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HORSE FAMINE PREVAILS

This is an age of famines, coal, oil, and now the Portland papers fear a horse famine. The Journal says: "Portland is experiencing the inconvenience of a horse famine. In fact, the scarcity of draft horses extends over the entire state, through Washington and Idaho, and horse buyers are at their wits' end to find a solution of the troublesome and embarrassing situation."

"According to the best local judgment, horseflesh who have traveled from one end of the state to the other, draft animals are more than 30 per cent higher than they were a year ago, and difficult to obtain even at the advanced prices. They say, too, that this is not the end, and that draft teams will show an advance next year even over the high prices of this season of 15 to 20 per cent."

"That Portland is feeling the effects of an exhausted market is shown in the statement made by Superintendent Donaldson, of the street cleaning department, who states that only about half of the city's sprinkling wagons can be used, owing to the scarcity of horses. Nearly all of the city's fire engines are out of commission, and it is impossible to add to their present supply of teams, and horse buyers have sat down discouraged over the prospects of buying at reasonable prices. Even at greatly increased prices they find but few draft animals for sale."

DOVER SAYS IT'S UNCERTAIN

Speaking of the prospects of the next Republican nomination, Elmer Dover, secretary of the National Republican committee, said: "No person can begin to tell accurately which way the wind will blow until next December, when the first delegates to the convention will be elected in Louisiana, Oregon, Alabama and Alaska. Like the first states in the roll call of a convention, the selection of these delegates will fore-shadow sentiment and have an effect."

The Republican National Committee will meet in Washington in December to decide upon the place and time of holding the next convention. Seattle, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago are among the candidates for the honor, and a number of other cities, among them Cincinnati, Denver and Baltimore, are mentioned.

The suggestion has been made to the war department that fraternal orders be organized as a reserve for national defense, and that a change in the Dick law be requested so as to provide a supply of rifles and drill regulations for such organizations. The reply was made that such action was inadvisable at this time in view of the act of March 3, 1905, providing for the sale of rifles to civilian rifle clubs, which law and the regulations thereunder have not yet had a thorough test.

Former Senator Dubois, of Idaho, will go to the Chautauqua circuit this summer to discuss the evils of Mormonism. Senator Dubois holds the Mormons responsible for his defeat largely because he was one of the most active opponents of the seating of Senator Smoot, of Utah. Senator Dubois expects to present many interesting and important facts to his audiences.

Hon. Richard Olney, some time secretary of state and some times referred to as a presidential possibility, told the American Society of International Law that the acquisition of the Panama Canal zone by the United States was an international act, without justification in law. Perhaps it was, but no nation has protested; why call attention to it now?

We are afraid that there are a few boys—also girls—in this vicinity who will not sympathize with the

New York heiress who has found it necessary to apply to the courts to compel her tight-wad guardians to increase her annual allowance from \$30,000 to \$45,000 in order that she might live properly.

If the best that Douglass can hope for, in the event of his again becoming elected governor of Massachusetts, is to become "available" as a candidate for vice president, as the Hartford (Conn.) Times intimates, he would be justified in refusing to assume the worry of the campaign.

From the White House comes the announcement that the president is anticipating a longer and quieter vacation this year at Oyster Bay than usual. It may be longer, but as to its being quieter—that may be doubted by those who are keeping tab on things.

And now they are saying that Frederick C. Stevens, superintendent of New York's public works, and president of one of Washington's largest national banks, is rehearsing, to play the role of Mark Hanna to the McKinley of Governor Hughes.

After all, those who would regard a political campaign without brass bands and hired spell-binders and heels as a calamity would be almost exclusively confined to the unhired.

In the possible event that the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the Federal constitution refuse to take effect, is the Florida legislature prepared to adopt a secession resolution?

Some of the discussion indicates that in some quarters Bryan's assertion, that money is the root of war, is regarded as a startling discovery.

Senator Raynor, of Maryland, thinks there is too much brainstorming, but then, he isn't working the Chautauqua circuit.

It is suspected that Hearst would welcome a law compelling every candidate for office to finance his own campaign.

Why not organize a 25,000 club in Eugene? It ought to be possible to reach that mark in five years.

Eugene with paved streets and electric cars will be a real city. Watch its growth during 1907!

Perhaps it will rain soon, and then the dust and sprinkling question will both be settled temporarily.

HOPE

Who thinks tomorrow will not bring him more? That the sad days and years he's passed before? Who thinks that joy is false and love a cheat?

That since some things are bitter none are sweet, Hast away—lost—his kindest friend; Hope, which all men should cherish to the end.

Cling fast to Hope! What though she show to thee Visions of gladness which shall never be? Wouldst thou walk blindly through a darkened vale Because the sun shows heights thou canst not scale? Wouldst thou tear down the drapery of thy halls Because it hides the rough and jagged walls?

Man of the downcast face, lift up thine eyes! Look on the world which all around thee lies! To left and right full many a path you'll see Whose first long stage was grief and misery, And yet which ended in the ways of ease.

Leading along cool brooks, mid flow'rs and trees, Remember this—that in a life whose sum Includes both joy and sorrow there must come A time when sorrow, having spent its all Of wrath upon thy head, must then let fall His shattered sword and give unwilling place To joy, who follows him with shining face.

So when, the end approaching, thou lookest back Over the lights and shadows of thy track, And by the clear rays of the setting sun Seest plain what blessings thou hast lost or won, Thou then canst lift thine voice and raise thine eyes, And thank the God above thee in the skies That in the darkness where thou oft didst grope There was not lost thy greatest treasure, Hope!

—D. M. Goetschius in the New York Sun.

PLEASANT HILL ITEMS

(Special Correspondence.)

Pleasant Hill, May 3.—The annual Pleasant Hill picnic will be held on June 8th under the auspices of the W. O. W.

The genial countenance of Howard Rowland, of Seattle, was seen in our midst the day last week.

W. R. Renwick is moving to Springfield today, where he has purchased an interest in the Winzenreid livery business.

Several Pleasant Hill and Creswell farmers have formed a horse-breeding association, with headquarters at Pleasant Hill, and purchased from McLaughlin Bros. "Columbus O," a 2000-pound stallion, paying \$4000 for the same.

Officers of the association are as follows: President, A. J. Cruzan; secretary and treasurer, P. N. Laird; directors, Messrs. Sherwood, Warbinton, Lower and Weyand.

Two funerals in one day never occurred at this place until Tuesday, when Mrs. Ella Bridges and Mrs. E. P. Latta were laid to rest in our beautiful cemetery. Both were remarkably fine Christian characters, and will be sadly missed by neighbors and friends, as well as in the homes which are made desolate by their removal.

The funeral services of Mrs. Bridges were conducted by Rev. Callison, who had known her from infancy, the pall bearers being six neighbor women, who knew and loved her.

Mrs. Pearl Nixon expects to leave for Seattle the last of the week. She will take with her her young brother and sister, who will hereafter reside with her.

Several Eugene people attended the Bridges funeral, notably L. B. Rowland and wife, Mrs. Stella Gahbert, Mr. and Mrs. Chessman, Mrs. Albert Hendricks, and Darwin Bristow and wife.

REGULAR

A BUTTINSKY

Paste This in Your Hat.

It has come to my ears that a certain man, or rather an uncertain man, has been making it his business to stand on the street trying to knock mine. He says that all the talking machine records I have at present I have had on hand for years, and that they are "no account." I wish to say right here in the public hearing that the new Edison, Victor and Columbia records as soon as they are brought out. Old records are called for by some of my customers and I am obliged to keep some for them, but I am not running them through all the time, wearing them out, like some dealers do. If you hear that "fellow" talk, ask him what good reason he has for trying to knock me.

Faithfully yours, F. A. RANKIN.

A Narrow Escape

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a Jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it, but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at W. L. De Lano's drug store.

It's too bad to see people who go from day to day suffering from physical weakness, when Rocky Mountain Tea would strengthen them. Tea or tablets, 35 cents. Lian Drug Co.

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BLACKSMITHING

I have purchased the interest of my partner, A. W. Gilbert, in the blacksmithing business in the old Weidemann brewery building on West Seventh street, near Olive. I have added a horse shoeing department to the shop and will do blacksmithing in all lines. A share of the public patronage is solicited. m5 dw SHERMAN HELLER.

HOW CAN HE DO IT?

Even since the Rankin Music Store was moved to West Sixth street he has sold all of the late popular music in stock at 15 cents per copy to any and every one calling at the store. This he will continue to do until May 15, 1907, after which all sheet music will be sold at one-half of the market price except in case of specials. Fair warning. m5 F. A. RANKIN.

TIMBER AND FARM LAND

We can sell you better land for less money than you can buy any place in Lane county. Don't fail to see or write us before buying. J. S. MILNE & CO., Cottage Grove, Or.

I am still renovating all kinds of feathers, both new and old, bedding and pillows, at 150 East 8th street. Will call and get them and return them. Get ticks washed if necessary. Phone Black 2642. D. R. Lakin. dw m8

COAST FORK PICNIC

On Saturday, May 11th, a picnic will be held at Coast Fork school house, two miles and a half east of Goshen. Everybody is invited to come and bring their dinner. A good program has been arranged for the day. d5w

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HARRISBURG NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Roach and Mrs. Huston went to Eugene the first of the week on a short visit with relatives.

Mrs. Cunningham was down from Eugene the first of the week visiting with relatives and numerous friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rice went up to Eugene Saturday last for a couple of days' visit with relatives and friends.

Ed Whitaker, who has been stopping here for some time past, was at Eugene on a business trip the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Peters and the children and Mrs. Peters were down from Coburg Sunday last for a short visit.

Miss Colvin, teacher in the Junction schools, was here Sunday last for a short visit with friends. She was employed in the schools of the city last year.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morris, of Eugene, came down Sunday morning for a visit with his brother, Postmaster and Mrs. C. L. Morris.

A. F. Knight was down from Coburg Sunday for a short visit with Mrs. Knight, who is visiting her parents, and her many friends.

R. F. Baker was over from Junction City Tuesday looking after business matters. He has sold out his business in Eugene and is preparing to move to Corvallis.

Miss Ruth Gilbertson, who spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Gilbertson, in this city, returned to Eugene Monday afternoon.

Dr. Ira Bartle, accompanied by five of his friends, came down the river in his gasoline launch Sunday morning.

Three of the party returned home on the train in the afternoon and the others remained over night and returned in the launch the following day. The launch is a trim little craft and is a source of great pleasure to its owner and his friends.

Geo. Hoffman and L. A. Tobias drove up to Marcola the latter part of last week, looking after the chances of employment in that section. They were surprised at the amount of work that is going on up there. They found that carpenters are in demand and that \$3 per day was being offered for that kind of work. The work of building a large lumber flume five miles in length is just being started, and preparations are being made for a larger hotel. The town is growing rapidly and promises to become a very important trading point before many months. Sawmills are running in all directions from the town and the whistles of the mills and logging engines can be heard on every hand, indication that there is something doing all the time. A large number of men are being employed, and good wages are being offered for all classes of labor.—Bulletin.

LONG FELT WANT IN EUGENE.

While working in the largest dyeing and cleaning works on the coast and while there seeing lots of garments shipped from Eugene to be dyed, cleaned, or dyed, and after investigating and going over the ground thoroughly we saw at once that there was a good opening for a first-class cleaning and dyeing works in Eugene, so we decided to put in a first-class plant and are doing well from the start. We are the only experts in this line north of San Francisco, and have had over 12 years' experience and guarantee all work. All articles dyed and cleaned by us are treated separately for sanitary purposes and done by hand. In this way we obtain good results and as no machinery is used in our work that will tear or injure the fabric.

Everything possible in cleaning or dyeing. Eugene Dye Works, 659 Willamette street. Phone Red 2861. C. Mery, Jr., manager.

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"Our little boy had eczema for five years," writes N. A. Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors, but no benefit resulted. By chance we read about Electric Bitters; bought a bottle and soon noticed an improvement. We continued this medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured." Best of all blood medicines and body building health tonics. Guaranteed at W. L. De Lano's drug store. 50c.

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STOCK PASTURE

Stock taken for pasture three and a half miles from town, Eugene, E. M. Warren, 442 Lawrence st.

CHRIS LEIGHT

The shoemaker, 53 East Eighth street, has moved across the street to No. 53 East Eighth street, and will be glad to see all of his old customers.

PUT NEW PAPER ON YOUR DINING ROOM

from Preston & Hales' stock and see the difference it makes to the table.

CLASSIFIED COLUMNS

FOR SALE

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FOR SALE—Good gentle horse, buggy and harness. Inquire at 746 Charnelton street.

FOR SALE—Baled cheat and loose vetch hay for sale. Address L. C. Vitus, Junction City, Oregon. Farmers phone 129. m27

FOR SALE—Nine-room house, pantry and bath; small barn; lot 90x169; good well of water. Enquire 319 East Ninth street. m6

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A three-year-old Percheron stallion, blood bay. Enquire of J. B. Ferguson, Creswell, Or. m15

POODLE DOGS—Thoroughbred French poodle dogs for sale. Address P. O. box "K," Roseburg, Oregon, for prices and pedigree.

FOR SALE—Second-hand top buggy, running gear and bed in first-class condition; top needs recovering. Price reasonable. Call at Call at Thorpe's blacksmith shop, Pearl street, between Seventh and Eighth. d w tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Fine stock ranch with plenty of spring water for irrigating purposes. See Lee Hoselton, Oregon Cigar Store. tf

FOR SALE—Seven-room house, three lots, barn and good fruit; situated in Fairmount. Price, \$1000. Call on C. S. Frank, 159 East Ninth street. m10

FOR SALE—I have a fine Jersey heifer four months old, taught to lead; just right to put on fresh green pasture, or will hire good pasture if I do not sell her. I also have early cabbage plants for sale now. D. R. Lakin, 170 East Eighth street. d5w m7

FOR SALE—A complete set of 29 volumes of the Britannica Encyclopedia; also the American Dictionary and the American Encyclopedia, consisting of 18 volumes. Enquire of or address J. F. Amis, 396 West Seventh st., Eugene. tf

WANTED

WANTED—Lawns to mow. Phone Red 4221. m7

WANTED—WOOD—Bids on 100 cords fir wood at Hotel Gross. tf

WANTED—To buy two-seated carriage in good condition, at reasonable price. Address "X," care Guard office. m8

WANTED—Woman to go to summer resort and work in family of two; good money. Call at once at office of Gates & Crane, opposite postoffice. tf

WANTED—Four or five men for mill work; good wages; houses for men with families. Call at Gates & Crane, opposite postoffice, Eugene. tf

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. Must be good cook; wages, \$30, 755 High street. Mrs. Geo. Kelly. m7

WANTED—To Rent, by responsible people, no children, a convenient 5 or 6-room cottage. State location and rental. Address "L," care Guard. tf

TIMBER CLAIMS—I am in the market for the purchase of good fir, cedar or spruce, for spot cash, in favorable locations. Let me hear from you at once at port Huron, Michigan. Angus G. Mackay, m18

FOR RENT

TO RENT—By week, month or season, a most desirable, well-furnished five-roomed cottage pleasantly located at Nye creek, Or. For particulars call at Hampton Bros.' store. m15

MISCELLANEOUS

ALL PAYMENTS due H. Gordon may be made to his successors, Campbell & Fellman, or at W. T. Gordon's new undertaking rooms, corner Tenth and Olive streets. dw tf

FOUND—A valise on the night traveled road between Eugene and Springfield, in Fairmount, Thursday morning. Owner can have same by calling at Guard office and paying for this notice. tf

GILT-EDGED PROPOSITION—For a hustling real estate man at home. Write today. Jacobs-Sting Company, Portland, Or. m2

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