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WOMEN WILL HAVE SHORTER WORK DAY

Fifty-Six Hour Labor Law in Massachusetts Goes Into Effect

Boston, Dec. 30.—After tomorrow, the fifty-six hour labor law for women and minor children will go into effect in Massachusetts. It is probable that more women and children are employed in industrial activities in this state than in any other, especially in the great cotton mills and shoe factories, and the statute limiting the hours of their labor will have a far-reaching effect.

Contrary to the general belief, this law applies only to women and minors who are employed by "manufacturing or mechanical" establishments and it will not in any way effect those who are employed as salesgirls, and very few stenographers will have their hours changed as a result of the passage of the law.

While in most cases manufacturers will meet the requirements of the new law by reducing their time schedules, not only for women and minors, but for men as well, there are others, employing comparatively small numbers of women who believe it will be more to their advantage to discharge the women and replace them with men, rather than to curtail two hours each week.

MOVING PICTURES OF MILITARY TOURNAMENT AT TOLEDO, OHIO

The First and Only Authorized
Motion Pictures of Army
Maneuvers

The thousands of thrilling U. S. Army "stunts", "pulled off" at the U. S. Military Tournament held at Camp Taft, Toledo, Ohio, the week motion pictures—portraying 4,000 trained regulars in the most thrilling presentation of actual battle scenes ever witnessed in this or any other country in time of peace, reproducing with wonderful clearness the modern field artillery in action, lively, thrilling drills by the infantry, wall scaling and skirmish work, wonderful saddle and bareback riding by the cavalry, modern quick firing cannon in action, engineer troops building bridges and destroying them with dynamite, signal corps in instructive and entertaining field work, hospital corps showing how the wounded are cared for, etc., etc.

Don't fail to witness this vast, stupendous and spectacular production of over 3,000 feet of film. Bring the children, bring the whole family. It's your FIRST and perhaps your last chance. Don't forget. On exhibition tonight and Thursday only, and for the first time at the Bell theatre.

FORMER EDITOR MUST SERVE TIME

Washington, Dec. 29.—Efforts appear hopeless to obtain a pardon for Charles Nickell, of Jacksonville, Or., serving a four-year term of imprisonment as a result of a conviction of conspiracy in land frauds.

The department of justice announces that unless reasons for Nickell's pardon addition to those upon which the President has heretofore refused to grant it, shall be advanced, the application cannot again be called to the president's attention.

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EATON'S, 570 Willamette Street, d29

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Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Baker & Anderson, owners of the Fairmount meat market, have dissolved partnership. J. J. Baker continuing the business and Charles Anderson retiring. All bills due the firm are payable to Mr. Baker.

HALL'S TEXAS WONDER.

I have sold Hall's Texas Wonder for kidney, bladder and rheumatic trouble for the last five years, and have guaranteed it in many cases, but have never had a complaint. 60 day's treatment in each bottle. O. J. HULL.

Don't forget Company A's marquerade ball New Year's eve. d30

NEW BRIGADIER-GENERAL ASSUMES HIS RANK

Colonel Walter Howe, of Coast Artillery, Takes Step Higher

Washington, Dec. 30.—Col. Walter Howe, of the Coast Artillery, today assumed the rank and title of brigadier-general, taking the place made vacant yesterday by the retirement of Gen. Winfield Edgerly. He will be on the active list for just a year and a day longer, as his birthday which falls tomorrow, will find him only a year short of the age of retirement. For some time the new brigadier-general has been in command of the southern artillery district of New York, with station at Fort Hancock, N. J., and is recognized as one of the most efficient officers in the coast artillery. He is a West Pointer of the class of 1867, and was assigned on graduation as a second lieutenant, to the Fourth artillery, and reached the rank of colonel in May, 1904. He is also a graduate of the artillery school. General Howe had considerable fighting in Indian campaigns in his early service. He was in engagements in 1868 under Sheridan and Custer, was in the Wounded River campaign in 1876, under General Crook, where he commanded a force of some 200 friendly Indians. In the war with Spain he was in command at Fort Washington and Sheridan's Point, Md., being on duty mounting guns on the eight and ten inch carriages, and in September, 1898, he was on duty as chief muster officer for the State of Connecticut. When the Forty-seventh United States Volunteer Infantry was organized in August, 1899, General Howe, who was then a captain in the Fourth artillery, was placed in command of it and went to the Philippines. He participated in a number of engagements in the islands and as a result of his work heavy ports were opened and the civil government was established in the provinces of Albay and Sorsogon.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE ON BOHEMIA ROAD

Cottage Grove, Or., Dec. 29.—During the summer and fall months substantial improvements were made in the Sharps Creek wagon road leading to the Bohemia mines. A series of 10 bridges has been completed. The mails to and from the mines have suffered many delays on account of high water during the winter months, and these bridges clear the way for the uninterrupted mails.

Ben Men's Gifts Are Poor
Mrs. O. Rhinevaunt, of Vestal Center, N. Y., "I can never forget what it has done for me." This glorious medicine gives a woman buoyant spirits, vigor of body and jubilant health. It quickly cures Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Headache, Backache, Fainting and Dizzy Spells; soon builds up the weak, ailing and sickly. Try them. 50c at W. A. Kuykendall's Drug Store.

PRIVATE KINDERGARTEN.
The private kindergarten held on the first floor of the High school building will open January 3. Parents wishing to send their children, drop me a card or see me at 186 E. 11th street. Visitors always welcome. d30
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by indigestion pangs—trying many doctors and \$200.00 worth of medicine in vain. B. F. Ayres, of Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. The cure constipation, biliousness, sick headache, stomach, liver, kidney and bowel troubles. 25c at W. A. Kuykendall's.

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is commonly said of babies who have died of the croup. How unnecessary this is. No child ever had the croup without having a cough or cold at the start. If you stop the first symptom of the cough with Ballard's Horehound Syrup there is no danger whatever of croup. For sale by Dillon Drug Co.

TAYLOR & WILLIAMS.
Storage warehouse, on railroad track, for hops, spuds, household goods, cement, lime, crockery or anything. Stone foundation and piped with water for fire protection. Rates made on car lots. Inquire of Williams Transfer Company, Main 551, or Frasier's real estate office, Black 2861. d31

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Prompt attention to orders and satisfaction guaranteed. Phone, Black 2812; residence, 321 West Fourth street. d33

TRAINED NURSE
Miss Margie D. Sedgwick, trained nurse. Graduate. 731 Willamette street. Phone Red 7821. d30

Socialist local, Eugene, will hold a propaganda meeting at 29 East 6th street, Wednesday, December 29th, at 7:30 p. m. Come. d29

NOTICE
On and After January 1, 1910, no credit will be given on goods retailed at Otto's confectionery and grill. d31
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We take pride in the fact that we carry a complete line of Drugs and Chemicals and everything to be found in an up-to-date store, and we sell at reasonable prices. We do not have our entire capital invested in fancy fixtures, for you to pay for when you buy of us. Red Cross Drug Co. d31

If you cannot attend day school join our night classes. Eugene Business College. d31

LOVER REJECTED; FALLS IN A SWOON

Tacoma Man Still in a Stupor After Falling at Sweet-heart's Feet

Tacoma, Dec. 29.—Harry Switzer, a railway brakeman, has lain rigid and unconscious almost continuously since Sunday night at the home of his sweetheart, Agnes Anderson, and physicians are puzzled as to the cause, considering an attempt at suicide probable. His chance for life is uncertain.

Sunday evening Switzer renewed a request that Miss Anderson marry him, but she refused, as she had done before, on the ground of her youth, being 19 years old. Switzer walked into the kitchen for a glass of water and returning, fell to the floor.

He has been in a stupor most of the time since then, his condition being too serious to permit his removing from the girl's home. The girl has been compelled to remain unceasingly by his side, holding his hand, since any effort to release the grasp, causes him to moan, though he does not regain consciousness.

It is believed he took poison of some sort.

GREAT RALLY OF THE DRY FORCES

Roanoke, Va., Dec. 30.—A great rally of temperance forces will be held here tonight for the double purpose of aiding in the fight of the Anti-Saloon League and celebrating the victory of the "drys" at the polls December 30 last. The election was declared null and void.

The Why and Wherefore.
There is never a why without a wherefore. For instance, Hood's Sarsaparilla roots out the disease. Wherefore, when people take this medicine faithfully and persistently their diseases disappear.

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TO HOMESICK PEOPLE

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EXCAVATING AND GRADING CONTRACTORS

Yergle, Simmons, McMillan & Co. are prepared to execute all orders for excavating grading, hauling sand, gravel, brick, etc. Teaming of all kinds. Let us bid on your work. Phones Red 4291, Black 4562, Black 4101. Residences 944 East Fifteenth street; 585 West Seventh street. d31

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Anything from a banty rooster to a turkey gobbler. Get your order in early, today if possible. Have first choice. Gibson Bros. cash market and grocery, Phone Main 620. Special delivery. d31

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Automobiles to hire at any time of the day or night. Phone Black 4331. S. B. Finnegan.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

Bolton & Jenkins will remove from 25 E. 9th street to the Cherry bldg, 6th and Willamette streets, January 1, 1910.

In the long run which pays the best—to deal with a well-known, established business house, whose reputation and quality of goods stand unquestioned, or to deal with strangers? The merits of the Stevens & Hulin Piano House stand unexcelled, and their world-famous makes of pianos (the Welles, Chickering, Hobart, etc., and many others) need no defense for every one knows what they are. Before buying a piano or organ, inquire at the Stevens & Hulin Piano House, Commercial Club block. d31

If you want to learn to play the grand, in, guitar or banjo correctly, go to the Warren Studio, 518 Willamette. d31

Preventives, the new candy cold cure tablets, and by druggists to have four special specific advantages over all other remedies for a cold, first—they contain no quinine, nothing harsh or sickening. Second—they give almost instant relief. Third—pleasant to the taste. Like candy. Fourth—A large box, 48 Preventives, at 25 cents. A fine for feverish

HAIR TELLS CHARACTER.

Color of Hair Said to Indicate a Person's Temperament.

Many people believe that blonde, or light hair denotes affection and dark hair constancy. A person without hair is not devoid of character; far from it. The disposition of the average bald-headed man is to show such solicitude for the welfare of others, that he neglects himself. A germ causes baldness. Prof. Sabouraud, of Paris, France, inoculated a rabbit with Dandruff germs, causing it to become totally bald in five weeks' time. To rid the scalp of these dangerous germs it is necessary to apply Newbro's Herpicide.

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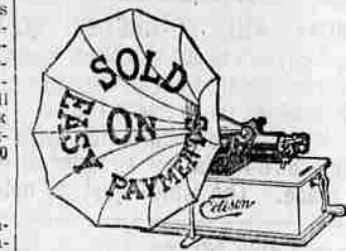


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