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Reformation Begins at Home

Governor Davis, of Idaho, is rousing his state about the baneful effects of lack of parental control over the children. He contends that state and nation are drifting away from the old-fashioned code, setting up a bolder and more startling one in its place, whereby parents, lured by pleasure, neglect offspring and home.

Governor Davis has been giving much time and attention to conditions in penal reform and charitable institutions, and has unearthed some startling facts. When comparing notes with Governors of other states he learned they had found the same conditions. This led Governor Davis to look for the cause. He believes he has found it in a combination of circumstances brought about by modern conditions.

First. Governor Davis discovered that the percentage of boys guilty of committing crimes is increasing in Idaho.

Second. He found the worst form of diseases existed among young men and women.

Third. He learned that most of these young criminals are not foreigners, but Americans, many of them of good families.

Fourth. He established by prison records that the number of young men and boys going wrong is increasing.

BLAME PLACED ON PARENTS.

These facts have been laid before the people by Governor Davis in several public addresses. In searching for the cause, from interviews with young criminals sent to the penitentiary, he learned that in many instances they have not had the care and attention they should have had from their parents: that they were neglected and permitted to have their own way, instead of being subjected to discipline; that fathers and mothers were more anxious to travel the paths of pleasure than to remain at home with their children. In many instances, he asserted, parents are more giddy than the children, and instead of making companions of them, lose touch with them entirely.

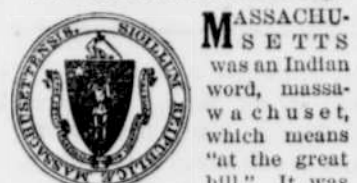
Inferior types of moving pictures, Governor Davis holds, act as incentives to youth to commit crimes. During a conversation with a youth in the penitentiary, he learned from the boy that he had seen the very crime for which he was sentenced pictured in the movies, and it looked so easy to perform that he decided to try it himself, but landed in the penitentiary.

Governor Davis contends there is too much joy riding on the part of unprotected young women who are permitted to go out unaccompanied and are not given the protection they need from their parents. Speaking of this, he said that while in the east on a recent trip, he saw the public byways in parks filled with automobiles without lights. This, he said, was one reason why so of the maternity hospitals are overcrowded, and the lives of young girls hardly out of their teens are ruined.

The rate war in Portland, between the railroads, steamers and busses, which caused a very decided cut in the fares to Astoria and coast points, has proved conclusively that when transportation companies bring their fares within reach of the public, the latter will go after them.

The Story of Our States

By JONATHAN BRACE
VI.—MASSACHUSETTS



MASSACHUSETTS was an Indian word, Massachusetts, which means "at the great hill." It was used by the Algonquins to designate the tribe living near Blue Hill in Milton, now a state reservation near Boston and the highest hill in the eastern part of the state. This name was later applied to the great bay which Blue Hill overlooks. It was from this bay that the state was named. In fact, until 1692 the colony was called the Massachusetts Bay colony, and after that the Province of Massachusetts Bay until the Revolution made it a commonwealth. Even today it is often called the Bay state.

It was Capt. John Smith who first made a map of the New England coast and named the Charles river in honor of "Baby Charles," who afterward became King Charles I. Other captains visited the coast from time to time, but it was not until the fall of 1620 that the Mayflower brought the first permanent settlers to the Massachusetts shore. The landing of the Pilgrims at Provincetown and Plymouth three hundred years ago was recently celebrated. Of the original one hundred passengers on the Mayflower more than half died during the first winter. But the sturdy survivors, with indomitable courage, soon became firmly established and from their beginning, augmented by the Puritan settlements of Salem and the towns around Boston, grew the state of Massachusetts, which now extends over 8,288 square miles. In proportion to its area Massachusetts is second only to Rhode Island in population and has eighteen presidential electoral votes. This makes Massachusetts one of the six most important states from a political point of view.

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The Fair

Be a booster for the East Clackamas Fair. What the *Canby News* writes about the Clackamas County Fair, which follows on the one here, applies equally to ours. It says:

"It is of a genuinely educational value. It shows the results of methods employed, and of the progress of the various communities represented. It, thru the exhibits, stimulates and encourages better methods and more earnest effort. It offers pleasure and profit to those who attend, thru its educational and recreational values. It is the best of boosters and wants you to be a booster, also. Plan to attend."

In another column we publish a list of the rules and other information.

Exposition Site

It is to be hoped that the Exposition Board will soon end the suspense in regard to the site to be selected. There are four prominent locations advocated—Ross Island, Hayden Island, Highway Butte and one near Gresham. Each of these is being vigorously championed, and each according to its advocates is the only logical site. Those responsible for making the choice have a delicate task before them, and by no means an enviable one.

Hay fever, and catarrhal deafness yield readily to Enger surgery. See Dr. Rhodes, Hotel Estacada, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 8:30 to 4:30 p. m.

Don't forget your Fair dates—September 8th, 9th and 10th.

Special School Meeting.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 108, of Clackamas County, State of Oregon, that a Special School Meeting of said District will be held at Estacada High School on the 26th Day of August, 1921, at 8 o'clock in the afternoon, for the following object: The election of one School Director.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1921.
F. G. ROBLEY,
Chairman Board of Directors.
Attest: MRS. MYRTLE BELFELS,
8-11-18-25 District Clerk.

AMERICAN FOOD SHIP SAVES 18,000 BABES FROM STARVATION

Heroic Yankee Women Risk Lives to Rescue Children, in Service of Near East Relief

Constantinople.—How the prompt action of Charles V. Vickrey, General Secretary of the Near East Relief, and Harold C. Jaquith, representative of that American relief organization in Constantinople, saved the lives of 18,000 orphan children and seven American relief workers in Alexandropol, Armenia, is what all the representatives of the Allied nations in Constantinople are applauding today.

For five years the Near East Relief organization had built up a work of mercy throughout the former Turkish Empire and Transcaucasia, to a point where 64,600 little children were being housed, clothed, fed, given medical attendance and taught, and over 56,000 others being supplied with food. Then suddenly, on February 5, last, there came hurried cable reports of renewed fighting in Armenia and Transcaucasia, where 75,813 of these little ones were located under the protection of the Near

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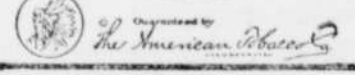
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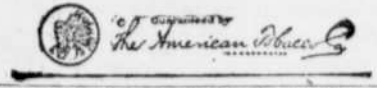
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon, August 4, 1921.
NOTICE is hereby given, that Joseph O. Smith, of Eagle Creek, Ore., whom May 14th, 1920, made Homestead Entry No. 06758, for NE 1/4, Section 5, Township 3, S. Range 5, E. Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office, at Portland, Ore., on the 22 day of September, 1921.
Claimant names as witnesses:—Alfred Shirley, of Eagle Creek, Oregon, R. F. D. 1, August Koennaman, of Eagle Creek, Oregon, R. F. D. 1, M. E. Koennaman, of Eagle Creek, Oregon, R. F. D. 1, Carl Newman, of Eagle Creek, Oregon, R. F. D. 1.
Proof under Act of June 9, 1916, and section 2205—R. S.,
ALEXANDER SWEENEY, Register, 8-11-9-8

Notice for Publication

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Portland, Oregon, August 11th, 1921.
NOTICE is hereby given, that Christian A. Johnson, of Bissell, Oregon, who, on August 1st, 1918, made Homestead Entry No. 05068, for NW 1/4, NW 1/4, Section 29, Township 3, S. Range 5, E. Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Portland, Oregon, on the 21st day of September, 1921.
Claimant names as witnesses:—Roy Maxwell, of Bissell, Ore., J. K. Peterson, of Bissell, Ore., Henry Johnson, of Bissell, Ore., Peter Ruhl, of Bissell, Ore.
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ALEXANDER SWEENEY, Register, 8-18-9-11



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ESTACADA, OREGON.
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