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WILL NOT TURN BACK.

There are indications that our relations and duty to the Filipinos will again be brought up for discussion in the near future, Bryan and other leaders of the opposition party can be relied on to force this question to the front for they are hard pressed to find an issue, and this question presents so wide a field for the practice of demagoguery that it is very alluring to William J.—

That we should sell the Philippines to Japan to avoid war with her is a proposition that might appeal to politicians, but never to Americans. That we should sell these islands to any nation because their possession and care is a great burden to us would be so mean-spirited and cowardly no party would dare favor it.

The purpose of the American people is to permit the Filipinos to govern themselves as rapidly and fully as they are prepared for self-government. The Republican party stands pledged to this. The work already done, as well as that being done in consonance with the purpose of our people and the pledge of the dominant party is simply astonishing in the scope and most gratifying because of its beneficial results.

No appeal to fear, selfishness, avarice and commercialism can turn either the people or the party aside. The Declaration of Independence may be quoted forward and backward, between the lines and adown the middle, but mere sentiment will not turn our people away from their duty to this people.

The reason for this is not to be found in partisan principles, policies and purposes. It rests upon a deeper, better, more enduring foundation than formed by these.

We did not seek the burden of Filipino care, protection, development. Of our own volition we never would have done so for it involved a violation of our oldest and best traditions. Our purpose was to "capture or destroy the Spanish fleet." We may wish that Dewey, having sent the Spanish fleet to "Davy Jones's Locker," had sailed away and left the Filipinos to the tender mercies of the Spaniards and the devil. But he did not. Why not, we may fail to understand, but the American people believe this Philippine burden was laid upon their shoulders by "the God of battles." Who shall say they are wrong? No nation has long survived a refusal to bear burdens thus imposed. Our people will not prove false to their conception of duty which they believe is heaven imposed. They protect the Filipinos, fit them for self-government, and then place it in their hands though it requires a century of time and involves us in more than one war with Japan.

If this is the conscience and heart of the American people, and we firmly believe it is, Mr. Bryan may pipe long and loud but they will not dance to his music.

IN THE INTEREST OF ALL.

The Lumbermen of Oregon and Washington are making an earnest and it is to be hoped a successful fight against a proposed advance of the freight rates on lumber. This advance averages about \$2.50 per thousand feet, and aggregates an enormous sum which would have to be paid by the lumbermen, by the consumer, or possibly shared by each.

The present cost of lumber to the

consumer is now almost enough to deter many people from building and making improvements requiring the use of large quantities of lumber, and it is certain that such an advance in price as this would be prohibitive. Building operations would be suspended.

They show, by careful compilation of the actual cost of production, that the lumberman's profit does not exceed \$1.50 per thousand feet and consequently, if this increase rate obtains, they would be compelled to cut down wages or shut down their mills.

They then ask three questions; viz: "Are the railroads now earning fair profits on their investments? Is the present rate a remunerative one? Have they shared the general prosperity?"

Answering these questions they produce authentic figures which show the enormous surplus accumulated by the companies from their earnings in permanent improvements and betterments. In the case of the Northern Pacific company it is shown that the actual surplus earned during the past year was over 30 per cent on its actual stock. Of freight carried by the company lumber products furnished over one half.

Looking at the contention dispassionately and on all sides there seems to be no just reason why freights should be advanced. The present rate has been in effect for several years and it is a fair presumption that such would not have been the case had it not been sufficiently remunerative.

The value of the lumber production last year in Oregon alone was quite thirty million dollars. It is a vast industry and is so interwoven with every industry in the state that whatever works hurt to it affects the welfare and prosperity of all our people. So true is this it must be admitted that the lumbermen may be regarded as fighting, not simply for themselves, but for the interests of every man, woman and child in the state. Should the railroad companies fail or refuse to see this the case, and persist in the action they appear to have determined on, they will have furnished a mighty argument favoring the absolute legal restraint and control of their corporations in the interests of all the people.

A Timely Warning.

This is the hop-picking season and the Oregonian sounds a timely note of warning to the young people who make acquaintances in the hop fields who afterward prove anything but desirable friends. It says:

A small army of hoppers is afield. If the present Autumn weather continues the hop harvest will represent the ideal family outing in hundreds of cases. It will also represent many thousands of dollars earned by thrifty, economical people, every dollar of which will be placed where it will do the most good in adding to the comforts of life and increasing its pleasures. There is unshapely, another side to this occasion, and its results—that which follows youthful indiscretion in the association with strangers on terms of intimacy readily acquired when picking hops in the same row or meeting in the evenings around the friendly campfire or at the weekly dance. Experience and events have taught lessons of prudence in this regard which, it may be hoped, will prove salutary. In the meantime the harvest is promising in many fields, and there is reason to hope that pickers, under proper environments, will find the season profitable as well as pleasant.

Additional Local.

Funeral ceremonies were pronounced over the remains of Guy E. Moore at the Portland crematorium yesterday afternoon. The services were followed with the cremation of his body, together with that of his father, who died some time ago. A large number of relatives and friends were present, including a number of Oregon Agricultural college students who were classmates of young Moore when he was a student in that institution. Chester L. Proebstel read the prayer at the opening, followed by Professor E. R. Lake of the Agricultural college. Rev. Frank L. Moore, who was closely associated with Guy Moore in Corvallis, delivered an appreciative address of his life. This service was followed by the ritual of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, read by Master

Workman W. K. Benvie and Past Master J. H. Zane of Fidelity lodge No. 4. The pallbearers, all of whom were classmates of Guy Moore, were: Chester L. Proebstel, A. Sidney Wells, Horace C. Brodie, J. C. Burns, A. Horton and J. C. Riehart.—Thursday's Journal.

The Southern Oregonian has been consolidated with the Jacksonville Times and the Daily Tribune under the ownership of the Medford Publishing Co., and the editorial and business management of George Putman, news editor of the Portland Journal. It will be published semi-weekly as heretofore and remain independent in politics. It will be made an increasingly better newspaper.

Notice.

To the farmers of Benton county: In order to guard against buying or purchasing a rack and ox lifter called the "Eureka." This is an infringement on the Baker Rack and Ox Lifter as the agent can show no right to sell except a piece of paper which reads as follows:

Patent pending No. 374,735 with plans and specifications not yet furnished with sum and amount attached which I have now forgotten and signed his name V. B. Cahill. I hereby warn all persons not to buy of either Mr. Osburn or Mr. Cahill any such right.

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For all kidney and bladder troubles

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Is worth a pound of cure. There are many sufferers, Consumptives who are hopeless of getting well—who, if they had taken care of themselves, would now be well. A cough is the foundation of Consumption. Ballard's Horehound Syrup will cure that cough. Mrs. S., Great Falls, Montana, writes: "I have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for years. My children never suffer with coughs." Sold by Graham & Wertham.

A Good Trade.

Every boy, no matter how rich or how poor his ancestry, should learn thoroughly some good trade, so that if his circumstances become reversed at any time he could immediately do service at his trade and start again on a successful road to prosperity. The printing trade is not only artistic when completely learned, but it is also highly educational in every particular, and one of the best trades that anyone can learn, as opportunity for labor is ever ready each working day in the year.

There is one of the best opportunities in all the land for a young man of steady habits, good principles, well educated, having a will to work and excel, to learn the printing trade in the Gazette office. Proper explanation will be given on application.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County: W. H. Savage, Plaintiff

N. A. Fisher, Defendant. To N. A. Fisher, the above named defendant. In the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit now on file with the clerk of the above entitled court on or before the last day of time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons hereinafter referred to, to-wit: On or before October 4, 1907; and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief demanded in his said complaint to-wit: For decree that plaintiff have judgment against defendant upon the promissory note described in said complaint for \$500 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from November 27th, 1906; and attorney's fees and \$10 paid for caring for the following personal property, viz: one buck mare about 6 years old, one top single bray and one set of harness belonging to defendant but now in possession of plaintiff, and directing that plaintiff's lien upon said property by way of a pledge be restored and the above described personal property sold in the manner provided by law for the sale of personal property under execution in actions at law, and the proceeds applied, by the party making such sale to the satisfaction of such judgment and the balance to the defendant.

This summons is published in the Corvallis Gazette newspaper once a week for six consecutive and successive weeks beginning with the issue of August 28, 1907, and ending in the issue of October 4, 1907, and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by the Hon. E. Woodson, Judge of the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon, dated August 15, 1907. Date of first publication hereof August 28, 1907. E. E. Wilson, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Margery B. Davison, deceased, by the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate of Margery B. Davison, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers therefor, verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof to the undersigned at the law office of McFadden & Bryson in Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon. Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, this 20th day of August 1907. RALPH M. DAVISSON, Administrator of the estate of Margery B. Davison, deceased.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS: Fifteen words or less, 25 cts for three successive insertions, or 50 cts per month; for all up to and including ten additional words, 1/2 cent a word for each insertion.

For all advertisements over 25 words, 1 ct per word for the first insertion, and 1/2 ct per word for each additional insertion. Nothing inserted for less than 25 cents.

Lodge, society and church notices, other than strictly news matter, will be charged for.

HOMES FOR SALE

For Sale: Nine acres good land, all in cultivation, six room house, two lots and barn, \$1,200, cash. Located fine farming section, within stone's throw graded school, churches, store, postoffice. Good reasons for selling. Call or address, Gazette Office. 654t

For Sale: Registered, unregistered and grade Cotswold bucks, of serviceable age. Inquire of T. A. Logsdon, Phone 2005, Granger Line, Corvallis, Ore. 63ft

WILL SELL LOTS IN CORVALLIS, Oregon, on installment plan and assist purchasers to build houses on them as desired. Address First National Bank, Corvallis, Or.

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DR. E. E. JACKSON, VETERINARY surgeon and dentist. Residence Third Street, between Madison and Monroe, Corvallis. Phone 581, or call Snow & Wiley's livery stable.

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B. A. CATHEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN and surgeon. Rooms 14, Bank Building. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Residence: cor. 5th and Adams sts. Telephone at office and residence. Corvallis, Oregon.

ATTORNEYS

J. F. YATES, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office up stairs in Zeroff Building. Only set of abstracts in Benton County.

E. R. BRYSON ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in Post Office Building, Corvallis, Oregon.

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