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EDITORIAL

DO IT NOW.

When you've got a job to do Do it now! If its one you wish was through, Do it now!

An easy youth precedes a hard old age. An ounce of today is worth a pound of yesterday. We never know a good thing untill we see the imitation.

Lodges, Granges, churches, Boards of Trade, Commercial Clubs, socials, and individuals within the territory over which this paper circulates are respectfully invited to send us a report of their meetings and social doings for publication in the Herald.

The wise man who makes a little improvement every day finds at the end of the year a revolution in his business. And there is the question of ingratitude. Whenever there is to be an eleventh commandment it should and will read—"Thou shalt not be ungrateful."

The necessity of friendly words and encouragement to intending investors cannot be too strongly urged upon our readers. Every citizen of Montavilla should consider him or herself a committee of one to aid in the upbuilding of our district, and can be done in no way so effectively as by presenting our advantages in a favorable light to visitors.

EDITORS FOUND STOCKYARDS CLEAN

(Continued from page 1.) cover an area of one-half mile wide and one mile long.

Association See Chicago Stock Yards It was one of the busy days at the yards (Wednesday) and our train was halted several times to await the clearing of the tracks by long trains of cattle, hogs and sheep.

"23" has been sounded on the threatened street car strike and the suburbanite once more rests from the haunting visions of long dusty walks. We are glad the matter has been settled in the manner in which it has.

The English fire insurance companies operating in San Francisco who have refused to pay the losses incurred during the recent disaster, should, and doubtless will be boycotted. This, however, will be little satisfaction to the insured.

Our advertising columns are conclusive evidence of the confidence the business man has in the "Beaver State Herald." The suburbanite and farmer are not far behind, our circulation having doubled within the past ten months.

Montavilla's Board of Trade has decided that their Villa must have electric lights and power, Bull Run water, sewerage, and additional railway facilities, and of course they will not let up until they get it.

off. This skinning is one of the most particular jobs as the value of the hide for leather may be spoiled by careless work so the skinners are the highest paid labor in a slaughter house.

The government inspector works on this floor. Every animal must pass under his eye and any suspicious symptom leads him to tag the animal for closer examination. It is then held under lock and key by the government representatives and not released unless officially declared O. K.

After being skinned the carcasses are hoisted to the trolleys again and carefully washed. They then pass a long line of butchers, each one of whom has his part to do in the dressing of the carcass for beef.

Then the party was shown the big wholesale market from which a large part of the meat supply of Chicago goes out by wagon each day. Here in white tile and glass refrigerating rooms are beef and mutton and pork, Swift's Premium Hams and Bacon, Silver Leaf Lard and Jersey Butterine, all awaiting the selection of the local dealer who comes here to pick out the meats demanded by his particular trade.

Next the party was ushered into the reception room at Libby, McNeill & Libby's where they have an exhibition of the 125 varieties of meats, pickles and preserves which they put up. Here we had a taste of appetizing looking dried beef, boiled ham, etc., and as the walking we had done had made us all hungry we were glad of a bite of lunch.

Then we went through the different departments where the Libby Food Products are prepared—the smokehouse, the kitchens, the canning rooms, all through which most of the work seemed to be done by automatic machinery. In the few places where the packing of meat into cans or jars was done by hand, it was done by the hands of clean, bright looking girls dressed in white caps and aprons.

All through the plants was evidence of the care for the cleanliness of buildings, machinery and employees. The floors were as white as the deck of a yacht. The walls were whitewashed. Tables and tools all bore marks of frequent scrubbing, proving beyond a doubt that the reports of diseased meats, and filthy condition of the premises were nothing short of malicious lies told for a purpose.

The handling of meat too was with the utmost care to keep it clean. The display of meats in the cooling rooms looks so good that one quickly forgets the sights and sounds in the killing rooms and is anxious for a good dinner. So the party boarded the special train again and were back in the Press Club rooms for the reception and lunch at twelve o'clock.

Space forbids our telling of all the good things at the reception tendered us by the Press Club. During lunch a splendid Italian band of fifty-five pieces (the Banda Roma) discoursed popular and classic music. The president, John J. Flinn, introduced the mayor of Chicago, Edward F. Dunne, who delivered the address of welcome.

A few hours spent looking over Chicago's busy streets, and craning ones neck to catch a glimpse of the tops of the skyscrapers, a walk up Dearborn street, a streetcar ride around the busiest of the retail and wholesale district, and it was time to take the Illinois Central train for the West. An elegant train, a splendid track, 50 miles an hour with safety, winding through a beautiful and very rich country (Illinois and Iowa) and before we realized it we found ourselves racing through Nebraska, drouth-stricken Kansas, hot and dusty Colorado, Utah and Idaho, into Oregon, the "Beaver State," the land of cool nights, bracing and pure air, big crops, and contented and happy people. FISIS CHARTERQUE VIKARRE, TIMOTHY BROWNHILL.

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W. O. W. Clover Camp No. 318, Gresham, meets in Regner's Hall on 2d and 4th Mondays at 8 p. m. D. F. Talbot, C. C.; E. L. Thorp, Clerk. Visiting Woodmen Welcome.

GRESHAM REBEKAH LODGE No. 61, I. O. O. F., meets on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month. The officers are: Nora Durrell, N. G.; Olive Gist, V. G.; Dora Roberts, secretary; Calla Kenney, treasurer.

Gresham Lodge No. 125, I. O. O. F. Meets every Saturday night in Old Fellows' Hall, C. R. Miller, N. G.; Emil Palmquist, V. G.; Ralph E. Johnson, Secretary; G. W. Kenney, Treasurer. All visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior, Land Office at Portland, Oregon, June 30, 1906. 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 the Register and Receiver at Portland, Oregon, on August 15, 1906, viz: Edward Trickey, B. E. No. 13013, for the SE 1/4 of Sec. 18, T. 1 N., R. 6 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James A. McDonald, of Palmer, Oregon, Adolph Krouse, of Palmer, Oregon, Theodore Reed, of Palmer, Oregon, Frank Howard, of Palmer, Oregon. ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register. (Pub. July 7, 14, 21, 28, Aug. 4.)

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