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RESPONSIBILITY OF LEADERSHIP.

That the labor element in society has, for a long time, had a grievance no intelligent man doubts, but the best way to cure the trouble is yet an unsettled question.

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FOR SHAME.

On the morning of April 30, there appeared in the Oregonian the following: "Members of the Grand Army, who participated in the first battle of Bull Run, can fully sympathize with the Greeks after the fall of Larissa."

This is only one of the many contemptible insults which that dirty "copperhead" sheaf is perpetually flying at our old soldiers. The "boys in blue" did their duty in the battle of Bull Run, and in every other battle fought during the war, and are worthy of decent treatment at the hands of their fellow citizens whose country they saved.

The True Remedy.

W. M. Repine, editor Tiskilwa, Ill., "Chief," says: "We won't keep house without Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Experimented with many others, but never got the true remedy until we used Dr. King's New Discovery. No other remedy can take its place in our home, as in it we have a certain and sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Coughs, etc."

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given, that the county court of Washington county, Oregon, did, on the 2nd day of March, 1897, duly appoint the undersigned as administrator of the estate of William Gilpin, deceased, and he has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate will present the same with proper vouchers at the law office of S. B. Huston, in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 14th day of April, 1897.

Miss Lucinda Hollister, who has been at home on a visit, had a strange experience in Portland on Tuesday evening last. She left on the afternoon train and on the same train were two boys who proved to be Leander Nordyke, 16 years of age, and his brother, whose home is at Gaston. Miss Hollister went on board the Potter to go to Seattle, Wash., and was followed by the boys. She incautiously laid her purse on a table in the saloon of the steamer, and Leander snatched it, and made his escape. The young lady reported the audacious robbery to the police, and soon thereafter the thief was picked up on the street by Detectives Welsh and Maher. Leander disclaimed having stolen the lady's purse, but alleged that she dropped it on the steamer, and he was seeking the owner. The accused really had no occasion to steal, for when searched he had \$56 on his person, which he said his father gave him before leaving home. When Nordyke was taken before the municipal court this afternoon, it seemed that a night's reflection induced him to tell the truth, and he pleaded guilty to the theft. Owing to the boys' youth, Deputy District Attorney Fitzgerald reduced the charge against him from a felony to simple larceny, and the young thief was placed in the custody of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society.

Teacher's Examination.

Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of making an examination of all persons who may offer themselves as candidates for teachers of the schools of this county the county school superintendent thereof will hold a public examination at Forest Grove, beginning on the 12th day of May, being the second Wednesday of the month, at one o'clock p. m. No one will be admitted after the opening. Third grade certificates will not be issued to persons under sixteen years of age. Candidates for state diplomas and life-diplomas may present themselves on Thursday, May 13, at 10 a. m. Applications for state certificates should be made in writing, stating districts in which applicant has taught, date and length of service.

Oregon Will Stand Foremost.

Many arrivals in Oregon of Eastern farmers and merchants are noted of late. Several delegations from Minnesota and Dakota alone are in the state, looking for favorable locations. Several thousand families from the East are expected to locate in Oregon this summer. This state offers many excellent inducements to settlers, and there is plenty of room for good citizens. The day is not far distant when Oregon will stand foremost of all the states west of the Rocky mountains. Its resources are almost unlimited, its climate is even and healthful, and above all, we do not suffer from any disastrous calamities of the elements which so frequently drive terror to the hearts of Easterners and bring ruin and despair to their homes.

He Et Ubique.

The truth is that times are not so hard as we talk ourselves into believing. A gentleman now in New Whatcom, who resides in Anacortes, says that by mutual agreement the people of his city have quit referring to the subject at all, and that he has heard more talk about hard times in the last ten days here than he has heard there for two years. Suppose the people of Bellingham bay try the experiment of quitting grumbling, lay aside their local jealousy, be thankful for and discuss the blessings they really have, imitate the example of other places, and pull all together to build up a good town right here. It can be done; but we must do it ourselves, and we can't do it by grumbling, quarreling and croaking.—Whatcom Reveille.

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In the Probate court of Washington County and State of Oregon, in the matter of the Estate of Caleb Woods deceased: Notice is hereby given, that James C. Woods, administrator of the estate of Caleb Woods, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement, and filed in said court, his final account of his administration of said estate, and that Monday, the 24th day of May, 1897, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, has been duly appointed by said court for the settlement of said account. At which time any person interested in said, may appear and file his exceptions in writing, to said account, and contest the same.

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The Stone Quarry.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Forest Grove Company, held Monday evening, May 3rd, the following named persons were elected a board of directors for the ensuing year: J. G. Boos, A. T. Boos, Andrew Boos, E. J. Boos and A. Rogers. That the stone taken from the company's quarry is the best found in Oregon is easily shown by that used in the construction of Herrick Hall. It is improving in color each year and as far as strength is concerned it has stood the test of time perfectly. It does not absorb water because of its fine texture, and yet it is a sand stone, but capable of sustaining a fine and enduring polish. There is no better stone for building purposes on the coast. The quarry opened last year near Yaquina, in Lincoln county, has proved to be so porous that it cracks open when exposed to the air. The only way this can be prevented is to keep the stone in the shade until it seasons, a process that takes time and trouble. Stone of such porous character will absorb air water until it is thoroughly saturated and then a good freeze will crack it into small pieces. Stone, to be useful for any purpose, must be able to resist any weather that may come; and also retain its good color in the wet as well as the dry season. All these good qualities are in the Forest Grove stone, and the company will now push the stone into the market and develop the quarry as fast as possible. There is also a prospect of building a rock crusher so as to utilize the small pieces and such material as will not work into good building stone, by crushing for road work. It will be an easy thing to put in a chute and so arrange it that wagons can be easily loaded. Such crushed rock can be sold at a low price and will surely aid in bringing our roads into a more passable condition.

County School Notes.

Report of Jackson school, district No. 9, for the month ending April 15. No. days taught 23. No. days attendance 509. No. days absence 67. No. times tardy 2. No. boys enrolled 13. No. girls enrolled 16. Total no. enrolled 29. Average daily attendance 25. Those neither absent nor tardy were Winnie Lincoln, Frank and Letitia Jackson, Jimmie Meacham, Jeff Johnson, Ruth and Lena Edwards, Martha Batchelder, Lizzie Connell, Henry Clemens, George and Albert Krug. Visitors J. W. Jackson, J. W. Goodin, Jos. Connell, Nellie Neep, Grover Neep, Alice Sandford, Lizzie Gordon, Mabel Jackson, Nellie Gordon, Della McConbrue, Geo. E. Miller, teacher.

The following is a report of school district No. 27 for the month commencing March 29, and ending April 23: No. girls enrolled, 15; No. boys enrolled, 14; total, 29; No. days attended, 548; No. days absence, 55; average daily attendance, 28. Those neither absent nor tardy during the month are: Katie Rueter, Nina Wolcott, Nellie Ranes, Marie Bleid, Grace McCoy, Mary Shrums, Otis Baker, Frank Chesmore, David Bleid, Francis Bleid, Thad Stevenson.—Effie Baker, Teacher.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution, decree and order of sale, issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, in favor of G. H. Baber and against James R.atching, Mira E.atching, F. A. Bailey, Iuos. H. Tongue and C. Schumacher, partners under the firm name of Bailey, Tongue and Schumacher and Meler & Frank Company, a corporation, defendants, for the sum of \$16.10, costs, and for the further sum of \$900.00, U. S. gold coin, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from the second day of January, 1895, and \$50.00 with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, from the 1st day of April 1897 attorneys fees, and for the cost and expenses of sale and of said writ. Now, therefore, by virtue and in pursuance of said judgment, decree and order of sale, I will, on Monday the 31st day of May, 1897, at the south door of the Court House, in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property, to-wit: The North half of the Northeast quarter of section 10, in Township 2 North of Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian, and the south half of the Southeast quarter of section 5, in Township 2 North of Range 5 West of the Willamette Meridian all situate in Washington County, Oregon, to satisfy the heretofore named sums, and for the costs and expenses of said sale. Said property will be sold subject to redemption as per statute of Oregon. Witness my hand this 28th day of April, 1897. W. D. BRADFORD, Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon. SMITH & B. WNAS, Atty's, for Plff. 5-9

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