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## BAD FOR PICNICS.

No doubt the recent expose of the conditions governing the meat packing establishments of our beloved country is responsible for real hardship and inconvenience to citizens of both high and low degree. From the view point of the packer it seems an outrage that he could not label any kind of a product and sell it to the dear people.

We have noted a wail from this class of cattle to the effect that they would submit without protest to some slight restrictions in the manner of their operations. Just so! But when a "slight restriction" will not insure the general public against meat unfit for a dog our president and our people are justified in every kind of measure to insure pure food.

Just at this season of the year—picnic time—it is unfortunate from the housewife's standpoint that the expose occurred when it did. No more canned meat of any sort for a picnicker, be he patrician or plebeian, and the good woman who acts as hostess this season must know something of the history of the meats she provides, be they of chicken or ox. In ignorance there is bliss, but for a woman to secure canned meat for her guests at the present stage of the game is to be too ignorant to permit of any hope of bliss in the outcome.

In all seriousness we are compelled to go back some eight years and consider the "embalmed beef" scandal raised by General Miles during the Spanish-American war. The packers were too strong with the seat of government and the powers that rule and General Miles was cried down and forced out of the game. It must be a satisfaction to the general and his friends to observe the state of affairs at present with President Roosevelt in the saddle.

## ARGUMENTS OF TRADE.

Trade statistics published by the Department of Commerce and Labor show our foreign trade to be far greater for the present year than for any preceding year.

The gain in imports is one hundred million dollars, and in exports two hundred million dollars over last year, while our whole foreign trade exceeds three billion dollars. Fifty million dollars is the gain in manufactured commodities, and one hundred and fifty millions the gain in agricultural products exported.

This is a most gratifying showing and positive evidence of our rapid development and the prosperity of our people. We are importing more largely of raw material to be used in manufacturing than ever before, and we are exporting more largely, both of manufactured commodities and of agricultural products, and have a large trade balance in our favor—that is, we sell more to foreign countries than we buy of them.

Those who are continually barking for tariff revision and railing against the Dingley tariff should find themselves silenced in face of these facts. They do not, however. On the contrary they argue if we bought more of foreign countries they would buy more of us. They argue thus in spite of the fact that there is no sentiment in trade and commerce. England buys our wheat and food stuffs only because she needs them, must have them. We might take her whole manufactured output yet her need would remain the determining factor of her purchases of us. If

she could buy all the wheat she needed more cheaply of Russia she would do so, even though our blast-furnaces became cold and our rail mills stood idle that we might buy pig-iron and steel rails from her. We do not place raw materials of certain kinds on the free list and import large quantities of them because we sell goods to the countries which have such materials, but because we need them and must import them since we do not produce them.

Our people are prosperous chiefly because they first supply their demands and requirements, as far as possible, by their own hands—their own labor. Our country is so large, our climate, soil, industries and products are so varied and desirable, and our facilities for general distribution of our products so good that our inter-state commerce is all the free-trade we need. This is the trade that makes us prosperous and happy, and whatever encourages that trade and preserves it to our own people enhances their prosperity and happiness. Free-trade with foreign peoples most assuredly would be, and ever has been, destructive of our own beneficent inter-state free-trade.

When this sort of free-trade has made our people so prosperous that they can purchase diamonds and precious stones more largely than ever before it would be suicidal to molest it.

## Good Program Prepared.

The eighth grade graduation exercises of the schools of the north end of the county will be held at the Palestine church next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The program and names of graduates follow:

Salutatory.....Elta Raber  
Recitation.....Mabel Rickert  
Music.....Mabel Baker  
Recitation.....William Koch  
Class History.....Jack Pernot  
Recitation.....Sidney Altermatt  
Music.....Minnie Peacock  
Recitation.....Wallace Walton  
Class Prophecy.....Carl Hector  
Recitation.....Herman Abraham  
Music.....Charles Collins  
Valedictory.....Supt. Deanman  
Presentation of diplomas.....  
Music—"America".....

## MEMBERS OF CLASS.

District No. 6—Elta M. Raber, Herman Abraham, Mabel Rickert, Jack Pernot.  
District No. 32—Mabel Baker.  
District No. 4—Sidney Altermatt.  
District No. 43—Minnie Peacock.  
District No. 74—Charles Collins, Wm. C. Koch, Wallace E. Walton.

## A Country Party.

About twenty guests, most of whom were from Corvallis, enjoyed the annual lawn party given by Mr. and Mrs. George Armstrong at their pretty country home north of town Saturday. The hours were spent in the usual happy manner, and delicious refreshments were served to meet on the lawn, the decorations of ferns and flowers transforming it into a bower of beauty. Those present were:

Prof. and Mrs. McKellips, Rev. and Mrs. Simpson, Prof. and Mrs. Taillander, Mr. and Mrs. George Linderman, Mrs. Rose Selling, Mrs. Farra, Mrs. W. G. Davis, Mrs. Minnie Lee, Misses Eda Jacobs and Grace Gatch, of Corvallis; Miss Vandusen, of Astoria; Miss Edmunds, of Portland, and the Armstrong family.

Mrs. R. C. Wells was summoned to Eastern Oregon, Saturday, to be at the bedside of her mother who is seriously ill.

The winding of a Maypole will be one of the many beautiful scenes in "The Crowning of The Fairy Queen" at the opera house, Tuesday evening.

The base ball team of which M. Long is captain and manager, played good ball at the Brownsville picnic Thursday and Friday afternoons. In a game with Lebanon Thursday, before an immense throng of spectators, Long's men made a score of 7 to Lebanon's 2; on Friday afternoon, playing against the Harrisburg team, the result was 11 for Corvallis and 4 for Harrisburg.

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## Additional Local.

Miss Grace Wilson is the new book-keeper at Hornings, holding the position during the absence of her sister Miss Agnes, while the latter goes on the Yellowstone Park trip.

Mrs. O. J. Blackledge and daughter, Miss Janet, and Mrs. Alice Jackson, returned Friday from a week's visit with relatives at Bellefontaine. They are to leave Saturday for an outing at Newport.

Attorney W. E. Yates came up from Vancouver, Wash., Saturday, and was one of the excursionists to the coast Sunday. He reports that he is doing nicely in the way of legal work in his new field. He returned home yesterday.

Ben Mason and family of Wrenn expected to leave yesterday for a point on the Columbia, where they are to hereafter reside. For many years they have occupied the Lilly farm at Wrenn, which is now to be operated by Homer Lilly.

Gen. T. S. Thorp and W. P. Lafferty arrived home Saturday from a business trip to Portland and Seattle in the interest of the Oregon group of self-propelled machines. They report themselves as highly pleased with the result of their trip.

Zophar Sharp, who for some time has been physical director at Monmouth, will leave tomorrow for Yale University to take a course in the Yale School of Gymnastics. He makes the move with the intention of spending the summer fitting himself for his work at Monmouth. Zophar was a student at OAC in years gone by.

While working on a barn at the George Brown place Saturday evening, Charles McHenry fell a distance of sixteen feet, the back of his neck and shoulders striking on a large timber. He was rendered unconscious, and a physician was summoned from Corvallis, but no bones were broken and Mr. McHenry was able to be brought home Sunday morning.

## Real Estate Transfers.

Abstracts of Benton county for the week ending June 23, 1906:  
B S Norwood and wife to J L Norwood, land near Bruce; \$300.

C J Lundt and wife to R L Newton, 160 acres in Kings Valley; \$3,200.

Isaac Stroud and wife to M Parmenter, 174 acres in Kings Valley; \$3,550.

E W Fisher to C M McKellips, lot in Corvallis; \$1.

C M McKellips to Louisa Crees, lot in Corvallis; \$10.

Emery Allen and wife to Ed Buxton, 1/4 interest in two lots in Corvallis; \$300.

H H Kreger and wife to M J Kiger, q c d, to two lots in Corvallis; \$1.

A E Bell and wife to Martha Avery, q c d to right of way; \$1.

E A Morgan to J L Higgins, lot 36, Wells & McElroy's addition to Corvallis; \$520.

## Death From Lockjaw

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## Woman's Trials.

The bitter trail in a woman's life is to be childless. Who can tell how hard the struggle may have been, or how she learns to resign herself to her lonely lot? The absence of this link to bind marital life together, the absence of this one pledge to mutual affection is a common disappointment. Many unfortunate couples become estranged thereby. Even if they do not drift apart, one may read the whole extent of their disappointment in the eyes of such a childless couple when they rest on the children of others. To them the largest family does not seem too numerous.

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