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ALONG THE ROAD

I walked a mile with Pleasure,
She chatted all the way!
And left me none the wiser
For all she had to say.
I walked a mile with Sorrow,
And never a word said she;
But, oh, the things I learned
From her,
When sorrow walked with me.
—Robert Browning Hamilton in
Century Magazine.

SELLING STOCK

AUCH comment, pro and con, has resulted in stock raising circles because of the practice of some large producers selling their cattle in the eastern market instead of in Portland. The sale of a recent shipment in Kansas City brought forth not only an article from North Portland but a communication from a local stock authority on the subject.

Stock raisers, like all other human beings, will sell their product where the most net return comes from. With range conditions as they are this year, it is not always possible for a stockman to hold his cattle for a favorable market in Portland, although all would willingly patronize the closer market. The prevailing prices in the middle west in all lines, cattle, sheep and hogs, have been such that in spite of a long transit period and higher freight, the net return is greater.

Again, range conditions have caused the flow to market to be greater than usual and thus more difficult to regulate. It does not require a great shipment of stock to swamp the Portland market, stockmen say, and when the necessity, caused by feed shortage, comes for unloading, the price may easily be forced down. The middle west

on the other hand, can assimilate quantities, they say.

Much stock is sent to the coast yards and whenever net returns are favorable, local shippers patronize them. The argument of J. C. Lomergan that the local raisers should cooperate more closely with the local yards is logical only so long as it works both ways. If the Portland yards allowed California cattle to flood the market at one time, as his communication says, the local buyers were discriminating against the local raisers.

It may be that Eastern Oregon at that time was not furnishing enough stock to keep the cattle market supplied; as to that he did not say. Ordinarily, this section can feed the northwest. When the supply can not be regulated, however, that close cooperation can not be maintained. Therefore, it is good business for the stock yards to use California stock to meet the demand, it is good business for Eastern Oregon stockmen to go to a better paying market with the surplus which would be a drug on the Portland market.

BETTERING THE RACE

ADOPTION of a program of universal military training such as is proposed in a bill now in committee in congress may not come without considerable controversy. The provisions of the proposed act, the wisdom of such legislation and the necessity likely will be threshed out in great detail. Whatever results, some system for training the youth of the nation appears of paramount importance.

The selective service draft showed that from one third to one half our drafted men were physically unfit for ser-

vice. These men were unfit for war; their defects handicapped them for the greatest usefulness in peace time. The defects were not largely of accident but of heredity and early environment. Many of the shortcomings were slight and of minor importance, yet by systematic handling in the early years of the youth's life, might have been avoided.

General Leonard Wood, in a report on the drafted men said that 30 per cent called were wholly unfit for service while among the remaining 70 per cent were found many with flat chests, spinal curvatures and deformities, flat feet, poor muscular development, defective teeth and sluggish coordination of mind and muscle. These conditions are not the result of pre-natal influence but of improper direction of the youth.

Knowledge of personal hygiene was lacking in so many cases that many men were lost to the army. From the south came hundreds of men affected with hookworm. From all walks of life men were taken who had to be rejected because the provision for their early training was lacking.

A nation does not raise a race of strong, keen alert men for the battle fields. It must have them for the battle of commerce and industry as well. In order to do this, supervision of some kind must be instituted with the early schooling of boys. Physical and mental quickening and deepened education are necessary. Perhaps only the military system will give this. However it comes, it will fill a want in our national life.

MINERAL CLAIMS HEARD
PORTLAND, Aug. 6.—The federal mineral relief commission, headed by ex-senator Shafroth of Colorado, opened hearings here Monday following a hearing which they conducted at Medford, Ore. There they heard the claims of miners of southern Oregon and northern California.

The hearings were ordered by the government to clarify claims which had been filed by miners who responded to the government's appeal during the war, for certain metals, finding themselves financially out and injured when the armistice was signed.

Tired Mothers. It's hard work to take care of children and to cook, sweep, wash, sew and mend besides. Tired mothers should take Hood's Sarsaparilla—it refreshes the blood, improves the appetite, assures restful sleep and helps in many ways.

Take home a Delta fancy brick of Ice Cream. They are put up in cardboard cartons and will keep for one hour.

N. Y. Raises Memorial Fund.
STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Aug. 6.—According to telegraphic word here today from Brodie Higley, '99 men of Stanford, now in New York, the \$10,000 assigned as the New York quota of the Stanford memorial fund has been raised. Higley was appointed by the committee of fifty in charge of the raising of funds for the memorial hall to commemorate the Stanford men and women who died in the great war to take charge of the New York committee.

PIMPLES ON CHIN ITCHED BADLY

Spread Over Face. Scaled Over. Cuticura Heals.



"I had pimples, mostly on my chin, but they spread to other parts of my face. They scaled over and were very large, and my skin was sore and red. They itched very badly and it caused disfigurement. Then I used Cuticura. I put the Cuticura Ointment on and let it sit about five minutes, and then I washed it off with the Cuticura Soap and hot water. Now, I am healed!" (Signed) Miss Elizabeth Hughes, Raymond, Calif.

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A REAL TREAT

Say, Bill, did you ever go to a venison barbecue. If not, you will surely come in for a surprise at Harriman Lodge, Pelican Bay on the Upper Klamath Falls, next month. And if you have that yearning for another taste of the venison is going to be gratified.

Just to show you what the brothers down in Klamath Falls are doing to assure you a good time during your visit in the southeastern part of the state, they have imported a "sausa" from Salinas, California, who is noted throughout the country as a man who can prepare venison to a "queen's taste."

It's just one of a multitude of surprises awaiting you in Klamath Falls, August 14, 15 and 16.

Elks Attention

MEMBERS OF PENDLETON LODGE 238 B. P. O. E. WILL MEET AT THE ELKS' TEMPLE THURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 7, AT 8 O'CLOCK. BUSINESS OF IMPORTANCE.

THE BUILDING COMMITTEE WILL HAVE AN IMPORTANT REPORT TO MAKE AT THE MEETING.

The "Pep" committee will perfect arrangements for the Klamath Falls trip. Refreshments.

BY ORDER OF

L. D. DRAKE, Exalted Ruler,
THOS. FITZ GERALD, Sec.

All Aboard for Klamath Falls.
August 14, 15, and 16. Klamath Falls, Oregon.
Second Annual State Convention.

The "Pep" Committee is arranging for a special Pullman car to leave Pendleton for Klamath Falls Tuesday night, Aug. 12, which will be attached to the "Portland Elk Special." See the committee for your reservation at once.

If it's a jazy time you're looking for, if it's three days of solid fun, in other words if you're just "rarin' to go," don't overlook this big time at Klamath Falls, August 14, 15 and 16. All the like ones will be there.

Be sure and attend this meeting Thursday evening and get in line for this trip. In the meantime let the "Pep" Committee put you wise.

"JAZZ" FLETCHER
"WHISPER" WAFFLE
"CHIEF" WELCH
"FORD" SIMPSON
"HAPPY" GRIGGS
"DUSTY" RHODES
"Pep" Committee

Everybody's Goin' to
be There.

Don't forget the
dates, August 14, 15,
and 16. Boost brother,
boost.

All right, brothers, make
your reservations now for
Klamath Falls.

Yep, Old Pep and "Jazz"
will be there with their troupe
of "stunners" to give every-
body a good time.

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BUILD NOW!

Never before in the history of this country has the building outlook been so bright.

Recent government investigations show that over 1,000,000 homes are needed at once to simply allow building to catch up with our ever increasing population. Within the next twelve months we must make up for the halting of all but essential construction during the war and at the same time provide for the normal development of building during the coming year.

THE COST

of the building material depends upon the cost of the raw material, production and transportation. The cost of production is the largest item and it in turn depends largely upon the cost of labor. Wages are not going down, and yet, even at present prices, building material, in terms of wages, wheat or profits is not high.

Prices Will Not Decline Abruptly

To demonstrate that we have confidence in what we say and will make good on it, we say to our customers who want to build a house, barn, granary or any other extensive improvement that we will guarantee to protect them against any decline in Lumber up to July first, 1920. That if the lumber market declines, we will rebate our customers the difference between the present market and the price based upon the market on July first, 1920. Lumber List number six now in effect, issued by the West Coast Manufacturers Association, and the official list in effect on July first, 1920, will be used, which officially determines the market now and on July first next.

Everything to Gain and Nothing to Lose

Our customers who build will have the use and benefit of their house, barn or other building, and if the price declines, will be refunded to conform to market July first, 1920. If material goes up, they will have use and benefit of their building and not have to wait for it and without paying extra for it. If the market remains as it is, our customer will not lose by hesitating. We mean business! We will give you the guarantee in writing! Now let's go! Come and see me if you want to repair, or build. We can be of assistance to you. If you want any assistance in planning your building, see us.



Oregon Lumber Yard

