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YANKEE BOODLE.

Krebs will Pay 50 Cents for Picking Several New Residents in Town

YANKEE DOODLE AND YANKEE BOODLE

Yankee Doodle, dressed his best, Went to a convention, Where he said he'd have his say— That was his intention, There he found the office boys, Minding "Big Stick Holder," And the trusts a helping him, Growing always bolder.

Yankee Doodle felt quite proud Till he met his letter, "Amongst the trusts he shrank in size They were fat and taller."

Yankee Doodle had the coin And administration, Yankee Doodle showed disgust— "So does all the nation!" Better candidates there were; These were all rejected, But the fat man of fat trusts Cannot be elected.

Yankee Doodle, feeling sore, Says fat will be tryin' In an aim to buy their way; But it will be Bryan! Labor cannot be appeased, Tatt has such a reward, Sherman is a Wall Street man And his course was checked.

Prices up and wages down, Jobs as scarce as dollars, Shops are like trusts said "Close!" So we wear their trunks, Yankee Doodle's wiser now Finds no use of tryin' The new postal law makes it easy to take a paper and refuse to pay for it— The Raftsmen's Journal.

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The Fate of Delinquents

A newspaper publisher recently brought suit against forty-five men who would not pay their subscription obtaining judgment in each claim. Twenty-eight of them made affidavit that they owned no more than the law allowed, thus preventing attachment. Then under decision of the supreme court they were arrested for petit larceny and bound over in the sum of \$300. All but six gave bail and they went to jail. The new postal law makes it easy to take a paper and refuse to pay for it— The Raftsmen's Journal.

Call For Campaign Funds.

To the supporters of Bryan and Kern of the state of Oregon: We are on the eve of a great political battle under the leadership of Bryan and Kern. We expect to achieve a splendid victory for popular government with the best national platform written in the life of the political parties. We are confident of victory. We hope to see every follower of William Jennings Bryan and John Worth Kern in line and ready to do their part for popular government. So let us unite and fight, go in and win. This is the peoples' fight. Remember it costs money to finance a campaign. Will you help us? We must maintain headquarters, post lithographs, hire hall, engage speakers, distribute literature, swing banners, all of which cost money. Send in your contribution to John Montag, 629 Hood street, Portland, Oregon. Books will be open for inspection before and after election. Alex Sweek, state chairman, M. A. Miller, national committeeman, J. B. Ryan, secretary.

Keep in Good Health.

There are many thousands of people all over the world who can attribute their good health to taking one or two Brandreth's Pills every night. These pills cleanse the stomach and bowels, stimulate the kidneys and liver and purify the blood. They are the same laxative tonic pill your grandfathers used, and being purely vegetable they are adapted to children and old people, as well as to those in the vigor of manhood and womanhood. Brandreth's Pills have been in use for over a century and can be obtained in every drug or medicine store, either plain or sugar-coated.

Hop Pickers Make Money.

Hop pickers in Oregon will make more money this year than ever before, according to Conrad Krebs, the owner of the two big yards at Independence and Brooks. "I believe that the individual earnings of the hop pickers will this season average the largest sum in the history of the industry in Oregon," said Mr. Krebs yesterday. "I base my prediction on the fact that there are hardly any leaves on the vines this year—in fact they have not been so leafless in years. This will make the picking easy. We have decided to pay \$1 a hundred for picking, notwithstanding the low market. Most of the growers have reduced their picking price to 80 cents a hundred, but we feel the pickers are entitled to receive good wages for their work." The Krebs yard will require 1000 pickers this season, and most of them will be secured in Portland. Mr. Krebs opened an office in the Worcester building yesterday and has already engaged a considerable number of pickers. Hop contracting has been resumed, a large number of deals of this kind having been made in the last three days. The prices paid have been 7, 7½ and 8 cents. Dealers reported to have made contracts within

IT BEATS THE DUTCH

How Polk County Can Raise all Kinds of Fruit.

Mr. Otto Williams brought to our office yesterday morning a branch of a Greenhouse plum tree 3 inches in length that had on it 40 good sized plums, and tipped the scales at three pounds. This small branch Mr. Williams cut off of the tree to lighten its burden of fruit, as became necessary with all the limbs, or they would break down with their great load. This but goes to further demonstrate the value of Polk county soil for the raising of any kind of fruit and is not an unusual occurrence by any means. Where trees have any kind of cultivation and attention they bear heavy crops. And these crops are never a failure, but can be relied upon year after year. Some years may not yield as abundantly as others, but a good average crop can be relied upon right along. There is no better soil for fruit culture anywhere in the world than right here in old Polk county, the only thing needful being to give what you attempt to raise the same amount of attention, thought and care that you would bestow on any business which you expect to make a financial success of.

Big Log Drive.

Ten million feet of lumber is being taken down the Willamette river by the Spaulding Lumber Company in the form of an enormous log drive containing lumber for use in the Spaulding mills in Salem and the paper mills at Oregon City. The drive passed Independence last week and is now in the neighborhood of Salem, where three million feet of yellow fir will be taken out of the river for sawing, and the remainder will be taken on to Oregon City. The majority of the logs are fir and pine and were cut in the Spaulding camps on the McKenzie river near Waverille.—Statesman.

ANOTHER CURIOSITY.

Polk Leads When it Comes to Freaks.

Mr. W. Ulrey was in to see us Tuesday morning to tell us of another curiosity that has happened in Polk county, which, by the way, is becoming quite noted for extraordinary happenings—things a little out of the common run. Mr. Ulrey on Monday brought up from his farm to his Dallas home a full blooded Jersey heifer, that was 7 months old that day. The reason for bringing it to Dallas, was so that he could give its udder proper attention and keep it from caking, as the calf was giving milk the same as any old cow. At the time he noticed it the calf had a bag as large as any Jersey cow and on examination he found it to be filled with milk. He thinks he will give the bag attention and then let the calf dry up as he does not need the milk. The heifer is not with calf, nor has not been. The only solution Mr. Ulrey can give for the calf's early accomplishment is that while running with other calves, it has been suckled by them, and its milk glands thus stimulated until the flow began. He has heard of such an occurrence before but never had a case come under his observation.

Last Call.

We have been out of business now for over a year. Every one that owes us has been advised of it. We must close our business. Any accounts on our books remaining unpaid or arranged for, settled, after the 1st of the month will be put into judgments. We want to make this plain. We shall see on every account remaining unpaid where we can find the party. ELLIS & KEYS.

Independence Auto Thief III.

Ernest Diller, who came to Portland from Chicago with a stolen automobile, was placed in the physician's care yesterday afternoon. He is held at the county jail. Diller served in the Phillips in the Fifteenth Cavalry. While there he received a wound from a bolo, Dr. C. C. McCornack, who attended Diller, said that this was probably the cause of his present suffering, and that it would be best for him to undergo an operation. Although Diller's suffering is at times intense, Dr. McCornack said his condition is not serious.—Oregonian.

Got the Wrong Man.

Wednesday's Statesman has this to say of a popular Dallas citizen, but we are glad to say that their reporter was sorely misinformed, as our Johnny is as well as usual. A. S. Benson, secretary of the Salem lodge of Elks, yesterday received a telephone message to the effect that J. C. Schultz, of Dallas, well known in Salem, had his leg broken at some mountain resort and was being brought to Portland.

August Bargains

During this month you will find many items of good merchandise marked far below actual values. We have decided to cut prices unmercifully on certain lines in order to clean up our stock. Quotations given below represent only a few of the many good things we offer. We strongly urge you to call and examine the goods and prices.

Ladies White Canvas Oxfords, regular values \$1.50 and \$1.75, August Bargain Sale \$1.00 a pair

Childrens' White Canvas Oxfords, regular values 75 cents to \$1.25, August Bargain Sale 50 Cents.

Broken lines of Ladies' Oxfords and Sandals, regular \$1.50 to 2.50 values, August Bargain Sale \$1.25 a Pair

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This office can furnish you indexed books of all kinds. Twenty per cent discount on furniture until August 15.—Guy Bros. & Dalton. Get your tire set at Fred. Wagner's, the household "one-quarter", in 15 minutes or while you wait. Lyman Lee, of Baker City, is here visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. E. Smith. He is engaged in the mercantile business in that city.

Take Kodak whenever you feel that you need it. That is the only time you need to take Kodak. Just when you need it; then you will not be troubled with sour stomach, belching gas on the stomach, etc. Sold by Conrad Stafrin.

J. L. Castle has at his store a Harpall's Ferry rifle that was made about 1780. This rifle belonged to his father over a hundred years ago, and went through the war of 1812. It was formerly a tin lock, was changed to a tape lock and finally changed to a gas cap. This is certainly an heirloom of which Mr. Castle may feel justly proud, and you may find it well worth your time to step into his store and examine it.—Dayton Herald.

Mr. J. S. Cooke and family, of Enterprise, in Eastern Oregon, have decided to sell the Enterprise, Silerton and Salem, but has about decided to quit the practice, and engage in other lines. Just what he will do he has not yet decided, but will not be in a hurry, and seek some congenial occupation. He is in love with our climate.

The editors of Everybody's Magazine, adopting an ingenious method of getting the Venezuelan rose before the public, have selected an advocate for the prosecution, and one for the defense, and have appointed their readers the Monroe doctrine. Castro is committing crimes that ought to cause war. And then Colvin B. Brown steps in and paints Castro as a patriot who has had everything against him from the start.

Smith & Shelton will carry a full line of ladies' tailor suits and tailored waists in all the latest cuts and weaves this fall. They are also carefully selecting their fall millinery so that they will be more fully prepared than ever to please everybody. Nothing shoddy or cheap for a find room in their emporium, but with their great amount of experience in buying they have been able to get the very choicest goods at prices that will please all the rich and poor alike. The ladies of this county are going to be delightfully surprised this fall, as Smith will be home the last of the month with their millinery and they will then begin to prepare for the grand opening later.

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