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IMMIGRANTS FROM EUROPE.

NORWEGIAN consular representative estimates that 200,000 Europeans will be added to the population of Pacific Coast cities in 1915, the year of the Panama exposition in San Francisco.

More than 75,000 tickets to various points on the Pacific Coast already have been sold in Berlin alone, and it is estimated that 90 per cent of these tickets have been purchased by German farmers.

The encouraging aspect of the European movement is the fact that a heavy per cent of these ticket buyers are thrifty German farmers. These Europeans will not remain in our cities. They will go into rural sections of Pacific Coast states and other states of the west where they can acquire land. They will become producers of wealth and that is what we want.

Again, with only an average of \$500 each brought into the Pacific Coast by the 2,000,000 newcomers, totals one billion dollars of additional money in circulation for 1915.

Pacific Coast cities should not relax in the efforts they have been making to interest thrifty foreigners in the rich productive possibilities of unsettled land areas in Western states, for we do not want our cities to become overcrowded.

RACIAL EBB AND FLOW.

JACOB L. SCHURMAN, recently Minister to Greece, returning after Balkan peace had been concluded, said that the modern Greek soldiers in that struggle "were as brave and heroic as their ancestors who fought at Marathon."

"While it was generally known that King Constantine had military capacity," said Dr. Schurman, "no one suspected the military genius which he developed. He is, I suppose, the one monarch in the world who is capable of leading the armies of his country in time of war." It is conceded, moreover, that Prime Minister Venizelos is one of the great statesmen of Europe.

In the Balkan wars Greece doubled her territory and her population. Is it not possible that she may "come back?"

Observing the ebb and flow of civilization it is folly to assume that any family of the human race will utterly perish.

BETTER BABIES BABBLINGS

More slaps make better babies.

A babe in the ring is worth two in the crib.

All babies are good, but some are better.

Smile and the bunch smiles with you. Cry and you lose the prize.

Good babies often come in small parcels.

An ounce of disposition is worth a pound of training.

Like father, like child. Poor kid.

The bigger the babe, the prouder the dad.

Too many nurses spoil the child.

A good babe is the noblest work—of woman.

DEFINED

"What, in your estimation, constitutes a good wife?"

"She's one who, in conducting her home, knows how to keep up appearances while keeping down expenses."

GOOD ALL THE TIME IS HAINES' FLOUR. \$1.25 PER SACK.

WITH THE TOAST AND THE TEA

GIVE IT NOW INSTEAD.

When I am dead forget me, dear,
For I shall never know,
Though o'er my cold and lifeless hand
Your burning tears shall flow,
I'll cancel with my living voice
The debt you'll owe the dead,
Give me the love you'd show me then
But give it now instead!

And bring no wreaths to decorate my grave,
For I shall never care
Though all the flowers I love the most
Shall grow and wither there,
I'll sell my chance of all the flowers
You'll lavish when I'm dead
For one small bunch of violets now,
So give me that instead.

What saints we are when we are gone!
But what's the use to me
Of praises written on my tomb
For other eyes to see?
One little simple word of praise
By lips we worship said
Is worth a hundred epitaphs—
Dear, say it now instead.

And faults that now are hard to bear,
Oblivion then shall win,
Our sins are soon forgotten us
When we no more can sin,
But any better thought of me—
Keep it for me when I'm dead,
I shall not know, I shall not care,
Forgive me now instead.

A Coos Bay woman likes to brag about a bargain in a suit.
But a Coos Bay man always adds \$5 or \$10 to the price of the duds he is wearing.

PRIZE PORTRAITS

I like those steel engravings
Of statesmen, don't you know,
That represent my savings,
And make a splendid show.
They look so snug and nifty
My breast with pleasure thrills
To see them on my fifty
And hundred dollar bills.

Foolish girls make a specialty of breaking hearts; wise girls run repair shops.

EXPERIENCE.

Let's strive to win success, but when
We fail, we need not wholly rue it,
For it is clear that even then
We're finding out how not to do it.

If a man has trouble and goes to a woman for sympathy he is lucky if he doesn't acquire more.

The more a woman talks the more anxious her husband is to turn off the gas.

When a man refers to a meat market as a morgue he's a vegetarian.

He is a sensible man who doesn't want what he can't have.

Speak your mind if you must, but mind how you speak.

He—I hope you don't feel at all seaisick, darling?
She—No, dearest, but, er—I think I should like to yawn.

DAILY RIDDLES

Questions.

1. A squirrel sits at the bottom of an oak tree twenty feet high; he goes up a foot every day; how long will it take him to get to the top?

2. A frog sits in a hole in the center of a forty acre field; he goes three feet at every jump; how many jumps will take him out?

3. What changes the lower regions into the flower regions?

4. Make one word of the letters in "new door."

5. Why is the oyster the wisest of animals?

Answers.

1. He goes up a foot (on his feet) every day.

2. One jump will take him out of the hole.

3. The letter "F."

4. One word.

5. He keeps his mouth shut.

COOS DISTRICT IS VERY ACTIVE

Senator I. S. Smith Gives Out Interview in Portland on Conditions Here.

The Portland Oregonian says: "With mills and mines running full-handed, railroad construction being pushed, building active and no vacant houses in any of the towns, State Senator Smith, of Coos and Curry Counties, reports that business conditions are excellent in the Coos Bay district. Senator Smith, who is a business man of Marshfield, is here to attend the meeting of the Oregon Synod of the Presbyterian Church, now in session. He is the guest of Lawrence A. McNary, at 1151 Thurman street.

"Business is good at Marshfield, North Bend and the other Coos Bay towns," said Senator Smith yesterday. Among the important industries mentioned by Senator Smith as either in operation or about to resume operations are the Simpson Lumber Company mill at North Bend, which has been shut down for repairs, but which will start up again in a few days; the C. A. Smith mill at Marshfield, employing 400 men, now running full capacity, and the C. A. Smith pulp mill at Marshfield, now nearly completed, which will employ about 100 men.

A new coal mine has been opened by Smith & Hennessy on Isthmus Inlet, four miles above Marshfield. It was producing fifty tons daily, and by January 1 will be turning out 250 tons daily.

The Southern Pacific is opening a new coal mine to take the place of the Beaver Hill mine, which has been worked out, and all other mines of the district are working at full capacity.

Not a Candidate.—G. W. Kaufman, whose name had been mentioned as a possible candidate for Councilman, stated today that he was not a candidate and would not be under any consideration. He said that he appreciated the honor that had been done him, but he simply could not take the place. Harry G. Hoy is one of the latest who has been suggested as a possible candidate for Mayor for the coming election.

After Geese.—Tom James went to Ten Mile today to try and get a bag of wild geese, which are reported to be numerous there now. Duck and snipe shooting is said to be better now than it has been this fall.

COLLEGE IS PROSPERING

Directors of Coos Bay Business College Hold Meetings Here.

The directors of the Coos Bay Business College met last evening at the office of the Coos Bay Realty Co. with directors Claude Nashburg, Chester W. Wolcott, Thos. Rooke and E. B. Jones present.

This was the regular monthly meeting of the directors and the principal business of the evening was the payment of bills and the consideration for the additional betterment of the school. The treasurer's report showed the College in good financial condition and the school is meeting with increased patronage.

Secretary of Navy Says Sovereign Voters are Abdicating Most Important Duty.

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 16.—Advocating compulsory voting, Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels, in an interview in the Yale News said today: "We have come to the time in our National life when compulsory voting must decide for itself. The sovereign voters of this republic are abdicating the most important duty of citizenship. Should they be allowed to desert in this way, any more than a man should be allowed to desert from the Army in time of war? If we require citizens to serve on juries, to bear arms, to obey processes of court, to work on roads in many districts, and to pay taxes, may we not also make it compulsory for them to vote?"

HINT FOR MEXICO
"Yes, war will be expensive," said the leader of the land.
"And yet I mean to go ahead,
Though we've no cash on hand,
Because, you see, for all our fights
I have arranged to get
Enough for the moving picture rights
To cancel every debt."

LOCAL OVERFLOW.

Inspect Road.—C. A. Smith, Vernon Smith and Arno Meresen have returned from Myrtle Point where they went yesterday to inspect the construction of the Smith-Powers logging road.

Delays Repairs.—E. W. Steele stated today that they would not repair the Gorst & King hydroplane, which was damaged recently at Newport, until next spring. Steele is resuming his old occupation as a machinist and will work in the Nelson shop.

Initiate Three.—John A. Blatt of Marshfield, M. J. Slatky and Walter Angus of Gardner were initiated by the Marshfield E.P.'s lodge last evening. There was not as good a turnout as had been hoped for, but the candidates "got theirs." The usual good time was enjoyed following the initiation.

Roseberg at Bandon.—Mr. Smith of Bay Park, who has just returned from Bandon states that Gus Roseberg of Bunker Hill, who suddenly left two weeks ago without saying anything to any of his friends is now at Bandon and employed on the new bank building there. Roseberg was formerly interested in the Libbed store at Bunker Hill.

Carried Wheat.—A. H. Stutsman yesterday performed an unusual feat. He went to A. T. Haines' store to buy a 125 pound sack of flour. It was raining and Will Sullivan, the driver, objected to hauling it up to Stutsman's place. Stutsman replied that it wasn't hard and that he could carry it up there himself. "If you can, you can have it," retorted Sullivan. "All right," responded Stutsman and he shouldered the 125 pound sack of wheat and carried it ten blocks and up the steep hill to his place without ever setting it down. Sullivan paid for the wheat.

PERSONAL OVERFLOW

MR. AND MRS. FRANK HOFFMAN, and daughter, Lorena, arrived on the Breakwater this morning from Portland, and left on the morning train for Coquille, where they expect to make their future home.

R. L. ZUMWALT returned this morning on the Breakwater from

Portland and Washington points, where he has been visiting for the past six weeks, and went out on the train this morning to his home in Myrtle Point.

MR. AND MRS. CLAUD H. CURTIS returned today from Portland where they have spent a month or so with relatives. Mr. Curtis is employed by the Union Meat Company.

C. R. PECK went to Coquille this afternoon to attend court.

JOHN D. GOSS went to Coquille today to attend court.

F. E. WESTERBERG and Mr. Murphy returned today from Myrtle Point where they have perfected plans for opening a new 5 and 10-cent store.

JUDGE JOHN F. HALL and Tom Hall are Tom Hall are expected home tonight or tomorrow from Coquille, where they have been attending court.

F. A. HAINES, engineer in charge of construction of the Smith-Powers line near Myrtle Point, is in Marshfield today on business.

AMONG THE SICK

A. P. Owen, who was taken suddenly ill the night before last at his summer home on South Coos River, is much improved today and was able to be up and around. He was brought down in a special boat. That the attack was not more serious was a source of gratification to the well-known pioneer.

The Royal TONIGHT

A feature every night.

Punch & Judy in addition to the regular performance of pictures and magic by Ali Zada.

In Photoplay—"The Transgressor,"—A two-reel feature by the Broncho Co.

"Gaiumont Weekly"—Showing the celebration at Oregon City of the opening of the new \$1,000,000 bridge across the Willamette River.

"When Scandal Threatened"—A good picture by Gaumont.

Admission—Lower floor 15c. Balcony 10c.

R. L. ZUMWALT returned this morning on the Breakwater from

reel hand-colored picture.

FURNITURE AIDS TO SOLID COMFORT

Life is what your furniture dealer makes it. Your home

is comfortable according to the wisdom and good sense of

your advisors and suppliers of its furnishings. Carelessness,

not comfort, is costly. Hundreds of homes are not furnished

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