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## VILLARD'S BOSSES.

The banking syndicate which loaned the Northern Pacific Railway Company large sums of money to construct the road, taking a first lien on the land grant for security, are now in a position to dictate the management of the road because of the necessity of the company to borrow \$20,000,000 more. This \$20,000,000 is required to fund the floating debt, to make bridges, tunnels and betterments on the main line and for the construction of branch roads. By the last report of the directors it appears that the main line, excluding the division from the mouth of Snake river through the Cascades to Tacoma, which is only begun, created debts as follows:

General first mortgage.....\$40,000,000  
Old bonds.....5,801,290  
Dividend scrip due 1883.....4,980,820  
Total.....\$50,782,110

Add the \$20,000,000 new loan now asked for purposes as above stated and we have a total debt of \$70,782,110. The \$40,000,000 first-mortgage bonds were floated at 80 and therefore realized no more than \$32,000,000 cash for construction purposes. The \$20,000,000 new loan will probably fetch no more than 80, or a cash return of \$16,000,000. This, plus the \$32,000,000, plus \$5,891,200 of old bonds, plus \$4,940,820 dividend scrip, at a par for the last two items, foots up a total of cash resources for construction—of main line, 1961 miles and branches, 616 miles; total, 2577 miles and for all betterments—of \$58,532,020. Now, when we reflect that the directors of the Central Pacific line from here to Ogden represent that their road, without branches or betterments, cost within \$4,000,000 as much as these 2577 miles of Northern Pacific, with betterments, it is astonishing that the New York bankers who loaned the above \$40,000,000 in bonds worth \$32,000,000 in cash, should refuse the new loan, or hesitate about it, but on the condition that Villard should resign the presidency of the company. They think his financial management was extravagant. They forget that he labored under pressure and was forced to the completion of the road, without regard to expense, to save the land grant and therefore to save the security of the \$40,000,000 loan, least congress might intervene by an act of forfeiture. It is said that these bosses would surely have compelled the resignation of Villard had the vice-president of the Pennsylvania accepted the position, which he will not, since he is likely to be made president of the Pennsylvania very soon. Contrasted with the money spent or pretended to have been spent on the road from San Francisco to Omaha, the Northern Pacific road has been constructed with marvelous economy. The actual cash debenture is, on the main line and branches, including this new loan of \$20,000,000 asked now, but a little over \$22,700 per mile.

Testimony adduced in Boston shows that the tanning of human skins has been extensively carried on for the past eighteen years. One witness saw several whole hides of women that had been tanned. He said they were perfect and looked natural. Another witness carried a piece in his pocket for two years.

Kankakee has a justice who beats them all in the way of doing up a job of matrimonial splicing with neatness and dispatch. This is his formula: "Have 'er?" "Yes." "Have 'm?" "Yes." "Married, \$2."

## How Shall We Get Good Dairy Stock.

Since dairying is to become a business of prime importance, those who wish to take advantage of opportunities must begin to raise dairy stock. For this purpose introduce a Jersey or Holstein male into a neighborhood and breed good grade milkers, and you will soon see results. Two years will bring good half Jersey heifers with their calves; and in four years the successful breeder will have a herd of three-quarter blood Jerseys. For dairy purposes these are fully as good as the full blood Jersey. For butter alone the Jersey may be the best cow, but if cheese is wanted any part of the year, the Holstein is the correct thing. Holsteins will make excellent butter and cheese and many say they are the best for the average farmer to have. It is no doubt true that either will answer the purpose well and make extra choice butter. The farmer who will prepare himself with grades of these breeds, can soon have good milkers to sell for town cows and will get well paid for his trouble.

At the present time a good milking cow will sell to a townsman, who expects to feed his cow all the time, and wants plenty of rich milk and cream, for \$75 to \$100. Cows have become important members of the community and have the say so in many respects, so the breeder of cows has a safe business.

A Portland grocery concerns advertises that they bring a thousand pounds a week of the best of gilt edged Jersey butter from Elgin, Ills. No doubt such butter would sell by tens of thousands every week. There are 10,000 persons in Oregon, living in cities, who would gladly pay 50 cents per pound for choice Jersey butter the year round. Such being the fact our farmers should lose no time in supplying that demand. It is not uncertain, but certain, to double in quantity within the next two years. Good butter will always control the market.

The Oregon farmer must show enterprise or he will be badly left. The railroad has brought another era, a new set of people, more extravagance, if you will call it so, or more appreciation of excellence will be a better phrase. People with particular tastes have a right to, if able to support them. Taste is expensive, but the prosperous worldlings who have the means to gratify their appetites are no disadvantage to the producer. They create a market specially distinguished for excellence, and the farmer who can achieve excellence profits by the exclusive demand. It becomes, therefore, a great point with producers to attain the excellence that commands a premium.

Every neighborhood has numbers of good milking cows that impart something of that excellence to their offspring. Breed such cows to a male of good buter pedigree, and the result will be that the impress of the long line of butter making stock, through the agency of the male, will create a new race of dairy cows very little short of the best known. If our stock and dairy farmers will begin immediately to work up a high grade of good milkers we soon shall have dairy products for home use without looking to California or the West or to Elgin, Illinois, or any other dairy producing region, Eastward. Meantime we are expecting hundreds of thousands of dollars annually to secure good dairy products for our own use. The business increases rapidly and we must be up and

doing at an earnest rate if we have any hope of maintaining ourselves independently of other states in supplying dairy products for home use.—*Willamette Farmer.*

## All for Love.

On the 16th Miss Laura Clark, a young lady aged about 20 years, committed suicide at the Cottage Grove hotel, Dane county, by taking a dose of morphia. She was employed at the hotel at the time of the tragic event; had been employed there about six months. J. V. Thornton, the proprietor of the hotel, went to her room to wake her up in the morning. He found her room locked, and heard a suspicious noise on the inside like one gasping for breath. He called his wife, who managed to get into the girl's room. She was found lying in bed, breathing very hard, with her face almost purple. Mrs. Thornton shook her vigorously and endeavored to arouse her, but without success. A physician was then hastily summoned. The latter did everything human to save the life of the unfortunate young woman, but without avail. She soon died. A bottle partially filled with the salt of morphia was found in the room. The following note was also found:

COTTAGE GROVE, Oregon, }  
Oct. 16, 1883. }  
"All for love—9 o'clock and 15 minutes."

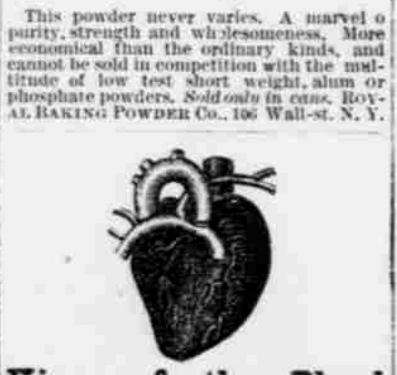
"May God bless the angels that carry me home, for I leave no one to love me, and no one to love. May this poor girl be taken care of, and may I meet my loved one in some future time, when he will love me as I love him."

The coroner's jury returned a verdict of death from a dose of poison, self administered.



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