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WE CAN STAND IT.

On account of certain prejudices aroused in China, more largely in Shanghai than elsewhere, the children of the celestial kingdom now propose to boycott the United States. In fact, the boycott is already on, if one is to believe reports.

By this action there is little doubt but the United States will lose, but China will suffer more largely than we will in the long run. We have been sending China great quantities of materials and goods of various character each year and at most reasonable figures. Considering the quality of our exports, our prices could not be met by any country in Europe, and this has aroused the jealousy of Germany, England and France. China is now playing into the hands of these peoples.

The Chinese now claim to be indignant over the matter of the exclusion of themselves from this country. They fancy their dignity has been hurt. This sentiment is more largely due to the attitude of the San Francisco labor unions than any other cause. While they may not be aware of the fact, they are playing right into the hands of the Frisco unionists, for in boycotting this country they antagonize elements known to be friendly to the institution of a new treaty between this country and China—a treaty whereby China was to receive more liberal terms for certain classes of her subjects, such as students, merchants, travelers, scientists and the like.

So far as throwing down the bars to countless millions of China's coolie element is concerned, it is safe to predict that this country will never act with such madness. Any Mongolian seeking to bring such a state of affairs about by aiding and abetting the scheme of our European rivals may as well save himself the effort. An open door for Chinese offscourings! Never.

AS NOW PLANNED.

There is something unusual in the attitude of some leading politicians throughout the state regarding the primary election law. Here is a law that some of our leading statesmen are striving to defeat even before it has been tried. It is now proposed to hold conventions in the same old way.

What is gained by the passage of a law that is never given a fair trial? The intent of the primary law is to give all a square deal. Such being the case, the scheme of certain leaders appears to be to defeat that which was intended as fair for all—especially before the primary system has been tried and found wanting.

The people have a right under the circumstances to be suspicious, for the attitude of these leaders excite belief that the defeat of a just law is the end sought. With so many of our leading office-holders and other men of wide acquaintance in the state under indictment at present, one is forced to the conviction that corruption is rampant and the time is ripe for the people to raise their voices. No man seeking to defeat the primary law before it has had a fair trial is going to strengthen himself with the public. This law may be a bad one, but the proper and upright thing to do is to give it a trial.

Lost.

Sunday evening on the Corvallis-Soap creek road, a lady's plaid jacket. Finder will please send word to the GAZETTE office.

THE NEW CLUB.

The Corvallis Athletic and Social Club.

Saturday articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk and secretary of state by which act the Corvallis Social and Athletic Club is brought into existence. The incorporators are: C. C. Geer, president; Merwin McMaines, vice-president, and Mike Kline, secretary.

The club will occupy the building formerly occupied by Ben Woldt as a saloon. It is thought it will be open today or tomorrow.

A sort of gymnasium will be maintained and all fixtures, apparatus and paraphernalia for athletic contests will be installed and refreshments will be served. It is to be open only to members of the club and in choosing new members the club will use the ballot system of other social orders. The club and order of running the same is patterned after the Arlington Club of Portland.

Each member will be assessed regularly—pay dues the same as he would in any order he might join. He will have a locker to which he will hold the key and it is claimed that what he may have in the locker is a matter wholly of his own business. A steward will be in attendance at all times to look after the interest and welfare of the members.

There are said to be in the neighborhood of 75 or 100 charter members. It is the intention to allow nobody admission to the club who are known as chronic "drunks." In this matter no attention is being paid to the charter law or authority of Corvallis. The club is incorporated and will be run in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon. The club is now ready to accept new members.

Have Incorporated.

For some time in the past the college Y M C A and various students and citizens have interested themselves in the matter of securing a student building at the college. In this endeavor they have encountered and overcome many obstacles and it now seems that their efforts are to bear fruit.

Friday, articles of incorporation of the Student Building Association of the State Agricultural College of Oregon were filed with Clerk Moses. The incorporators are E. R. Lake, Arthur G. B. Bouquet and C. L. Shepard. "The object of the incorporation shall be the erection, equipment and management of a student building at the State Agricultural College of Oregon."

The value of all property possessed by the incorporation at the time of filing articles was placed at \$12,000. The articles further state that the building is to be located on college land.

The building as proposed is intended for many purposes; a set of bath rooms, a gymnasium, a number of rooms for the various college societies, a general assembly room and a place for religious services. In fact, many uses are planned for the building. When work of construction will begin is not yet determined so far as we have been able to learn.

Hollenberg & Cady donated to the W. C. T. U. sufficient wall paper to finish seven rooms of the buildings which the Union is fixing up on the property recently purchased on Second street. The ladies of the organization wish to express their appreciation of the firm's generosity.

Doesn't Let It Get Away.

Visitor (from the east)—What do you do when a tornado comes along?

Western Host—I go for my camera. I've got some splendid snapshots of 'em I'll show you.—Chicago Tribune.

Inane.

The people who manage to live without ever getting into hot water have little to do with the engines of life.—Chicago Tribune.

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Beaver Creek.

Luther Woodruff, of Philomath, was visiting friends on Beaver Creek last Sunday.

County Assessor Davis came up the valley one day last week. It is needless to say he was an unwelcome visitor.

Mr. Weed, of Philomath, has returned to his homestead accompanied by his daughter, who has been teaching school at Spokane, Washington.

Sherman Gleason went to Corvallis last Monday to get his new band saw, which he will soon have in operation.

Philip Keeley, who was overcome with heat a few days ago, has now completely recovered from the attack.

Considerable grain is now standing in the shock and a good yield is expected.

J. S. Ireland expects to move to his homestead this week, where he expects to remain indefinitely.

Word has been received from Charlie Armstrong and Ben and Ora Ireland, who went to Sherman county to harvest. They report plenty of work at good wages.

Mr. Winters, who fell off from a load of hay last week, is reported to be improving.

Mr. Duffy reports that some strange animal has been of late sleeping in the wagon road between his home and Mr. Daniel's. The circumstances connected with the habits of this animal are of a strange nature.

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Registration of Land Title. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County. In the matter of the Application of S. S. Train and J. R. Whitney, Applicants and Plaintiffs, to register the title to the North half, the Southeast quarter, and the North half of the Southwest quarter of Section 27; and the North half, the Southeast quarter, and the East half of the Southwest quarter of Section 33; all in Township 10 South, Range 7 West of the Willamette Meridian in Benton County, Oregon. vs. J. A. Bottger, Sol. King and The Coast Land & Live Stock Company, a corporation, Defendants. To all whom it may concern, Take notice: That on the 27 day of June, A. D. 1906, an application was filed by said S. S. Train and J. R. Whitney, in the Circuit Court of Benton County, Oregon, for initial registration of the title of the land above described. Now, unless you appear on or before the 29th day of July, A. D. 1906, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same. Witness my hand and the seal of said Circuit Court of Benton County, Oregon, hereunto affixed this 14th day of June, A. D. 1906. [SEAL] VICTOR P. MOSES, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County.

Registration of Land Title. In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County. In the matter of the Application of E. M. Howell and T. C. Howell, Applicants and Plaintiffs, to register the title to the east half of the east half of section 8; the north half, and the southwest quarter of section 15, the south half, and the south half of the northwest quarter of section 17; the northeast quarter, and the east half of the northwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 21; all in township 11 north, range 7 west of the Willamette Meridian, in Benton county, Oregon, and containing 1347 acres, vs. C. M. Giddings, Defendant. To all whom it may concern, Take notice: That on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1906, an application was filed by said E. M. Howell and T. C. Howell, in the Circuit Court of Benton county, Oregon, for initial registration of the title of the land above described. Now unless you appear on or before the 19th day of July, A. D. 1906, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred from disputing the same. Witness my hand and the seal of said Circuit Court of Benton county, Oregon, hereunto affixed this 14th day of June, A. D. 1906. [SEAL] VICTOR P. MOSES, County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton county.

Public is Aroused. The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 346 St. Clair Ave., Columbia, O., writes: "For several months I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were a wreck. I could not sleep and my stomach was so weak from useless doctors' drugs that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Allen & Woodward's drug store; price 50c

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