

THE LABOR EXCHANGE.

Song of the Toiler.

(Air: Tramp, tramp, tramp.)

Idle laborers we see,
All about this land so free,
Seeking for an honest chance to get some cash;

Now a market we shall find,
For the products of each kind,
And each one may work at that which suits him best;

Mothers, wives and sisters, too,
All may join this order new,
And with us march on to prosperous times once more.

Will Adopt Labor Exchange Methods.
The Colorado Co-operative Colony,
of Pinon, Montrose county,
are building an irrigating ditch

Labor Exchange Guide: Every one believes in justice,
pretends to believe in it, or thinks he believes in it.
But few understand it.
In different localities, different ages and different races, it has had different meanings.

Friend of Labor: Some so-called reformers actually think that money is responsible for all the progress and elevation of man.
While some kind of circulating medium is necessary for facilitating the exchange of commodities,

Accountant: The Vancouver branch No. 180, shipped 35,000 fruit baskets to Corvallis, Oregon, recently.
They now have 43 employees in all, and are running their box factory day and night.

Accountant: With an increase in the volume of circulating medium, and bounteous crops throughout the country generally, there will no doubt be a temporary improvement along all lines of business, but permanent prosperity will never be known until all the great manufacturing and productive industries are owned and operated by the people on the co-operative plan.

RHEUMATISM Chronic, Acute, or Inflammatory of the Muscles, Joints, and Bones is cured by SWANSON'S RHEUMATIC CURE.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Pat in your turnips. Mrs. S. S. Barklow, of Norway, was in town last Wednesday.
Attorney J. M. Upton, of Bandon, was on our streets last Wednesday.

W. H. Nosler has his new house ready for occupancy. It will be a nice home.
WANTED—To trade Bandon property for Coquille City property. Inquire at this office.

County Surveyor S. B. Cathcart passed homeward from the upper-riber section last Wednesday.
J. H. Collier and son Joe, and daughters Effie and Ruby, came down from the mines last Thursday.

WANTED—A good dairy farm of from 100 to 300 acres, already stocked with good dairy cows, for a cheesery. Will lease for a few years with privilege of buying.
S. F. Campion, collector for the publishing firm of P. F. Collier & Co. of New York, was on his round at this place last week.

L. L. Dietz, a practical watch repairer, will soon open a shop in Coquille City—in the meantime will do all kinds of repairing at home, at the Judge Nosler residence.
Grandpa and Grandma Deval came down from Myrtle Point last Wednesday and were the guests of their grand son-in-law and granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Rackleff.

WANTED—FAITHFUL MEN OR women to travel for responsible established house in Oregon. Salary \$750 m. expenses. Position permanent. Referenced. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The National Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

Miss Lizzie Todd, a grand-daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Foutz of this city arrived at this place from her home at St. Petersburg, Florida, a few days ago, to make her home here.

To Trade—For a farm near Coquille City: A house and lot in Florence, Texas, worth \$1200, or 240 acres of land—40 acres improved, house insured for \$400; all fenced; 90 miles from San Antonio, Texas. Or 160 acres in western Nebraska, adjoining Grant, county seat of Perkins county. Considerable improvement on this place; a well that cost \$200. For further information, call at the Herald office.

Our wagonmakers, Wilson & Field, have built a nice road cart and a spring wagon, equal to anything ever put up in Coos county. The wagon especially is a credit to any firm, neat, strong and handsome, and shows that we have skilled workmen in that line of business.

A prospective change of political business management of one of the patent outside circulars in this valley is on the tapis—we don't know whether of that in this city or at another point, and don't care. They can't be any more hostile to the best interests of the county, whether representing political slysters or class interests for the tip that is in them; there is no principle at stake.

It is the same old story and yet constantly recurring that Simmons Liver Regulator is the best family medicine. "We have used it in our family for eight years and find it the best medicine we ever used. We think there is no such medicine as Simmons Liver Regulator."—Mrs. M. E. S. Adington, Franklin, N. C. "Each member of our family uses it as occasion requires."—W. B. Smith, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Adam Pershaker, of Prosper, was up last Wednesday on business. We should hardly assign Mr. P. as "of Prosper," for he belongs to this whole valley and to each individually, being a whole-souled, public spirited, unselfish citizen. Mr. P. is talking "business," with a view to developing our section without dependence on outside selfishness and greed. He goes on the proper principle that what benefits the whole helps him also.

The Herald does not contain any columns are devoted entirely to news matter, but it gives Free of Charge to every cash in advance subscriber the best farm, fruit and dairy paper printed on the Pacific coast. The Rural Northwest is a sixteen page paper, published semi-monthly, and contains much of interest to those who are engaged in agricultural pursuits. For the regular subscription price of \$2 in advance both THE HERALD and Rural Northwest may be received.
D. Toy and wife, of the South Fork section, were visiting Coquille last Thursday on business and prospecting. The Herald had a pleasant call from these very pleasant and clever people, and hopes soon to add them in locating at this place. Mr. F. is a retired tycoon, his health having failed him from constant night work on daily papers in the south, and he locates here for the climatic advantages and to change to ranch life. Mrs. T. is a charming lady, a born Webfoot, and sister of our rustling fellow-citizen Ed Sherwood, of Myrtle Point.

Capital Journal "X" Rays.

There wasn't a single office-seeker in the numerous escort given Congressman Tongue and Hooker as they went on their weary voyage down the Willamette at a low summer stage. But then the fellows who traded off Binger Hermann (because he had voted for free coinage 20 to 1) for an unknown national banker and railroad attorney, so that Oregon lost her representative on the river and harbors appropriation committee, had to go through the motions and genuflections. Moral and religious people are hereafter going to draw the line on any Salem merchant who conducts a bicycle lottery and then cheats the holder of the winning ticket out of his prize. Salem peanut politicians are raging like Nubian lions over the impending distribution of federal offices, while the possibility of Corbett's appointment hangs over their heads like the sword of Damocles. "Why does that piano sound first high and then low when Miss Wilson plays it?" "Well, you see, she is learning to ride a wheel, and uses both pedals from force of habit."

Oregonian: Developments in the Fair-Craven will case show that the attorneys of San Francisco are keeping up their reputation for prostituting the courts, bribing juries and manufacturing perjured testimony. So malodorous is the jurisprudence of the courts of that city that a Portland attorney can scarcely go into them without holding his nose. The standard of honor and professional ethics held by attorneys occupying prominent positions in the bar there is below that considered here as a reflection upon the police court.

School children and others using pen and ink should be very careful about getting scratched or pricked with a pen wet with ink, for there have been cases of poisoning resulting in death directly traceable to an accident of this kind. All inks may not be poisonous, but it is safer not to risk any of them; chemicals used in the manufacture of most if not all of them would be injurious if injected into the circulation.

It seems that the old system of bleeding patients may be revived in certain cases to advantage. A man who had been poisoned with laudanum, and who was practically dead, had life and strength brought back to him by removing the poisoned blood and replacing it with the constituent parts of blood, letting nature do the rest. This was successfully accomplished in a Philadelphia hospital recently.

The Kansas man who is printing a little daily paper on Pike's Peak, at a height of 14,170 feet, is said to be clearing \$25 to \$35 a day. A morning and evening edition are printed, with two pages devoted to the events of the day on the peak, chiefly relating to the arrival of excursionists, who carry off a considerable issue as souvenirs.

Latest advices estimate Nebraska's wheat crop at the unprecedented amount of 45,000,000 bushels, and the corn crop at 350,000,000. In South Dakota wheat will average 15 bushels to the acre, a total of 20,000,000, and corn 40 bushels to the acre, or 200,000,000 bushels in all.

"The injured man," says a Topeka paper, "was taken to a hospital, where it will take some time to tell how fatal his wounds may prove." After which the undertaker will no doubt hold the body some time to determine how dead it is.

Geo. Bayless, a smart Aleo of Topeka, scorned the use of smoked glass while looking at the eclipse some weeks ago, and since then he can see nothing but that eclipse with one eye and nothing at all with the other.

To persons who desire to believe in the growth of popular intelligence, nothing could be more discouraging than the statement that 116,703 letters were misdirected in Boston last year.

In the case of the young man who was arrested in Chicago for stealing 40 cans of pork and beans, a continuance was granted until the prisoner could hear from his friends in Boston.

A Chicago church choir of forty members will spend a week at a country residence near Milwaukee. The chorists are all boys, so the house will be big enough to hold them.

An exchange recently stated that they had "a new corpse of teachers" and then proceeded to name eight but failed to give the date of the funeral.
The famous Joe Bowers (all the way from Pike) is to have a monument in Jefferson City, Missouri, to perpetuate his memory.
The gold output of California last year is stated to have been \$13,906,529, and the cost of digging this sum, \$12,506,555.
In six counties in south Missouri there are 8600 acres planted to peach trees and 20,500 acres planted to apple trees.
Japan had only one newspaper twenty-five years ago. Now it has 2000.

49 YEARS OF SUFFERING FROM RHEUMATISM. SWANSON RHEUMATIC CURE CO. 167 Dearborn Street, CHICAGO, ILL. U. S. A.

Read carefully this testimonial found below, selections from those who have been cured of their diseases. And remember that "Drops" has and can never fail to quickly relieve and permanently cure.
DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering from Rheumatism and Neuralgia since I was 14 years old. I have had Neuralgia in my chest, suffering a great deal of pain, so much so that it affected my heart and he could not sleep on account of a smothered feeling. He has been under the care of the most eminent physicians, but found no relief until I gave him a dose of "Drops." The very first night he rested well, and his exertions, and his sleeping daily. I myself am 67 years old and began taking your medicine last April for Rheumatism, which I have had for 40 years, also for a weak heart. Since taking "Drops" the Rheumatism has all disappeared, the stiffness is gone from my joints, and my heart never misses a beat. I am to-day a well, strong woman, and I owe it to "Drops." I only wish I could send my bag of praise loud enough to be heard all over the world, and could convince every one that "Drops" is all you claim it to be and more.

34 YEARS OF SUFFERING. DEAR SIR:—I had Typhoid Fever, and barely escaped with my life. It left my system so shattered that I have had, ever since, Rheumatism and those "Drops" which gave me a terrible cough. I had been unable to find any relief for this disease until I learned of your "Drops" which I commenced taking only two months ago, and my cure has been indeed wonderful. Already my cough has entirely disappeared, and the Rheumatism which for a few years past has threatened to make a cripple of me, is cured, and I am free from pain. This is the most wonderful and efficacious remedy ever discovered. I am more thankful to you than words can tell and I want everybody to know what "Drops" has done for me. Although I am over 70 years old, I am feeling better than I have in years. I will send you a letter that I have in my pocket, and I shall be glad to answer any questions regarding my case from anyone enclosing a return card stamp.
MRS. SAMUEL RIBBLE, Litchfield, Mich.
I had the bottle of "Drops" for Catarrh and Haemorrhoids. I had been suffering from Catarrh and Haemorrhoids for 16 years. She has tried everything and doctored much, but no cure until she tried "Drops" which cured her in a few days. Yours truly, REV. L. VON WALD, March 31, 1896. Milwaukee, Wis.

NEURALGIA AND SCIATICA. For twenty years my wife suffered untold tortures from Sciatica and Neuralgia, and I thank God for the day that your heavenly remedy fell into my hands, for it completely cured her in a matter of minutes of the disease, and when I find any who suffer, cannot help but recommend "Drops" for them.

What is the length of a flour barrel? What animals have no upper teeth, and why? The distinguished astronomer Kepler was the son of an officer in the army; the poet Wordsworth and Sir Walter Scott, of attorneys; Chatterton, of a schoolmaster; Handel, of a surgeon; Thomas Hood and Samuel Jackson, of booksellers; Mozart, of a bookbinder; Blackstone, the eminent lawyer, of a silk mercer; the poet Pope, of a linen draper; Sir Isaac Newton, of a farmer; Thomas Arnold, of a tax collector; De Foe and Aken-side, of butchers; Dr. Jeremy Taylor, of a hairdresser; the artist Turner, of a barber; Christopher Columbus, of a woolcomber; the great astronomer Halley, of a soap-boiler; Haydn, of a wheelwright; Luther, of a miner; Lord Eldon, the famous lawyer, of a collier; George Fox, of a weaver; Captain Cook, of an agricultural laborer; and last but not least, John Bunyan, of a tinker.

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DO YOU WANT A NICE HOME? THE HERALD LAND COMPANY OFFERS

NO. 112—160 acres; 20 acres bottom land, about 10 acres of which is cleared. 150 bearing fruit trees. Abundance of good fresh water. Good 2-story house; barn, chicken-house, etc. 1 1/2 miles from Alphegus Landing on Coos River. Easy terms. Great bargain.

NO. 207—160 acres; 40 acres bottom; 18 acres meadow; 2 acres orchard and small fruit trees. 20 acres pasture cleared; 20 acres bench pasture—all under fence. One new house, 9 rooms all finished; one barn 20x44, one barn 30x50, wood-house, smoke-house and other outbuildings; farm tools and implements and dairy fixtures; cows, sheep, hogs and young stock. A good place for a dairyman. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

NO. 200—320 acres, title perfect, 50 acres creek bottom, plenty white cedar timber, very little improvements, located 12 miles from Bandon, 5 miles from Dairyville, on route between these two places; 3/4 of a mile from New Lake schoolhouse. This is a valuable tract of land, and is the best bargain in Coos county. Call and learn price and terms.

NO. 205—160 acres, 1/4 mile from Gravel Ford creamery, 30 acres in grass, garden, some fruit trees, berries and small fruits, a fair dwelling, corral, chicken-house, woodshed, etc. Will take a wagon and team in part payment. Price of property, \$700.

TIMBER LAND FOR SALE, by The Herald Land Co. 320 acres of the finest timber in Coos county for lumbering, being mainly yellow fir, and extra fine. This body of timber is located on the North Fork of the Coquille river, and lies directly on the river and is well situated for logging. If sold soon it can be had cheap. Enquire at the Herald office and go and see the timber.

NO. 214—160 acres of choice land, situated 1/2 mile from Prosper and 3/4 mile from Bandon, well watered with beautiful mountain streams, fine fire and cedar timber; good house, with double fire place; 2 1/2 acres cleared; 1 mile from schoolhouse; good blackland prospects on the place. Price, \$800—government title.

A 50 ACRE FARM—all in cultivation; 40 acres as good bottom land as can be found in Coos county; 10 acres level bench, good orchard with all kinds of fruit in abundance; good house and barn, good fencing, and everything in first-class condition; farming tools, some stock cattle, chickens, hogs, etc. This lovely home is located in a nice neighborhood, with good school and church advantages. It is 1/2 mile from steamboat landing on river, and 5 miles from Coquille City. This place can be bought for \$3700, on good terms. Call at, or write the Herald office, Coquille City, Oregon.

NO. 209—COAL AND TIMBER land of 160 acres, 25 acres in grass, 80 acres extra white cedar and fir timber, all underlaid with coal, with 40 inch face in sight, within 4 miles of ocean steamer landing. At 1/2 price of coal land sold by the government. A good investment for anyone.

NO. 208—Stock ranch of 160 acres, good house and barn, all under fence, 25 acres in meadow and grasses, 6 acres in cultivation, 2 acres in fruit trees, including plums, peaches, etc. Good spring of water. Three miles from P. O., good roads. Twenty-four miles from railroad at Roseburg. Will sell cheap, or trade for Coquille City property. Easy Terms.

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS. If you are one of the 10,000 positions in the government service, this Bureau can advise you. The Chief of this Dept. has had 20 years experience as Chief Examiner of Patents, and Patent Attorney, and is very successful in securing broad patents and in the prosecution of all patent litigation before the courts.