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"The tongue may fail and falter in her sudden extemporal expressions, but the pen, having a greater advantage of premediation is not so subject to error."—HOWELL.

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WHAT WOODS CAN BE USED FOR PULP

Lane county probably has between four and six billion feet of standing timber that is suitable for pulp wood by the present methods of making pulp and paper. Hemlock, white fir and spruce are the best species for pulp wood. Contrary to the belief of some people Douglis fir is about the least suited of any species. The United States Forest services laboratories which have been studying the making of pulp for the last 22 years briefly makes the following report of the suitability of wood for paper:

Spruce—News, wrapping, book, high-grade printing and bond papers. About 55 per cent of all papers are made from Spruce.

Pines—Wrapping paper and fiber boards.

Jack Pine—Wrapping and printing papers.

Western Hemlock—News, wrapping paper and fiber board and high grade print papers. Western Hemlock is very tough and strong and has a finer texture than eastern Hemlock. About 17 per cent of all papers are made from the Hemlock species.

White Fir—High grade print, wrapping and book papers.

Douglas Fir—Kraft papers and fiber board. Has fair strength but is very poor in color and pitchy which makes it unsuitable for p ulp.

From this brief report it can be seen what our Hemlock and fir species excepting Douglas Fir (which in reality is a specie of pine) are very well suited to use as pulp wood.

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WE DO NOT CHOOSE TO RUN

The editor of this newspaper is not a candidate for mayor despite the activities of his friends in his behalf. He is satisfied with the admininstration of Mayor Bushman and believes that for the best interests of the town the present mayor should be prevailed upon to remain in office for another term. If the present mayor cannot see his way clear to retain the office for another four years then surely some other capable man can be found.

Being mayor of any city requires a lot of time, energy and thought. It's a job that requires attention constantly and necessarily it means a considerable sacrifice to any business man. During the last two years we have given on an aggregate of three or four days' time a month to the city industrial committee, chamber of commerce and other civic organizations. We feel that to double this burden by holding office would not be fair to ourself nor to those dependent upon us. In short we have our living to make like anyone else and it takes considerable of our time to do it.

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Now that Lindbergh has brought good-will into our foreign relations, some one should persuade him to visit Congress.

FIGURES WITH A PUNCH

Statistics ordinarily are dry reading, but not always. An elementary geography published this year contains some tables and charts that are anything but dry reading. The information, intended primarily for youthful students, furnished by these tables and charts has more than a spark of interest for adults.

These statistics, for instance, show that although the United States has but one sixteenth of the world's population, one-fourth of the world's sugar is used in this country. Furthermore, the United States has five-eights of the world's telephones, three-eights of its railroads and four-fifths of its automobiles. It uses three-fourths of all the rubber and four-fifths of all the petroleum used each year.

Each farm worker in the United States produces twelve tons of cereal although the average cereal production for each farm worker in the rest of the world is only one and two-fifths tons. Each American farm worker, on the average, is feeding nine people besides himself in this country and one more person in some foreign land. Some countries produce more crops per acre than we do, but none produces so much for each farm worker.

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Russia seems all turned around to us and from a test given three groups of Russian children by a Yale professor recently it would indicate we seem up-side-down to them. When asked to make rank 45 professions in order of their choice American children started in with banker, college professor, doctor, clergyman, lawyer, automobile manufacturer. Starting on the lowest end of the Russian children's list the least desirable professions read thus: preacher, prosperous business man, factor manager, storekeeper, banker, coachman, waiter, store owner, street cleaner and porter.

In other words a banker may be the most popular fellow in America but in Russia next to a preacher and a business man he is as low down as they get.

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Editorial Comment

BONEHEADS—AND PROUD OF IT!

Who wants to be a bonehead anyway?

Well, down in Texas there are plenty who would like to be boneheads—and are. They're the biggest dummies in the world. Folks like editors and preachers, great jurists and plutocratic dentists; the very cream of intellectual, political and business leadership in the largest city of the largest state. They're brave enough, and independent enough, to grant themselves an hour or two every week of unrestrained, refreshing foolishness. And they're big enough not to be afraid to be quoted at laughing.

"It's in Dallas!" is a slogan which does not stop at ivory. There's many a long head, many a broad head, many a thick head, many a knowing head, packed away here in the most unique luncheon club in the world—the Bonehead Club of Dallas. This organization for some years has been a joy to phrenologists, an inspiration to map-makers, a stimulus to local cartoonists. Boneheads all—and proud of it!

Every Friday noon this group of professional and business men throws care aside and give worry the horselaugh. Incidentally, it gives Dallas a hundred thousand chuckles or so. Whenever the emotions of the local citizenship become strained, the Boneheads serve as a safety valve. Whenever a political campaign grows hot and the mud is flying fast, sure as shootin' the Boneheads stage a burlesque that sets the town laughing and relieves the tension. There is no field wherein the Boneheads fear to tread, no dignities nor dignitaries toward which they stand in awe. Education, politics, economics, diplomacy, religion, drama, music—it's in the realm of these modern iconoclasts. —Nation's Business Magazine.

POOLE RE-DECORATES UNDERTAKING OFFICE

The office of the Poole undertaking parlors was completely rennovated and re-decorated this week. An attractive blue decorative scheme was employed in tinting the office walls. Furniture was also re-tinted.

Small changes and improvements throughout the establishment are being made by Charles Poole, who recently purchased it from W. F. Walker.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
FOREST EXCHANGE
No. 017855

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon., March 15, 1928.

NOTICE is hereby given that Arthur G. Pope, of Swisshome, Oregon, filed Application No. 017855, under the Act of March 20, 1922 (42 Stat., 465), to exchange the W½ SW¼ SW¼, NE¼ SW¼ SW¼, N½ SE¼ SW¼ SW¼, SW ¼ SE¼ SW¼ SW¼, Sec. 14; W½ SE¼ NE¼, SE¼ SE¼ NE¼, SW¼ NE¼ SE¼ NE¼, N½ NE¼ SE¼ NE¼, Sec 22; NW¼ NW¼ NW¼, N½ SW¼ NW¼ NW¼, SW¼ SW¼ NW¼ NW¼, SE¼ NE¼ NW¼ NW¼, E½ SE¼ NW¼ NW¼, E½ SW¼ NW¼, Sec. 23, Tp. 16 S., Range 9 West, within the Siuslaw National Forest, for timber of an equal value to be cut from approximately 7 acres within the E½ of Section 1, E½ E½, Section 12, Tp. 20 S., R. 3 East; Sections 4 to 9 inclusive, SW¼, Section 10; N½ NW¼, Section 15; Sections 16 to 20 inclusive, Tp. 20 S., R. 4 East, W. M. within the Cascade National Forest.

The purpose of this notice is to allow all persons claiming the lands selected, or having bona fide objections to such application, an opportunity to file their protest with the Register of the U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon. Any such protests or objections must be filed in this office within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice, beginning March 22, 1928.

Non-coal.

HAMILL A. CANADAY, Register.
M. 22-29: A. 5-12-19:

NOTICE

WHEREAS in chapter 127, general laws of Oregon, enacted in 1919, it is declared to be the duty of every person, firm, copartnership, company and corporation owning, leasing, occupying, possessing or having charge of or dominion over any land, place building, structure, wharf, pier or dock which is infested with ground squirrels or other noxious rodents or predatory animals, or as soon as the presence of the same shall come to his, their or its knowledge, at once to proceed and to continue in good faith to exterminate and destroy such rodents by poisoning, trapping or other appropriate and effective means; and

WHEREAS gray digger ground squirrels (Citellus douglasii) are noxious rodents in Lane County, Oregon.

Now, therefore, all of such persons, firms, copartnerships, corporations and companies owning or having dominion over land in said Lane County, Oregon, are hereby required to take steps to exterminate said gray digger ground squirrels (Citellus douglasii) within thirty days from the date of the first publication of this notice. If such steps are not taken, a person or persons appointed by the county court of said Lane County will enter upon said lands and proceed to exterminate said gray digger ground squirrels (Citellus douglasii) and the cost of said extermination will be levied against said lands.

The county agricultural agent hereby designates Monday, April 2nd, as a day to be known as "squirrel poisoning day" throughout the said Lane County, and it is hereby recommended that poisoned barley, as prepared by the undersigned and representatives of the Bureau of Biological Survey of the United State Department of Agriculture, be used for the purpose of such extermination. Such poisoned barley may be secured from the undersigned at his office in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, at approximately the cost of preparation.

Date of first publication of this notice March 8th, 1928.

(Signed) O. S. FLETCHER,
County Agricultural Agent.
M. 8-15-22

Buying New Ford—City Recorder M. Peterson has joined the ranks of those awaiting the arrival of new Ford cars. Mr. Peterson has filed his order with Danner Motor company.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

Notice is hereby given that the registration books for the primary election will be closed April 18. All voters should be sure they are registered in the precincts in which they live. If there is any question about registration you can find out by calling or writing the county clerk, Eugene, Oregon. New law prohibits voters from being sworn in at the polls.

W. B. DILLARD, County, Clerk.
Mar. 8-15-22-29: APr. 5-12:

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