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Hay that may be pretty badly damaged will be better for cattle next winter than fern or hazel brush. Better save it all.

When that tariff bill is passed up to Taft it will be a good time for him to show to the country whether he or Aldrich is to be boss.

An article of much merit on "The Country School Question," from Hoard's Dairyman, will be found in this issue. Don't fail to read it.

Dr. Osler has now passed his sixtieth year and is still in the harness. Another case of a doctor refusing to take his own medicine.

The clouds have lifted and much of the hay that was in the shock during the rains is being put away in fairly good condition. We are now having ideal July weather.

It keeps most men busy making love to one woman, and yet this man Johnson who was sentenced to serve seven years in the penitentiary, from San Jose last Monday, for bigamy says he was courting ten women in Portland at one time, and managed to keep them all busy.

The Eugene Register falls into line and says: "The press in this district is noting the fact that aspirants are springing up with a desire to succeed Congressman Hawley, but they invariably declare that Hawley's record entitles him to re-election and that he will succeed himself, all of which is true."

It may be a little late in the calendar to make a note of commendation, but the Graphic man is in a physical condition this week to sympathize with Job, who showed great forbearance under severe trials. No doubt he also had to smile sweetly when his friends comforted him with the assurance that "each one of'em is worth \$5."

Our friend W. J. Clarke of the Gervais Star, who received the appointment as postmaster of Gervais in 1897 has recently received the appointment for the fourth time, not because there are no other residents of the town who are competent to fill the office, or are able to furnish the necessary bonds, but because it is "Billy Clarke" and that is sufficient reason.

The editor of the Graphic has been named by President George Putnam of the Oregon State Editorial Association, as a delegate to the National Editorial Association which meets in annual session in Seattle next week, but owing to pressing duties at home we will be compelled to forego this opportunity of meeting with representative newspaper men from all over the United States, as much as we regret to do so.

Senator Beveridge is a protectionist and at no time has sought to reduce the tariff below the Payne figures which are regarded even higher than the Dingley law schedules. He has tried to keep the figures down to the Payne bill, and that's all. He has in no instance approached the democratic idea of the tariff. And as long as he remains in congress he will always be found fighting the democrats on that question.—Martinsville, Indiana Democrat.

It occurs to an observant reader that "the democratic idea of the tariff" at this stage of the game is very much like the republican idea—there are several kinds of it.

Only a few years ago the wiseacres were telling us through lengthy newspaper and magazine articles that owing to the development of great wheat producing countries, such as the Argentine Republic, farmers in the United States need never hope to again receive anything like the old prices for wheat. Now wheat is selling at \$1.30 in Minneapolis and the same fellows are telling us that the day of cheap cereals is passed. About the best proposition for the farmer in making his calculations for the future is to strike a general average between these extreme predictions and study to produce the greatest yield at the least possible cost.

"The Peoples Rule in Oregon" is the title of an article in the July number of The Arena, from the pen of C. H. McColloch, of Baker City. In his argument for "Statement One" and other of our new fads, he says that when nominations of candidates for office are now made "The old class of questions is lost sight of," and names as one of the new questions to be asked, "Is he sober?" We would suggest to Mr. McColloch that in the last election held in Oregon, if this question was asked by the voters, the results would indicate that their reason for putting the question was to ascertain, who among the candidates for the highest office was the biggest sot of the lot and then vote for him, since this was the type of a man who received a majority of the votes.

Additional Locals.

William Pickering and wife, cousins of Paul Macy, of Springbrook, who are out from their home at Leesburg, Florida, stopped off there last week for a short visit. After seeing the valley from the scenic heights of Chealem mountain and also viewing it at closer range they said this is a beautiful country to look upon. They go from here to California and then to their Florida home where they have large interests in orange lands.

H. F. Baird has returned home from Newport, where he says they had a very nice time, but the crowds at this seaside resort are rather meager so far this season, and he did not think it a profitable investment to take out a license for carrying passengers. The Willamette valley is about the best summer resort we know of and unless old Sol gets much busier than he has been so far this season, seaside hash houses will not do much business. Firewood is much cheaper at home.

Kienle & Sons are having plans drawn by S. E. Watkins for a new store building, which they will erect on the site of the blacksmith shop on First street, formerly owned by Mr. Hagmann. It will have a frontage of 48 feet and will extend back 60 feet. It will be built of concrete blocks and will be made into two rooms, with modern plate glass front. The old shop will be removed and work will be begun just as soon as the plans can be completed, which will be the first of next week.

An enjoyable time was held at the home of G. W. Hammond on last Sunday where the following guests gathered for dinner: Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Labadie, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. McKay, Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Labadie, their daughter, Gladys, and Master Alfred, A. O. Labadie, and H. P. Carstenbrook of California. J. M. Labadie owns a 30 acre tract of land, 1½ miles west of Freewater in the best fruit belt of Eastern Oregon where they will return after a stop at Portland and Seattle. Mr. Labadie has now made three trips to Newberg, his first being about fifteen years ago, one three years ago and the present one, each time being more favorably impressed with the country.

Rev. F. M. Washburn and wife, the former pastor of the Congregational church at Lodi, California, who are off on their annual vacation, spent last Sunday and Monday in town. Mrs. Washburn was a resident of Newberg for several years, her name at that time being Mrs. Dell C. H. Cox, and she spent the time very pleasantly renewing old acquaintances and in inquiring about the absent ones whom she knew in former days.

A traveling spieler pitched a striped tent on a vacant lot abutting on First street last Monday, and spent a lot of wind in a vain endeavor to induce our people to part with their cash for the privilege of entering the tent for the purpose of looking upon two of the monstrosities of the world. At least that is what he said they were—a donkey and pig, each with more than the usual number of feet. The crop of Rubes was short, exceedingly short, and consequently the tent was pulled down during the still hours of the night and doubtless the freaks and their owner will know Newberg no more forever.

A number of ladies spent last Thursday evening at the Parker home as guests of Miss Ella Macy who entertained at a shower for Miss Lida Wilson whose coming marriage to Mr. Semon Madison is announced. Each lady was given a bit of needle work to add to the bride's dowry chest, after which a miniature automobile was wheeled in, loaded with household and personal gifts. The bountiful refreshments served were suggestive of the generosity of the hostess. Those present were Messdames L. M. Parker, W. S. Parker, J. W. Coffin, E. McDonald, J. C. Colcord, L. H. Shirley, W. E. Terrell, F. A. Elliott, A. T. Hill, H. Ehret, W. L. Robertson, W. A. King and the Misses Mabelle Gardner, Leora Thorne, Belle Gilbert, Ione Hill, Bertha Nicholson, Olive Stratton, Sibyl Woodward, Eva Miller, Myrtle Gause and Lenora Parker.

Jesse Hobson, the pioneer merchant of Newberg, who has a real estate business in Portland, was up last Sunday in attendance at Friends church and visited in the afternoon with his sister, Mrs. A. T. Blair on the old home farm north of town. When Newberg was very young Mr. Hobson opened a general merchandise store on ground near the present site of the northeast corner of First and Main streets, which was then in the woods. The writer has a very vivid recollection of spending many a rainy day during the winter season, hauling goods for the store from the old Wynooski landing on the river over so-called

roads that wound around through the woods, as well as of spending many a weary hour at the river, waiting for the to-o-o-o-t of the old steamer "Orient" that was never in a hurry.

H. B. Hall, representing the postal department of the government was in town a few days ago conferring with C. J. Edwards regarding the lease of the room in his new building and the fittings for same for postoffice purposes. The contract was signed and everything is to be in readiness for the change in the office by September first. There will be 400 keyless boxes of the latest design and Mr. Hall says that when the office opens in the new room with the furniture and fixtures as the contract calls for, no other postoffice in Oregon will have a better or more complete outfit. A glance at the contract is convincing proof that nothing to be desired that would go to make for the convenience of the postmaster and his assistants, or for the public, has been omitted. Postmaster C. B. Wilson is highly gratified over having the assurance that the office is to be placed in one of the best rooms in town, with modern fixtures, beautiful in design, and Newberg is to be congratulated over the fact that our progressive little city will have a postoffice, second to none in Oregon.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of the City of Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, has appointed C. C. Ferguson, E. H. Horton, and S. W. Parrish viewers to assess the damages and benefits by reason of the opening, laying and establishing of Edwards street from the south line of Second street South to the North line of Third street, in the City of Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, and that the time and place appointed for said viewers to meet for said purpose is Monday, July 26th, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Council room in the said City of Newberg, and that the boundaries and termini of the said proposed street to be opened, laid out and established are as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point 34 feet South to 2nd East from the intersection of Second Street and Edwards street in said City of Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, and running thence West 30 feet to stake and Northeast corner of Block 12, town of Newberg; thence South 00° 22' East 240 feet to stake and Southeast corner of said Block 12; thence East 60 feet to stake and Southwest corner of Block 11, town of Newberg; thence North 00° 22' West 240 feet to stake and Northeast corner of said Block 11, and thence West 30 feet to place of beginning, and that the boundaries and description of the private property to be appropriated for said purposes are as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point 30 feet South to 2nd East from the intersection of Second street and Edwards Street in said City of Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, and running thence West 30 feet to stake and Northeast corner of Block 12 town of Newberg; thence South 00° 22' East 240 feet to stake and Southeast corner of said Block 12; thence East 60 feet to stake and Southwest corner of Block 11, town of Newberg; thence North 00° 22' West 240 feet to stake and Northwest corner of said Block 11; thence West 30 feet to place of beginning.

And notice is hereby given to all persons claiming damages by reason of the appropriation of any of said property to file their claim for such damages with the Recorder of the City of Newberg before the time so appointed for the meeting of said viewers, to wit, July 26th, 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

By order of the Council of said City of Newberg.
Dated June 24, 1909. W. W. NELSON,
Recorder of the City of Newberg.

Administrators Notice.

Notice of appointment of Administrator with the Will Annexed. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Emily F. Wood, deceased, by the County Court of Yamhill County, Oregon, and has qualified.

Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, to the undersigned, at the office of Clarence Butt, at Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated July 8th, 1909. HARVEY W. BROWN,
Administrator, with the will annexed,
of the estate of Emily F. Wood, deceased.

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