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TEMPERANCE INSURANCE RISKS

A hint to our fraternal insurance orders is to be found in the report that the American Temperance Life Insurance company of New York has recently been declared insolvent, its officers attributing its fall to the fact that they changed their plans and insured the lives of moderate drinkers of intoxicants.

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stocks of tea in this country are expected to increase now that the first shipment from the new Japanese crop this season has arrived on the Pacific coast. Russian buying is the feature of the primary markets. This demand has made itself felt in the Congous, Hankow and Foochow grades. The heavy purchases by the Russians are attributed to the fact that tea has replaced vodka in that country, both at home and in the trenches.

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Somebody has found that Great Britain collects a higher income tax than is levied in this country. That may be entirely true, and yet the income tax paying habit is not entirely agreeable to those of us who have to pay them.

The Texas sweet potato crop will amount to 16,000,000 bushels this year. But residents of that expansive state are merely irritated by such diminutiveness. They say the figure should be ten times larger.

The wood utilization and preservation studies of the United States department of agriculture have been broadened to include tests of foreign woods of commercial importance to the United States.

So complete in every detail is the British commissariat system that the men in the fighting line are supplied with fresh water, which is carried daily across the channel from Dover.

According to two French scientists, ten per cent of the chickens of that country have tuberculosis and the disease among poultry runs as high as 28 per cent in some nations.

When one notes how much food has been exported to Europe during the last eleven months, it may be wondered what would have become of it all if there had been no war.

It strikes us that if Professor See has found the cause of gravitation it would be a boon to make the idea known to those who are unable to take a tumble to themselves.

Just before the next election one of our patriotic statesmen will be proposing that the government loan the farmers all the money they want without interest or security.

A German scientist-inventor has made a camera so small that it can be introduced into the stomach to make a picture of the interior of that organ.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said town of Gresham has caused this notice to be signed by its mayor and attested by its clerk and the seal of said corporation affixed this 12th day of July, 1915.

Notice of Special Municipal Election

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been presented to the Common Council of the Town of Gresham, Multnomah county, Oregon, requesting that the boundaries of the said town of Gresham be changed so as to include new and additional territory within such boundaries, same being as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the center of the Powell Valley road, 1843-18 feet east of the east line of the Jagies Powell D. L. C., thence north to the center of the Section Line road, thence west to the east line of the present town limits, thence south, tracing the east line of the present town limits, to the center of the Powell Valley road, thence east along the center of the Powell Valley road, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point at the northeast corner of the town limits of Gresham, 100 feet east of the east line of Main street, thence north parallel to the east line of Main street 737.32 feet; thence west parallel to the north line of the present town limits of Gresham 1260 feet; thence south 737.32 feet to a point on the north line of the present town limits, paralleling the east line of Main street; thence east, tracing the present town limits of Gresham on the north, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the center of the Section Line road at the northwest corner of the present town limits of Gresham, thence west 1518 feet; thence south 1177 feet; thence east 1518 feet to a point on the west line of the town of Gresham; thence north on the said line of the present town limits of the town of Gresham to the point of beginning.

And as said petition was signed by more than one-fifth of the legal voters of the town of Gresham as shown by the vote cast at the last municipal election held therein, the said Common Council has ordered that a special election be held at which the proposition proposed by said petition shall be submitted to the legal voters of the town of Gresham and of territory to be annexed.

That said special election is called to be held in the town of Gresham on the 12th day of August, 1915. That at the said election the legal voters of the town of Gresham and of the territory to be annexed are invited to attend and vote on said proposition of increasing and changing the boundary limits of the town of Gresham so as to include new and additional territory as hereinbefore specifically set out, and said voters are requested to express themselves on said proposition by placing on their ballot at said special election the words "for annexation" or "against annexation," or other equivalent words expressing their preference; that the polling places fixed for the holding of such election shall be at the City hall (precinct 309), Murphy & Metzger hall (precinct 308); and that the polls will be open from 1 p. m. to 7 p. m., on August 12, 1915, for the holding of said election.

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G. W. STAPLETON, Mayor
Attest:
D. M. ROBERTS, Recorder.
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Safety First
"How did the accident happen?"
"He got run over when he stopped to read a 'Safety First' sign."

Thaw has proved that he is not insane, he is coming west.

"Oh, a coward," replied the judge, "is a man who remains single so he won't have to try."—Youth's Companion.

CURE OF CANCER

Another "cure" has been found for cancer which will probably turn out to be no cure at all. This statement is made in view of the fact that medical science has long grappled with the disease in the effort to find a cure for it, but without any great amount of success.

Cures have been announced from time to time, but conservative opinion has demanded substantial proof of the effectiveness of the remedies, only to be as often disappointed. Nevertheless, in view of the general interest in the treatment of cancer the announcement of Dr. S. P. Beebe, professor of experimental therapeutics at Cornell, of the results of experiments in cases of inoperable and incurable cancer cannot be overlooked.

His remedy has been used by injection, by poultice and by pill. It is a compound of drugs of vegetable origin. Tests have been made in some thirty cases at some of the hospitals in New York. The results are described as being most gratifying, but the physicians admit that sufficient time has not elapsed to form absolute judgement as to the efficacy of the remedy.

The experimental treatments will have to be applied to a much larger

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