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**AN INDEPENDENT PAPER.**

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

**A Promising Outlook**

The purchase of Major Forrest's fine ranch on the McKenzie by a young Eastern capitalist shows how attention is being centered upon this part of Western Oregon. A close friend and associate of the purchaser is another wealthy young Chicagoan, Riley, who owns 10,000 acres of fine timber adjoining the Forrest ranch.

Such young men, possessed of means and energy, will do much toward bringing the Willamette valley to the attention of financiers who are looking Westward for profitable investments, and constantly increasing outside holdings of timber, mines and agricultural lands in Lane county will bear good fruit within the next few years.

Mr. Fitzhenry tells the Guard that he will devote his energies to the development of the country through electric road building, even if the company now operating here fails to meet expectations in that direction. And therein lies a hope and promise that is assuring to the people of Eugene and adjacent territory. If the Willamette Valley Co., now that they have been granted the desired franchises, should not move with celerity to make good their pledges of railway construction, it will be an easy matter for our commercial organizations to secure a system of electric roads backed by independent financiers. The latent resources are here to be developed, and electric roads built throughout the Willamette valley, reaching to the timber and mining districts, will be certain dividend payers. Therefore no corporation should be allowed to speculate with the valuable franchise granted them, and there should be no time extensions granted to the Willamette Valley Co.

The future of the Willamette valley is too big to await the pleasure or convenience of any coterie of financiers.

**Important Meeting**

The Pacific Northwest convention of commercial clubs will be held in Spokane two days next week, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 25 and 26, during the Spokane interstate fair, which opens September 14, continuing until October 6.

From reports sent out by the promoters it is concluded that no convention ever held in the Pacific Northwest, not even excepting the very important meeting of the Irrigation Congress, recently in session in Boise, is of greater value than is this convention. The shrewdest business men of this part of the Pacific Northwest are planning the program and propose a movement which will advertise the four states in a way that will rival the greatest advertising schemes which the Canadian government and the Canadian Pacific railway have been using to draw the people of the United States into the Alberta country. Already many delegates are promised for the convention, assuring the important meeting desired.

It is important that every commercial body send delegates to this convention and notify R. C. Kohrabacher, secretary, at Spokane, of the delegates, as fast as they are chosen.

Railroad officials are not only giving unusual rates for the benefit of this convention, but many of the officials are writing personal letters, endorsing the importance of the movement and promising to be present.

Hong Kong is just now occupying the central place in the newspapers because of the great typhoon that swept the city, carrying death and destruction with it. Some information concerning this important commercial city is, therefore, of interest. Hong Kong is on an island situated in the China Sea off the coast of China, from which it is separated by a narrow strait. It was yielded to Great Britain by a treaty in 1842. The roadstead has a well-protected anchorage. Victoria, the capital (itself commonly called Hong Kong), is situated on a magnificent bay of the same name, setting up into the north side of the island Hong Kong is a great centre of the foreign trade of China. Total exports are roughly estimated at \$125,000,000 and imports at \$100,000,000. As a British colony on Chinese soil it is the most important in its political and defensive position, and is the headquarters of the military, naval and mercantile establishments. The population of the city of Hong Kong is about 275,000.

McMinnville is to have something new in the fair line. The Reporter says: "The bright boys and girls in all parts of the county are busily engaged in preparing their exhibits for the school children's fair, to be held September 25 to 28. It is safe to predict that the display made by these young people will be a pleasant surprise to every visitor attending the fair. Hundreds of little girls have prepared glasses of jelly and cans of fruit put up with the utmost care and with which they hope to land some of the fine premiums offered. It is estimated that 500 girls are now 'baking the family bread' in order that their skill may bring them the \$30 prize offered for the best bread exhibit."

"Dry Farming Payz," remarks the Pendleton East Oregonian. The conclusion is no doubt correct, but the phonetic spelling makes it look strange in cold type. The same paper also spells business "bizness," which ought to make a merchant, referred to as a "biznessman", mad enough to take his ad out of the paper. When it comes to hobbles the East Oregonian "iz" it.

The Willamette Valley Co., and the Roseburg Water and Light Co. are still dickering over the terms of sale of that plant. What's the use of wasting valuable time over a difference of a hundred thousand dollars or so? The water and light consumers will have to foot all the bills in the end anyway.

Harriman has ordered a million and a half of new equipment for his Oregon railroads. And by the time the order is filled he will need as much more to keep pace with the growth of the state.

At the rate steamships are going ashore on the Pacific coast lately the transportation companies will soon have to begin putting some new vessels afloat or quit business.

A publication called "Spare Moments" reached our desk today. It does not belong in a daily newspaper office.

Some of the best students always prove the hardest kickers. From the football standpoint, of course.

**Not Local Option Punch**

(Salem Journal.)  
 A special from Eugene, describing the dedication of the new home of the Commercial Club, says: "Punch was served and dancing followed." Must have been a "dash" of "Oh, be joyful" in the punch.

**Book Store Opening**

Allen Eaton opens his new store Saturday. On Saturday evening from 7 to 10 the people of Eugene who have shown an interest in our business and their friends are cordially invited to visit the new store at 507 Willamette street.  
 ALLEN EATON.

Just arrived large Toke Point oysters at Otto's. They're dandies. \$19

**"WIPE OUT THE TRUSTS"**

By GEORGE BERNARD SHAW, Playwright and Satirist

WHY condemn the beef magnates in particular? EVERY MILLIONAIRE is guilty of some crime of equal heinousness.

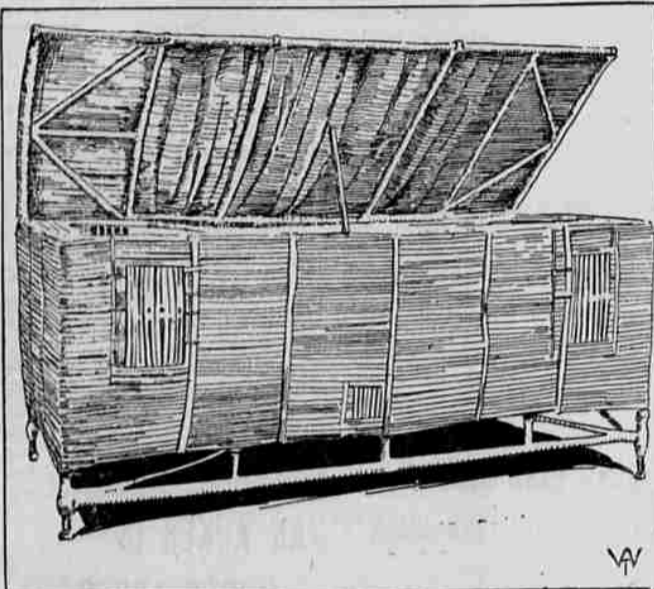
But the fault does not lie with the millionaire. The present social system forced his crimes upon him. He is in business as a millionaire, and the spirit of the times dictates that he shall succeed. If there is competition he is COMPELLED to grind the competition down. It is not the fault of the millionaire. IT IS THE FAULT OF THE SYSTEM.

A business which affects the people's welfare should not be in the hands of private individuals, but in the hands of the public. The state or the municipality, not syndicates RUNNING FOR PROFIT, should control the people's food supply.

You may have as much legislation and appoint as many inspectors as you like, but the same state of things will go on as long as an industry is a question of private and not PUBLIC profit.

In spite of everything President Roosevelt can do, the only safe prophecy is that at the end of a few years a number of the beef inspectors will be able to retire on ample fortunes. Then perhaps there will be another outcry and ANOTHER SET OF INSPECTORS will be given an opportunity of amassing wealth.

YOU CANNOT CONTROL TRUSTS NOR MAKE THEM HONEST. IF YOU WANT TO BE RID OF THE EVIL THEY DO THE ONLY COURSE IS TO WIPE THE TRUSTS OUT ALTOGETHER.



AN ANCIENT PROVISION CHEST.

During a recent excavation in Egypt a wonderful old provision chest was found in a tomb. It is made of palm wood and is lined with papyrus. There are openings for ventilation and a tray with papyrus flaps. From inscriptions on the chest it is believed to date from the eighteenth dynasty, at least 3,000 years ago.

**A Poem for Today**

**THE VILLAGE BLACKSMITH**

By Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

ALONG with his pure fancy Longfellow possessed a peculiarly happy facility in selecting uncommon aspects of common themes. Most of these themes he embellishes by his fancy with such a wealth of tender and beautiful sayings that in every civilized land his verses have become household favorites, permeating the lives of rising generations. He who has written verses that are committed to heart by millions for the gladdening of their lives must have written much that is true poetry.—Professor Eric Robertson.

UNDER a spreading chestnut tree  
 The village smithy stands;  
 The smith a mighty man is he,  
 With large and sinewy hands,  
 And the muscles of his brawny arms  
 Are strong as iron bands.  
 His hair is crisp and black and long;  
 His face is like the tan;  
 His brow is wet with honest sweat;  
 He earns what he can  
 And looks the whole world in the face,  
 For he owes not any man.  
 Week in, week out, from morn till night,  
 You can hear his bellows blow;  
 You can hear him swing his heavy sledge,  
 With measured beat and slow,  
 Like a sexton ringing the village bell  
 When the evening sun is low.  
 And children coming home from school  
 Look in at the open door;  
 They love to see the flaming forge,  
 And hear the bellows roar,  
 And catch the burning sparks that fly  
 Like chaff from a threshing floor.  
 He goes on Sunday to the church  
 And sits among his boys;  
 He hears the parson pray and preach;  
 He hears his daughter's voice  
 Singing in the village choir,  
 And it makes his heart rejoice.  
 It sounds to him like her mother's voice,  
 Singing in paradise.  
 He needs must think of her once more,  
 How in the grave she lies,  
 And with his hard, rough hand he wipes  
 A tear out of his eyes.  
 Tolling, rejoicing, sorrowing,  
 Onward through life he goes,  
 Each morning sees some task begin;  
 Each evening sees some task begin;  
 Something attempted, something done,  
 Has earned a night's repose.  
 Thanks, thanks to thee, my worthy friend,  
 For the lesson thou hast taught,  
 Thus at the flaming forge of life  
 Our fortunes must be wrought;  
 Thus on our sounding anvils shaped  
 Each burning deed and thought.

**A Request**

I wish to ask that those desiring my services for portrait work make appointments for sittings at once if possible, as I will be very busy and would like to accommodate all and disappoint none.  
 Yours till October 1st,  
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PUBLIC SALE—I will sell at public auction at my place on Spencer Creek, nine miles southwest of Eugene, all my farm machinery, household goods and some stock. Sale commences at 10 o'clock, Thursday morning, Sept. 27. I will pay you to come and investigate for yourself. A fine lunch will be served free of charge. Terms of sale cash. J. B. Kronebusch. \$20.

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FOR RENT—Five-room house to rent. Inquire of owner at 274 Lincoln street, or at Room 10, Beckwith Block.

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**WANTED**

WOOD WANTED—A hundred cords of body fir wood wanted. Would also like 50 cords of maple. Enquire at Hotel Smeede. d wtf

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