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HONEST MEN IN DEMAND

The search for honest men is more assiduous than it was in the life of Diogenes, and one of the things that young men should keep in mind is that old men who have accumulated money and have it to invest are scrutinizing them, watching them all the time and hoping to discover those that can be trusted. The foregoing is the assertion of one of our California exchanges, and every word of it is true. This is not saying that honest men are rare, but they are at least not so common that sagacious men will trust solely to appearances. Many a young fellow clearly evades paying his railroad or street car fare, thinking it proper and commendable to get the better of a corporation, to lose an opportunity that would mean promotion and success. Even the rich man who is none too scrupulous himself with other people's money, will not knowingly have a man in his employ whose notions about property seem in the least bit loose. To inspire confidence men must have ability and judgment as well as honesty, but honesty is the first requirement. Honest men may be numerous, but the supply of them is never so large as the demand.

The example given of the young man trying to cheat a railway out of a fare is but a sample of many petty thieveries that are condoned because customary. We expect when we buy to have short weights if it is possible for the seller to use them; to find the smallest apples at the bottom of the barrel; rocks in a bale of hay; sand in sugar; chickory in coffee, and a little of every kind of poison in a cocktail.

Not one out of ten thinks it any thievery to take pens, pencils, ink-stands, blotting pads and general stationary from the counters of public offices. The fine lady on her bridal tour steals a spoon, napkin or towel belonging to the fashionable hotel where she stops for a souvenir.

It is thought no harm to take a peanut from the street vendor's stand, or a fig or an orange from the grocer's street display.

So in a hundred petty ways it can be shown that strict honesty is not so common as we think. It requires a few homely reflections, such as we have quoted, to remind us of this fact—less we forget.

NORTH DOUGLAS AND THE NEW COUNTY

The Yoncalla Courier, whose town is included in the new county proposed by Cottage Grove, attacks Eugene, calling this city a "hog" because the people here are thought by the Courier to favor the new county scheme. On the other side the Cottage Grove papers declare that Eugene and Roseburg are "hogs" because they oppose the new county. Thus it will be seen that it is not only impossible to please everybody, but in this case impossible to escape abuse from both sides. North Douglas opposes the Cottage Grove plan because both Drain and Yoncalla cherish hopes of some day becoming the capital of a new county carved out of North Douglas, and the only fight so far developed has come from that quarter. Eugene people have taken no action as yet and one scarcely ever hears the county division scheme discussed in this city, although if Cottage Grove continues the agitation it will no doubt become a live issue in all parts of Lane and Douglas counties.

Here is what the Yoncalla Courier says, and it is simply reprinted for what it is worth as reflecting the sentiment of that locality, our only comment being that the attack upon Eugene is unfair, based upon distorted facts, and wrong conclusions are drawn:

"In the matter of dividing Lane and Douglas counties and making a new county, it should be done in a way that would be an even division of the two counties into three equal parts. But why should they be divided as above mentioned, not equally, but to leave Lane a county of about eighteen miles wide, while Douglas county would be about forty-eight miles and the new county about fifty-one miles wide, why should they divide in such a manner. But on the other hand if they were to make "Divide" a boundary line from east to west the north line, and near Winchester from east to west the south line, we believe that it would be better for all three counties than the way now proposed.

It is true that if the counties were smaller they would be better able to keep their roads up. And when they divide in the way put before us, how does it benefit the roads for all counties when one is smaller than the rest is all rot; make three even counties of the two and no trouble will hereafter arise.

"Eugene is for the wrong division. We cannot see where she can profit by it. Has she got a dislike for Cottage Grove that she does not want her in the same county with her, and does Eugene want to be in the smaller county so as to secure the good roads? It shows that Eugene is the hog in this matter and wants it all."

Every man has a grievance of some sort, but it is only the foolish who continually advertise theirs.

TRY THIS FOR DESSERT.

Dissolve one package of any flavored JELL-O in one pint of boiling water. When partly congealed beat until light one cup whipped cream and six crushed maccaroons. Whip all together thoroughly and pour into a mold or bowl. When cool it will jellify and may be served with whipped cream or any good pudding sauce.

The JELL-O costs 10 cents per package and can be obtained at any good grocer's.

PORTLAND FAMILY MAY BE VICTIMS OF EARTHQUAKE

Portland, Jan. 4.—Uneasiness is felt here for Geo. F. Russell, wife and little daughter, who are in Italy. When last heard of the family had left Naples.

Mrs. Russell was a daughter of the late Sylvester Pennoyer, former governor of Oregon.

STANDARD OIL TRUST WILL NOT BE MADE TO PAY BIG LANDIS FINE

Washington, Jan 4.—The $29,000,000 fine case of the Standard Oil Company will not be reviewed by the supreme court of the United States. The decision of the court to this effect was announced by Chief Justice Miller soon after the court convened today. The case came to court on a petition filed by the government asking the court for a writ of certiorari to order up the record of the case for review of the decision of the circuit court of appeals for the seventh circuit, by which Judge Landis' original decision imposing a fine of $29,000,000 against the Standard Oil Company for accepting rebates from the railway companies was reversed.

In the supreme court the case turned largely upon the right of the court to interfere, in view of the fact that the case had been passed upon by the court of appeals, the government contending for such privilege as right, while it was urged in behalf of the oil company that precedents were all against such proceedings. The action of the court consisted in the announcement that the government's petition would not be granted. The effect of this announcement will be to leave standing the decision of the court of appeals, which has been adevrse to the government and favorable to the company.

RAILROADS ARE BEATEN

Washington, Jan. 4.—The rebate case of the government against the Chicago & Alton railroad, in which the company and officers were fined $60,000 on the charge of making a refund to the Kansas City Packers, was today decided in favor of the government by the supreme court.

The case came from the northern district of Illinois.

HALF MILLION DOLLARS FOR EARTHQUAKE SUFFERERS

Washington, Jan. 4.—The president, in his message to congress today, asked for a direct appropriation of half a million dollars for the relief of the stricken people of Italy. This is the most generous fund ever contributed by American people for sufferers of other lands, and is to supplement a despatch of supply ships, the Celtic from New York and the Culgoa from Port Said, for Messina with their big cargoes of necessaries originally intended for the American fleet. It also supplements the president's proffer of the services of the entire fleet of sixteen battleships, whose use in whole or in part hinged only on the acceptance or declination of the Italian government.

Resolutions were introduced in both houses of congress appropriating $500,000 for the relief of the suffering Italian people, to enable the president to send relief to the suffering Italian people, and he is further authorized to use such vessels of the United tSates navy and such other vessels as he may in his discretion employ.

As a result of the president's message the house added $300,000 to the appropriation, making $800,000 to cover the expense of diverting the supply ships.

The bills passed both houses at once, and the money becomes immediately available.

ENTHUSIASTIC BOOST MEETINGS HELD AT HARRISBURG

Manager John H. Hartog, of Eugene Commercial club, today spoke enthusiastically to a reporter in regard to the boost meetings held by the citizens of Harrisburg yesterday afternoon and last night. A very large crowd was in attendance at the meeting which was held at the public hall. Many people stood up and a large number were turned away, being unable to gain admittance. Bumps' juvenile orchestra, of this city, made a decided hit with the people there and each number rendered was heartily encored. The afternoon meeting was devoted to business and several committees of two each, were appointed to make a whirlwind campaign for funds and to finish up by the last of the week. In speaking of the orchestra, Mr. Hartog stated that one family drove 16 miles just to hear the young folks play. So well pleased were the people of Harrisburg with the music that they prevailed upon the manager to have the orchestra play at the evening meeting at which a women's auxiliary was organized, and to which the school children were invited so they could hear the music. Mr. Hartog made a characteristic address before the afternoon meeting, giving the people of that city a number of pointers on how to conduct a publicity campaign.

Dr. W. H. Dale, on behalf of the people of Harrisburg, expressed appreciation of the way Eugene had assisted them in this matter. The visitors were given a supper at the Harrisburg hotel.

IF YOU KNEW

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

"Watch for the Wagon." See ad. on page 3. Boyd Tea Co.

PROSPECTS FOR ANOTHER LARGE CANNING PLANT

A delegation from the Lane county Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association has asked the Commercial Club to give them a hearing at the next regular meeting of the club on Monday night of next week on a new vegetable and fruit cannery proposition. A proposition has been made by a firm which proposes to put in a very large plant here if proper encouragement is given.. The name of the concern is not given for publication.

COSGROVE WILL DELIVER NO ADDRESS

Paso Robles, Jan. 5.—Governor-elect Cosgrove of Washington stated that he would have no inaugural address, nor any message to the legislature. He is not now and has not been able, since election to write an address, but he expects to make a few remarks at the time of his inauguration.

The governor and party, including his physician, will leave here in a private car on January 10 or 11 for Olympia, as date of the inauguration is January 14. He plans to remain in Olympia only two days, returning to Paso Robles to remain until mild weather sets in in Washington. His condition is improving rapidly, but he will be obliged to take a long rest and remain in a mild climate for some time.

WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in the loins, side, back, groins and too frequent a desire to pass urine? If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure you. Sold by Linn Drug Company, price 50 cents.

EUGENE-GROWN BEATS CONTAIN MUCH SUGAR

Manager Hartog of the Commercial Club, has received the report of an analysis made by the Sacramento Valley Sugar Co. of several sugar beets raised in Lane county and sent the company by Mr. Hartog early this winter. The analysis shows that there is a large amount of sugar in the beats—enough to justify growing them here if a sugar factory could be secured for this vicinity. The beets sent from here contained, according to the sugar company's analysis, from 14.6 to 18.1 per cent sugar. The price the company pays for the beats containing 13 per cent sugar are is $5 per ton and an additional 25 cents per ton for every one per cent above that. The best beet sent by Mr. Hartog for analysis was that grown by L. B. Rossman. A ton of this quality would bring $5.27. The others were sent by O. Casperson and W. P. Bradley.

ANDREW McMILLAN BUYS IN CITY VIEW PARK

New people are coming to Eugene from all parts of the globe, the latest arrival being Andrew McMillan, from Puyallup, Washington, who has purchased lot 10 in City View Park and will build thereon a handsome suburban home. Mr. McMillan is the third purchaser in this tract from Puyallup, and he says there are more to follow.

PRESIDENT HELPS ORPHANS.

Hundreds of orphans have been helped by the President of the Industrial and Orphan's Home at Macon, Ga., who writes: "We have used Electric Bitters in this institution for nine years. It has proved a most excellent medicine for Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. We regard it as one of the best family medicines on earth." It invigorates the vital organs, purifies the blood, aids digestion, creates appetite. To strengthen and build up thin, pale, weak, children or run-down people, it has no equal. Best for female complaints. Only 50c at W. A. Kuykendall's.

Grants Pass will soon have a competing telephone system. This enterprise was launched through the efforts of Senator H. D. Norton, Arthur Conklin, proprietor of the Pacific Outlook, and E. A. Marsh. These men have formed a $30,000 corporation called the Citizen's Telephone Company, and will ask for a franchise from the city for an up-to-date telephone system.

BABY'S ITCHING WAS INTOLERABLE

Girl of Six Months had Fearful Attack of Eczema—Spread All Over Her Face and Eyes Began to Swell—Scratched Till Blood Came—Relieved in a Night and

CURED BY CUTICURA AFTER LONG SUFFERING

"When my little girl was six months old I noticed small red spots on her right cheek. I did not pay any attention to them but finally the spots grew so large that I sent for the doctor who said it was ringworm. He prescribed an ointment which I used for two weeks, but instead of helping the eruption, the ointment seemed to make it worse. Then I went to a second doctor who after examining the baby said it was eczema. He also gave me an ointment which did not help either. The disease in the meantime spread all over the face and the eyes began to swell. I became very anxious. The itching grew intolerable. I had to tie the baby's hands to the cradle to prevent her scratching. The cheeks were covered with blood and it was a terrible sight to see. I consulted doctors from September to December, but they were unable to cure the baby. I paid out from twenty to thirty dollars without relief.

"One of my friends told me of the Cuticura Remedies and I sent at once for a set which I began to use that evening. The next morning the baby's face was all white instead of red and you can imagine how surprised I was. I cannot find words enough to praise Cuticura and I do not know what would have become of my baby only for it. I used the Cuticura Remedies until the eczema entirely disappeared. The child is now three years old and quite well. I used three cakes of Cuticura Soap, two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and one bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and I never use any other soap. I always recommend them whenever there is a chance for doing so. I will send you one of her pictures which she had taken just after she was healed. Mrs. P. E. Gumbin, Sheldon, Ia., July 13, 1908."

Cuticura Soap (25c.), Ointment (50c.), Resolvent (50c.), and Chocolate Coated Pills (25c.), are sold throughout the world. Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., 137 Columbus Ave., Boston.

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Rheumatism is caused by an excess of uric acid in the blood, which gradually gets into the circulation because of indigestion, constipation, weak kidney action, and other irregularities of the system which are sometimes considered of no importance. This uric acid causes an inflamed and irritated condition of the blood, and the circulation instead of nourishing the different portions of the body, continually deposits into the nerves, muscles, tissues and joints, the irritating, pain-producing acid with which it is filled. Rheumatism can only be cured by a thorough cleansing of the blood, and this is just what S. S. S. does. It goes down into the circulation, and by neutralizing the uric acid and driving it from the blood, effectually and surely removes the cause. S. S. S. strengthens and invigorates the blood so that instead of a weak, sour stream, causing pain and agony thoughout the system, it becomes an invigorating, nourishing fluid, furnishing health and vigor to every part of the body and relieving the suffering caused by this disease. S. S. S. being a purely vegetable blood purifier, is the surest and safest cure for Rheumatism in any of its forms. Book on Rheumatism and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

SHERIFF'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane on the 19th day of December, 1908, on a judgment rendered in a suit wherein T. G. Hendricks was plaintiff and Mary A. Withrow, as guardian of Samuel C. Withrow, an insane person, and Samuel C. Withrow, was defendant, and in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, for the sum of Two Hundred Forty-five and 45-100 ($245.45) Dollars, with interest thereon from the said 1st day of December, 1908, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum, and a further sum of Thirty ($30) Dollars and a further sum of Seven and 70-100 ($7.70) Dollars, costs and disbursements, which judgment was enrolled and docketed in the clerk's office of said court in said county on the 14th day of December, 1908, and said execution and order of sale to me directed commanding me in the name of the State of Oregon, in order to satisfy said judgment, costs and accruing costs, to sell the following described real property, to-wit: Lot No. Six in block No. Six of that part of the city of Eugene, which was originally donated to Lane county by Eugene F. Skinner and wife, in Lane County, Oregon. Now, therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon, and in compliance with said execution and order of sale, I will on the 30th day of January, 1909, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to-wit: at 1 o'clock p. m., on said day at the southwest door of the county courthouse in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, offer for sale for cash, subject to redemption, all of the above defendant's right, title and interest in and to the above described real property.

HARRY L. BOWN,
Dated this 26th day of December, 1908.
Sheriff of Lane County, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, September 17, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Alice J. Perdue, of Eugene, Oregon, who, on May 1st, 1908, made Timber Application No. 9904 for W½ of SW¼, Section 24, Township 19 South, Range 8 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before W. W. Calkins, U. S. Commissioner, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 24th day of December, 1908.

Claimant names as witnesses:

W. D. Neely, of Eugene, Oregon; M. E. Gillespie, of Eugene, Oregon; Minnie Winniford, of Oakland, Oregon; E. Whattam, of Eugene, Oregon.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY,
Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon in and for Lane county.

In the matter of the estate of Christian L. Winter, deceased.

Pursuant to an order dated this day, notice is hereby given to all persons, that my final account as executrix in the above entitled matter, will come up for hearing, allowance and settlement by said court, at a term thereof to be held at the court rooms in the court house in the city of Eugene, Oregon, at 10 o'clock a. m. Monday, Jan. 4th, 1909 at which time all persons interested therein may appear and be heard.

Dated Nov. 30, 1908.

ANNIE M. WINTER, Executrix.
S. D. ALLEN, Attorney for Executrix. 4t

REFEREE'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Lane County

Ernest J. Ellis, Fred L. Ellis, Elizabeth H. Ellis, Frances A. Ellis, Samuel Ellis and Mary Ellis, his wife,

vs.

John L. Ellis and John E. Ellis, minor heir of Frances Ellis, deceased, and John L. Ellis, as guardian of John E. Ellis, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order and decree of the Circuit court of the State of Oregon for Lane county, made on, to-wit, the 1st day of December, 1908, in the above entitled cause, which is duly entered at page —— of Volume 13 of the Circuit Court journal of said county, authorizing and directing the undersigned E. O. Potter, sole referee appointed by the court, to sell the following described real property belonging to the plaintiffs and the defendants, as the heirs of Frances Ellis, deceased, as follows, to-wit: Lot No. 23 in Block No. 1 of Shaw & Patterson's addition to Eugene City in Lane county, Oregon.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me by said court, I, E. O. Potter, sole referee, will offer for sale at public auction at the court house door of said Lane county, on Saturday, the 2d day of January, 1909, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. of said day, at 1 o'clock, all the right, title and interest of said plaintiffs and defendants in and to the above described real property as heirs-at-law of Frances Ellis, deceased, together with the courtesy interests of the defendant John L. Ellis.

Terms of sale, cash in hand, subject to confirmation by the court.

E. O. POTTER,
Referee.

GEO. R. DORRIS,
Attorney.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, June 23, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that Judith Ann Carnahan, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, who, on June 13th, 1908, made timber application No. 10172, for s½ of nw¼, ne¼ of nw¼, Sec. 4 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver, at Roseburg, Oregon, on the 20th day of January, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses:

Hal E. Wood, of Eugene, Oregon; Marvin L. Hammitt, of Eugene, Oregon; George S. Corser, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; Samuel Carnahan, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

BENJAMIN L. EDDY,
Register.

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