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The wise man registers early. Are you wise?

In order to avert the threatened combine of milk producers in New England authorities should promptly import a heard of trust-busting shorthorns.

It is stated that the steam railroads of the United States could be duplicated for \$41,030 per mile. If the interurban systems were included this figure might be shaded still more.

President Taft will make a visit to the Panama country this fall. The canal is the one thing connected with the administration that the insurgents have not found fault with.

In the Panama canal zone thirty seven churches have been built since the United States took possession. As for schoolhouses the count is always satisfactory when Uncle Sam moves in.

There are various ways of influencing public opinion. In Illinois the jack pot is employed. In Texas it is a barbecue. In Iowa it is a brass band. In Washington it is a frog-leg dinner.

Registration ceases for the primary election Sept 15th. Petitions for all county offices must be filed with the county clerk before Sept 9th. The latest date on which all petitions can be filed with the secretary of state is Sept 3d.

At the unveiling of the Pilgrim Father's monument one of the features was a review of a great squadron of modern battle ships, and the occasion generally was entitled to be called the topflower of the Mayflower.

Uncle Sam has completed two leviathan battle ships, the North Dakota and Delaware, and others are under construction. With their speed of over twenty knots they add much to naval power in this as in every respect.

In the general distribution of trouble King Alfonso seems to be getting more than his share. He is in conflict with the Vatican, the Madrid cigarette makers are on a strike, and he came very near having Dr. Crippen thrown on his hands.

A Georgia candidate for congress horsewhipped his rival for the nomination, and yet there is said to be but one party there. In the interest of peace and good will, as well as prosperity, Georgia should cultivate a republican opposition.

In the light of history it is impossible to see why Central Americans should blame their revolutionary spirit upon people of the United States. The gold medal just voted to Mr. Carnegie by the Pan-American congress is one proof of the endeavors in this country to promote peaceful conditions in Latin-America.

**THE BREAKERS AHEAD.**

Some good friends of Cummins, Bristow, Dolliver and Murdock ought to take these gentlemen aside and tell them that in this hour of victory it might be well for them to be on the lookout for breakers ahead. The descent of Avernus is easy, but trouble usually strikes those who get there. Men who talk with the airy recklessness of these individuals may say or do something which will take them out of the pale of sane politics. Pretending to be republicans they denounce the leaders of the republican party and condemn the record on which the party is appealing for the support of the people. If they are sincere in their belief that they are right and that the great majority of the party which elected them, and to which they still say that they belong, is wrong, they cannot be blamed for rejoicing over their triumph. Their triumph was not quite as sweeping as they predicted it would be, but it was sufficient to show that, on the face of the figures, they are masters of the situation in their respective states, for the moment, at least. But let them be careful not to burn the bridges behind them. Men as able and worthy as they have found themselves dropped outside of the breastworks, and never were able to get back.

**Prize For Dry Farming Products.**

The accompanying cup will be awarded for the best Oregon exhibit at the International Dry Farming Exposition at Spokane next November. The cup is offered by the Portland Commercial Club and its value is about \$50.



The condition attending its award are that the products must be grown in Oregon on arid or semi-arid lands without irrigation. On one side of the cup is an inscription giving the donor and the requirements to be met, and on the opposite side is a blank space where the name of the winner will be engraved. It is a handsome piece of silver, standing about 12 inches high on a solid ebony base.

In this connection we wish to say that Mr. Umberger, superintendent of the Experiment Farm Station at Moro, is very anxious that a contest display shall be made from Sherman county. The station has material but it all belongs to tests of production and cannot be withdrawn for exhibition, and as the station is in its infancy, less than 5 months of actual work, he feels that our farmers should appreciate the situation and enter the field for contest. He will give them the benefit of his experience in arranging an exhibit, and do what is possible in the way of bringing the cup to Sherman county, and placing the winning products on exhibition at the home fair, October 10th, 11th and 12th. Clean up your exhibits and bring them in to Mr. Umberger for Spokane October 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th.

A beautiful little book, "Outings in Oregon," is a recent publication by the passenger department of the O. R. & N. and S. P. RY. lines in this state. It is a brief but comprehensive and handsomely illustrated guide to Seaside and Mountain resorts, lakes, rivers and springs of Oregon; describes how they may be reached by train or boat, the fare, hotel rates, etc., and aims to be a complete guide to the various points. Free on application to the Railway offices.

**Rufus Correspondence.**

Cool weather the fore part of week.  
Mr Olsen went to Baker City Monday.  
Mrs. L M Fowler is visiting her son J S, this week.

Hill & Brackett started their threshing outfit Monday.

School will begin the 12th of September with two teachers.

Ed Phillips shipped 112 boxes of peaches to Baker City Monday.  
The young daughter of Mr Shay of Hood River is visiting at Mr Toms.

The OR N bridge outfit is sidetracked here. Expect to be here for two weeks.

Mrs Chas Hoggard of Stanfield is spending the week with her parents, Mr and Mrs Chas Tom.

J S Fowler has his threshing done. Reports a little over 3,000 sacks, mostly blue stem, which is worth at present about 90c.

F Bartholomew is tending the steam pump for the OR N at the John Day siding until Mr Pyburn gets able to go to work again.

A Pyburn met with a painful accident Sunday night. In getting off the night train he fell in such manner as to cut a bad scalp wound. At present he is at The Dalles hospital.

**Demoss Correspondence.**

Roy Hunter is home now.  
Ivan Moretz of Klondike was in DeMoss Friday.

Headers are working on Geo Haskell's place now.

A G Syron is working with W A Morgan this week.

H S DeMoss enjoyed a visit from an old friend Sunday.

Allena Davis was calling on friends in this berg Wednesday.

Margurit Hunter spent a few days with Ida Hardin last week.

Mrs P W Davis and Mrs Geo Haskell were on the sick list last week.

Edna Evans is home for a few days. It seems good to see her once more.

Mr and Mrs Newell, and P Gleason called on I P Hardin Sunday.

Clay Johnson who was working for I P Hardin is down with typhoid fever.

Mr Bishop, of Hood River, an old friend of I P Hardin, called at Kenneth Farm Sunday to visit with Mr H.

W C Rees won the grand prize offered by the W W M Co. It being a gold watch and chain worth over \$100.

**Announcement--For Circuit Judge.**

Judge R. R. Butler having announced that he will not again be a candidate to succeed himself as Judge of the 11th Judicial district, I hereby announce to the Republican voters of said district my candidacy for the republican nomination to said office, at the primary nominating election to be held in said district on the 24th day of September, 1910.

Respectfully,  
D. R. PARKER, Condon, Or

**The Foe of Conservation.**

Spokesman-Review: Fire has come to be the most dangerous foe of conservation. What it would take avaricious man generations to accumulate for selfish ends, demon fire eats up in an evening. While laws and regulations looking to the conservation of natural resources should go on a pace, these would seem to have but an academic value in comparison with the crying need of some comprehensive and effective movement which will make the annual devastation by forest fires less a reasonable certainty.

Three Washington city representatives of the Agricultural Department were visitors to Moro Experiment Farm Station this week. Considering the newness of things, that five months ago there was nothing in sight at the station but the land itself, they pronounce this, with its great variety of test crops coming off, its buildings up, deep well in readiness, etc., the most promising of results of any station in the United States.

**Additional Locals.**

Up at Vera the gathering of the cucumber crop is in full swing, the harvest being prolific. One farmer is delivering three tons a day off a 20-acre tract.

Get your winter reading free; the state presents every registered voter with a free library, at the expense of the taxpayers, if you "git these Eli" before Sept 14th?

A news dispatch tells of a southern governor who shot 73 doves in one day; a wonderful work from the "sporting" standpoint, but a pathetic performance to persons of heart and sentiment.

It is officially announced that the Oregon Trunk Ry will be extended to Medford. From this it becomes apparent that the Hariman fence inclosing the Webfoot state has been effectually broken into, and Union Pacific monopoly approaches an end.

Four persons are in The Dalles pest house, incidental to the death of a child from diphtheria, at Kent on the 7th, burial at Grass Valley on the 8th. Many persons at both places were exposed, but physicians lost no time in an effort to prevent the spread of the disease.

The long drouth has caused an absolute failure of the Camas prairie, Idaho, potato crop, and farmers who last year allowed 50 car loads to rot in the ground, because of the prohibitive rate charged by the railway company, are now importing tubers from Washington at 3c. per lb. Several thousand acres will not be dug, and many will not even get back their seed.

Read The Philippines as I Saw Them, by Gen James F Smith, ex-governor of the Philippines, and California's Black Gold, the romance of the Oil Wells, by Walter V Woelke, in Sunset for Aug. now on sale at all news stands. 15c.

**CRYING FOR HELP.**

Lots of it in Moro But Daily Grow-Less.

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