

HOLIDAY FOR "GOOD ROADS"

JAS. WAIT WOULD HAVE RESIDENTS OF MARSHFIELD CO-OPERATE IN FINISHING BOULEVARD TO THE SEA.

Jas. Wait says that Marshfield should follow the lead taken by Missouri to get co-operation in the "Good Roads" movement. He suggests as a practical scheme for Marshfield to have a public holiday or two for the people to co-operate in finishing the clearing of the right of way of the boulevard to the sea. A dispatch from Jefferson City tells of the Missouri plan as follows:

"Governor Major has issued a proclamation setting apart Wednesday and Thursday, August 20 and 21, as public holidays to be known as "Good Road" days.

"Every able-bodied man in the rural districts and cities of the state is to put in those days working on the public highways.

"The Governor asks that all ordinary business be suspended and that wherever possible the men put in full time on the permanent improvement of the roads, either dragging, ditching or making culverts or bridges, or whatever will accomplish the greatest good.

"The women in the rural districts are requested to aid by furnishing the volunteer workers with lunches and encouraging them with their presence and good cheer.

"The Governor estimates that work approximating more than a million dollars in value will result."

GAINING BY GOOD ROADS.

IT IS not unnatural that a wrong impression prevails as to the class of people who will be most benefited by good roads. The enthusiasm of automobile owners for good roads and the large number of cars seen in all parts of the country have given the impression that the automobilists will be the largest gainers. This is, however, an erroneous idea, as a "road census," taken would show that the motorcar owners are in the minority, and the people deriving the greatest benefit are the farmers.

While the users of motorcars may assist in the work of creating public sentiment in favor of road improvement, the real benefit to the country is in the saving to the farmers in transportation and in the enhanced farm production which better marketing facilities engender. Many a farmer will take to market over good roads a load of early potatoes for which he can get \$1.50 a bushel, while with bad roads it would not have occurred to him to plant them. The difference to him is between a quick trip to town early in the morning over an improved road or a slow, laborious trip, taking practically an entire day over bad roads. It is everywhere admitted that with the improvement of our roads, farm lands will greatly enhance in value. All of these arguments in favor of a strong agitation for better roads should receive the earnest attention of every farmer.

Our faithful servants, the horses and mules, should also be considered in this matter, as it is nothing less than cowardly to let these patient, dumb servants be lashed through mud and ruts, straining every nerve to serve.

WHERE THE GREAT CITY STANDS

(By Walt Whitman.)

The place where the great city stands is not the place of wharves and docks, nor the place of ceaseless salutes of newcomers, or the anchoring of the departing;

Nor the place of the tallest and costliest buildings or shops;

Nor the place of the most numerous population;

Where the city stands with the brawniest breed of orators and bards;

Where the city stands that is beloved of these and loves them in return;

Where no monuments exist to heroes but in common works and deeds;

Where thrift is in its place and prudence is in its place;

Where the slave ceases and the master of the slave ceases;

Where the population rises at once against the never-ending audacity of elected persons;

Where outside authority enters always after the precedence of inside authority;

Where the citizen is always the head and ideal president, mayor and governor are the agents;

Where children are taught to be laws to themselves and to depend on themselves;

Where women walk in public procession in the streets, the same as the men;

Where they enter the public assembly and take places the same as the men;

Where the city of the cleanliness of the sexes stands;

Where the city of the healthiest fathers stands;

Where the city of the best-bodied mothers stands;

There the great city stands.

RISE IN THE MORNING.

Do not jump out of bed as soon as you open your eyes in the morning. Remember that while you sleep your vitality is lowered and your circulation not so strong. A sudden jump out of bed is a shock to the heart. Stretch and yawn as soon as you wake and then yawn and stretch and take plenty of time doing it. Then get up quietly when you are thoroughly awakened.

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THE lure of the unknown is strong in all of us. We like to find the hidden bays, to make our way up strange rivers, to prow through the woods, and to explore the woods. And if there are mountains near, we take the keenest pleasure in climbing every face of them, on the lookout for strange creatures and hidden caverns. Aside from the search for gold, it must have been this feeling, to a great degree, that prompted and spurred on the early explorers in their wanderings.

What is more invigorating than to start out with a good companion and a comfortable stick for a day's tramp through the woods, with no appointments to keep and no "park rules" to observe? Old shoes and a suit that rough usage will not hurt, a drinking cup and luncheon in your knapsack, are the only needs. Forth you go, breathing the air more deeply in very anticipation of the pleasure that is to be yours. City streets are left behind, meadows and forests line the road. How merrily the birds are singing! The meadow lark skims along with its burst of silver notes; away over in those bushes the thrush's song is bubbling out in liquid tones.

Striking through the woods, the long forest aisles, shaded and cool, stretch away from you in the distance. Squirrels scamper and look at you from behind their trees of refuge. A rabbit bounds across the way and is gone into the underbrush. And you saunter on, eyes open for everything about,—tall trees and nodding ferns and flitting woodpeck-

ers. By and by, at the edge of a little stream, you find a place to have your luncheon, with the music of the water—sounding than that of any orchestra—sounding in your ears.

Perhaps you have set out to climb a mountain, not by the beaten path, but over a new one of your own choosing. It is hard work, scrambling, pulling yourself up, wriggling along narrow ledges. Now under an overhanging rock you find a cave that has been used at some time or other by man; for some of the rocks are black with smoke. Who were they that used this refuge in this out-of-the-way place, high above any water or any roadway—Indians, train robbers, ordinary tramps, counterfeiters, or just common prowlers like yourself, bent on nothing more than a holiday of exploration? To these things there is no answer, and the uncertainty and mystery of it only add to the many pleasures of your day.

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ELECTION IN NOVEMBER.

Oregon Voters to Pass on Four Referendums Then.

SALEM, Or., July 24.—The Supreme court handed down a decision holding that the Day bill, calling a special referendum election in Oregon next November is constitutional. This reverses the decision of the Marion County District Court, which held the bill to be unconstitutional. The election will now be held, there being four measures passed by the last Legislature to be voted upon. These are: 1. of O. appropriation bill. County Attorney's bill. Criminal sterilization bill. Workmen's compensation act. Charging gross frauds in the obtaining of signatures to the petitions to refer the workmen's compensation act at the special election in November, the state in relation of Gale S. Hill, District Attorney, through E. R. Ringo, representing the people, yesterday filed suit in the Marion County Court to enjoin Secretary of State Obolt from placing the measure on the official ballot.

UNUSUAL PEOPLE, THESE.

Such was the attitude of Julius Caesar toward tobacco that not one cigarette was smoked in Rome during his lifetime.

Abraham Lincoln would never set foot in an automobile.

Napoleon Bonaparte would not have a telephone in his house.

So great was his dislike for electrical contrivances of all sorts that George Washington would not even use the telegraph instrument to transmit news of the Yorktown victory to Congress.

Although several times elected to the Senate, Cicero would not be seen in a frock coat at even the most formal sessions of that body.

Nero, fond as he was of music, refused to allow a phonograph of self-playing piano to be brought into Italy during his long reign.

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