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HOW THE WHISKY RING WOULD SKIN THE FARMER

The farmer and the farmer's girl and boy are just as liable to become victims to the saloon and its vile influences as the young and old town residents are and the farmer must also dig down in his jeans pockets and foot his proportion of the court expense for every drunken crime committed as a result of the saloon, yet these very wise advocates of the saloon keep telling us that the towns and cities should have the right to regulate their own saloon affairs as provided by initiative bill No. 328. However, it is observed that this bill does not provide that cities and towns shall take care of the saloon made paupers, the saloon made widows and orphans and the enormous saloon made criminal court expense. They are perfectly willing that the farmer and all other outside of town taxpayers should assist in paying these bills. Vote down bill No. 328.

WILLIAMS VS. NESMITH.

Don't worry Brother Parker, and rant in the columns of your little Drain paper about which county, Nesmith or Williams, will receive "the most votes in November." Bear in mind the Nesmith county movement was up before the last legislative session and came near winning out regardless of the fact that the Lane and Douglas county legislators were all from the hostile towns of Eugene, Roseburg and Drain, but many representatives and senators went home with a determination to rebuke the Eugene and Roseburg rings and vindicate Nesmith if given an opportunity and that opportunity is now afforded. From the great amount of advertising the Nesmith county movement has received and the fact that it was the first and one of the most needed and worthy new county projects launched in this state, and with the wide-spread support it is receiving its creation is practically assured and it will receive two votes to Williams county's one, from the fact that the people are learning that there is nothing legitimate or sincere about the Williams county movement, but that it was simply launched to embarrass or defeat the worthy and almost assured of success Nesmith county movement.

They continue to have to guard Roosevelt, but in the jungles of Africa he took care of himself. Are men worse than lions?—Democrat.

Here is another one from the Greater Home Rule Association, written specially for editors, because, the writer says, they wield a powerful influence, and there is no violet scented flattery about that. Several days ago the Association wrote us about Bill Jones and Sissy Parsley, whose mutterings the Democrat took pleasure in puncturing, which this so called Home Rule Association says it wanted to grab our attention like a boa constrictor, so that we would know it is vital. You bet you, it is vital—to Portland saloon keepers, who wish to dominate the state. This whisky is one that affects the farmer and everybody, and on November 8th there is going to be a big NO cast to the question of the voting the saloon in or out, and when you come to No. 328 and 329 the Democrat is flat-footed in advising people to put a cross between 329 and No. —Albany Democrat.

The Drain Nonpareil admits in a recent editorial that Williams county was projected simply for the purpose of defeating the more legitimate and worthy Nesmith county movement, but since it has discovered that the initiative provides for the adjustment of overlapping of boundary lines in county division matters, and that Nesmith, from its prestige and wide advertising, will no doubt be created by a vote of the people and receive every inch of territory within its proposed boundary lines, this Drain editor refuses to be comforted.

T. C. Wheeler was circulating initiative nominating petitions for H. W. Thompson for county judge on the republican ticket, Monday. If Cottage Grove and vicinity is to remain in Lane county, or become the seat of government of Nesmith county, there is no man whom the Leader would rather see elected to the office of county judge of Lane county, which Mr. Thompson is so efficiently and satisfactorily filling now, as this self-same Helmus W. Thompson.

The celebration of the Panama Canal is an epoch-making event and the entire West should line up to support San Francisco in her effort to secure Federal recognition of her claim as the proper site for holding the proposed celebration of the completion of the Panama Canal in 1915.

The eight model towns of Oregon are all "dry" towns—Pendleton, Albany, Eugene, Newburg, Cottage Grove, Grants Pass, McMinnville and Ashland. Queer isn't it?

A LOVE LETTER FROM COTTAGE GROVE

David Hendricks Tells a Novel Story—Says 8000 People Would Marry—Wants State-wide Consideration. One for the Other.

(Pacific Homestead.)

He tells it in the following way: It has been given out that man's love is an insane desire on his part to pay a woman's board bill during her natural lifetime. I deny this, for I know several men, including myself, who are head over heels in love, and at least one of them is a vice versa to the problem. He would rather the woman he loves be possessed of the experience, strength and business tact, if not already acquired wherewithal to manage the affairs of life whereby its burdens would be lessened instead of increased.

Thousands of people have tried to explain what love is, and as many thousands have left the question for the individual solution, as unfathomed as the problem of time and space or the distance from Alpha to Omega. There's where the human thinker ceases to act because the well is dry. There is no patent on love and it cannot be copyrighted, though the brands of it in the human anatomy are legion. Mankind was so created through the instrumentality of nature that love became one's first instinct. Love of mother, love of home, love of country, yet first of all, love for the Creator.

There is unity in love. Imbued by its spirit, akin to independence, this great nation was born and has grown and thrived as no other in the history of the world. The love of self-government and the love of right against wrong is the best part of man's make up. Most certainly he who is without love is without a soul. Eight thousand as good people as God ever let live are here banded together. All love their country, their state their home and their fellow man. They ask to help and not to hinder the growth of the country they love. Without injury to their fellow man they ask for the privilege of marrying the woman capable by strength and intelligence as well as by competence already acquired. That the Goddess of Justice bearing the scales of justice and equality be placed over their own clock whose pendulum will ever swing out the time and place for them to spend their own money for the benefit and betterment of the whole people. The people of this state could show no greater love for righteousness and justice than to attend the ceremonies on November 8 and become Godfathers to our first-born whose name is Nesmith, placing an X on the right side as a witness that the name will ever be an honor to the state we love.

Why You Should Do It.

Because 8000 people, your neighbors ask you to do it. Do you love your neighbor as yourself?

Because it will make greater and better the state you love.

Because the creation of Nesmith county will indirectly benefit you, directly benefit 8000 people and not injure a single soul.

Because we want to grow. Thousands of honest people have been kept down because they were not given a chance.

Because the right of self-government is the foundation of the nation we love. A vote against Nesmith county is a stroke at the foundation of the best country in the world.

L. E. Bean of Eugene, the assembly candidate for joint senator for Linn and Lane counties, is the man who introduced a bill in the last legislature making it a misdemeanor to vote in the legislature for the senatorial candidate receiving the highest of the people's votes, unlawful for the people to elect a U. S. senator. Think of putting a man of that calibre in office. No wonder he is an assembly candidate, says the Albany Democrat.

No town will grow when her people are satisfied with present conditions. The citizens must show a disposition to go after more population, large factories, bigger payrolls and other things to help the town before others will be attracted by its advantages.

Breeding Ewes For Sale.

I have 24 good breeding ewes, Cotswold, for sale. For terms and particulars apply to Easley Bros., Saginaw, Oregon.

Death of W. T. Kayser.

William T. Kayser, a prominent and highly esteemed citizen of Cottage Grove, died at his home in this city Friday August 12, 1910, after a brief illness from stomach and heart complications.

Deceased was born in Pottsville, Penn., Nov. 23, 1849, and was therefore 60 years, 8 months and 19 days old at the time of his death. He was united in marriage to Miss Martha J. Davis in Black Oak church, Caldwell county, Missouri, on October 25, 1875, and came to Washington in 1882 thence to Elmira, Lane county, Oregon, in 1889, where for about twelve years he was engaged in the general merchandise business and farming and also took a prominent part in the affairs of this county. Eight years ago he came to Cottage Grove after selling his interests at Elmira, and soon became closely identified with the interests of this city being always public spirited and enterprising. He was engaged in the real estate business with W. P. Huff for several months and for a year or more he conducted the dray business in this city at which time he received a slight injury from a trunk falling upon him which afterwards gave him considerable trouble and possibly hastened his fatal illness. The dray business was sold to the present proprietors about a year ago.

Included in his property holdings is a farm near Saginaw and considerably property in this city.

Mr. Kayser was a genial and highly esteemed gentleman, always optimistic, with a glad hand and courteous greeting for his fellow man. He united with the Methodist Episcopal church at the age of 18 years and ever lived a devoted and consistent Christian life.

He leaves to mourn their great loss a widow, an adopted son, a brother in Kansas, a sister in California, and a niece, Mrs. Tom Bailey of Eugene, as well as a host of friends in this county. Funeral services were conducted at the family home Sunday morning by Rev. Robert Sutcliffe, pastor of the M. E. Church and the remains were escorted to the depot by the members of the local Masonic lodge of which deceased was an honored member. Six prominent local Masons serving as pall bearers accompanied the remains and the bereaved family to Oak Hill cemetery, 7 miles west of Eugene where the last sad rites were held, and the remains interred by the side of those of a departed sister. The pall bearers were: Attorney J. E. Young, Geo. Atkinson, W. P. Huff, Geo. O. Knowles, J. V. Thornton and W. T. Hankins. The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their great bereavement.

Aged Citizen Dies.

Calvin Bunch, aged 74 years, an honored resident of the community, died Wednesday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. B. H. Lee, at Divide, five miles south of here, of typhoid fever. He was born in Michigan in 1836, came to Minnesota when about 18 years of age, and was married there to Miss Marretta Reeve, July 4, 1862. Here he resided for 26 years, and four children were born to the couple. November 1888, settling on Silk creek five miles from Cottage Grove, where they lived for over 20 years. Mr. Bunch is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. H. B. Lee of Divide, and Mrs. William McCoy of Silk Creek. The funeral was held Thursday at the Silk creek Adventist church.

The support the Portland hotel men are getting from the Oregon Press on their "Greater Home Rule Association" scheme must be anything but comforting. The Leader has failed to note any indorsement of it except from the Salem Journal and Oregonian.

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Burial of H. W. Scott.

With brief, services at the family residence and a short Masonic ritualistic ceremony at the grave, the late Harvey W. Scott, editor of the Oregonian, was buried in Riverview Cemetery Sunday afternoon. The last rites were in keeping with his open expressed idea of a funeral, a short service, stripped of eulogy and ostentation.

The cortege was long and marched with slow tread in cadence with the funeral dirge. The procession was made up of personal associates, for it consisted of none but Masons and men representing all departments of a metropolitan daily newspaper. Members of the family, relatives and a few close, personal friends, including the active and honorary pall bearers rode in carriages behind the hearse.

The religious services were conducted by Rev. Thos. L. Eliot, minister emeritus of the first Unitarian Church, of Portland.

“What great wandering body,” asks the teacher, “which is largely composed of gas, and which travels at terrific speed and puzzles the scientists while amazing and alarming nearly all its beholders, recently attracted the attention of the entire world?” “Teddy Roosevelt,” yawns the fat boy at the end of the row.—Life.

For Sale At Bargain.

12 acres, house, barn, 3 chicken houses, wood house, cellar, spring, 55 fruit trees, garden, grain 1/2 acre 1 cow, 1 calf, 100 chickens, cheap if taken at once. Particulars F. A. Clow, Cottage Grove, Oregon. *

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NEW CLUBBING OFFER A SNAP

Just now the people of this community are taking great interest in fruit growing, small farming and irrigation, and in order to supply information along these lines to those who want it, the Leader has secured a low club rate with one of the best coast journals devoted to these enterprises—"The Orchard, Farm and Irrigation," published at San Francisco, and here is our offer:
"The Leader," one year \$1.50
"Orchard, Farm, Irrigation" 1.00
Total \$2.50
Both papers for one year for \$1.75
This offer will not remain open long.

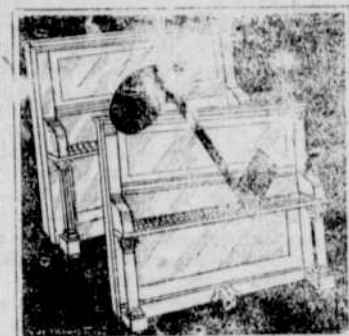
Two Milch Cows for Sale.

Two good milch cows for sale. Inquire C. Henry Haight, Saginaw, Oregon. Phone 77x4. 2t

WANTED.

Middle aged lady, general housework including washing. Wages \$4 per week, city. Phone 884 or address P. O. Box 255. *

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H. C. MADSEN

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