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### The Times-Herald.

JULIAN BYRD, Manager

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1913

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The Telegram's Salem correspondent has been doing some of the biggest guessing stunts since the legislature convened that one can imagine. That paper has published "inside information" for a month or so and it seems entirely "exclusive" as we see nothing of it in the other papers, or find anyone who ever heard of the things outside of seeing them in that paper. The latest is to the effect that Senator Geo.

Chamberlain is to have a place in the Wilson cabinet, Gov. West is to resign, in which case Ben Olcott would become Gov. as well as secretary of state, drawing a double salary, and he will appoint West U. S. Senator to succeed Chamberlain. Isn't that a combination? It makes good reading and gives people something to talk about, besides, incidentally, giving the enemies of the men suggested in the combination an opportunity to say mean things about them. Such a combination is possible if left to local people in this state but what about President-elect Wilson? He may have something to say about things. It looks a good deal like a joke.

Use Nyals Stone Root Comp. for the kidneys. 10 tf

It seems out of the question to keep men from playing politics. Oregon has taken the election of U. S. Senator out of the way of corrupting matters in the legislature, but that doesn't keep the members from playing the game in other ways. Why it is that men cannot go to the legislature and work conscientiously for the good of the people without getting into petty personal squabbles is a mystery. It appears "log rolling" is the only method of getting legislation thru at Salem and if they can't have a senator to scrap over they find something else. Such is politics!

Our "Uncle Samuel" put up the "dough" to dig the Panama canal and if the other countries want the benefit of it without to let them "cough up" and help pay for the digging. We can't expect to dance without paying the fiddler.

### 30-DAY SACRIFICE SALE-30

I must raise money to pay for new spring goods and during the next 30 days I will sell for cash everything in my big stock of Household Furniture at actual cost. Besides furniture of all kinds, this includes carpets, curtains, rugs, bedding, blankets, quilts, wall paper, building paper, roofing, dishes, granite ware, suit cases and trunks, sewing machines at a great saving; wagon sheets, tents and tarpaulins etc. Everything needed in and about the household.

G. W. Clevenger. 12

Born--In Ontario, Sunday January 26, to the wife of Frank Jackson, a son--Ontario Democrat.

Between the grand jury and the Circuit Court all the prisoners were turned loose and the Sheriff was much disappointed in not getting an opportunity of visiting Salem while the legislature is in session. It is probably as well for the local people to turn the criminals loose as to have the governor do it, it is less expensive at the start but will surely invite crime. The laws against crime should be either enforced or abolished.--Ontario Argus.

### Government Land to Be Leased for Grazing

Government lands in Oregon, aggregating 83,000 acres, will be leased to the highest bidders on March 3 under the supervision of E. G. Hopson, supervising engineer of the United States Reclamation Service, with offices in the Central building, says an exchange.

This land, which has been withdrawn from all forms of entry, is along the shores of the John Day and Deschutes rivers, in Wasco, Sherman, Gilliam, Wheeler and Crook counties, and is designated as only suitable for grazing purposes.

The withdrawal of these lands was for power purposes in connection with the Umatilla and John Day projects, so far as they relate to the pumping of water on lands that cannot be reached by gravity and which features of the project are not under immediate consideration by the department and may not be for a number of years. By a peculiar feature of the ruling of the department the description of the property to be leased cannot be advertised in newspapers, but will be displayed in the Portland Post office and in 35 other such offices within the boundaries of the property to be leased.

The terms are that no bid will be received at a less rate than 2 cents an acre a year and that none will be considered that does not amount to \$10 a year. The leases may be made for a period of ten years, but the Government can cancel any with six months' notice, while the tenant can stop at any time, his rental being payable yearly advance.

In consideration of the bids many are expected to overlap and in the segregation of these the department announces that it will favor the applicant for the smaller tracts, bids being approximately equal, so as to avoid large tracts falling into the hands of a few individuals.

### Why is Price of Beef High?

Official statistics throw some light upon the conditions which have increased the price of beef.

Reports of the Department of Agriculture show that the number of cattle on farms in this country declined from 72,000,000 on January 1, 1907, to 58,000,000 at the beginning of 1912, although farms were encroaching upon range area. But the population was growing in those five years. One Western expert says that since 1900 the beef cattle supply has been reduced by 28 per cent, while the increase of population has been about 25 per cent. Prices have risen in obedience to the law of supply and demand.

Decrease of supplies has cut down our exports. Only 33,000 cattle were exported last year, their value being about \$3,000,000. The number exported in 1911 was 164,000, valued at \$14,000,000, and a steady decline is shown since 1904, when 599,000, or \$41,000,000 worth were shipped. There has been an increase of imports. Last year, more than 300,000 cattle were brought into the country, but only 16,000 were imported in 1904. Last year's exports of fresh beef were only 9,000,000 pounds, against 29,000,000 in 1911, 156,000,000 in 1908, 270,000,000 in 1906 and 354,000,000 in 1901. Such figures as these must be taken into account when the cause of the increase of the cost of beef is sought.--Blue Mt. Eagle.

### A Wizard's Philosophy.

Mr. Edison recently retired from the outside world for forty days. He shut himself in his laboratory, with his assistants, where master and men did enough cooking to keep soul and body together, and snatched a little sleep on the benches or floor. One of the younger men became exhausted and left. The others, Mr. Edison included, saw the forty days through. He averaged less than three hours' sleep in the twenty-four, and that in naps on the floor. He came out of the wilderness, alive well, vigorous, cheerful, and--the improved phonograph was a fact.

If ever there was a man who believed in continuous, unbroken work, undisturbed by the succession of day and night, he is Edison.

He says that this exploit was nothing unusual with him, and he commends his experience to others.

He declares that all men eat too much. He literally eats to live, and for no other reason, since eating has for him no pleasure.

He believes that the eight hours for sleep is nothing but a superstition. He finds four hours a sufficiency, partly because he falls into deep dreamless sleep the moment his head is on the pillow. He has tried then to think, but fails, because a minute suffices him to go to sleep.

It took fifteen years to convert Mrs. Edison. But for seven years she has followed in her husband's steps, and has, he says, thereby retained her youth at 47, and is believed to be a sister to her 22-year-old daughter when she walks abroad--and her photograph verifies his words.--Exchange.

Fresh home made lard 17c. at Hansen's Meat Market. tf

Light, all steel run-about buggy practically new; also set of double harness with collars. Inquire at this office. tf

## How Much Will You Give?

During the month of February we will contribute **Five Per Cent** of all our **CASH SALES**---towards a fund to assist the unfortunate Mr. Wm. Carrol, an old settler of Catlow Valley, to purchase artificial legs with. Mr. Carrol recently met with a sad accident which deprived him of these limbs and now needs help. Are you with us? Get busy! Every cash purchase made here means just so much more in Mr. Carrol's pocket, and will be a cherished gift you'll never miss.

## N. Brown & Sons

Representative Graves' bill providing for a tax levy of 1-20 of a mill for county fairs will receive the favorable report of the house committee on fairs and exhibitions. An amendment will be made, however, fixing the maximum amount that may be used for a county fair to \$10,000, the surplus to be distributed equally among the other counties whose levy does raise this amount.

### Prepare for Winter.

Taking advices from the ground hog it is said that several stockmen raised the price of hay one dollar a ton last Sunday. Hay has been a drug on the market and winter being well advanced it was taking another slump when the ground hog saved the day. He stuck his proboscis from winter headquarters last Sunday and when he saw his form silhouetted on the snow he hiked, and there will be no more ground hog; no more sunshine; no more pleasant days until thrice a fortnight passeth. Storms, excessive snow, sleet, ice, tornadoes, blizzards, hurricanes, electrical storms, seismic disturbance, and north pole weather generally will prevail. It is to be the plague of snow or else the ground hog has lied.--Blue Mt. Eagle.

Men will have to "swear off" swearing now since there is a law just passed by the legislature and signed by the governor prohibiting it on the highways. Its hard lines on the freigher who will have to use some other method of getting his leaders to move out.

Clay Clemens mill is the nearest one to Burns where all kinds of lumber both rough and dressed can be had. Near Canyon road. Call him by 'phone.

Easter Sunday is the earliest this year it has been for over 56 years. March 23 is rather early for spring bonnets and light dresses but if Easter is the opening of spring we must put on our "ice cream" clothes regardless of the weather.

## Wood Potatoes

### A. K. Richardson

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### ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE

In the county Court for Harney County State of Oregon.

In the matter of the Estate of Zachariah H. Stroud, Deceased.

The undersigned having been duly appointed Administratrix of the above named estate in the above named court, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them, duly verified as by law required, to the undersigned at the office of Geo. S. Sizemore, in the City of Burns, Harney County, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated Burns, Oregon, Nov. 16, 1912.

LOIS M. STROUD,  
Administratrix of the Estate of Zachariah H. Stroud, Deed.

Geo. S. Sizemore, one of the Attorneys.

A. Dunn will have charge my wood business in Burns till winter. Dry wood on hand any part of town--F. O. Jackson 52. tf

# PARCEL POST

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<h3>Dry Goods Dept.</h3> <p>A Complete Line of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, including Ladies Cloaks, Waists, Shirts, Sweaters, Shawls, Hand Bags, Beds and Bedding, Undermuslins, Dress Goods, Hosiery, Corsets and Corset Covers. Notions, Silks and Ribbons.</p>	<h3>Wares Of All Kinds</h3> <p>Are so representative in character that it is possible to furnish your home.</p> <p>WOODENWARE--Brooms, Brushes, Willow Ware, Water Bags, Barrels and Kegs, Bowls, etc.</p> <p>QUEENSWARE--Fine China, Cut Glass, Silver Deposit Ware, Mirrors, Cooking Utensils, Pottery Lamps and Lanterns.</p> <p>JEWELRYWARE--Clocks, Watches, Stickpins, Belt Buckles, Cuff and Collar Buttons, Etc.</p> <p>HARDWARE--Headquarters for Sporting Goods, Guns, Ammunition, Fishing and Camping Outfits, Tents, Tarpaulins and Wagon Covers, Building Paper, Roofing, Wire Netting, Nails, Garden Tools, Rope, Cutlery, Tinware, Etc.</p>	<h3>Home Entertainment</h3> <p>For family friends and yourself if you want a Phonograph with Records. We handle the Famous Edison Phonographs</p>
<h3>Gentleman's Dept.</h3> <p>The Most Complete and Up-To-Date Gent's Furnishing Department also full line of Men and Boys Suits and Overcoats; Socks, Neckties, Collars and Cuffs, Underwear, New Stock of Working and Dress Shirts, Hats, Caps, Gloves, Suspenders, Levi Strous and "Boss of the Road" Overalls, Jumpers, Linen Dusters</p>	<h3>Children's Dept.</h3> <p>Our Children's Department is so complete that we can furnish your little ones from top to toe. We have not overlooked the Dolls and Toys</p>	<h3>Children's Dept.</h3> <p>Our Children's Department is so complete that we can furnish your little ones from top to toe. We have not overlooked the Dolls and Toys</p>
<h3>Drugs Department</h3> <p>We mention here a few of the things carried in this department: Perfumery, Face Powder, Cream and Solutions, Toilet Articles, Blue Vitrol, Formaldehyde, Chloride Lime, Sal Soda, Turpentine, Raw and Boiled Linseed Oil, White Lead, Dry and Mixed Paint, Gasoline, Kerosene, Lubricating Oils, Stock and Poultry Foods, Insect Powder, Squirrel Poison, Household Remedies and Grape Juice, Denatured and Wood Alcohol.</p>	<h3>Grocery Dept.</h3> <p>We've all kinds--Flour, Bacon, Lard, Honey, Grain, Grass Seed and Feeds of all kinds. Farm Produce, Fresh Fruit, Vegetables and Evaporated Fruits.</p>	<h3>Grocery Dept.</h3> <p>We've all kinds--Flour, Bacon, Lard, Honey, Grain, Grass Seed and Feeds of all kinds. Farm Produce, Fresh Fruit, Vegetables and Evaporated Fruits.</p>
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