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the legislature—not particularly for the purpose of passing a "stay" law, but for the repeal of a million or more in appropriations. Taxes will be high enough anyhow next year, and as individuals are content to wear out their old clothes, so can the commonwealth of Oregon get along with public improvements already completed. Not another cent should be spent. Then should the legislators find it expedient to give temporary assistance to the debtor, well and good. But we should be careful not to injure our credit by foolish legislation.

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A COMMUNICATION.

Below will be found a communication from D. W. Hornor regarding the Reeves matter, and in answer to an article that appeared recently in the Union County Farmer. So far as this paper is concerned, it knows nothing about the merits of the case in question. The editor knows both men personally, and he has always considered them among his best and nearest friends. With him, both have been upright, honorable and just. Mr. Hornor asks for space, and we give it. His answer is as follows:

Mr. Editor: I was by the statement of Mr. Reeves that I have been guilty of the atrocious crime of attempting to collect a note which is now, and has been since the year 1886, honestly due and owing me. Yes, I acknowledge the crime, if "crime" you call it, and will hereafter attempt to further break the law by trying to collect my claim in a court of justice. I would not make a statement except in the courts but for the reason that, my friends naturally expect something from me, for when a man begins to make his fight in a newspaper, as has my "beloved" friend Mr. Reeves, he thereby acknowledges that he is afraid of the public sentiment which too often strikes the mark and does the party who is wronged justice.

To begin with, Mr. Reeves makes the statement that the debt has been "legally discharged" and that "this man Hornor has no legal claim and dare not prosecute it in court, but hopes to coerce him in paying a debt already legally discharged." Poor unfortunate, injured being; if he will just recall to memory when but a few weeks ago he offered me the sum of \$40 to deliver and cancel the note of his, he will undoubtedly consider that his statements are somewhat inconsistent. Or was that done for charity sake? Was I an object pity? And was Mr. Reeves so generous and kind-hearted as to contribute that to my benefit? No, it was because he knew he owed the debt, or why did he in his communication offer the sum and enjoin on me the awful duty of keeping the offer "strictly private." Even in the court when he was defending his wounded honor and reputation by prosecuting me, he would not deny owing the debt but tried to avoid the issue by saying "he did not know."

Who does? But, now he comes out and says he has been wronged by false statements and in my endeavoring to collect my just dues. Too bad! Why did he not pay his honest debt when he had the money to run down to Salem and work for a hopeless office and avoid all this unnecessary trouble. "There is the rub?" He would rather attempt under the cloak of innocence and oppression to avoid paying his liabilities and hold himself up to the public as a wronged "victim." I offered to let him pay \$2.50 per month but "he would not" but had the audacity to turn around and offer me \$40 for the note.

"Mr. Reeves made an assignment." Yes, he did, and in that assignment his liabilities were something about \$2,851.27 and the amount paid in court to apply on his indebtedness was \$433.65, and the amount applied on my claim of \$80 and interest from the year 1886 was \$18.40. Did that discharge him from liability, when it takes fifty cents on the dollar and good faith besides to go through bankruptcy? My sympathies are with him for being "so unfortunate" as to "fail," and also being so unfortunate as to be indebted. But then

"charity begins at home," and I have undoubtedly given him all the opportunity he could ask in seven years to pay the \$80 if he had had any intention of paying. And we have been corresponding in regard to that during all that period until my patience has been worn out.

D. W. HORNOR.

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STILL A MYSTERY.

Two Men Arrested for the Hoiday, But Are Discharged—No Clue to the Perpetrators.

Tuesday evening, just after the Gazette had gone to press, Tice Adkins and "F. P." Moore were arrested on suspicion of being the men who robbed Sloan and Thompson Monday morning. Being unable to give bail at that time, they were remanded to jail, remaining there till morning when the justice, F. J. Hallock, released them as being entirely innocent. It was known by many reputable citizens that at the time the robbery occurred both men were in town.

Tice Adkins is a son of Uoole Clark Adkins, of this county, and formerly lived here. Of late he has been a resident of Grant county, and the valley section. Though following a sporting life at present, he has always borne a good reputation. Moore is an old-time sport and very well known in the Northwest. He bears a good reputation, so far as the Gazette can learn. Their arrest was brought about by some actions of theirs on the day of the robbery, which, however, on investigation proved of little significance.

Wednesday, a Gazette reporter visited the upper part of Jas. Jones' field where the robbers were supposed to have rendezvoused after the incident Monday. In a bend on the north side of Willow creek is where a horse has stood, and near by it looks as though another one might have been tied, though it is not conclusive that more than one horse was hitched in this locality. From appearances, this horse had been fed on alfalfa hay. Beyond where the horse (or horses) were hitched, about forty feet distant, in the midst of an almost impenetrable jungle of vines and bushes, was found a place where a fire had been built. Among the ashes were found buttons from overalls, a buckle, etc. The ashes showed evidences of the destruction of a pair of overalls, some handkerchiefs and other garments, presumably a duster among the rest.

When the robbery was committed, it was thought that the culprits crossed the hill entirely on foot, but since it has been discovered that horses had been stationed up in the ravine on John Q. Wilson's place. It is supposed from appearances that a third party was interested in the affair and held the horses while the other two did the "missionary" work.

The more the matter is delved into the more mysterious it becomes. For the present, at least, the earth has swallowed up the perpetrators of the crime and all traces of them is lost.

LATER—Careful examination of the field where the robbers were supposed to have rendezvoused leads one to believe that they took their horses out through the fence in the upper part of the Jones field, or else remained in the brush till dark Monday evening and went out by means of the gates or openings in the lower end of the field. Though a reward of \$100 has been offered for the arrest and conviction of the highwaymen, they seem to have effectually made their escape, and it will be doubtful if they are ever apprehended.

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CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT.

At M. E. church, services next Sabbath morning and evening. Morning text, "For I am in a strait betwixt two, having a desire to depart and be with Christ which is far better." Evening subject, "The sin of Adam." Text, "I saw *** I coveted *** I took *** I hid." We were very anxious to divide our time with other pastors but could not arrange. Our work is rapidly drawing to a close. Come out, let us make the best we can of the few remaining services.

LATER—Brother Bramblet has returned from the mountains, and will preach at the M. E. church Sunday evening, and Rev. Shute will preach at the Baptist church in the morning.

J. M. SHULER, Pastor.

At M. E. church, South, next Sunday, there will be regular services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Morning subject: "Home." Evening subject: "Danger Signals." This being the last Sunday of our conference year, we extend an especial invitation to all our friends and the good people of Heppner generally to attend. While our stay among you has been short it has served to awaken an attachment we feel both to sever, and should the Episcopal wheel in its annual revolution not cast us again in your fair little city, we take this opportunity of expressing our thanks for the much kindness and many favors received.

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Harvesting is nearing the end. Plenty of work but no money. J. A. Woolery went to Hardman Sunday.

E. G. Sperry tarried at Arlington this week.

Thrashing has commenced and the yield is fair. Miss Ada Redford will teach the school in the Four Mile country this fall.

Farmers have some difficulty in obtaining sacks for their grain. In consequence granaries will be built.

The new road which joins the creek near Chas. Cochran's from the south was surveyed by Surveyor Brown last week.

John Ely is employed by the Shilo school directors. He has a hard school, but Mr. Ely will make a success if anyone can.

A. W. Balsiger has been re-employed as teacher of the Saddle school, and will commence third term on Monday, Sept. 4th.

The lone school will begin on Sept. 11th. Non-residents of the district will be required to pay tuition for their children attending school.

Our Legislators. Their Opinions as to the Advisability of Calling a Special Session. Our reporter interviewed Representative Brown and Senator Blackman recently on the subject of a special session of our legislature, for the purpose of passing a law for financial relief.

ARIZONA.—Sen. Blackman brings back a paper from Chicago on which appears the following: "Printed on a press 151 years old, by the Campbell Printing Press & Mfg. Co. World's Fair, Chicago, Aug. 15, 1893." "Once I was young and fiery At any of my name, Now I am old and flow, But I get there just the same." It is a fair specimen of old style printing.

A PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—Word came down from Ditch creek camp up in the mountains yesterday that Miss Ellie Fields had accidentally shot herself while playfully handling a 22-calibre rifle. Our reporter learned from a party who had just returned from camp, that the accident happened Monday. Miss Fields had just thrown out a shell at the same time of re-loading the gun, which she in some manner discharged while resting the muzzle on her foot. The ball passing entirely through just below the ball of the foot, and also through the sole of her shoe. She very coolly informed her friends that she had shot herself, when the shoe was removed and the wound dressed. Miss Fields will probably be brought home tomorrow.

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Citation. IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, For the County of Morrow, in the matter of the estate of James S. Breeding, deceased. Citation: To David Handy, and unknown heirs of James Breeding, deceased. You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Morrow, at the court room there, on Monday the 6th day of November 1893, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there show cause if any exists why an order of sale should not be made to sell the NW 1/4 of Sec. 18 Tp. 28 N. R. 20 W. N. Witnesses, the Hon. Julius Keithly Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Morrow, with the seal of said court annexed, this 16 day of Aug. A. D. 1893. Attest: J. W. MORROW, Clerk by G. W. WALLS, Deputy.

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LEGAL BLANKS. Plenty of them at the Gazette Office. OREGON STATE FAIR. Notice of Intention. LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OREGON. August 15, 1893. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before J. W. Morrow, County Clerk at Heppner, Or., on Monday, October 2, 1893, viz: MORE THAN \$1000 IN CASH Will be paid as premiums for stock, poultry, swine, Agricultural products, fruits, native woods, minerals, works of art and fancy work, and for trials of speed. REDUCED RATES OF FARE AND FREIGHTS ON ALL TRANSPORTATION LINES. PAVILION open four evenings during the week, with good music in attendance. THE NEW GRAND STAND and the new regulation track are conceded to be among the most comfortable and the best on the Pacific coast. SPLENDID CONTESTS of speed each day. There is entered for these contests the best field of horses this year that has been on the grounds for many seasons. Valuable and handsome improvements have been made on the grounds and building. PREMIUM LIST Has been revised and improved to the benefit of exhibitors. Entries for premiums close at 3 p. m. the first day of the fair, and exhibits must be in place by 10 p. m. of said day. PRICES OF ADMISSION. Men's Season Tickets \$2.00 Women's Season Tickets 1.50 Men's Day Tickets .50 Women's Day Tickets .50 Race Track Tickets, Daily .25 Women to the Race Course, Free. Children under 12 years, Free for all. Send to the secretary at Portland for a premium list. J. T. APPERSON, President. J. T. GREGG, Secretary.

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