

# THE ITEMS

SATURDAY MAY 9, 1933.

The democrats are beginning to talk of nominating a "safe conservative man." This means a man who will be recognized by the trusts as one who will do their bidding.

The Bureau of Forestry estimates the forest area of the United States at 700,000,000 acres and adds that if these acres had received intelligent care they would now contain ten times as much available timber as they will yield.

Every month the treasury statements show an increase in the Commerce of the United States over that of the same period in the previous year. Could anything further be asked as a demonstration of the benefit of the protective policy?

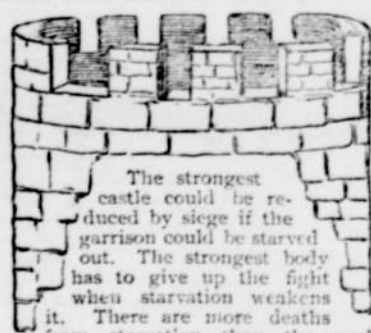
It has finally become necessary for the Government to store, in an air and light proof safe, the original Declaration of Independence. This is due to the poor quality of ink used for the signatures many of which have faded beyond recognition.

The Wall Street interests have made it evident that they do not desire the election of President Roosevelt, but in the opinion of competent judges that will only strengthen the high estimation in which the President is now held by the great majority of the voters.

The necessity for great quantities of timber for railway ties emphasizes the advisability of preserving the forests. It has been ascertained that each mile of the 250,000 miles of railway in the United States requires 400 ties per year. It takes 50 years to grow a tree that will make three ties and ordinarily requires 25 acres to furnish 400 ties.

The Secretary of Agriculture has made several addresses within the past week, in different parts of the country, advocating the teaching of elementary agriculture in the primary schools. Secretary Wilson is confident this method would add materially to the popularity of agricultural pursuits and emphasize the dignity of that profession.

The dipsimania law is working merrily in Iowa. Confirmed drunkards are being incarcerated at the rate of fifty per month and the records show that in 70 per cent of the cases a cure results from the careful treatment the patient receives. There is no "Keeley" cure to it and no potent drug is slipped into their coffee without



The strongest castle could be reduced by siege if the garrison could be starved out. The strongest body has to give up the fight when starvation weakens it. There are more deaths from starvation than the world dreams of. When the stomach is diseased and the food eaten is not digested and assimilated, then the strength of the body begins to fail because of lack of nutrition, and the weak body falls a easy victim to the microbes of disease.

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their knowledge or consent. The asylum authorities have a profound theory that the only way to stop drinking is to stop drinking, and no matter whether the patient has delirium tremens when he enters the institution or is only mentally dulled by the fumes of the liquor he has imbibed, his grog is denied him from the very moment he enters the institution and is not restored unless he is foolish enough to begin again after he is discharged, which few of them do.—The Dallas Chronicle.

The Burlington Hawkeye speaks to the point regarding the coward's phrase, when it says: "It is said" is the hedge behind which the slanderer lies concealed when he makes a murderous assault upon a spotless reputation. "It is said" is the coward's subterfuge who dares not face the accused, who is willing to circulate a tale that he may know to be untrue but for which he does not wish to resume the responsibility. "It is said" is the subtle venom which many modern Iagos use to poison the mind and ruin the peace of twentieth century Othellos. "It is said" is the introductory note of every cruel gossip and scandal. And in nineteen cases out of twenty the man or woman who prefaces a tale with "it is said" will be found pretty close to the originator or inventor of the slander.

### Probably Have Kick Coming.

Vale Gazette: A gentleman from the Burns country, while in Vale this week, told us that the freighters who do the hauling for the Harney county merchants are using every effort to compel the merchants of that county to have their freight shipped to Shaniko, and thus make that point the freighting point instead of Ontario and Huntington, the present supply points. The reason the freighters want the change, it was stated, is that the freighters are not treated with due consideration in this county. Road Supervisors are careless or negligent about keeping roads and bridges in repair, and in some instances, and particularly in one instance, a rancher was allowed to fence up the county road and compelled the teamsters to go around his premises, and in so doing many upsets and accidents occurred, one teamster completely demolished a new wagon by losing it over the grade which he was compelled to travel by reason of the rancher fencing up the road. These and many other grievances are cited as the reason the Harney county teamsters do not like to come this way for freight.

### Smallpox Situation at Prineville

Journal: As we go to press the situation remains practically unchanged. Since our last week's issue eight cases has been developed. Dr. Rosenberg, Mrs. George Summers, Perry and Ralph Poin-dexter, John Gatz, Robert Harrington, Mrs. Ivan Turner, and Robert McMurtrey. All are progressing nicely except Mrs. Turner, who has developed other complications and is quite ill. These cases make 14 now in our city, and one suspected, Chas. Carey, who has been isolated for several days, and who has not yet developed the disease. It is hoped that the spread has been checked but owing to the great number of exposures, it will take time to tell. Owing to Mrs. Summers' illness the post-office is changed, but all mails are being handled regularly and little inconvenience has been experienced. There is no danger of infection from the mails, as the fumigations given it by the authorities is sufficient to kill all germs.

At the last session of the Idaho legislature the law makers passed a law requiring the product of the Standard Oil Company to meet a certain test of quality. The law has just gone into effect and it is now impossible to purchase gasoline in Idaho as this product does not meet the required test.

Brides, graduates, and flowers are the dominant features of the first month of Summer, and the June number of the New Idea Woman's Magazine treats of them all. "June, the Month of Roses," is a practical floral paper, by Benjamin B. Keech, charmingly illustrated. Sarah Slater contributes a noteworthy article on "June Brides," Agnes Warred describes "June Fetes;" and Kate Marston writes of "A woman and her Pin Money." In addition to these distinctly timely themes, the several departments of Society Fads, Good Housekeeping, Embroidery and Home Dressmaking receive novel treatment, characteristic of the season. The short stories and verse are of exceptional excellence.

The Chicago Weekly Inter Ocean is the only weekly newspaper published in Chicago in connection with the great daily papers. It contains a judiciously selected summary of the news of the nation and world, the best stories, home, farm, woman's, and other special departments, and fair, patriotic, able editorials, written from a Republican viewpoint. It is by far the best general newspaper of the Western States. The regular price for the Weekly Inter Ocean is \$1.00 and for the Harney Valley Items \$1.50, but subscriptions will be received at this office for the two papers in combination for one year for only \$1.50.

### WRITE JUVENILE STORIES.

J. T. Towbridge has 20 or 40 books to his credit. He writes for grown-ups, too, and is also a poet. He writes only when he is in the mood, not believing in forcing himself. He is nearly 70 years old.

Nora Perry does most of her writing in the morning. She rises early and works till noon, when she goes out. If she feels like it she will work an hour or two more in the afternoon, but never in the evening unless she is especially hurried.

Susan Coolidge has written very little, comparatively speaking, but is well known among juvenile readers. Her real name is Sarah Chumsey Woolsey. She is about 50 years old and has a sweet face. She lives in Newport and writes only in the morning.

Oliver Optic, whose name is William T. Adams, is past 73, but he still goes on writing. He has written more than 100 books and more than 1,500 stories for various papers. He took his queer name from the name of a character in a play which was running at the time his first poem was printed.

Edward S. Ellis began life as a teacher and used to tell his scholars stories Friday afternoons. The popularity of these tales caused him to write them out and so he started on his career of author for the young. He does all his work on a typewriter which is placed on an elevation, as he stands to do his writing. He makes brief memoranda of the characters and incidents of his stories and then elicits off the story itself in two or three weeks.

### DREAM LORE.

To dream of a hen and chickens means that your sweetheart will desert you and marry another.

Walking in the street in a dream signifies that some one is waiting a chance to do you injury.

To dream of a ditch indicates that you will soon be placed in imminent dangers either of life or limb.

To dream of eating soup means that you will readily recover from any illness which may befall you.

A dream of being clothed in silk denotes ultimate wealth for yourself and happiness for your family.

To dream that you are flea-bitten indicates that your enemies will cause you great annoyance.

For a married man to dream of wearing old clothes means that his wife will soon have a new dress.

To dream that you are attending church means that you will have a lawsuit ending to your advantage.

### Tempering It.

Wiley—This is funny; a barber out west advertises to give chloroform if desired.

Smiley—Nothing remarkable about that—all the barbers give natural gas.—To Date.

A Great Head.

Visitor—But the head of Mr. Bulger is painted in this picture is a good deal more than life size.

Artist—I painted it to suit Mr. Bulger; he feels that his head is that size.—To Date.

### A Clear Case.

Mrs. Arden—Do you know, personally, doctor, that my husband is dead?

Dr. Pillsbox—Yes; I treated him.

Mrs. Arden (with a sigh of relief)—Then that settles it. There's no further room for doubt.—Town Topics.

Cause and Effect.

Wife (at the piano)—John, you're singing dreadfully tonight. There, you've skipped a bar!

John—Didn't skip any on the road home.—Judge.

Her Failing.

"How tedious it is playing whist with such a partner as that Miss Gadabout!"

"Yes; I believe that girl would ask the angel Gabriel 'what's trumps?'—Detroit Free Press."

### A Remarkable Record.

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U. S. Land Office, Burns, Or., May 7, 1933.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by section 256, U. S. Rev. Stat., as amended by the act of Congress approved February 26, 1933, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 10th day of June, next, at this office, the following tract of land, to-wit:

Lots 5 and 6, Section 5, T. 22 S., R. 25 E., W. 4 M., containing 66.59 acres.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited.

W. F. FARRE, Register.  
CHAS. NEWELL, Receiver.

### DESERT LAND, FINAL PROOF.

U. S. Land Office, Burns, Oregon, April 27, 1933.

Notice is hereby given that Antonio Egli, of Riley, Harney county, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 241, for the SW 1/4, SE 1/4, SW 1/4, NW 1/4, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, SE 1/4, E before Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 10th day of June, 1933.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land: Robert D. Baker, Fred Randall, Jerry M. Merritt, and Sophia Egli, all of Riley, Oregon.

W. F. FARRE, Register.

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U. S. Land Office, Burns, Oregon, April 27, 1933.

Notice is hereby given that Sophia Egli of Riley Harney county, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make proof on her desert-land claim No. 251, for the E 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 28, T. 25, S. R. 24, E. W. 4 M., before the Register and Receiver at Burns, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 10th day of June, 1933.

She names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land: Robert D. Baker, Fred Randall, Jerry M. Merritt, and Antonio Egli, all of Riley, Oregon.

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