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COUNTY COURT WILL ENFORCE WEED LAW

The law passed by the recent session of the Oregon legislature for the suppression of noxious weeds in public highways, on farming land and in cities, will be vigorously enforced by the county court of Umatilla county. Weeds of all kinds are more plentiful than ever this year and farmers are bitterly complaining of the spread of some of the more objectionable kinds which are included in the provisions of the weed law. The East Oregonian publishes the law for the information of its readers in hopes that it will stimulate an interest in the matter and rid the county of weeds. The law takes effect May 25, and is as follows:

Section 1. It shall be the duty of each road supervisor in each road district in this state, in addition to the duties heretofore prescribed by law, to ascertain from time to time and know whether or not there is in his district any weed known as Russian thistle, Canadian thistle, Chinese thistle or white mustard, cockle burr, known as dagger cockle burr, and silver salt bush, and he shall as he ascertains, that there is any such weeds, and before any thereof have shed its bloom or commenced to form the seed, serve or cause to be served upon the owner, if he be known and residing within the county, and if not, upon the occupant of the premises upon which weeds or thistles may be, a notice in writing notifying said owner or occupant of the existence of said thistle, weed or weeds, and in such notice shall give the name of such weed and the description of the land upon which the same is growing.

Said notice shall be served by delivering to the occupant or person in charge of the premises a copy thereof duly certified to be such by the person serving the same, and if there be no occupant of such land upon which such weed may be growing, then such notice shall be served by posting in three conspicuous places upon said premises a copy of said notice, duly certified to be such by said road supervisor.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of each road supervisor in each road district in the state to call a sufficient number of laborers to cut down and destroy before the same has dropped its bloom or seed, any of the above named weeds, found growing at any time hereafter in the highways or upon any public lands in his road district, and the county court shall admit and allow the amount of expenses and just and reasonable charge for such work, as other claims or bills filed by the road supervisors.

Sec. 3. If any road supervisor of any road district in this state carelessly or willfully neglects any of the duties imposed by this act, or violates

any of the provisions thereof, he shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$50 and not more than \$150 for each offense.

Cities Must Clean Up.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of all municipal corporations in this state to provide for the extermination of said Russian thistle, Canada thistle or Chinese thistle, within the limits of such corporation, or upon vacant lands within said corporation; and any city or town incorporated within this state neglecting or refusing to comply with the provisions of this act, shall be liable to a forfeiture to the county in which said municipal corporation is situated, the sum of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500 to be recovered against such municipal corporation in a suit maintained by the county in which the said municipal corporation is situated.

A SEAT OF MANY ILLS.

Eye Strain is Responsible for a Number of Ailments.

When the specialist to whom they had taken their sixteen-year-old daughter on account of what seemed to be a case of incipient melancholia diagnosed the case as one of eye strain and ordered prompt treatment from an oculist, the parents of a young New York girl were astonished. Eye strain seemed as remote from melancholia as would corns on the feet. Their astonishment was proportionately increased when after a few treatments and acquiring glasses the child showed noticeable improvement.

Latter day medical science traces to eye strain many ills which seem so remote from the eyes that formerly physicians never thought of establishing a connection between them. Sick headache, nervousness, melancholia, insomnia, are but a few which have of late been laid to the door of weak eyes, the proper treatment having been neglected.

Nervous diseases of the nature of St. Vitus' dance are now thought to originate frequently in eye trouble. The weak eyes blink incessantly, and this leads to a general contortion of the facial muscles, which grows on the subject through constant repetition.—Exchange.

The Names of Tea.

We talk glibly about Pekoe, Bohae, etc., but few people have any idea of what these names signify. "Pekoe" in the dialect of Canton means "white hair," for the tea which bears this name is made from the youngest leaves so young that the white down is still on them. "Soochong" in the same dialect is a quite unpoetic name. It merely signifies "small kind." "Flourishing spring" is the meaning of "Hyson." "Kongo" signifies "labor." Much trouble and toil are expended in its preparation at Amoy, and these are commemorated in its name. "Bohea" is called after a range of hills.—Portland (Ore.) Journal.

To Clean Bronzes.

It is not a good plan to clean bronzes, as the polish is very easily spoiled, but if necessary nothing is better than cleaning them with water and ammonia, using a stiff brush like a nailbrush. Dry carefully after rinsing thoroughly. They should be carefully dusted every day with a soft cloth and a feather brush, and a little sweet oil may be rubbed on occasionally. To remove stains from bronze make the article very hot by dipping it in boiling water. Then rub it with a piece of flannel dipped in suds made from yellow soap, rubbing clean with soft linen cloths.

Good For Evil.

There are some people who turn gray, but do not grow hoary; whose faces are furrowed, but not wrinkled; whose hearts are sorely wounded in many places, but are not dead. There is a youth that bids defiance to old age, and there is a kindness which laughs at the world's usage. These are they who have returned good for evil. Whom the gods love die young, and they die young because they never grow old.—Selected.

When a man falls everybody is ready to give the reason for it. When a man succeeds everybody is ready to express surprise.

Dehorning a Rhinoceros.

A rhinoceros which lived in the London zoo was troubled by its horn, which grew down in front of its mouth, so that only with difficulty could it eat or drink. To save its life the keeper decided on amputation. The horn of a rhinoceros is not a horn at all, but an accumulation of hair and skin which has hardened and become cemented together by some gummy substance. The owner of this one had a very touchy temper and was not easily approached. Its keeper, however, decided to try what he could do. For some days it required all his skill to persuade the beast to come to the front of the cage and put its horn through. Then for some days he stroked the horn, much to the animal's disgust at first, although later it seemed to like it. When it found he meant no harm it let him take the horn in his left hand and then with the right imitate the motion of a saw across it. When this had been done some time and the rhinoceros no longer minded it, a piece of wood was held in the right hand, and at last, when even this no longer worried the animal, a real saw was brought in and the horn cut off without the slightest remonstrance from the owner of it.

Outcome Always Same.

A Philadelphian was praising for his learning and uprightness the late Judge M. Russell Thayer. He quoted the moving passage from Judge Thayer's will, "Owing to the fact that almost my entire life has been passed in the public service of the United States and of the state of Pennsylvania, I have but a small estate to leave to my dear children and wife."

"Judge Thayer," he continued, "was a very honorable man. First as a lawyer, afterward as a judge, he treated all with whom he had dealings with the greatest fairness. Once, years ago, after he had served me well in a difficult case, I remonstrated with him about the smallness of his fee.

"Well," he said, smiling and smelling the flower in his buttonhole, "I, you know, am not that type of lawyer whose client once said:

"I never was entirely ruined but twice—once when I lost a lawsuit and once when I gained one."—Washington Star.

A Terrible Punishment.

A man suspected of treason in Morocco was punished by having the flesh of his hand sliced, the wound filled with salt and the whole hand sewed up in leather. It is a common belief that this punishment causes mortification to set in and that the hand decomposes, but such is not the case, for by the time the leather wears off the hand is healed, the result being that the hand is rendered useless and remains closed forever. It is a punishment not often in use, but is sometimes done in cases of murder or constant theft, as, without in any way injuring the health of the man, it prevents his committing the crime a second time or for the hundredth time, as the case may be. It is a punishment that cannot be applied except by the sultan's orders.—Blackwood's Magazine.

A Fairly Big Fish.

Paddy had been telling the story of a big pike he caught, too big to get into the boat, so that he had to be towed behind (with the gaff in it, it must be understood). Then followed this dialogue: "What weight, Paddy?" "Divvil a know I know, but he was an ojus baste." "Was that the biggest you ever saw, Paddy?" Then Paddy gave a description of the biggest he ever saw. "What weight, Paddy?" "Sorra a bit I know. He was a terror." "How big, Paddy?" "Sure, I can't tell to a foot or two, but a man could walk down his throat." On this incredulity, but Paddy "clenched the matter and silenced all controversy" by adding, "Wid his hat on!"—Angler's Evenings.

Emergency Foods.

According to Dr. Robert Hutchinson of London, if at any time meat is not available, bread, sugar and eggs will make "a very respectable support for the body." Sugar is an exceedingly valuable article of food as a source of energy, the unfortunate thing about it being that it contains no nitrogenous matter. Bread, however, does contain some; hence it balances up well when combined with sugar. In times of scarcity of food bread and molasses is not a half bad diet—at least it can be relied on to keep the body up to a fair state of efficiency.

Women as Walkers.

Even the athletic girls and women of today can hardly make any advance upon the record of Mary Lamb, who wrote to Miss Wordsworth (both women being between fifty and sixty years old): "You say you can walk fifteen miles with ease. That is exactly my stint." She then speaks pitifully of a delicate woman who could accomplish "only four or five miles every third or fourth day, keeping very quiet between."

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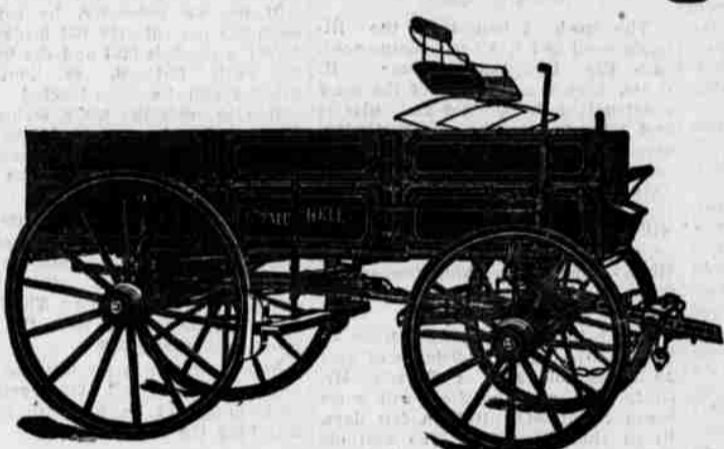
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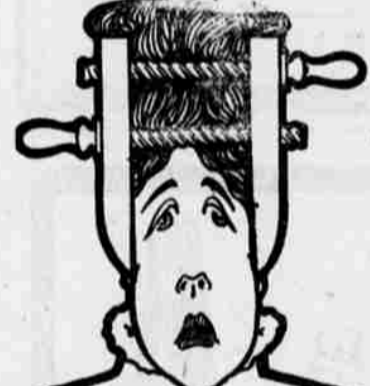
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