps the best reason for saving money is that practically nothing can be done without it. You must have it to start you in business...

4 PER CENT INTEREST Paid on Time Certificates

The Bank of Oregon City Established in 1881. 35 Years in Business.

should be considered along with the Portland dailies when advertising campaigns are planned.

"Aside from direct advertising value, there is the sentiment side, too. The Portland Chamber of Commerce sends out columns and columns of news notices...

"Portland's policy of working for the rebuilding of the entire state, while obstructed somewhat at home, is believed in by the press of nearly every section of Oregon.

In a dozen of President Wilson's speeches delivered in half as many days, there were so many inconsistencies that the President felt impelled to remark, "It is just as well to shed your speeches as you go."

The ruts, dust or mud that characterized the leading road north from Oregon City on the east side in the past are being ironed out into a smooth, hard surface. The county is laying its first pavement on a county road.

"A summary of manufactures in Oregon, comparing the totals in 1909 and 1914, has just been issued by the bureau of the census, and this summary reveals the interesting fact that the manufacturing industry in Oregon is growing at a steady and healthy rate."

GOVERNOR RECEIVES BIG SALMON FROZEN IN A BLOCK OF ICE

EXECUTIVE DECLARES BOOSTER DAY CELEBRATION WAS A "MAGNIFICENT SUCCESS"

Governor Withycombe was much pleased with the success of the booster day celebration here last Saturday, according to the Salem Statesman.

"Today, as a souvenir of the occasion, the governor received from Oregon City a magnificent salmon frozen in a block of ice. The big fish was caught especially for the gubernatorial gift by local sportsmen...

"It was a magnificently successful day," said the governor. "I enjoyed every bit of it. I don't believe I have ever seen a really big event of the kind better handled or more enthusiastically participated in by one."

J. E. HEDGES NAMED SPEAKER AT REUNION

LOCAL YALE GRADUATE MAY ATTEND MEETING OF THE CLASS OF 1891.

Joseph E. Hedges may be one of the three or four speakers at the reunion of Yale graduates of the class of 1891. In fact, the reunion committee has unanimously named Mr. Hedges as one of the speakers...

"At first I made up my mind not to go, but with the receipt of this letter asking me to speak, I am about to change my plans," said Mr. Hedges Tuesday night.

CHARLES SWEENEY DIES

PORTLAND, Ore., May 30.—Charles Sweeney, Spokane capitalist and mining man and for years associated in a business way with the development and upbuilding of Portland, died this morning at 3:45 at the Portland Surgical hospital.

Watch Child for Worms.

Worms sap child's strength, rob child of food and make child fretful, irritable, nervous. Watch stool and at first sign or suspicion of worms give one-half to one lozenge Kickapoo worm remover. Gives immediate results...

DETECTIVE SOMERS SUES N. B. HARVEY FOR MURDER PROBE

INVESTIGATOR CLAIMS \$4500 IS DUE FOR THREE YEARS SPENT ON HILL CASE.

Nathan B. Harvey, of Ardenwald, who was once arrested charged with the Hill murder, Wednesday was named defendant in a suit filed in the Clackamas county circuit court by C. E. Somers of St. Johns, who claims Harvey engaged him to work as a detective on the famous murder mystery from November 1, 1911, to November, 1914.

George C. Brownell and Charles T. Sievers filed the suit for Mr. Somers. Mr. Brownell in the past has been Harvey's attorney and when Harvey was given a hearing before the late Justice Sampson on the murder charge was able to get the case dismissed.

FORUM OF THE PEOPLE

Trouble in Sandy High School.

CHERRYVILLE, Ore., May 25.—(Editor of The Enterprise).—My attention has been called to a statement in your paper of May 19 under the Eagle Creek news relative to some trouble in the union high school at Sandy.

Previous to this trouble the board has had no occasion to express its attitude on the subject of dancing in connection with the school. The high school principal, having no specific directions from the board, on being approached by the students in regard to the matter, several days previous to the occasion, exercised his judgment and requested that they have no dance.

The students carried out their plans secretly and sprung it after the play with the results intimated by your correspondent. The principal thereupon suspended those whom he thought most guilty and called a meeting of the board to consider the matter. As there is a great difference of opinion as to whether the board did not see fit to discuss the matter from that point of view in this present case...

The board did not wish to have it understood that they have taken definite action in regard to the matter of dancing in connection with the high school. They will probably take this matter up at some future meeting. Knowing the members of the board to be men greatly interested in the welfare of the school I think I am safe in saying that the action they will take will not be a narrow minded one dictated by religious prejudice nor one so loose as to draw criticism from those who believe that students of that age should be guided in their social affairs by older heads.

A blanket mortgage was given maturing in six months. In October when only three months had gone by, I was

IN QUALITY AND QUANTITY, STOCK SHOW BEST EVER

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Holstein bull, three years old or over, N. Christiansen.

Jersey bull, over two and under three years, Lasselle Dairy company.

Guernsey bull, one year and under two years, J. G. Kuenzi.

Guernsey bull, over two and under three years, C. H. Rider.

Jersey calf, over six months and under one year, R. L. Badger.

Jersey calf, either sex, under six months, Jacob Jost.

Holstein calf, either sex, under six months, Frank Haberlach.

Jersey cow, three years old or over, Lasselle Dairy company.

Jersey heifer, R. L. Badger.

Poland China, near one year old and under two, Dimick & Gregory.

Poland China, toward one year, Dimick & Gregory.

Poland China sow, under one year, W. W. Harris.

Duroc-Jersey boar, two years old and over, J. G. Kuenzi.

Duroc-Jersey boar, one year old and under two, George DeBlok.

Duroc-Jersey sow, under one year, George DeBlok.

Duroc-Jersey sow, under two years, J. G. Kuenzi.

Duroc-Jersey, under one year, Geo. DeBlok.

Boar and three hogs, under one year, bred by exhibitor, J. G. Kuenzi.

O. I. C. swine-boar, one year old and under two, R. L. Badger.

O. I. C. sow, under one year, R. L. Badger.

O. I. C. boar and three hogs, under one year, bred by exhibitor, R. L. Badger.

Best three goats, S. D. Barney.

Shetland ponies—Harold Leighton, 1st; Winfred Manning, 2nd.

Development Work is Done.

In 1913 we settled down to the sales and done considerable development work. The cloud upon the "horizon" being a \$12,000 law suit engendered by the "has-been" which we won. In 1914 we continued as in 1913 but things began to look different to me. I was studying the market conditions for the small producer.

I found substantially that over-production was reducing his income to such an extent that the information sent out by the booster clubs was unreliable and should be discontinued. Upon realizing these conditions I determined that I would be no party to any further attempts at bringing home-seekers to Oregon.

The books were audited up to the end of August, 1914. The last sale was made in July. I talked over the situation with the auditor and stated to him that I wanted facts. I called his attention to the mutuality and co-operative features of our plan and that its success depended solely upon the continuity of its members. I stated that I wanted his opinion as to our ability to make good to all outstanding certificate holders without further sales.

I carefully considered all actual and contingent expenses connected with the delivery of land as per outstanding contracts, the assets and the amount due from certificate holders. It showed in our favor about \$35,000 to the good. He made the statement that above amount was predicated upon all the then live certificates continuing to the end.

Blackmail is Alleged.

sent for and informed that unless \$200 was paid forthwith and \$50 per month thereafter, steps would be taken to throw the association into the bankruptcy court and discontinue to me personally would follow. It was also intimated that if I came across nothing would be done. I stated that they had not kept their word and also that it would be impossible to meet their demands. I then decided regardless of the consequences to see the who's thing would win. On November 8th I filed my own petition in bankruptcy, making all association creditors parties. My object being not to conceal anything. Soon thereafter a receiver was appointed for the association.

Erroneous statements have been made as to the number of purchasers and the amount of acreage sold. The facts are considerably less than 100 people all told were sold and when books were turned over to the receiver the amount of acreage then owned by the association was more than enough to fill all outstanding contracts. The plan of sale was co-operative and mutual. A purchaser or member could begin on 15 but his certificate did not represent five acres until \$250 had been paid. If he lapsed in his payments the association had the right to cancel certificate but in such event, he was entitled to a rebate. No certificate was ever cancelled without due notice to holder.

A great many cancellations were made after the first and second payments, others when a number of payments had been made. Towards the last, at the instigation of certain people, a number of certificate holders refused to continue. These I cancelled when proper limitation arrived as in the case of A. E. Esche. He was about six months in arrears when he stated that he was unable to continue. I waited for about four months before cancellation when I put him in the rebate class. Some certificates were ordered cancelled when the pirate directors were in power.

Expenses Are Outlined.

This statement would not be complete without a report on receipts and expenditures. The cash received was about \$50,000 not all of it was from certificate holders. The expenditures were for clearing and development work about \$14,000. For commissions and selling expense about \$15,000. For interest, taxes, payments on mortgages, etc., about \$1500. For rent, stenographic hire and general office expense \$500. For attorneys fees or legal expense about \$2000. For office furniture and incidentals about \$1000. For machinery and equipment, horses, etc., about \$1000.

The above is made up from memory and therefore must be considered as being only approximate.

The books do not show any cash received from the old association. The obligations from the old association assumed by this one amounted to about \$20,000. The assets which had been retained would have netted the association over \$25,000. They were thrown overboard by the pirate directors because there was \$250 in interest and taxes to pay. Some money was lost in clearing and experimenting with cordwood, but all money received is accounted for to the last cent.

Boosters Are Denounced.

Many Webfoots seem to thrive upon the easterner. When I came to Oregon I had options on 1000 acres of land which I expected to take up for the association. The deception connected with it is too long a story to tell here, suffice it to say I dropped the options. I then looked around to see what could be done. In my travels I landed in Oregon City and there met one of Oregon's paid boosters.

He took me around at my expense, showed me various properties and amongst them the tract now owned by the association. It is ideal for fruit and a very sightly property. There was not more than 15 acres cleared although represented as much larger, nothing being said about stumps burnt down two inches below ground level and covered up. It was represented that 20,000 cords of wood were on the place. To my eastern mind it surely looked so.

The value placed thereon was \$2 a cord with every one using wood, it sure did look good to me. I learnt the cordwood business testing it out. I found the difference between second growth and doty wood and I also discovered that others were fooled in the same way. In short it would have been better if there was not a stick on the place. I also found that the cost of clearing was grossly misrepresented by this paid booster. We were into it and had to go ahead and I found that my experience is the same as lots of other people from the east.

Booster Literature Dangerous.

Oregon is all right but wrongly advertised. The boosting literature of the past has been so written that it is extremely dangerous for the average easterner to read. He believes anything receiving the endorsement of a representative body to be O. K. Usually he sells out, packs up and move bag and baggage to Oregon. Upon arrival he is so enchanted with scenery and climate and believes because this is true, all other things stated must be so. In good faith he invests his money and grows the stuff but ere long he discovers that there are no markets. He sells out and moves back to his old home and joins the knockers club, whose numbers are legion.

The above correctly describes my own case and that of my friends and of a large percentage of the members of the association and also of Fred Menzel. All of whom are caught in the meastrom of this failure which is the result of over-confidence and the writings and statements of Oregon's paid boosters. I fought for honesty and a square deal.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure Made from Cream of Tartar NO ALUM—NO PHOSPHATE

underworld, but covered up in such a way that the law cannot reach them. Had three-fourths of the members stuck by me, success not failure would have been written. My conscience is clear. I sacrificed my all for success and a square deal for everyone but the evil forces were much too strong for me. Result! The many suffer, because of the meanness, jealousy and vengeful spirit of the few.

ANGLES DOWNED AGAIN

THREE BEAVERS SCORE WHEN SOUTHWORTH TRIPLES.

Table with 2 columns: Player Name, Score. Includes Vernon, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Salt Lake, Portland, Oakland.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 31.

The Portland Beavers captured their second consecutive game from the Angels today, 5 to 3. Southworth in the third tripped, scoring Willie Vaughn and Rodgers. Guisto in the seventh made another three-base hit and later scored.

Bill Rodgers, Beaver field captain and second baseman, worked today with a badly swollen knuckle. Rodgers did some dummy boxing at the Los Angeles Athletic club last night and hit a piece of iron.

McCredie denied that opposing pitchers have found the weakness of Louis Guisto, his home run hitter. McCredie said Guisto is merely in a slump.

Today's batting order:

Portland—Wille, cf.; Vaughn, lf.; Rodgers, 2b.; Southworth, 3b.; Nixon, rf.; Guisto, 1b.; Fisher, c.; Ward, ss.; Southron, p.

Los Angeles—Margaret, cf.; Ellis, lf.; Kane, rf.; Koerner, 1b.; Galloway, 2b.; McLarry, 2b.; Bassler, c.; Butler, ss.; Horstman, p.

TROUT FRY IS PLANTED

FISH TAKEN TO MOLALLA IN AUTOMOBILE TRUCK.

Several thousand brook trout fry were planted in the Molalla river by "Babe" Elliott this week. They were furnished by the government fish hatchery at the Clackamas station. Not one of the fish suffered from the long drive. The fish were taken in large cans by automobile truck. These fish were planted upon request of a number of the nimrods of this city, and those interested in the fish culture.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Table with 2 columns: Team Name, Score. Includes San Francisco, Oakland, Salt Lake, Vernon.

WIFE TOO ILL TO WORK

IN BED MOST OF TIME

Her Health Restored by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Indianapolis, Indiana.—"My health was so poor and my constitution so run down that I could not work. I was thin, pale and weak, weighed but 100 pounds and was in bed most of the time. I began taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and five months later I weighed 133 pounds. I do all the housework and washing for eleven and I can truthfully say Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been a godsend to me for I would have been in my grave today but for it. I would tell all women suffering as I was to try your valuable remedy."

—Mrs. WM. GREEN, 332 S. Addison Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.



There is hardly a neighborhood in this country, wherein some woman has not found health by using this good old-fashioned root and herb remedy. If there is anything about which you would like special advice, write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.