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NEW USE FOR DETECTIVES IN NEW YORK CITY

A recent dispatch from New York informs us that the detectives of that great city have entered a new field of labor. Of late a great many of them have been employed to find out all they can about the personal life and habits of bankers, their associations, their manners of business and methods of living.

This incident leads us to state a general proposition—that no man honors his own business who is indifferent to his associations and habits. It makes no difference what the business is—selling cigars, baking bread, running a livery stable, practicing law or conducting a bank—it gets to the level of the character of the man who is engaged in it.

Practically a test vote on the election of senators by direct vote was taken in the Senate on Senator Owen's resolution, which was sent to committee, where it will die, by a vote of 33 to 20.

AUTOMATIC MONEY SORTER IS LATEST INVENTION

During these times of financial stringency, the most of us are not bothering much about how we are to sort and count our money. We are rather giving the most of our time to the proposition of acquiring enough to buy food and raiment for those dependent upon us.

Consul Joseph L. Brattain, stationed at Prague, Austria, sends a clipping from one of the Austrian newspapers, giving an account of an automatic money sorter which has recently been invented by a citizen of that country.

The inventor claims that it will assort metal coins which have been thrown together regardless of their denominations, placing each denomination in a separate basket.

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IF YOU KNEW

The merits of the Texas Wonder you would never suffer from kidney, bladder or rheumatic trouble. \$1 a bottle (two months' treatment) sold by O. J. Hall, or by mail. Send for testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis.

REAL EFFORT FOR RELIEF OF MANKIND

The University of Chicago has begun a crusade for common-sense oratory, in which buncombe shall be eliminated, to give place to sane discussion, and in consequence of this reform has had grave differences with adjacent institutions of learning, according to a valued exchange, in withdrawing from the usual spring contests, a University of Chicago announcement says that "it is too difficult to secure judges who are able to get outside of the ancient methods of judging."

department," a professor said, "is the development of thought, and naturalness of expression, rather than the mechanical gestures which characterize the styles of many representatives of other colleges. In place of inter-collegiate contests, the University of Chicago officials plan to have numerous contests among its own students, for which large prizes will be offered."

No more absurd relic of the middle ages remains than present-day notions of oratory. From the public rostrum to the socialist's upturned barrel on the street corner, nobody speaks naturally. Heavy pounding of the fist on the open Bible too frequently constitutes "emphasis" in the pulpit, while on the rostrum few orators ever mean anything either by gesture or intonation.

Modern "oratory" is too tedious for toleration. The school originated in ignorance and has been perpetuated by vanity. The sole notion of the public speaker—following the accepted code—is not argument but impression; he substitutes "color" for facts and plays to the eye rather than to the ear.

One of the questions which vitally concerns every man is that of the future sources of power supply, says the Oregon Tradesman. It is stated that our anthracite coal fields will hold out but fifty years longer, and that in a hundred years the bituminous coal will be gone.

Water is a magnificent source of power. In the arid sections of the country water conservation for irrigation purposes is being studied and applied. We think the canals may be utilized for power purposes without loss to the men dependent on the water for irrigation purposes.

There were twelve combined harvesters on today's northbound through freight train, bound from the factory at Stockton, Cal., to the Inland Empire, where they are in general use. Nearly every through freight carries a number of these harvesters.

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An examination of the record will show that the people of New York beat Senator Platt by several years in announcing his retirement at the end of his present term.

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PLEASANT HILL ITEMS.

Pleasant Hill, June 1.—Mrs. T. Churchill left for Crabtree to visit her daughter, Mrs. Anna Sexton. Bagnice Warbinton has returned from Marcola.

Richard Giles and family went to Crow for Decoration Day. Mrs. Anna Walker and family of Madford are visiting at Thomas Walker's.

Miss Clyde Parks was a visitor here this week. Uncle Joe Shelley, his son P. P. and daughters, Mrs. Anna Martin and Mrs. John Waring will leave for the Kilton Springs this week.

Quite a number of men and women met last Thursday at the cemetery. A neat woven wire fence was put up and other needed work done. Decoration was also observed by most every one visiting their graves and decorating the same.

Aunt Polly Callison, the oldest pioneer of this vicinity informs us it was the first Decoration Day she has ever missed going to the cemetery, since the day was set apart for the purpose.

The annual picnic at Pleasant Hill will be the 6th of June, under the auspices of the church and the S. S. A hearty welcome to all who will visit on that day. The ladies of the church will serve hot coffee and for the modest sum of 25 cents. Come and have a good time.

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BOND PART OF COUNTY FOR SLEW HARBOR WORK

The citizens of the Siuslaw valley are tired of waiting for the government to improve the bar at the mouth of the river, so vessels can pass in or out without delay, and a plan is being discussed to raise funds for the undertaking in another way. It is proposed to bond that part of Lane county lying west of the Coast range of mountains for, say twenty or forty years, and use the money thus raised in building jetties at the mouth of the river. It is thought by the promoters that \$100,000 can be raised in this way, and with this sum considerable of a start can be made toward constructing the jetty. It is hoped by the time this sum is expended that the national government will be ready to take up the work and push it to completion.

To meet the interest on the bonds each year it is proposed to collect a toll of perhaps 25 cents a thousand feet on the lumber and a proportionate sum on all other articles exported from this place. Later on a sinking fund can be raised in the same way to pay off the bonds when they become due. In this way the expense of building the jetty would be borne by the industries that are directly benefited by the work. Some of the leading business men of the Siuslaw are agitating the question, and most of the others have declared themselves in favor of the measure.

The least aspects have not been entirely investigated, but it is thought a bill can be passed by the legislature permitting the question to be left to a vote of the people of the district. This phase of the question will be looked into before long and we shall probably have something further to say about the matter later on.—Florence West.

NEWS FROM LOWER SLEW COUNTY RY

Born:—In Florence, Thursday, May 28, 1908, to Dr. and Mrs. W. Tatam, twin sons. Mrs. George Morris and little daughter departed Wednesday for their home in Eugene. George will remain here for a while to work on his father's house.

Forest Ranger Young and Robert Clow of Mapleton passed through town Wednesday afternoon on their way home from a trip to Heceta. The schooner Oakland crossed out over the bar Wednesday forenoon with a cargo of lumber from the Oregon and California Lumber Co., and set her sails for a run to San Francisco.

The committee in charge of the Rhododendron festival, on reckoning up their accounts, found that the expenses amounted to \$133. They had \$118 on hand and the balance was soon raised by subscriptions.

At the regular meeting of Heceta Lodge, I. O. O. F. held Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the coming term: E. A. Beach, N. G.; Joseph Wisdom, V. G.; David Kyle, secretary; Wm. Kyle, Treasurer.

Captain Martin of the U. S. Life Saving Service came up Monday from Ten Mile on business connected with the government telephone line. He stated that he expected to have the line about completed by this time. The work has been delayed by the difficulty of obtaining material, but the line will soon be in working order.—Florence West.

NEXT RURAL CARRIERS MEETING AT CORVALLIS

Albany, Or., May 31.—William H. Boyd, of Beaverton, was chosen president of the Oregon Rural Letter Carriers' Association at the close of the sixth annual convention in this city late last night. H. M. Cummings, of Corvallis, was made first vice president, and Frank Kraxberger, of Aurora, second vice president. John H. Goins, of Albany, was re-elected secretary-treasurer and was also chosen as a delegate to represent the Oregon Association at the convention of the National Association of Rural Letter Carriers.

Corvallis was selected as the meeting place of the association in 1909, and the date was left to the selection of the president and executive committee. Corvallis, Eugene, Salem and Independence were all candidates for the convention seat. The Benton county city won the honor over Eugene by a very close vote, while Salem and Independence failed to make a showing in the voting.

BABY GIRL CRIED AND SCRATCHED

All the Time—Torturing Eczema Covered Her Body—Could Not Sleep—Doctor Said Sores Would Last for Years—Skin Now Clear.

CURED IN THREE MONTHS BY CUTICURA REMEDIES

"I take great pleasure in telling you what a great help it was for me to use Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment for my baby's skin. She was suffering from that terrible Eczema, eczema. It was all over her body but the worst was on her face and hands. Her hands were so bad that she could not hold anything. She cried and scratched all the time and could not sleep nights or day from the scratching. I had her under the doctor's care for a year and a half and he seemed to do her no good. I took her to the best doctor in the city and he said that she would have the sores until she was six years old. But if I had depended on the doctor my baby would have lost her mind and died from the want of aid."

"I used all the remedies that everybody told me about and I tortured the child almost to death. Then I saw in the paper how Cuticura was the thing for irritating skin. I bathed her with warm water and Cuticura Soap and used the Cuticura Ointment. She was cured in three months. Now her skin is as clear and smooth as it could be. I shall recommend the use of Cuticura wherever I see the skin in bad condition. Alice Y. Dorell, 4709 Easton Ave., St. Louis, Mo., May 2 and 20, 1907."

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Complete External and Internal Treatment for Every Humor of Infants, Children, and Adults consists of Cuticura Soap (to cleanse the skin), Cuticura Ointment (to heal the skin), and Cuticura Remedy (to purify the blood). Cuticura Ointment, 25c. per tin; Cuticura Remedy, 25c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Cuticura Soap, 25c. per box. Cuticura Ointment, 25c. per tin. Cuticura Remedy, 25c. per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Every Woman is interested and should know about the wonderful MARVEL Whirling Spray. The new method of applying it gives full particulars and directions in the enclosed book—free. Write to: MARVEL CO., 140 N. 3rd St., St. Paul, Minn.

At his home near Crow, May 30, 1908, George Hoselton, aged 76 years. The funeral was held today.

Those rich prizes to be given away by Watts are attracting a great deal of attention and bringing good results. The prizes are on exhibition in the corner window of Watts' up-to-date jewelry store, corner Ninth and Willamette streets.

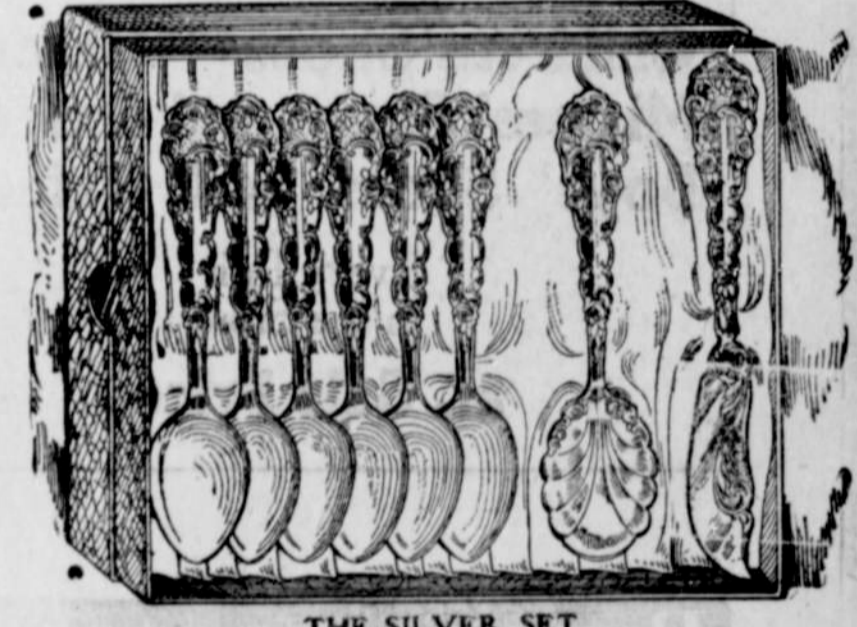
DR. MILES' ANTI-PAIN PILLS FOR NEURALGIA, SCIATICA, RHEUMATISM, BACKACHE, PAIN IN CHEST, DISTRESS IN STOMACH, SLEEPLESSNESS. Headache. If you have Headache Try One. They Relieve Pain Quickly, leaving no bad After-effects. 25 Doses 25 Cents Never Sold in Bulk. TAKE ONE of the Little Tablets AND THE PAIN IS GONE.

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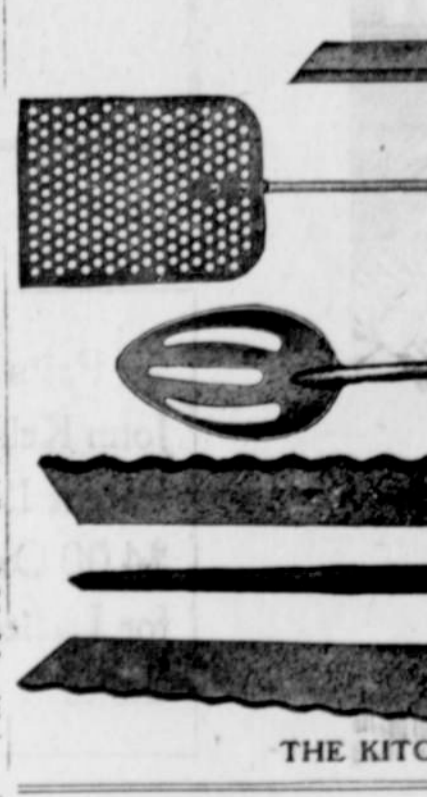
THE SILVER SET

It makes no difference whether this payment comes from an old or new subscriber, or whether the \$1.50 is for advance subscription or in payment of arrearages. You simply pay \$1.50, and are credited with one year's subscription, and take your choice of either of these premiums if you get to the office before they are gone.

We want to close the goods out—that is the only reason for making the special offer.

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