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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1916

REGULATING FOOD PRICES.

Down in Australia they have an original way of dealing with the food problem. There, they have a food commission which acts much in the same way as the interstate commerce commission in this country. If the railroads wish to raise their rates, they must convince the commission that their desires are justified by conditions. In Australia, food cannot be raised until the producers and consumers are heard. Then the commission gives its decision. There is no egg king in Australia. No one can corner any food and make a go of it. The food commission can reduce or raise the price of an article of food, providing there are circumstances which justify it. Butter which sells in Sidney for 36 cents a pound cannot be boosted tomorrow to 40 or 50 without the authorization of the commission and a hearing at which dairymen, dealers and consumers are represented.

GETTING ON OUR NERVES.

The Villa business is getting on the nerves of the people of the United States.

For four years they have read about this arch-villan and his desperado band working murder and pillage, and they hear the same story still.

Chased and hounded by the troops of the United States and by the Carranza forces, Villa always seems to make good his escape. He has foiled the two nations in their plans to capture him, and there is no telling just where the chase will end.

Carranza cannot capture him. The United States can, but Carranza objects to American troops on Mexican soil, and as we do not wish to irritate the old man, we are going to withdraw to the border and let him go to it.

The whole thing is liable to be repeated.

Villa would doubtless give the United States a bonus to get out of Mexico and give him a free hand to loot and burn Mexican cities and villages, fully aware that Carranza cannot check him.

If this bloodthirsty bandit could be brought to earth, the Mexican problem would be half solved.

How cheerful the average married man is when his wife's away on a visit.

A silent man often has a reputation for knowing about ten times as much as he really does know.

Wireless Message

Cloverdale, Ore., Dec. 14, 1916.

To the Boys and Girls of the Nestucca Valley:

Dear Friends:

I will be in Cloverdale, at the Cloverdale Mercantile Co.'s store, Saturday, December 23, 1916, from 10 o'clock a. m. to 10 o'clock p. m., with a present for every boy and girl living in the Nestucca Valley. Be sure and meet me there.

Yours truly,

Santa Claus.

Notice for Publication.

(PUBLISHER) 03895

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.
U. S. LAND OFFICE at Portland,
Oregon, November 18th, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that Augusta Fowler, of Beaver, Tillamook County, Oregon, who, on August 14, 1913, made Homestead Entry No. 03895, for e 1/2 of se 1/4, Section 34, Township 3 South, Range 9 West, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office, at Portland, Oregon, on the 27th day of December, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Ernest Haag, Arthur Haag, John Kumm, and Jacob Niklaus, all of Beaver, Tillamook County, Oregon.

Re-advertised notice.
N. Campbell,
Register.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that, at the General Election held on November 7th, 1916, the question of Stock running at large in the precinct of Cloverdale was voted upon, and it appearing from said returns that a majority of all votes cast was against stock running at large, in said Precinct, Tillamook County,

Oregon.

Now therefore in sixty (60) days from the date of this notice it shall be unlawful for stock to run at large, under penalty of Ten (10) dollars for the first offense, and twenty (20) dollars for each and every subsequent offense, to be recovered from the owner of the stock in a civil action in the name of the State of Oregon before a Justice of the Peace in the district in which such owner or keeper or either of them may reside, and if there be no Justice of the Peace in such district, then before any Justice of the Peace in the County.

Dated this 29th day of November, A. D. 1916.

J. C. Holden, County Clerk.
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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that, at the General Election held on November 7th, 1916, the question of Stock running at large in the Precinct of Union was voted upon, and it appearing from said returns that a majority of all votes cast was against stock running at large, in said Precinct, Tillamook County, Oregon.

Now therefore in sixty (60) days from the date of this notice it shall be unlawful for stock to run at large, under penalty of Ten (10) dollars for the first offense, and twenty (20) dollars for each and every

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GROVER WITT,

Cloverdale, Ore.