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THURSDAY, NOV. 30, 1905.

COURT CONDON. NO. 34. F. OF A. MEETS Mondays evening of each month in Armory Hall lodge room. Visiting brothers are requested to meet with us. A warm welcome J. E. VAUGHN, P. S. A. B. SEARCY, C. R.

#### THANKSGIVING.

of America the people will gather er thieves-despoilers of the peoto return thanks to Divine Power ple, every one-have during the for the manifold material blessings past year been flushed from cover with which we have as a nation and, in the open, many of them and as individuals been visited have been tried and convicted for during the past year. As a people, crimes that a year or so ago were those of us who are more or less winked at and condoned. These comfortably situated and who at things are real causes for thanks tend church today, we will be giving, showing as they do as thankful-in words-for national aroused public sentiment for civic prosperity, for national greatness, righteousness, a new era in the enfor our national standing as a forcement of law and a brighter world power and for having es prospect for the true welfare of caped in great measure serious vis- every citizen whether he be of high itations of famine, pestilence and or low degree. For these things war. These and other matters then let'us all return thanks. have been mentioned on so many similar occasions during the past decades that we sometimes wonder if they have not become a sort of mechanical thanksgiving somewhat like the praying machines of the Chinese-a sort of lip service that is indulged in because it the reach of all. has always been considered through many generations, as the correct thing to do on the last Thursday in November before sitting down to our annual dinner of monuments. Geo. L. Neale has been turkey and cranberries.

While it is no doubt well that as individuals, we should appreciate and be thankful for material prosperity-providing always that such has come to us through legitimate and morally right methodsthis writer believes that in our churches today will gather many thoughtful, candid men and women who will seriously ask themselves whether as a nation we have actual cause for thanksgiving along the stereotyped lines of thought that have so much prevailed in the past.

What matters it if we are the greatest nation on earth today if our strength is not expended in the direction of extending civilization, education, liberty and happiness to all classes of our citizens? What matters it if some of our citizens are enjoying the greatest wave of prosperity that ever swept the earth if thousands of their fellows are hungry, homeless, workless and depending on charity for a crust or a bowl of soup for their Thanksgiving dinner? Is it to our national credit that we should tell Omnipotence today how thankful we are that Rockefeller's dividends we are that Rockefeller's dividends from Standard Oil amount to more than \$20,000,000 for the year while his wagon drivers in Chicago work long hours for a daily wage of \$2?

Within the week these men have, by a carefully prepared statement, shown the Standard's Chicago proper publication. shown the Standard's Chicago manager that after practicing the most rigid economy, it costs them \$1.97 a day to support their families, leaving them the munificent sum of 3 cents a day for sickness, accidents, entertainment, Thanksgiving turkey and the savings bank. The manager was frank in his reply-almost brutally so-for while he admitted that no family

could be properly supported on

CONDON GLOBE such a wage he stated that he could fill the place of every man in his employ at a day's notice from PAINTS, OILS the ranks of the unemployed at the \$2 rate. Will the Almighty be pleased with our paeans of praise because of augmented bank accounts when today 300,000 miser able coal miners are on the verge of a great strike because of a proposed cut in their wages to a staryation figure?

But there is a brighter side From a moral or ethical viewpoint we have much real cause for true, heart-service thanksgiving. Never before in the history of our country has so much been done within a twelvemonth for the moral ad vancement of our nation. Political bosses, reeking in their own rottenness, insurance plunderers, secure behind fortunes which they have wrung from policy holders, Today in most of the churches trust magnates, land sharks; timb-

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## CONTEST NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR United States Land Office.

The Dalles, Oregon, October 24, 1905.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been flied, in this office by Clemens A. Danneman, contest ant, against homestead entry. No. 6664, made Jan. 4, 1888, for SW 15 SE 15, Sec. 14, Tp. 28, R. 21 E., W. M. by Jesse M. Dean, contestee, in which it is alleged that said Jesse M. Dean has described and abandoned said land and failed to live thereon for more than two years last past and said failures still exist and said Dean never did five on said land at any time; said alleged absence was not due to employment in the army, travy or marine corps of the Unites! States in time of war; said parties are hereby notified

proper publication.

MICHAEL T. NOLAN, Register.

Notice to Creditors. In the County Court of the state of Oregon for he county of Gilliam. In the matter of the estate of Will Davenport,

In the matter of the estate the above entitled deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the above entitled court has appointed the undersigned administrator of the estate of Will Davenport, deceased, and he is fully qualified therefor.

All persons having claims against the said deceased will jr sent them to the undersigned, at Mayville. Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice; said claims must be verified in the manner required by law. Julied by law.
Dated October 21, 1965. Date of first publica-don October 26, 1905.

E. A. STINCHFIELD,
Administrator of the estate of Will Davenport,

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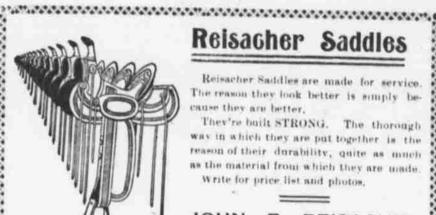
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