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HONG KONG KOLUM



Thaxeah delivers should be at front—charges no heavy. Many people look best when lookee for somebody who owe them money.

We Are Seven: I met a resolution good. As pure and white as heaven; I asked, "How many may you be?" I answered, "We are seven."

One brother went to a saloon And never more was seen, And one who had a little game Lies in the churchyard green.

One brother ran a little bill; I never saw him more. Another, who got up too late, I know has gone before.

Then still another cussed a bit And vanished from our gaze, While one a Wall street flyer took And walks no more these ways.

Then you alone are left, I cried. "The rest have gone to heaven!" But still the resolution wept And answered, "We are seven!" —Judge.

Her Guess: Esther—Why did Wagner compose such terribly loud music? Cora—Perhaps his wife was deaf and he did it to annoy her!—Yonkers Statesman.

Never Does: Lady (to beggar)—My good man, do you ever take a bath? Beggar—No mum—I never takes anything larger than a silver tea pot.

Curious Things in the News: Bolt of lightning cured a Connecticut woman's rheumatism and did \$1000 damage to her home.

In Chicago a wife locked her husband up to keep him home. Then he jumped from the window and broke both his legs.

Falling from an auto has restored the hearing of an Indiana man, for many years stone deaf.

Stella's Bargain Counter: An optimist is the guy who points out the silver lining of the cloud and then borrows your umbrella to go home with.

Dancing on the village green nowadays has degenerated into dodging water cars on the city asphalt.

The Bell and the Organ: One day an Organ and a Bell fell out. High words followed. "You only ring when you're tolled," said the organ proudly.

Instant Relief: Cholly (to shipman)—I say—aw—could you take that yellow tie with the pink spots out of the show window for me?

Shopman—Certainly, sir. Pleased to take anything out of the window any time, sir.

Cholly—Thanks, awfully. The best thing bothers me every time I pass. Good morning.—Christian Register.

THE LANDSCHAFT IDEA

IN Germany the land owners of a district can unite and create a "landschaft." The landschaft has authority to issue debentures and extend credits, under government supervision, thus solving the rural credit problem. The landschaft idea is a step further in co-operative farming. Money is secured by pledging the property of the district as security, under more favorable terms than any individual could secure funds.

In the United States our social evolution has not yet reached the stage where the value of community co-operation is utilized and the need of the state and nation lending its credit and supervision to the district realized, but the pressure of economic conditions is rapidly forcing its consideration. Farmers cannot continue to pay the high rates of interest demanded, and the adoption of the landschaft idea offers a practical solution.

We have, however, long realized the need of community and district co-operation along certain lines, among them in securing irrigation, and laws are in effect authorizing the establishment of irrigation districts. The district can find money on easy terms for securing water, where an individual or corporation would fail.

The opposition to the district comes from those who do not realize the necessity of co-operation and the part it plays in modernized agriculture, and who fail to grasp the essential fact that what benefits one land owner in the district benefits all, and that the prosperity of the district rests upon the prosperity of all within it, and not upon the welfare of an isolated few.

The community of interests established by the district welds the locality into unity and creates a solidarity of interests. There is no reason why an irrigation district, successfully accomplishing its initial purposes, should not secure additional legislation sufficient to extend its powers into those of the landschaft, with authority to issue debentures for other purposes than irrigation and extend credit to members under state supervision.

The great advantage of the irrigation district plan over any other is that the water-users themselves own and operate the system and manage it to protect their mutual interests. The progressive farmers of Talent are the first in the valley to recognize this fact, and their example should be followed by the formation of other districts.

Co-operation is the keynote to modern industrial success and nowhere is it more essential than in agriculture. The need of marketing associations, of buying associations, are everywhere admitted. The identity of interests makes the Rogue River valley a favorable field for it, and its lack is responsible for most of the valley's adversity. The producers can and should, by co-operation, care for their commercial, industrial and financial necessities.

CARRANZA FORCES PLAN CAMPAIGN

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 3.—Passengers arriving aboard the steamer Prince Albert from Topolobampo and Mazatlan, Mexican west coast ports, reported today that 15,000 Carranza troops were being concentrated at Navolato, under command of General Diegues for a movement planned to drive all Villa adherents out of the states of Sinaloa and Sonora. They also reported that Carranza partisans had regained the city and territory of Tepic after a day's battle with Villa troops under General Rafael Buena. This battle was stubbornly fought by both sides.

HOWELLS SELL AT \$1.75 PER F. O. B. MEDFORD

A car load of Howell pears belonging to Clarence Boyd, Young and Hall and J. S. Vilas yesterday sold in the middle west for \$1.75 per box f. o. b. Medford. The fruit was sold through the Rogue River Fruit and Produce association. The association also announces the sale of a car load of Bartlett pears from the Bear Creek orchard at a price of \$1.25 f. o. b. Medford. These prices are considered good.

INTERURBAN AUTO CAR CO. Time Table: Leave Medford daily except Sunday for Ashland, Talent and Phoenix at 8 a. m., 1:15, 3:00 and 5:15 and 10:15 p. m. (Saturday at 11:15 p. m.) Sunday leave at 8:00 and 11:00 a. m., 1:00, 5:00 and 9:20 p. m. Leave Ashland daily except Sunday at 9:00 a. m., 12:30, 2:30, 4:30 and 7:00 p. m. and Sunday at 10:00 a. m., 12 noon, 4:00, 6 and 10:30 p. m.

John A. Perl UNDERTAKER, Lady Assistant, 28 S. BARTLETT, Phones M. 47 and 47-JB, Ambulance Service, Corer w

HURRICANE HEADED FOR GULF COAST

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Two West Indian storms are headed for American coasts. Hurricane warnings have been ordered on the gulf. The more pronounced disturbance was in the Gulf of Mexico this morning headed northwestward. Weather bureau officials said it would strike the gulf coast tonight or Saturday morning somewhere between Cedar Keys and New Orleans. The second storm, about which very little is known, is in the vicinity of the Bermudas, where the pressure remains abnormally lower. That storm apparently is moving in a northwest direction toward the Carolinas and the Virginia capes.

FRENCH GRAFTER COMMITS SUICIDE TO AVOID ARREST

PARIS, Sept. 3.—One of the government officials involved in army frauds in connection with the purchase of munitions committed suicide yesterday to avoid arrest. Warrants for other persons in complicity with technical agents of the army and navy have been issued.

STAR Theater TODAY

Houses of Glass

BY EDWIN BLISS. This is story No. 6 of the Story Series "Who Pays?" These "Who Pays" stories are well worth your time. If you've never seen one, start now.

COMING MONDAY R. E. A. MASON, A Paramount Special

CHINESE FINANCE STEAMER LINE TO PLY WITH ORIENT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 3.—Announcement that \$5,000,000 had been subscribed and half a million set aside subject to instant call toward the financing of a new Chinese-American trans-Pacific steamship company was made here today on authority of John L. McNab, attorney for the Chinese Six companies.

Since the arrival here of Dr. Wellington Koo, China's first minister to Mexico, who stated on reaching this port that contracts for the financing of the line had been signed, those interested here have been working quietly but rapidly toward putting the big project into actual operation.

The Chinese, McNab says, expect to begin with vessels adapted to the peculiar conditions of their Oriental trade—that is, they will have limited cabin facilities and great storage and freight capacities.

Later, according to Agorney McNab, the Chinese hope to have several first-class vessels equipped to handle the best tourist travel in the world. If the Chinese cannot purchase their ships, they will have them built.

CANAL CAN PASS ALL WARSHIPS IN DAY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—Proof that the entire present main American battleship fleet, made up of four divisions of five ships each, and a flagship, a total of twenty-one, could be passed through the Panama canal in one day has been afforded by the handling of the naval academy practice squadron in the canal locks on its way to and from the Panama-Pacific exposition.

The squadron, composed of the battleships Missouri, Ohio and Wisconsin, the largest warships which have so far used the canal, were put through the locks at Pedro Miguel and Miraflores, the Missouri and Ohio simultaneously in parallel, with the Wisconsin directly in the rear.

"I've been smoking too much!"

It's doubtful if you ever heard a Fatima smoker say that. Of course, you can't tell until you try them whether Fatimas will taste as good to you as they do to most men. But one thing you can be sure of—Fatimas will never give you any mean "after-feeling."

FATIMA The Turkish Blend Cigarette 20 for 15¢

THE PAGE Medford's Leading Theater

Cool, Comfortable, Well Ventilated. 2-Part Vitagraph-Broadway Star Feature

The Tigress With Julia Swayne Gordon, Leo Delaney and Others. Escapade Comedy-Drama

The Cave on Thundercloud A Famous Tish story by Mary Roberts Rhinehart. Vitagraph Comedy

The Serpent's Tooth Wally Van and Nitra Frazer. It's Always a Big Show at the Page Six Reels of Pictures in Every Show

5-10-13c. COMING—Theda Bara in "THE DEVIL'S DAUGHTER."



The Judge Says---

Put a package of these real corn flakes—these

New Post Toasties

on trial beside a package of any other corn flakes on the market. The jury will bring in a verdict of "guilty"—guilty of being the finest corn flakes ever made.

The New Post Toasties are crisp and appetizing, with a true corn flavor; and they don't mush down when milk or cream is added.

But here's the real test. Take a handful, fresh from the package, and eat them without cream or milk. Mighty good, aren't they?

Notice the little "puffs" on each flake—a distinguishing characteristic—resulting from the new method of cooking and toasting, which also brings out and enhances the wonderful, true corn flavor.

Your Grocer has the New Post Toasties. Try them and bring in your verdict—

"Delicious"

POOR OR INFERIOR BUTTER WILL MAKE THE BEST BREAD DISTASTEFUL Therefore Insist on Your Grocer Giving You

Gold Seal Butter

It costs no more and you always get THE BEST

Jackson County Creamery

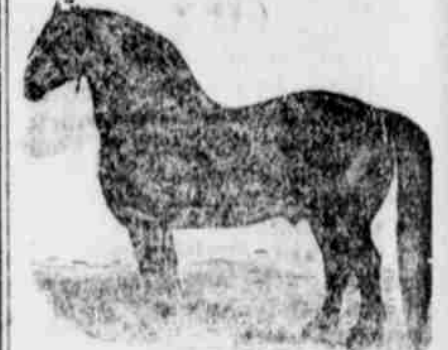
Advertisement for Ford cars featuring the Ford logo and text: "An average cost of two cents a mile provides for operating and maintaining a Ford car. And 'Ford After Service for Ford Owners' assures the continuous use of your car. In every contingency there's a Ford dealer near by, with a complete stock of parts." C. E. GATES



Fair Week September 8 to 11

MEDFORD

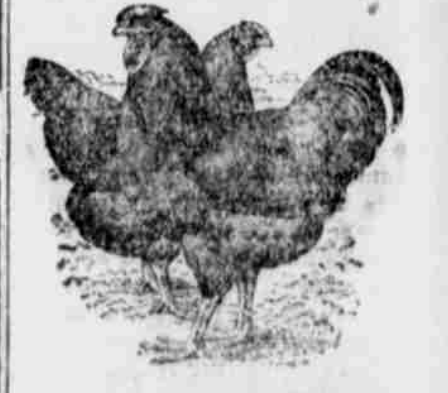
JACKSON COUNTY FAIR



LIBERAL PREMIUMS on products of orchard, farm, garden, home, shop, stock, poultry, etc.

PLENTY MUSIC Big Dahlia show and display other flowers.

CHILDREN'S EXHIBITS of everything grown and made by children of city and country.



FREE ATTRACTIONS

BALL GAME Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 1:30 p. m. for purse of \$300, between Medford and Roseburg.

RELAY RACE Run 2 1/2 miles each day, changing horses every half mile, for purse of \$250.

Also Running and Harness Races for county horses—Hitch-up Races, Buggy Races, Mule Races and Other Amusements.

ONE ADMISSION TO ALL. No charge for autos, vehicles or grand stand.

School children admitted free Friday.

