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WHAT ARE FAIR RAILROAD RATES?

An indignant citizen of Medford, Mr. Newbury, sends to The Oregonian a letter of inquiry as to why the express rates on two boxes of apples from Medford to Portland is something like 75 cents...

RECORD FOREIGN TRADE.

The trade balance which hung heavy against this country in the Summer has swung back in our favor and the October returns on our foreign trade are flattering in the extreme...

FROM SMALL BEGINNING.

The Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, like its predecessors, the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company, the Oregon Steam Navigation Company, and the original "pool," known as the Union Transportation Company...

FEATHER DUSTERS.

A germ affloat in the air is in his native element. He is master of the situation. No matter whether he belongs to the pneumonia tribe or tuberculosis...

held full sway in every household. Mothers raged with it from room to room dealing out doom to their husbands and children. The hired girl scattered more than Egyptian plagues upon her employers as she released the disease germs from imprisonment by its magic touch...

THE IMPENDING SINGLE TAX.

From U'ren's "People's Power League" comes the word that the single tax on land is to be presented in Multnomah County next election for enactment by the Initiative, by purporting of the law, just enacted, abolishing the rule of uniformity and equality of taxation throughout the state...

THE FARMERS' UNION IN THIS STATE.

The Farmers' Union in this state will ask the next Legislature to pass a grain inspection law. No definite statement is made as to the kind of a law that is desired, but presumably something is wanted that will make the buyer accept the grading by a state official in preference to that made by the buyer...

LOOKING FORWARD TO 1913.

Colonel Roosevelt is not likely to get a unanimous call from any National Republican convention to be its candidate for President, and he does not expect it, of course. What he means when he said "if he has said" to his friends that he is in a receptive mood if they can get it for him...

THE RIVERS AND HARBOUR COMMITTEE.

The Rivers and Harbors Committee of the House will assemble at Washington next Monday for the purpose of getting the river and harbor bill in shape for a report to the House very early in the session. Washington officials state that the attempt will be made to keep the total appropriations to \$30,000,000, but in that sum the Columbia River will probably be well taken care of both at the mouth and at Celilo...

WIFE PULLS HAIR AND SPOUSE IS GRANTED DIVORCE.

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TAX ON FLEET WILL STAND.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Judge Campbell, of the Circuit Court, handed down a decision in favor of the defendant this afternoon in the case of the Callender Navigation Company vs. the Sheriff of Clatsop County...

DISCRIMINATION SEEN IN RATES.

Express Charges for Same Distance in Medford.—(To the Editor.)—I shipped two boxes of apples yesterday from Medford, Or., to Baker City, Or. The price charged for shipping two boxes weighing less than 100 pounds by express to the latter point is \$2.50...

POTATOES VERY PROFITABLE.

Three Acres on Twin Falls, Idaho, Tract Yield 895 Sacks.—TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Potatoes grow into money in Southern Idaho. That, at least, is what the farmers of the Twin Falls tract think since they began harvesting their 1910 crops...

MEASURES GO UPON BALLOT.

Papers Filed on Last Day, After Office Closed, Allowed by Court.—ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Judge Campbell, of the Circuit Court, dissolved the temporary injunction this afternoon in the suit of G. C. Flavel, an actor versus the City of Astoria, an action to restrain the defendant from placing certain proposed amendments to the city charter on the ballot for the coming municipal election...

HILLMAN INDICTMENTS STAND.

Judge Donworth Overrules Objections of Rich Realty Man.—TACOMA, Wash., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—Federal Judge Donworth today overruled the demurrer to the indictment of Charles Hillman, charged with conspiracy to defraud by use of the mails...

INDIANS HEAR ADDRESSES.

CHEMUNAWA, Or., Nov. 25.—(Special.)—The Chemawa Indians will have occasion to remember Thanksgiving day, 1910, which is celebrated in the state in the good old-fashioned way. At 10 A. M. the entire student body was assembled in the auditorium and exercises appropriate to the occasion were given...

PAINTER WINS \$2000 VERDICT.

Verdict for \$2000 was returned yesterday against the Portland Railway, Power & Light Company by a jury in the suit of Walter Chumley for injuries sustained by receiving a shock from high voltage electric wires when painting the Morrison street bridge...

DAMAGE SUIT SETTLED.

When court convened in Judge Kavanaugh's department yesterday morning to take up the suit of John Larson against the Oregon Timber & Lumber Company, it was announced that the case had been settled. Larson sued for \$30,000 damage because he was struck by a log while working on the company's rollway near Mile October 26, 1908...

MAN SUES FOR LOSS OF FINGERS.

Victor Rosen filed suit in the Circuit Court yesterday against the Enterprise Printing Mill Company to recover \$10,000 damages for the loss of two fingers on his right hand. He says he was working September 17, 1909, planing lumber on a jointer. His left hand became caught in the knives, severing the two fingers. He says he was wearing a pair of gloves...

SUIT ON NOTE COMPLICATED.

T. A. Lewis is suing the Smith-Wagoner Company before a jury in Judge Kavanaugh's department of the Circuit Court for the recovery of \$400 on a note given by R. H. Vorse to Lewis and by Lewis to the company on Oct. 23, 1908. The note was for \$400 and was a complicated one, and the jury is being given a chance to straighten out the tangle...

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THE EARLY SHOPPER.

The happiest woman we know of is the one who has 21 Christmas gifts bought already. The Early Shopper. Detroit Free Press.

ETHEL IS INITIATED INTO FOOTBALL.

May Kelly tells how Jimmy expounded the spirit and explained the details of the Thanksgiving game. Ethel is initiated into football.

GREATEST EVENT IN THE ROSE WORLD.

Rev. Spencer S. Sulliger concludes his account of the London Rose Show and tells of new varieties. Greatest event in the rose world.

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