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"WHITE COAL" USAGES

Quality production in industry is aided by electric heat, and a number of uses are listed by Harold Fulwider of the General Electric Company. Some of these are enumerated as follows:

Bread is baked better and more uniformly, gears are made stronger, bath tubs smoother and lenses clearer by electric heating. An electrical device is on the market which is used by opticians in stretching celluloid or "tortoise shell" eyeglass rims with the aid of electric heat. Another device, utilizing an electric heating unit, is designed to quicken the starting of automobiles in any weather, and is placed in the gasoline of the car between the carburetor and in the intake manifold.

A firm of wholesale grocers in Cleveland has several electric heaters for warming its 18,000 gallon sprinkler system during the winter to keep it from freezing. Electric heat has been applied in California to the heating of residences, drying walnuts and marketing oranges.

A new all-electric automatic doughnut machine with a capacity of approximately 5,000 doughnuts per hour was recently placed on the market. This machine performs all the operations of cutting, frying, turning, ejecting and conveying the finished doughnuts automatically. The cooking is done with electric heat.

Another new machine produces "hot dogs" automatically, cooking the frankfurter inside the roll which is baked at the same time. Electric heat does the cooking.

Eggs are now sterilized by electric heat. The eggs are passed through a heated oil bath, the oil fills the pores in the eggshell and prevents air from entering. Recent tests indicated that eggs so treated may be kept odorless and fresh for years.

Odors and smoke are eliminated and the fire hazard is either minimized or done away with.

Electric heat is now used successfully in manufacturing abrasives; working, shaping and heat treating metals; making bottle caps; branding; making cereals; in the chemical industry; in the clay industry; in cloth singeing; roasting cocoa beans; embossing; melting glue; impregnating paper, asphalt, lumber and rope, heating water; manufacturing electrical apparatus; japan baking; laboratory experimental work; laundry machines; drying paint; roasting peanuts; curing rubber; shearing; making shoes; operating stills and sterilizers; making cigarettes; drying varnish; vitreous enameling; wrapping packages, etc.

The name, Oregon Agricultural college, appears to be slipping. Oregon State College and State College are the names the institution is being called at the present time. The change of name is becoming common in usage, is of recent origin, and it transpires has grown out of a general acceptance by students and alumni and is not due to any official action of the college administration. While the change may be radical enough to draw a certain amount of sentiment, the shortening of the name is better for every purpose, without detracting in any degree whatever, insofar as designation is concerned.

Detroit seems to be a city from the ground up, in every sense of the term. Detroit is a city noted for doing things on a large scale. For instance, the other day prohibition agents found a million dollar brewery under ground, occupying a whole block of chambers and tunnels, with 300,000 gallons of the beverage that made Milwaukee famous on hand.

Aside from being a valuable and indispensable implement on the editorial table, scissors are useful in the kitchen to prepare vegetables and also to cut the rind from bacon—when you happen to have the bacon.

Al Smith's issue against the proposal to give New York governor's a four year term, with election on presidential years, won, because the issue was on the right side of the question.

Arthur Brisbane, syndicate editorial writer, is of the opinion that on the whole the world is honest and is steadily getting better. And Mr. Brisbane ought to know; he lives in New York.

Looks like General Motors has both Uncle Henry and Jawn D. about sewed up in the matter of accumulating dough.

Umatilla county scores again. Ted Roy, Pilot Rock blacksmith, ad-

judged the best male singer in Oregon, will compete in the coast contest at San Francisco, and winning there will qualify him to enter the national contest in the East.

HIS TRIBUTE TO DAD

The following is from the Masonic Analyst, and is written by Dr. Frank Crane under the title "Dad."

Dear Dad: I am writing this to you, though you have been dead 30 years. From your seat in The Place Beyond, I hope you can see these lines. I feel I must say some things to you, things I didn't know when I was a boy in your house, and things I was too stupid to say. It's only now, after passing through the long, hard school of years, only now, when my own hair is gray, that I understand how you felt. I must have been a bitter trial to you. I was such an ass. I believed my own petty wisdom, and I know now how ridiculous it was, compared to that calm, ripe, wholesome wisdom of yours.

Most of all, I want to confess my worst sin against you. It was the feeling I had that you "did not understand." When I look back over it now, I know that you did understand. You understood me better than I did myself. Your wisdom flowed around mine like the ocean around an island. And how patient you were with me! How full of long suffering, and kindness! And how pathetic, it now comes home to me, were your efforts to get close to me, to win my confidence, to be my pal! I wouldn't let you. I couldn't! What was it held me aloof? I don't know. But it is tragic—that wall that rises between a boy and his father, and their frantic attempts to see through it and climb over it.

I wish you were here now, across the table from me, just for an hour, so I could tell you how there's no wall any more; I understand you now, Dad, and,—God, how I love you, and wish I could go back and be your boy again! I know now how I could make you happy every day. I know how you felt. Well, it won't be long, Dad, till I am over, and I believe you'll be the first one to take me by the hand and help me up the further slope. And I'll put in the first thousand years or so making you realize that not one pang or yearning you spent on me was wasted.

It took a good many years for this prodigal son—and all sons are in a measure prodigal—to come to himself, but I've come, I see it all now. I know that the richest, most priceless thing on earth, and the thing least understood, is that mighty love and tenderness and craving to help which a father feels toward his boy. For I have a boy of my own. And it is he that makes me want to

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go back to you, and get down on my knees to you.

Up there somewhere in The Silence, hear me, Dad, and believe me!

LORENA TRICKEY (Portland Telegram)

Lorena Trickey, tried before a jury of her peers, has been acquitted of the charge of murdering "Slim" Harris, her common-law husband. We use the word "peers" advisedly. The case was heard in one of the last surviving strongholds of the range country and the people in the jury box and in the court room were those who know still the elemental life of the frontier.

In such a court and surrounded by such an atmosphere, the peculiar code of Western chivalry could permit no other than the verdict of "not guilty." And with all our regard for law enforcement, and leaving aside such details of the evidence as might awaken doubt as to the motive of her violent act, we would not have it otherwise.

There is something simple and direct about the tale of "Trickey" and her "Slim" that clears it of such sordid taint as we associate with Judge Lindsay's "companionate marriage." The whole drama of Lorena's life, beginning with her childish battles with untamed horses and including her losing battle with her untamed self, has the vigorous swing of such old tales as make up the northland sagas. Its virtues are the hardy ones of courage, loyalty, generosity and a simple honesty. Its sins are vigorous, forthright sins that attempt no polite disguise under the "urge for self expression."

It is a life that is largely the product of its harsh and primitive surroundings, and it has been in the same surroundings that its acts were judged. We cannot be sorry that in that old court room at Lakeview, there was none found to throw the first stone.

31 Years Ago

November 20, 1896

John Gross and wife this week moved to a fruit farm near Milton. Hollis has a stunning big ad in today's Press. It will pay the readers to read it carefully.

Elsworth G. Marquis and Lulu G. Watrus, both of Adams, were united in marriage at the home of G. W. Rigby, on November 12.

Ed Woody has returned from Farmington, Washington. His parents will arrive in a few days, and will locate permanently near Athena.

C. A. Barrett has been appointed sole agent for the Buffalo Pitts threshers and extras for all territory between Walla Walla and Pendleton.

B. D. Clemons and family have removed to their residence near the chop mill.

The reading club met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Huntington, yesterday afternoon.

Owen Rusie went out to Helix Wednesday and purchased a piano for use in the opera house.

John and Alex McKay have disposed of their saloon business in Pendleton and are in the city. They contemplate going to Canada to reside.

Roy Bradford, a boy who resides in the north part of town was fined in the recorder's court Wednesday for assault on Erven Clemons.

The school entertainment at the opera house next Wednesday evening, will commence promptly at 7:30. The program will be well worth the price of admission, 10 and 15 cents.

The Weston distillery has again started up. The output will be hereafter brandy, instead of whiskey. The distillery has been closed for the past three months on account of the unusual scarcity of water.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barger came in on Wednesday morning's passenger, from Walla Walla, where they went for medical treatment for their young son, who is troubled with an abscess on the leg.

Circuit court is in session, the court having adjourned for the October term today. The case of Eat-No-Meat vs. Audette Brothers, was set for the second day of next term, and the case of Smith vs. Mosgrove was dismissed.

R. J. Slater, LaGrande attorney, has located in this city and will practice law. Mr. Slater comes highly recommended, and no doubt will derive a lucrative practice in this section. His family occupy the Lee Mitchell residence, on Fifth street.

Two employes of the Pendleton electric light plant had an exciting experience with a hobo the other night. The hobo was determined to take up quarters for the night in the engine room. He was ejected, and came back with a crobar and showed fight. A red hot poker in the hands of fireman Shull put another phase on the matter.

Charles Fischer left Tuesday night for San Francisco, where he will spend the winter. He contemplates taking a course in a business college before returning home.

RAS TAFARI



Ras Tafari, prince regent of Abyssinia, photographed on his arrival in Rome for a state visit to the king of Italy.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of G. H. Schubert, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern: That A. O. Schubert has been appointed administrator of the estate of G. H. Schubert, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, with proper vouchers to said administrator at his home near Athena, Oregon, or to Will M. Peterson and George R. Lewis, his attorneys, at their law offices in the Stangier Building, Pendleton, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice which is the 18th day of November, 1927.

A. O. SCHUBERT, Administrator.
Will M. Peterson, George R. Lewis Attorneys for Administrator. N18D16

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of Melvin J. Canfield, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern: That George R. Lewis has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Melvin J. Canfield (M. J. Canfield), deceased, and has qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present them, with proper vouchers to said administrator, or to Will M. Peterson, his attorney, in the Stangier Building at Pendleton, Oregon, within six months of the date of the first publication of this notice which is the 4th day of November, 1927.

GEORGE R. LEWIS, Administrator.
Will M. Peterson, Attorney for Administrator. N4D2.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. In the Matter of the Estate of H. McArthur, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of H. McArthur, deceased, by an order of the above entitled Court.

All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same to me at Athena, Oregon, or to my attorneys, Watts & Prestbye, at their office in Athena, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. All claims must be verified as by law required. Dated at Athena, Oregon, this 18th day of November, 1927.

MANDA J. McARTHUR, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of H. McArthur, Deceased.
Watts & Prestbye Athena, Oregon, Attorneys for Estate. N18D16.

SUMMONS

(Equity No. 4440)
In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County. Mary Anna Joeger, Plaintiff.

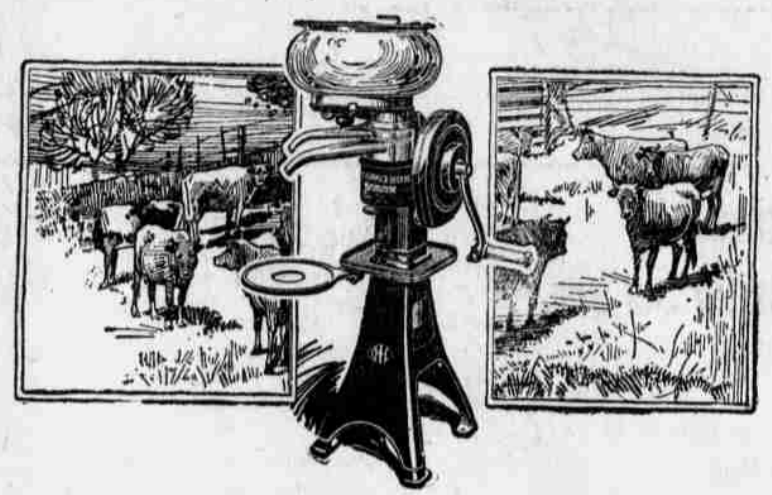
vs.
James E. Whitfield; W. J. Reiley, the unknown heirs, if any there be, of said James E. Whitfield, if deceased, or W. J. Reiley, if deceased; Jane Doe Blank, the wife of N. S. Blank, sometimes known as Nathan S. Blank, the unknown heirs, if any there be, of James T. Moss, deceased; Etna Kopitke-Sutton-Seig and Edward Seig, her husband; and all other persons unknown, if any there be, who claim any right, title, interest, estate or lien in, to or upon the real property described in the complaint in this suit, Defendants.

To all those defendants above named and described as follows, to-wit: James E. Whitfield; W. J. Reiley; the known heirs, if any there be, of said James E. Whitfield, if deceased, or W. J. Reiley, if deceased; Jane Doe Blank, the wife of N. S. Blank, sometimes known as Nathan S. Blank; the unknown heirs, if any there be, of James T. Moss, deceased; and all other persons unknown, if any there be, who claim any right, title, interest, estate or lien in, to or upon the real property described in the complaint in this suit:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within four (4) weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and you will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, or otherwise plead in this suit, within said time, the plaintiff above named will apply to the above entitled Court for the relief demanded in her complaint, which complaint prays that the defendants be required to come into Court and answer said complaint and state what claims, interests, or estates they, or any of them, have or assert in or to the real property situated in Umatilla County, State of Oregon, described as follows, to-wit:

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