

Frankness of Manner.

Orison Sweet Marden in "Success." There is no more delightful trait in the young or the old than absolute frankness and openness of nature, that transparency of character which lets us see the best and the worst in them, their strong and their weak points, without any effort at concealment.

Everybody admires the open-hearted, the people who have nothing to conceal, and who do not try to cover up their faults and weaknesses. They are, as a rule, large-hearted and magnanimous. They inspire love and confidence, and, by their very frankness and simplicity, invite the same qualities in others. Secretiveness repels as much as frankness attracts. There is something about the very inclination to conceal or cover up which arouses suspicion and distrust. We can not have the same confidence in people who possess this trait, no matter how good they may seem to be, as in frank, sunny natures. Dealing with these secretive people is like traveling on a stage coach on a dark night. There is always a feeling of uncertainty. We may come out all right, but there is a lurking fear of some pitfall or unknown danger ahead of us. We are uncomfortable because of the uncertainties. They may be all right, and may deal squarely with us, but the trouble is that we are not sure, and can not trust them. No matter how polite or gracious a secretive person may be, we can never rid ourselves of the feeling that there is a motive behind his graciousness, and that he has an ulterior in view. He is always more or less of an enigma, because he goes through life wearing a mask. He endeavors to hide every trait that is not favorable to himself. Never, if he can help it, do we get a glimpse of the real man.

How different the man who comes out in the open, who has no secrets, who reveals his heart to us, and who is frank, broad and liberal! How quickly he wins our confidence! How we all love and trust him! We forgive him for many a slip or weakness, because he is always ready to confess his faults, and to make amends for them. If he has bad qualities, they are always in sight, and we are ready to make allowances for them. His heart is sound and true, his sympathies are broad and active. The very qualities he possesses—frankness and simplicity—are conducive to the growth of the highest manhood and womanhood.

The political somersaulters have put a few days in which to select their band wagons.

It is truly a touching sight to behold our strenuous politicians tumbling over each other in their zeal to save country.

Several colleges are complaining of a shortage of fast runners for their foot ball teams. We recommend one Kuropatkin.

Gen. Corbin has declared war against Cupid. Cupid belongs to the unconquerables. We advise the general to let him alone.

The Kentucky man who married his mother-in-law for the sake of harmony is bound to make a howling success under any circumstances.

A young Ralph Rose, the giant hammer-thrower, says he can lick Jeffries. He probably can if he gets a permit to use his sixteen-pound hammer on Jimmy.

A certain prophet is predicting that the world will come to an end November 1. This is certainly wrong, for the election does not occur until November 8.

It is fortunate that there is a Dingley tariff on radium. The American product could not stand competition with the pauper radium of Europe, now worth only \$1,000,000 a pound.

Texas now has more railroad mileage than any other state in the union. This is indeed something to be proud of. We will soon have to speak of her as Imperial Texas.

The Coquille Valley Packing Company wholesales and retails Bacon, Hams and Lard and guarantees the quality.

An Efficient Officer.

Not long since a petition containing some thirty names was presented to Governor Geo. Chamberlain, requesting the removal of J. W. Baker as state game warden on the grounds of dilatoriness and inefficiency. The Governor promptly refused to consider the petition, which it is stated, bore the names of both Democrats and Republicans. Gov. Chamberlain pointed out the fact that Mr. Baker had proven himself a very alert and efficient officer, had made more arrests and secured more convictions of the game laws, during his brief term than had any of his predecessors during their entire administrations, regardless of the small compensation for his services received from the state, and the limited means at hand to be employed in enforcing the game laws. In support of this statement the following official list convictions were submitted:

CONVICTIONS FOR GAME LAW VIOLATIONS.

Number of arrests and convictions for violating Game Laws from July 1, 1903 to August 31, 1904, and fines not including costs of trial.

FINED FOR KILLING BIRDS.

Table listing names and fines for bird killing: A. Heinrich \$15.00, Hugh Brandon 15.00, Charles Finerty 15.00, Charles Harris 15.00, C. Short 15.00, Hawkins 25.00, Wib Wright 15.00, G. Inaguit 15.00, E. Garrison 15.00, Thos. Kellard 15.00, H. W. Knox, gaffing salmon, sentence suspended, fined 50.00, Frank Cox, gaffing salmon, fined 50.00, Olive Davis, killing deer, fined 25.00, Alfred Mattison, killing deer, fined 25.00, Albert Mattison, killing deer, fined 25.00, Jene Mattison, killing deer, sentence suspended, fined 25.00, Edgar Mattison, killing deer, fined 25.00, Edgar Mattison, killing deer, sentence suspended, 25.00, Rube Gaunt, killing deer, fined 25.00, Barney Gaunt, killing deer, fined 25.00, John Gaunt, killing deer, fined 25.00, Allen McFerrin, killing deer, fined 25.00, Jeff McFerrin, killing deer, fined 25.00, A. Creason, killing deer, fined 25.00, M. E. Brown, killing deer, fined 25.00, James Reed, killing deer, fined 25.00, George Conson, having in possession, fined 25.00, E. Roberts, killing deer, sentence suspended, fined 25.00, George Fisher, having untagged deer hides, fined 25.00, Fred Hickler, killing elk, 50.00, R. Miller, having in possession deer hides, fined 25.00, J. F. Wheeler, having in possession deer hides, 25.00, George Fisher, having in possession hides, fined 100.00, T. Felger, having in possession deer hides, fined 25.00, A. M. C. Eads, killing deer, fined 25.00, G. S. Miller, killing deer, fined 25.00, Wm. Jones, killing deer, fined 25.00, John Guider, killing deer, fined 25.00, Wm. Mans, killing deer, fined 25.00, John Patton, killing deer, fined 25.00, B. M. S. Folk, killing deer, fined 25.00, Isaac Johnson, killing deer, fined 25.00, Marvin Drury, killing deer, fined 25.00, Louis Emmitt, killing elk, fined 25.00, Wm. Abbott, selling deer meat, sentence suspended by deft. paying cost, 25.00, Frank Spores, killing deer meat entered plea of guilty. Justice of the Peace Wintermier refused to impose fines. Two arrests in Yamhill, justice of the peace refused to require bonds, parties failed to appear. Two cases in Douglas, complaint withdrawn. One case in Douglas, dismissed. One case in Multnomah, dismissed. Two cases in Morrow, dismissed.

COOS COUNTY HOPS.

Coming in on the steamer Alliance this morning from Coos Bay was the first shipment of hops ever grown in the Coos Bay country. There were 65 bales in the outfit, and those who examined them pronounced them to be of the very best grade. By another year it is claimed that hop raising will be among the leading industries in the Oregon coast counties.—Portland Journal.

Taken With Cramps.

Wm. Kirmse, a member of the bridge gang working near Littleport was taken suddenly ill Thursday night with cramps and a kind of cholera. His case was so severe that he had to have the members of the crew wait upon him and Gifford was called and consulted. He told them he had a medicine in the form of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy that he thought would help him out and accordingly several doses were administered with the result that the fellows able to be around next day. The incident speaks quite highly of Mr. Gifford's medicine.—Elkader, Iowa, Argus.

Announcement.

M. A. Pierce has secured the agency for the Chas. Stevens & Bros., of Chicago, and has received a complete outfit of samples. Mrs. Pierce will be glad to take your measure for suits, cloaks, capes, skirts and waists. Style, quality and fit guaranteed.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the county of Coos and the state of Oregon. In the matter of the estate of Sophia E. Robinson, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has by an order of the County Court of Coos county, Or., been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Sophia E. Robinson, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me, with proper vouchers, at my office in Coquille City, Or., within six months from date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay the same at once, without delay. Dated at Coquille, Or., September 17, 1904. ROBERT BEKRS, Administrator of the estate of Sophia E. Robinson, deceased.

Republican Speakers for Coos.

The following letter which was published in the mail was received by Dr. Mings and is self explanatory:

Portland, Or., Oct. 8, 1904. Mr. E. MINGS, Member Coos County Republican Committee.

My Dear Sir: Honorable William M. Colvig and George W. Colvig have kindly consented to aid the State Committee in enunciating the Republican doctrine by speaking in Gardiner, North Bend, Marshfield, Bandon, Coquille and Myrtle Point, beginning at Gardiner Friday evening, Oct. 14th.

They will speak in your town (Marshfield) Monday evening, October 17th. I hope you will afford the gentlemen every convenience and a good audience.

Your obedient servant, F. C. BAKER. (Coos Bay News.)

J. W. Bennett intends leaving for the city on the Breakwater, on business connected with the Crescent coal mine.

Cal Bridges and wife left for California on the Breakwater Friday, in the hope of benefiting Mrs. Bridges' health.

Two elk, a bull and a cow, were seen on the Neva Harry place, at Brewster valley last week. Elk are undoubtedly increasing in this section, but notwithstanding the heavy penalty for killing them, a few are slaughtered by hunters every year. If these noble animals were entirely unmolesated for a few years they would again be numerous.

F. S. Dow informs us that the codlin moth has made its appearance in this section. He noticed several boxes of apples lately, from Hodson Bros., of South Coos river, which, he says, prove conclusively that their orchard is affected by the codlin moth. Prompt action should be taken to free the orchard from the pest, and prevent its spreading.

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

- COQUILLE LODGE, NO. 53, I. O. O. F. Meets every Saturday night. Geo. T. MOULTON, N. G. J. S. LAWRENCE, Sec'y.
COQUILLE ENCAMPMENT, NO. 25, I. O. O. F. Meets the first and third Thursday nights in each month. L. H. HAZARD, C. P. I. HACKER, Scribe.
MAMIE REBEKAN LODGE, NO. 20. Meets the second and fourth Wednesday nights in each month. Mrs. KATHRYN SLAGLE, N. G. Mrs. MAMIE SLAGLE, Sec'y.
CHADWICK LODGE, NO. 68, A. F. & A. M. Meets the Saturday night on or before the full moon. DR. W. CULIN, W. M. J. J. LAMB, Sec'y.
REGULAR CHAPTER, NO. 6, O. E. S. Meets next Friday night. Mrs. KATHRYN SLAGLE, W. M. Sec'y.
LYCURGUS LODGE, NO. 72, K. P. Meets the second and fourth Tuesday nights each month in Odd Fellows' hall. N. C. MEDLEY, C. C. R. H. MAST, K. R. S.
COQUILLE LODGE, NO. 127, A. O. U. W. Meets the second and fourth Monday nights each month in Odd Fellows' hall. R. E. NOSLER, W. M. O. F. ROEHRER, Rec.
IMPERIAL LODGE, NO. 11, D. OF H. Meets the first and third Wednesday nights each month in Woodman hall. MISS GRACE SEERELS, C. H. Mrs. I. N. PLYLER, Rec.
MYRTLE CAMP, NO. 197, W. O. W. Meets the first and third Saturday nights of each month. W. H. MANSELL, C. C. J. G. SIMMONS, Clerk.
COQUILLE COUNCIL, NO. 398, F. A. A. Meets the second and fourth Thursday nights of each month in Odd Fellows' hall. DR. GEO. RUSSELL, Pres. Mrs. CHAS. HARRINGTON, Sec'y.
EVENING TIDE CIRCLE, NO. 214, W. O. W. Meets the second and fourth Saturday nights of each month. Mrs. W. H. MANSELL, G. N. JESSE C. SIMMONS, Clerk.
JUSTUS LODGE, NO. 35, RATHBONE SISTERS Meets the first and third Tuesday nights each month in Odd Fellows' hall. Mrs. FRED LINNGAR, E. Sr. Mrs. R. H. MAST, M. R. S.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed his final account in the matter of the estate of Jacob Kampfer, deceased, and that the county court has set Wednesday, the 2nd day of November, 1904, for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement of said estate. Dated this 1st day of October, 1904. A. J. SHERWOOD, Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Jacob Kampfer, deceased.

Notice to Contractors.

The County Court of Coos County Oregon, will receive proposals to construct a wagon road on the survey where the same was viewed, laid out and surveyed by the viewers appointed by the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, to view, layout and survey the Coquille, Riverton and Lambda creek county road. Commencing at the foothill where said survey passes through and across the creek bottom on J. B. Sweet's place and at the south side of said bottom. Thence follow along said survey, which runs in a southerly direction, to the point where said survey crosses the Lampa creek bottom, said road bed to be not less than nine feet wide and to be made on even grade. The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All bids to be filed with the County Clerk of Coos County, Oregon, on or before the 10th day of October, 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m. L. HARLOCKER, County Judge of Coos County Oregon.

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