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LOOKING INTO FREIGHT RATES

We understand that the Merchants' Protective Association of this city will at once take up the matter of freight discrimination by the Southern Pacific. They will ask the railroad commission to pass upon the right of the company to grant lower rates, in proportion to the mileage, from Portland to Albany than from Portland to Eugene.

This is a good move on the part of the merchants, and if relief is secured will redound to the benefit of all classes, since with lower freight rates they will be enabled to sell goods at lower prices. Should the railroad commission fail to act the shippers of Eugene have another "big stick" argument that might prove effective, that of routing their shipments from the East over other roads than the Harriman lines, giving the latter the short haul at all times. They should also bring their influence to bear upon the county assessor to raise the valuation of the Southern Pacific roadbed up to actual value, as other property is assessed now, which would fix it at from \$35,000 to \$50,000 a mile. In this way some of the excessive freight rate money extorted from the people might be covered into the public treasury, thus relieving to a great extent the burden of taxation.

Eugene owes nothing to the Southern Pacific, receiving no consideration for the \$80,000 or more that it pays monthly into the coffers of the monopoly. It has inadequate yards and shipping facilities and the poorest, most dilapidated depot of any town of its size on the line. Nothing can be lost by making a finish fight with the corporation, because the town has been discriminated against until nothing worse can happen to us from a Southern Pacific source. All that the company does here is to stop their passenger trains five minutes, and they could hardly avoid doing that. Not a permanent improvement is being made here, and it is pretty well known that all the talk about a new depot has been made simply for the purpose of keeping down dissatisfaction with the company's methods and that it is as far in the future now as it ever was; in fact, they have never had any definite idea of making local improvements in keeping with the growth of the town.

The Merchants' Protective Association is starting right in moving for an investigation of freight rate discrimination—but the campaign should not stop there.

Commander Peary has been quoted as speaking disparagingly of attempts to reach the north pole by any other than the old-time, tried-and-true dog-and-sledge method, says the New York Commercial. Walter Wellman, who has just arrived in this country for a brief visit, casts discredit on Peary's knowledge of balloons and intimates that it should not be given any weight in the consideration of polar exploration matters, in which both these men have had considerable valuable experience. It is to be hoped that there will be

no animosities in the friendly rivalry for the discovery of the pole. However it may be reached, the achievement will be to the undying credit of the intrepid explorer who first finds himself on the spot where the meridians of longitude meet. And yet it can be understood that Wellman is taking extraordinary chances. He has not tested the possibilities of his balloon—and will not—by actual service in a temperate climate, quite an easy thing to do, and if he reaches a point far north and then discovers a weakness that might have been overcome by practical flying experiments in France, his trip will again have been for nothing. The dog and sledge have been tested on many a snow field; the balloon's utility is yet to be learned.

Congressman Burleson, of Texas, declines to join the optimistic chorus of the congressional canal inspectors. He says at least ten years more will be required to complete the canal and that the cost will be not less than \$500,000,000, which will be three times as much as the estimates. It would be too bad if Cannon's "We'll dig that ditch or bust" should have to be amended by substituting "and" for "or."

The Taft-Foraker match seems to be jug-handled. If Taft is knocked out, he gets a seat in the United States supreme court, possibly the chief justiceship, as a consolation; but if Foraker goes down for the count he will be wiped clean off the political map.

Secretary Cortelyou's method of disposing of the color line, drawn by eighty-odd draftsmen in the architect of the treasury's office who petitioned him to dismiss a negro draftsman, who got in under civil service rules, seems to have been to "forget it."

Colonel Barry, commander of the American troops in Cuba, has joined those who believe that peace on the island depends on its continued occupation by our soldiers, which is decidedly pleasing to the annexationists.

In counting and tagging its rights, men Pittsburgh has introduced a game that will become the world's greatest trouble-maker if not quickly and effectively suppressed. Just think of playing the game in this town.

Advice is a little out of our line, but all the same former Senator Burton's friends will be doing him a favor by pulling him out of the limelight and keeping him on the dark side of the stage.

Largely increased travel is rapidly cutting one of the railroad magnates' bug-a-boos—the 2-cents-a-mile law—out of business everywhere the law has gone into effect.

As long as millionaires continue to marry pretty, high-kicking chorus girls, the sensational divorce case will continue to bob up frequently.

At least it was magnanimous on Foraker's part not to insist on Taft's training down to his weight.

Referendum Abused.
(Wooten Leader.)

The referendum is too easy to invoke. It becomes too handy a club in the hands of a bunch of bewhiskered iconoclasts whose idea of education is that "the deestrick skule was good enuff for us and it's good enuff for our children, b'gosh." Five per cent of the vote of each county should be required on the petition. Instead of five per cent of the state vote taken from any sorehead locality that comes handy. Yamhill county was not supported by the people in its referendum on the 1905 appropriation bill, and the grange will not be supported on the Oregon University which received no more money than it needs. Nevertheless the knackers are enabled to do a whole lot of mischief through the workings of a half-baked law. The referendum, a reform measure, itself needs reformation.

Columbus had just landed. Meeting a great Indian chief with a package under his arm he asked him what it was. "Gnat medicine, Hollo's Rocky Mountain Tea," said the Indian, "35-cents, tea or shiblets, Linn Drug Co."

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THE FAR-OFF CALL

I. If out beyond the city's farthest edge There were no roads that led through sleepy towns, No winds to blow through any thorny hedge, No pathways over hazel-tufted downs, I might not, when the day begins, be sad Because I toil among the money-mad.

II. If out beyond the distant hills there lay No valley graced by any winding stream, And if no slim, white steeples far away Might mark the spot where drowsy hamlets dream, I could, perchance, at mid-day be content Where striving millions at their tasks are bent.

III. If far away from noise and strife and care There were no buds to swell on waiting trees, No mating birds to spill upon the air The liquid-sweetness of their melodies, I might at sunset be serene and proud Because a few had seen me in the crowd.

—S. E. Kizer.

OREGON NEWS

D. H. Ambrose, of Brownsville, last month received \$600 for cream from six cows, a remarkable record. The farmers of Linn county are all right, regardless of wheat crops.—Albany Democrat.

Ex-Governor Geer says that the editors who have accused him of being a candidate for U. S. senator are lopsided individuals fit for the feeble minded institution. This would shut them up, except that some editors no longer care for what Brother Geer says.—Albany Democrat.

Seven years in the penitentiary was the sentence meted out to W. H. Taft by Circuit Judge Crawford this morning. Saturday last he was convicted of uttering a forged promissory note with intent to defraud Dr. George D. Peters. The maximum penalty for this crime in Oregon is 20 years' imprisonment, the minimum imprisonment for two years.—Portland Journal.

Today would have completed a 45-day fast for Mr. McAdams, of North Salem. For 45 days he lived without food, and remained conscious to the end. But this morning he was rapidly declining, and it was apparent he could not live more than a few hours longer. His case has attracted the attention of medical men all over the country. H. F. McAdams breathed his last at 11:15 this forenoon.—Salem Journal.

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SKATING RINK NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Underwood skating rink will be closed to the public this evening and every following Monday evening, having been rented to a Monday evening club.

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INDUSTRY THAT PAYS BIG RETURNS

Industry which has grown with remarkable rapidity during the past few years is the creamery business. Where the farmer a few years ago made butter, often of a poor quality, and sold it for 10 to 20 cents a pound now he puts his milk into butter fat and sells it for an average of nearly 30 cents a pound, without any of the attendant responsibility and labor of butter making. He doesn't even wait for the cream to rise. He puts it into a hopper and grinds it into cream at once and ships it at the expense of the butter maker.

A sample of the manner in which the business has expanded is the record of receipts of the Hazelwood Company, one of a good many. During 1906 it paid out over \$1,000,000 for butter fat. The Wheatland, Cal., station led with about \$60,000 in shipments. Greenview, Cal., came next with \$53,636.26. Tlamook station sent \$51,000 in cream. Then came Shedd with \$32,901.22, Lebanon, \$18,920.84; Sublimity, \$22,978.22; Crabtree, \$6200; Junction, \$5500, etc. The Albany station was only started out this year. The business so far indicates a shipment of somewhere near \$20,000 the first year.

From all over the valley besides these shipments of cream big quantities are coming to the two Albany creameries, the Corvallis creamery is getting a good share, Townsend's creamery at Portland takes in considerable and there are many others.—Albany Democrat.

IRVING ITEMS

(Special Correspondence.)

Irving, April 9.—Miss Livia Bond spent Sunday at home, returning to Eugene Sunday evening.

The rural free delivery inspector, Mr. Clements, was in Irving Thursday.

Leon Bond went to Eugene Saturday evening.

Rev. Simpson and Chas. Powell were visitors to the county seat Saturday.

Miss Maud Briggs is recovering slowly from her recent attack of heart trouble.

S. L. Bond, who has been confined to the house a few days with the grip, is about again.

Mrs. Nancy Bushnell is sick also. She came down from Eugene last week.

R. Coak is quite busy these days and one can hear the noise of machinery from early morn until late at night as he grinds feed for the farmers.

Bitten by a Spider.

Through blood poisoning caused by the bite of a spider, John Washington, of Bosqueville, Texas, would have lost his leg, which became a mass of running sores, had he not been persuaded to try Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes: "The first application relieved and four boxes healed all the sores." Heals every sore. 25c at W. L. DeLano's drug store.

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