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DOE AND ROE

When Richard Roe was tried in court the judge remarked: "Stand up, old sport! You've drawn a hundred dollar fine, and it's a deep regret of mine that I cannot more harshly deal—you should be broken on the wheel. Your neighbor, William Doe, has told a tale that makes the blood run cold; his testimony shows that you have whipped your good wife black and blue; you've punched her nose until it bled, and tore her topknot from her head; you've filled your home with grief and groans—so please cough up a hundred bones." And in the home of William Doe, his wife was walking to and fro; she wrung her hands and wept and cried: "Alas that I became a bride! My life is one long stretch of woe—I would that I were Mrs. Roe! Her husband licks her once a year; at other times he is a dear; he doesn't wear an aspect sour, he isn't mean and cross and sour. I'm hungry for loving word, and such a thing I've never heard, since William took me as his wife—I'm weary of this empty life!"

—WALT MASON.

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WHAT IS A BOOSTER?

Authorities define the verb "to boost" as to life up, to elevate, remarks an exchange.

A booster, therefore, must be understood to be one working with a view toward elevating the quality of his trade, and goods which he manufactures.

The word "booster" evidently has its origin in slang, but has been used for so long that it has found a place in the English language, as expressive of force properly applied.

In the operation of street car lines it has been found that after the current has traversed several miles of wire it loses its force or voltage, but still retains its volume, or amperage, when to bring the volume up to the point where it will furnish the necessary power an instrument called a "booster" is put in the line, which transforms the emperage to voltage, or volume to force, this being termed "boosting the current."

Quoting a recent authority, "the booster is the salt of the earth. He wars on evil by promoting the good. He makes sunshine on the cloudy days and turns tears into laughter. He helps himself by helping others, and when his boosting days are over and he goes back to the dust from which he sprang, the world is better for his having been in it."

According to Consul-General Richard Gunther, of Frankfurt, a new dirigible airship will soon be constructed in Germany. It is the invention of Professor Schuette, of the Technical High School at Danzig, Prussia. The balloon will be 310 feet in length and about 50 feet in diameter. The skeleton frame will not be composed of aluminum, but of double diagonal wooden ribs. The car or basket is to be about 120 feet long, and 12½ feet wide. The screw propeller will be driven by two gas motors of 150 horsepower each. The average speed is estimated at 50 English miles per hour. As the carrying capacity is considerably enhanced by substituting wood for aluminum, the new airship would be able to take, besides the usual outfit and crew, from 4000 to 4500 pounds of freight.

After all this Sutton affair was only a drunken row among the students which happened to result fatally. Who was to blame or just how Sutton came to his death will probably never be known—perhaps the participants were all too drunk to realize just how it happened themselves. There have probably been many similar occurrences at the naval institution, but they have not been "investigated."

We can build the Eugene & Siuslaw railroad as far as Elmira yet this year if every property owner and business man who will be benefited will do his part. Then it will be an easy matter to procure the funds to keep the work going until the cars are running to the coast. That is the approved Eugene way of doing things.

Pass along the medal for vitality. Not only has a Pennsylvania widow of 81 taken a new husband, but she offered to bet the clerk who issued the marriage license that she'd live to be a hundred. The kid of 51 she has married will have to step lively to keep up with her.

General Prosperity is getting such a lively move on that experts are predicting that the railroad traffic of 1909 will smash all records. All right, boys—go as far as you like in that direction.

If evidence was needed that Diaz is a humorist, it is furnished by the official announcement that he will ask permission of the Mexican congress to cross the border to meet Taft.

Even if a free accident and life insurance policy be given with every passenger ticket, it's likely to be quite a while before traveling in airships gets to be real popular.

Some men are suspicious enough of the fighting game, as it is run, to be wondering if the \$5000 deposits made by Jeffries and Johnson consists of real or stage money.

Not surprising that the deposed sultan of Turkey declined to

be operated on for a slight abscess in his throat. He knows a thing or two about surgical accidents.

Must have been a New Jersey man who started the yarn that Texas is full of a new species of mosquito that can only be killed with a Gatling gun.

There is twice as much building going on in Eugene this year as last. And the record will be doubled next year—that is practically assured now.

Mrs. Eastwood, a South Dakota reformer who wants all the idiots chloroformed, doubtless reserves the right to say who are idiots for herself.

The best way for Harriman to tap the Coos Bay country is to continue the Natron-Klamath Falls line westward from Eugene to the coast.

SPRINGFIELD AND VICINITY

CITY OF SPRINGFIELD

HUSTLING PLACE

Has Excellent Business Interests and Good Farms in Vicinity

(By an Observer.)

Springfield, located across the Willamette river, about 3 1/2 miles east of Eugene, is one of the most thriving and progressive little towns in the valley today. The little city is surrounded by excellent farm land and nearly all is suited for general farming, but at the present time not more than half is under cultivation, and that very poorly tilled. The soil is a clay loam, free from stone and sand, is level and free from swamps. The city is situated on a branch line of the Southern Pacific Railway Company, and has fairly good freight and passenger facilities. It has an up-to-date telephone and waterworks system, with a first-class fire department, electric light plant and bank, a flour mill and a big sawmill, owned by the Booth-Kelly Company, are among the industries of this promising city, which furnishes employment to several hundred men, until Springfield has come to boast of a bigger payroll than Eugene. It has an excellent school system, besides its proximity to Eugene and the State University, which makes it possible for the Springfielders' sons and daughters to attend the schools of the former city for a higher education, and at the same time board at home. Its post-office belongs to the third class

division, and in addition to supplying its residents with mail supplies several rural routes extending into the surrounding country.

If you have not visited the place in the past six months, you will be surprised to know that instead of being only a whistling station on a branch line of the S. P. R. R., it is now a fast-growing town of 1500 people who are proud to say that Springfield is on the map to stay. The ring of the carpenter's hammer is heard in every direction putting up new buildings and remodeling old ones, until now there is a respectable showing of modern business places and comfortable homes. It is the natural market place for a rich farming section. The surrounding country can supply fruit and vegetables for canning establishments, an abundance of wood and timber and stone to industries using these products as raw material. Plenty of help will be required, as it is expected that many new industries will locate here in the near future. In fact, if the rumor be true, as we have every reason to believe, that the S. P. Company intends to build its car shops here, and make this a division terminal of its proposed extension to Klamath Falls, Springfield offers more opportunities and advantages to the man of modest means, who seeks this favorite clime to establish a home for himself and family than any other city in Western Oregon.

OF INTEREST TO ALL READERS
WHAT TIME WILL THE CLOCK STOP

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INCREASED CAPACITY

OF FLORENCE SAWMILL

New Machinery Being Installed
—Capacity Will Be 100,000 Feet

Important changes are soon to be made in the Oregon & California Lumber Co's mill at Florence and the cutting capacity is to be greatly increased.

Some time ago the company had a lot of machinery shipped here that has not been used. This machinery is now being placed in position under the direction of Superintendent Brett and it will soon be ready to operate. It is the intention of the owners, so we are informed, to increase the capacity of the mill to 100,000 feet of lumber per day. This will be a big increase in the output of the mill and will furnish employment for a large number of additional men, not only in the mill but in the logging camps as well. It will also require more vessels to carry out the lumber which will be manufactured.—Florence West.

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MAKE NEW SURVEY

IN BOHEMIA DISTRICT

Party of Engineers Go to Mountains to Correct Old Gessner Survey

F. J. Hard, who returned today from a short trip to Cottage Grove, said this afternoon that a party of surveyors left Cottage Grove this morning to check up the old Gessner survey in the Bohemia mining district and vicinity, made 15 years ago. This survey of section lines has been rejected several times by the government and the surveyors who left Cottage Grove this morning are sent out for the purpose of correcting all errors.

Florence Property Selling Fast.

There have been upward of 200 lots sold in Florence; 28 in Aberdeen, Washington, was the sales of one day, July 28th. 19 sold in Eugene same date. At this rate they will soon be all sold. —ff.

If you are looking for nice clean rooms or rooms with the best of board, it would be to your interest to visit the new "Park Hotel," opposite freight depot. The place has been entirely renovated. Rates are reasonable. —ff.

Dr. F. W. Prentice's offices are at 86 West Eighth street. Calls attended to day or night. Day phone 1171; night phone Main 529.



THE HAWAIIAN BUILDING, A-Y-P. EXPOSITION, SEATTLE.

The building erected at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition for the exclusive use of the Hawaiian Islands, occupies a prominent position on the Court of Honor next the central government structure. Hawaii has prepared a more extensive and comprehensive exhibit of its marvelous resources than for any other world's fair. It will show all of its native fruits and vegetables; will offer an aquarium of live fish, and in various other ways interest the fair visitors. Fruits will be served by native girls and native orchestras and singers will be always on hand. A tank in the center of the structure will show the islands as they rest in the Pacific Ocean.

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Six Months	\$2.50
Three Months	\$1.50
One Month	.50

Guard Printing Co.

ADVERTISEMENT FOR PROPOSALS FOR MATERIAL FOR TRANSMISSION LINE.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Recorder of Eugene, Oregon, up to 8 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, August 25, 1909, for the purpose of supplying cross arms, braces, bolts, washers, pins, insulators, guy wires, etc., for the construction of a 15 mile transmission line and telephone line in accordance with plans and specifications on file with the City Recorder of Eugene, Oregon.

Separate bids will be received for cross arms.

Bidders will be required to accompany bid with sample of pins and insulators they propose to supply and state terms of delivery after acceptance of proposal.

Prices bid shall be F. O. B. Springfield, Oregon.

The City of Eugene reserves the

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