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SATURDAY, MAY 21

County Ticket.

- For Representatives— J. E. Barnes, Mapleton. Edward Jenkes, Cottage Grove. L. R. Edmunson, Eugene. For Count Judge— W. P. Cheshire, Springfield. For County Clerk— J. C. Parker, Pleasant Hill. For Sheriff— Fred Flak, Edge. For Commissioner— J. F. Hill, Junction. For Assessor— R. O. Brady, Creswell. For Treasurer— I. E. Stevens, Eugene. For School Superintendent— E. R. Parker, Creswell. For Surveyor— Ralph Hunt, Eugene. For Coroner— R. M. Day, Eugene. Eugene Precinct Ticket. For Justice of the Peace— C. M. Klesinger. For constable— A. J. Smith.

Note and Comment.

Somewhat a peculiar notice, that in the Register given by C. E. Warner, that town cows roam in his country neighborhood, and that "a number of them will wind up in the city pound one of these days to the expense of the owners." Has Mr. Warner got a city pound out there, or would he take chances taking other men's cattle in his possession to drive that considerable distance along a public road? He might get in trouble.

Note and Comment.

That is nothing unusual in public bodies—the delegates to the Los Angeles national Methodist conference getting restless under too much oratory of a few of their number. Of course, they will stand it awhile, then the offenders will be set down on, in a manner, so business can be attended to.

Note and Comment.

Old hay is good property now—sells for fourteen dollars a ton. Still it has lost a fair per cent of weight by drying out since it was mowed away last summer so, after all, the hay is really no dearer now than at the last year hay-cutting season.

Jajalal! Did you ever play it? It is a Cuban gambling game and, most singular, Cubans have such a poor opinion of this country that they are sending an agent to Washington to work for the securing of a monopoly of the game along the Panama route. If those Cubans had the Portland mayor and council in control at Washington they could buy the privilege of violating law and good morals. At least they sell it in a way at Portland—allow gambling and other things on the payment of fines.

Now that of late years our people have come to appreciate the park, a suggestion of a friend is timely and to the point. He says move the jail and city hall to some other lot. A splendid idea. With those buildings and the sheds off, the four squares, including the courthouse, would be such that any citizen could point to the county grounds with pride. That jail square looks bad—very bad, and, by the way, it is the most prominent one of the four. With the jail and city buildings off, the courthouse appearance would be greatly improved too.

Perker and Miles Ticket.

An Albany, New York, dispatch says the report is current among big politicians that Senator D. B. Hill has opened communication with General Nease, A. Miles, with a view to the latter accepting second place on the National Democratic ticket with Joseph Perker. It is said Judge Parker is in the East and South, but that he is not well known in the

West, and there might be some lukewarmness because of his supposed close connection with the money interests of the East.

The plan is to counteract this by nominating General Miles as his running-mate. It is argued that the splendid military record of Miles appeals strongly to the West and South, where the people are anxious to avenge what they call a slight inflicted upon a gallant soldier by President Roosevelt. It is said that General Miles is not averse to going on the ticket. Assurances were practically given that he would consider the proposition favorably.

A Fatal Road Race.

Every man who has traveled the road to any considerable extent has witnessed care-devil driving of men trying to pass other without apparent reason—maybe to be ahead. The racing instinct in man probably, still it is enough to make the spectator shiver. And any frequenter of the road cannot but wonder at the few accidents he has beheld, one team having to take the rough ground in such a contest, making the race more dangerous. But it does not always happen that the racers escape. A St. Helens dispatch of Saturday, down the Columbia from Portland, tells of death, the result of a foolish road race:

Arne Freeman and Patrick Hughes, a mere boy and a girl, were on the St. Helens this afternoon in a wagon hauled by a spirited team. On their way home a man named Prebles, on horseback, accompanied them, and on the way a race occurred between the team and the saddle-horse, during which the team ran into a stump, overturning the wagon and throwing out its occupants. Freeman was almost instantly killed, his skull being crushed in, and Hughes is quite seriously injured, though it is thought he will recover. Both men are well known throughout the county and were among its prosperous farmers.

Sensational Preaching.

Judging from a report in the Telegram Portland has a very sensational preacher in the person of Dr. Ray Palmer. Here is how he served up the gambler and enforcement of the law regarding gambling, that being a live issue in the metropolis just now. Here is an extract:

The gambler? Who is he? The scourge of society, the bane of the earth. He and the tramp are twin brothers. They both make their living from the earnings of others; the former by robbing, the latter by begging. The gambler is a half-brother to every robber and highwayman on earth. He sees the tears of his victims and laughs at them. He hears the midnight cry of despair and laughs at it. He is always cool-headed, ice-hearted. He sends his thousands to suicides' graves and throws the ragged mantle of poverty around the widow and the orphan.

"Dr." Palmer is evidently talking about something that he knows nothing about—a common occurrence with the preacher who seeks a crowd through sensational preaching. Gambling is a vice, a thing to be condemned, still the men who engage in it are about as the general run of men, good, bad and indifferent. He don't see many tears—would not laugh at them if he did. He gambles for money and rightfully thinks that the man or men he is gambling with are gambling for money. He is not always cool-headed or ice-hearted. The cautious, cold-blooded gambler seek company to play with, and as for ice-heartedness it is not often found among even the professionals of the gambling table. They have their sympathies just as other men, and their money seeming to come easy they are more liberal with it than the general run of men. It is a vice to be avoided, but so is the making of false statements, in plain words, lying. The gambler makes no pretensions, the preacher who depends on sensationalism in the main for his audience does. It were better that he should have certain knowledge of his subject, then he would not lay himself open to the charge of untruthfulness.

"Speaking to a Purpose." An Oregonian editor must have been somewhat "rattled" when he clipped this from the Brooklyn Eagle

an exceptionally fine increment, by the way, of the man who is likely to head the Democratic national ticket at the coming campaign:

Mr. Roosevelt's fluency and Mr. Bryan's much speaking and writing render Judge Parker's reserves annoying to them and reassuring to others. The judge, however, has contributed more thought to print than both of them put together. It has been contributed in the form of legal opinions. He was elected to announce them. The law publishes them. The United States supreme court has never reversed them on appeal. It has sustained him on every appealed case in which he has differed from his learned associates! The judge's contributions to expression vindicate his ability for correct reasoning and illustrate his power to restrict his language to subjects proper for him to consider, in the office he was chosen to fill.

Public Range Uses.

The Portland Rural Northwest has this about the range wars which break out at intervals on Eastern Oregon ranges jointly occupied by sheep and cattlemen:

The methods which the range cattlemen, or some of them, have adopted to prevent the sheepmen from over-running the public range in Lake and other counties of Eastern Oregon, have destroyed the sympathy to which they would have been entitled if they had not adopted the lawless plan of killing sheep and probably also committing murder. It is hard for those who have long enjoyed the free use of the public range to see that range rendered valueless for their use by the incoming flocks of sheep, but when the cattlemen resort to cowardly crime they not only forfeit all claims on the public for sympathy, but show that they are not desirable citizens of the state. So long as public range is legally free and open to everybody, the cattlemen should not allow themselves to settle down to the opinion that they have fixed rights to its use, and which they can maintain by acts of violence.

Antiquity of Artificial Teeth.

The manufacture and use of false teeth, says London Answers, are undoubtedly of great antiquity. The ancient Egyptians were no mean dentists. Jawbones of mummies have been found with false teeth in them, and some with teeth filled with gold.

The ancient Greeks also knew how to fill teeth with gold and how to make false teeth. There is plentiful evidence of skilled dentistry among the Romans, for many of the Latin authors have references to false teeth. In the "Roman Laws of the Twelve Tables" there are distinct references to artificial teeth. The first part of No. 10 forbids useless expense at funerals in general, but an exception is permitted by No. 11, which allows that the gold fillings of false teeth or the gold with which they are bound, should be buried or burned with the deceased.

The first mixed body of minister to unite in a pledge not to remarry divorced persons, except in the case of the innocent party to a divorce granted for adultery, is believed to be the ministerial association of Reading, Pa. This action is one of the first results of the new religious crusade against the evils of divorce, and it may be followed by others.

A London dispatch says it is likely that Great Britain will be compelled to undertake an extensive Tibetan campaign. Not "compelled," in fact, but finding Russia with her hands more than full will take advantage of the opportune time to extend her India frontier further Russward. All of which will cause the Russian to swear in all the languages of which he has command. It is the common way—catch a fellow in trouble financially or otherwise all jump on him.

A plan has been perfected in Denmark for delivering frozen milk fresh and sweet at great distances, as at London and Paris. It can be sold in those cities for six cents per quart. It is filtered, tested, Pasteurized, then frozen, and simply insulated with straw when packed for transportation.

"Bill Shot Wild—and Wrong." "They ain't agoin' to let Bill out on bond no more." "They ain't!" "No. Last time he got out he shot the judge in the leg by mistake and the judge's ag'in him now!"

One of the strangest churches in the world is at Taramski, Australia. Each of its four walls bears a large dvertisement in flaming letters. The church was built by the firms whose goods are

The supreme court of Ohio has decided that the inheritance tax of that state is unconstitutional—that it conflicts with the portion of the constitution which provides that all property must be taxed at a uniform rate and at its true value in money.

The Encore House.

The Minnesota Hotel, which has been closed for some time, was reopened to the public on Tuesday morning by N. K. Gaylord and Chas. Clark. The place has undergone a decided change in every way, having been thoroughly cleaned, papered and painted throughout. The office is neat and up-to-date, and comfortable parlor and private dining rooms have been added. The furniture and bedding in all the rooms is entirely new, there not being an old piece of furniture in the place. The new proprietors have spared no efforts in fixing the hotel up and it is now a very desirable stopping place. One of the principal features of the hotel is its home-like appearance. There is a large park and playground in the rear which will be put in good condition and croquet grounds laid off. Under the new management the hotel will be known as the "Encore House," and the rates will be from one to two dollars a day.

FAIR MEETING TO BE HELD

Citizens Asked to Meet With F. A. Rankin to Discuss Proposition.

F. A. Rankin asks the business men of Eugene to meet with him at his music store tomorrow forenoon at 10 o'clock to discuss a proposition made by the directors of the District Fair Association, which, if accepted, will insure the fair being held at Eugene for the next three years.

The proposition, as previously stated by the Guard exclusively, is that if \$1000 is raised by Eugene to help pay off the indebtedness of the association, the fair can come here next fall and the two succeeding falls.

The matter is being discussed by a number of business men interested, and the meeting tomorrow morning will no doubt be well attended.

CANDIDATES IN TOWN

W. P. Cheshire, Democratic candidate for county judge, I. E. Stevens, for treasurer, R. O. Brady, for assessor, and L. R. Edmunson, for representative, arrived in Eugene last night from Blachley, where the several nominees of both parties for county officers held forth yesterday.

Messrs. Cheshire, Stevens, Brady and Edmunson left this afternoon for Elmira, where the candidates speak tonight. In speaking to a reporter today, Mr. Brady said that the campaign is being carried on in a pleasant manner and thought that the Democratic nominees were making hosts of friends.

TRACK TEAM OFF FOR SEATTLE

Do Not Expect to Win, but Will Give a Good Account of Themselves.

The University of Oregon track team left this afternoon for Seattle, taking the following men: Moores, Veatch, Perkins, Thayer, Hug, Frizell, Swift, Penland, Williams, Johnson, Glafka, Trainer, Hayward, Manager Tomlinson.

The team, practically the same as was defeated by Pacific University, is in good condition, and although they do not expect to win in view of the records of the Washington men, will give a good account of themselves. They will arrive at Seattle tomorrow and will have plenty of time to rest up and get over the ride before the meet Saturday afternoon.

Everything in regard to the meet has been satisfactorily arranged, the list of judges and order of events submitted by Oregon being agreed to by Washington.

REST COTTAGE WAS CROWDED

Was a Great Convenience to the Throng Who Came to See the Circus.

The rest cottage in the park proved to be a great convenience for the country people on circus day. Over two hundred women and children, not counting a large number of men, visited the cottage during the day and over half that number ate their lunches there in the waiting room. In speaking to the matron, a Guard reporter this morning learned that on every day not less than fifteen or twenty people from the country visit the cottage to clean up and eat their lunch. Sometimes the house is crowded and is inadequate to accommodate the visitors properly. The people of Eugene very seldom if ever visit the cottage and do not realize its usefulness. It is understood the ladies of the W. R. P. L. who built the cottage, will make an effort in the near future to raise funds for the enlargement of the house.

GRAND OPENING PALACE OF SWEETS

The Palace of Sweets, in the McClung building, opposite the theater block, will have a grand opening on Saturday evening, May 21. An orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music. This place promises to be one of the finest resorts in the valley. The finest of candies, ice cream and soft drinks will be on hand.

DANGER DROVE HER

How a Timid Woman Found Courage.

She was by nature a timid woman. Nothing had been able to induce her to cross the narrow, swaying plank which bridged the creek. Sooner than take this short cut she would go a mile above where there was a substantial wagon bridge. But now when the fire was sweeping across the prairie, consuming houses and crops, she was driven to the plank over the creek as the only hope of escape. Danger drove her. Fear

flogged her. And tottering and trembling she made the passage in safety.

There are a great many sick women who have heard for years of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the medicine made famous by its cures of womanly ills. But they have no faith in it. They go the long way round to seek health,



and use the services of a local practitioner. Perhaps when he fails they try patent medicines. It is only when they realize there is danger in disease; that doctors can't help and patent medicines don't cure—that they are driven to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and find it is the short road to health.

THE BRIDGE THAT CARRIED THEM OVER. Thousands of women unite in praise of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription as the bridge that carried them to safety, put them out of power of disease, and gave them perfect and permanent health. They put themselves on record for the benefit of others who suffer and have exhausted all other means used for effecting a cure.

"In April, 1900, my strength gave out and I was obliged to go to bed, suffering with female weakness, also had ulcers and inflammation," writes Mrs. Ellen D. Rollin, of Pierceville, Ripley Co., Ind. "I tried a physician's remedy for a month but got no better—only weaker. Tried another medicine six weeks, but got no better, was quite discouraged. I read Dr. Pierce's Memorandum Book, telling of the cures Dr. Pierce's medicine had performed. My husband said he would have more faith in Dr. Pierce's medicine than in any other, and he got me a bottle of the 'Favorite Prescription' at once. I began taking it, and wrote to Dr. Pierce. I received several letters of advice, also a small book treating on Women and Her Diseases. I followed the directions given as closely as I could. Began taking Dr. Pierce's medicine in July, and in two months I was able to do my housework. Took twelve bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' also four of 'Golden Medical Discovery.' Had a severe case of inflammation and suffered a great deal, but by persevering I regained my strength. Weigh twenty-five pounds more than I ever did before. I think Dr. Pierce's medicines far excel all others, and hope those who are suffering will turn to him for aid. I thank him for his advice and kindness, and can heartily recommend his treatment to all who may be suffering as I was."

The cures effected by Dr. Pierce's

J. P. COLEMAN'S EXTENSION

J. B. Coleman has let the contract for the extension of his brick block occupied by the Oregon saloon, J. Goldsmith's and C. F. Littlefield's cigar stores, to V. McFarland. The block will be extended back to Park street. It was at first decided to add a second story but the matter was given up. Following were the bids: Buley Bros, 1957; L. N. Roney, \$1289; V. McFarland, \$1280.

Society Events

Mrs. Zeiber gave a reception to the freshmen class of the University of Oregon Tuesday afternoon between the hours of three and five o'clock at the president's residence on the campus. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Schaefer and the Misses Mabel Smith, Mary Gray, Beattie Woods, Cora Wold and Alice Benson.

Red Men Lodge.

A "trite" of the Independent Order of Red Men will be instituted here in about another week. The list of "palefaces" comprises a good representative class of Eugene's citizens, which will insure longevity and prestige to the order in this locality.

Married.

Homer Guiley and Anna Hodson, both of Dexter, were married at the home of Roy Sales, East Eighth street, today at 12:30 o'clock in the presence of a few invited friends. Rev. J. S. McCallum officiated.

Favorite Prescription are not temporary but permanent. They are perfect cures. It is not uncommon for women to say that they never knew the meaning of perfect health, even in their best days, until they had used "Favorite Prescription." And this is because the medicine is more than a mere cure for female troubles. It not only puts out the fire of disease, but it rebuilds what the fire has destroyed, and often on a finer scale, as in Mrs. Rollin's case, who, after her cure, weighed twenty-five pounds more than she ever weighed before. "Favorite Prescription" is a superior tonic and nervine. It feeds the nerves and cures nervousness. It restores the appetite and gives natural, refreshing sleep. It builds up the body, restores lost flesh and gives back the clearness of girlhood to the complexion allowed by disease.

A PHYSICIAN'S OFFER. Reference is made by Mrs. Rollin and Miss Johnson to correspondence with Dr. Pierce. They took advantage of his offer of free consultation by letter, and acknowledge their gratitude for the advice received.

The same offer is open to all. Every sick woman is urged to write to Dr. Pierce, and so secure the opinion of a specialist in the treatment and cure of diseases peculiar to women. All correspondence is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. This offer of free consultation by letter, made by Dr. R. V. Pierce, is not to be confused with the spurious offers of "free medical advice" made by men or women who have no medical knowledge or training, are not physicians, are not permitted by law to practice medicine, and cannot therefore give genuine medical advice. Of course the opinion of a competent or incompetent can give advice on any subject, but the advice of unskilled persons in medical matters is not merely valueless, but dangerous.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, as chief consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., assisted by his staff of nearly a score of skilled physicians, has in a little more than thirty years treated and cured hundreds of thousands of weak and sick women.

"I received your letter some time ago, with advice about your wonderful medicine," writes Miss Stella Johnson, of 28 Brady St., Dayton, Ohio. "I was troubled with severe pains every month when I wrote to you for advice. After receiving your letter and following its directions, I am now happy to say that after five years of untold suffering I have not had any pains since first using your 'Favorite Prescription.' I was induced through a friend to write to you and follow your kind advice. I thank God and Dr. R. V. Pierce for the health I now enjoy."

Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong, sick women well. It establishes regularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. It cures backache, headache and the other ills that result from womanly disease.

Sometimes a dealer, tempted by the little more profit paid on the sale of less meritorious medicines, will offer the customer a substitute as being "just as good" as the "Prescription." It is better for him because it pays better, but it is not as good for you, if you want the medicine that has cured others, and which you believe will cure you.

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