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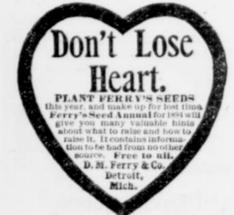
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W. H. WOOD, Administrator.

Administrators' Sale of Land.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the county court for Yamhill county, Oregon, made March 15, 1894, directing the undersigned to administer the estate of Benjamin A. Smith, deceased, to sell the heretofore described real property of said estate in order to raise funds to pay the indebtedness and the expenses of administration thereof, which said order directs that said real property be sold at private sale on the premises, to wit, at the dwelling house on said premises, on the 15th day of April, 1894, at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, after the heretofore described real property for sale at private sale to the highest and best bidder therefor, upon the following terms, to-wit: The purchaser to assume and pay the mortgage now upon said land, the principal of which is \$1,000, and interest thereon, and the same to be paid in one year from date of sale at the rate of six per cent per annum, and to pay the mortgage now upon said land, the principal of which is \$1,000, and interest thereon, and the same to be paid in one year from date of sale at the rate of six per cent per annum, and to pay the mortgage now upon said land, the principal of which is \$1,000, and interest thereon, and the same to be paid in one year from date of sale at the rate of six per cent per annum, and to pay the mortgage now upon said land, the principal of which is \$1,000, and interest thereon, and the same to be paid in one year from date of sale at the rate of six per cent per annum.

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JOE BLACKBURN CONVERTED.

The Kentucky Senator Persuaded by the Eloquence of Evangelist Moody. He Sends a Bundle of Tracts to All His Colleagues.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Every United States senator found in his mail this morning a neat little package of religious tracts, encircled by a rubber band and bearing on its face the words, "Compliments of J. S. C. Blackburn." This was the popular Kentucky senator's device for announcing to his associates that he had abandoned forever his old life and entered upon a new and untried existence as a result of the convicting eloquence of Evangelist Moody, who has been holding revival meetings in Washington for a month. Very early in the course of the Moody meetings the Kentuckian began to exhibit remarkable interest in them. He became a regular attendant, and sat on the platform night after night, within a few feet of the evangelist, and it was noticed that the two had frequent conversations together.

Then Mr. Blackburn began to invite some of his friends to the meetings, and everybody understood that he was very much impressed, but the idea that jovial "Joe" Blackburn, who had for his whole life led the gay existence which is peculiarly adapted to the Kentucky temperament, should really become converted by Moody's teaching and enter on the work of evangelizing himself, even in a small way, never entered anybody's head.

The friends with which Joe favored the tracts to-day were four in number. One is a brilliant little affair in red, entitled "Strong Drink, or the Temperance Song in God's Word," which is filled with pertinent biblical quotations against the evils of intemperance.

The three others are tastefully printed in gilt. "Happy Nancy's Secret, or Confidence in God," tells that there once lived in an old brown cottage a solitary woman. She was some thirty years of age, tended her little garden, and knit and spun for a living.

She was known everywhere, from village to village, by the name of "Happy Nancy." She had no relatives, no money, no family, and was half blind, quite lame, and very crooked. There was no comeliness in her, and yet there in that homely deformed body, the great God, who loves to bring strength out of weakness, had set his royal seal.

The lesson intended to be brought home to the senators by this tract is that they should "Follow Happy Nancy's rule and never give place in their bosom to imaginary evils."

The other two tracts are in verse. One is the "Song of the Sparrow," and relates that:

"I'm only a little sparrow, A bird of low degree, My life is of little value, But the best I can do for me."

It proceeds for a dozen stanzas in the same vein. "A little pilgrim is embellished with a cut of a railway train. It tells in rhyme the story of a little girl and a conductor, concluding:

"Of gathering pence and clipping tickets, too, The truth was told and he had much to do; 'Your fare, my little girl,' at last he said; 'She looked a moment, shook her little head; 'I have no pennies, don't you know, said she. My fare is paid, and I am paid for me.'"

There are three more pages of this, with appropriate scriptural allusions and the grave and aggressive senators, from the aged Morrill down to the youthful Dubois, are wondering which of them are to be influenced first by "Joe" Blackburn's change of heart, and how far the eloquent and big-hearted Kentuckian's new enthusiasm will carry him.

Senators Squire, Proctor and Gray were also very constant in their attendance upon the revival meetings, and the last named two nightly added their deep bass voices to the chorus. Mr. Squire is Mr. Blackburn's intimate personal friend and companion.

These senators, with other public men, were contributors to a fund started by Mr. Blackburn for the purpose of continuing the Moody and Sankey meetings ten days beyond the date set for the close of the revival.

Each contributor agreed to give one day's salary for the ten days. The salary of a United States senator is about \$14 per day.

Farms in the United States. The American Agriculturist has recently published a statement of the number of farms in the United States, as shown by the census of 1890. It appears that at the time of taking the census there were 4,555,734 farms in the United States, a gain of 546,827 in ten years.

There was a decrease of the number of farms in all of the New England states, and in New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Illinois, Nevada and New Mexico, and the district of Columbia, amounting to 53,389.

The greatest increase in the number of farms was found in South and North Dakota, taken together, which amounted to 60,334. Texas came next with 54,908, then Nebraska with 52,221, followed by Mississippi

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with 42,546. Nearly all the southern states show a large increase in the number of farms.

Ohio has the largest number of farms of any of the states, 251,430. Illinois comes second with 240,681; Missouri third with 237,879; Texas fourth with 228,193, and New York fifth with 226,557. Pennsylvania and Iowa are the only other states with over 200,000 farms.

Oregon is credited with 26,530 farms; Washington, 18,056, and Idaho, 6,663.

Although every one of the New England states shows a slight falling off in the number of farms, the only one of those states which has not more farms than Oregon is Rhode Island. Oregon has more farms in proportion to population than the United States as a whole, while the other states of the Pacific coast have much less than the average proportion of farms to people.

It is probable that the states of the Pacific northwest will show a greater proportionate increase in the number of farms than any other states in the union during the next decade.

Niagara Harnessed.

The greatest shrine on this continent for modern pilgrims, Niagara falls, has now developed a double purpose in combining the useful with the beautiful. It is sublimely grand to hear the waters of the great cataract washing over the rocky ledges and seething in never-ending confusion below, but the majesty of Niagara gains an added charm when we reflect that it is now something more than a surpassingly grand sight, a panorama of unequalled magnificence, it having, by means of mechanical art, been harnessed to a power plant capable of supplying its almost unlimited energy to the service of mankind. The Niagara Falls Power company, which has been granted extensive concessions, has, by the outlay of a sum of money ultimately to reach four million dollars, partially erected a plant, which, when completed, will aggregate a very large amount of power. Three turbines of 1,100 horse power each are already in operation, and others of 5,000 horse power will soon be placed. The falls are utilized by tunneling beneath them and thus diverting a portion of the current, the tunnel starting a mile and a half above the American falls, and the canal running two thousand feet further back. Through this canal the water passes by means of steel pipes to huge turbine wheels, afterwards descending to the main tunnel, two hundred feet beneath the surface, to an outlet a thousand feet below the falls. The principal tunnel, in the shape of a horseshoe, is twenty-one feet high, nineteen wide, and seven thousand feet long, with a fall of four to seven feet per thousand. The loss of water from the falls will lower them only seven inches, an almost unnoticeable amount; and it is predicted that the power required for the middle states, to light streets, run factories, cars, and for heating purposes, will ultimately be supplied from Niagara.

A Rich Prayer.

The following unique invocation was delivered by Rev. E. C. Clemens at a recent convention of Minnesota dairymen:

"Our Heavenly Father, at the beginning of the deliberations of this convention we come to Thee. In most things we think ourselves sufficient, but when we have a meeting like this on our hands we feel the need of Thee. We pray that Thy blessing may rest upon the officers of this association as they faithfully perform their duties, and as a result of the work of this assembly, may good, wholesome butter abound, and may the price be moderately proportioned to the size of our pocket books, that some of us may have some. Bless all the dairymen, and the dairymen's wives, and the sweet dairy maids, and out of pure, sweet cream may they make good, honest butter, and in disposing of it, may they always be careful to see that every pound of it contains just sixteen ounces.

"Bless our government and the administration of it, for if thou canst not bless it we don't know who can.

"Father, help us all to be kind and loving and tender hearted one toward another. May we keep the first great commandment, which is to love Thee with all the power of our minds and spirits, and the second which is like unto the first, to love our neighbor as ourselves. We ask these things for Jesus' sake. Amen."

Cheap Coat, Cheap Man.

American laborers are beginning to realize what President Harrison meant when he said "a cheap coat covers a cheap man." That remark, full of wisdom and foresight, was distorted in its meaning and used by the democrats in a demagogic effort to make the laborers believe that the president had insulted them and called poor men cheap and worthless. What he meant and what all intelligent persons understood, was that we could only get cheap clothing through cheap wages, and therefore that the cheap coat would necessarily become a cheap man. He did not heed the warning, but voted blindly for the coat, with the result that he has already become a cheap man without getting the coat. Coats will go into effect, but the ability to purchase them has been so reduced that in effect they will be dearer than ever. The real test of cheapness is the proportion between cost and purchasing ability. A man without any money in his pocket feels the unsatisfied pangs of hunger as keenly in front of a fifteen cent restaurant as he does before the ornamented windows of one where a dinner costs half a dollar. What he wants is

General Neal Dow.

On March 20th General Neal Dow, the great temperance reformer, was 90 years of age and a general celebration of the day was had by the different temperance organizations in all parts of the United States. General Dow is father of the Maine prohibitory law, and has been identified with the temperance cause all his life. He was born at Portland, Me., in 1804, his ancestors on both sides being Friends. In 1831, while a member of the state legislature, he secured the passage of what is called the "Maine law" which, under severe penalties, prohibits the sale of intoxicating liquors. He was twice chosen mayor of Portland, and during the civil war served as brigadier general of volunteers. He was twice wounded and once taken prisoner. He was the prohibition presidential candidate in 1880. Gen. Dow is hale and hearty at his advanced age.

Hints to Sportsmen.

No game birds, ducks, geese, swan or trout can be shipped out of the state at any time.

Pheasants will soon be nesting and it is a \$50 fine to take the eggs from their nests.

It is now against the law to kill ducks and will be until the 1st day of next September. Remember this and avoid trouble.

Trout cannot be caught until the 1st day of next month, and on to November 1st. They cannot be sold, however, only during September and October.

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money enough to patronize either if he chooses. It is the same with the American laborer. Let him look to the preservation of the industries that give him work and wages and his ability to purchase clothing will continue. Under the protective policy the American laborer paid more for his coat than the English laborer, but he could afford to buy three where the other bought one. No working people in the world wear more and better clothing than those in this country. An effort to get it cheaper by cutting off the ability to purchase it at all, is sheer folly. Every step in that direction makes more cheap men than cheap coats. Of all the wise things said by Benjamin Harrison, this was the wisest, and of all the advice he gave to the American workmen the best was to preserve their ability to pay more for a coat than the workmen of other countries.—Portland Chronicle.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Midwinter fair admissions on Easter Sunday numbered 14,189.

The middle west suffered another blizzard the first of the week, in which the mercury dropped to 20 degrees and railroads were forced to suspend operations. Fruit prospects throughout the territory covered are damaged.

The supreme court decided that Governor Waite of Colorado exceeded his authority in his attempt to remove by force of arms Messrs. Martin and Orr as members of the police board. The decision was that the governor could remove and appoint members, but that he could not induct his appointees into office. The governor will not again call out the militia.

The seat of Senator Martin of Kansas is being contested by Hon. J. W. Ady, republican. He claims Martin received the votes of 26 of the 102 members of the joint assembly as recognized by the supreme court, while he received 77, and that even if those members of the Dunsmore house who received certificates are counted for Martin, he then received 77 votes, the same number cast for himself in the legislature recognized by the court.

The Woman's National Christian League for the promotion of social purity is after Breckinridge's scalp. They have sent a memorial to congress protesting against allowing him to retain his seat in congress, and a communication to his wife calling upon her in the name of womanhood to renounce her husband. In addition to this, they voted to call upon the presbytery with which Colonel Breckinridge is connected, asking to have the representative expelled.

Father Eckert, the Catholic priest at Wesley, Iowa, indicted for keeping a nuisance and selling liquor contrary to law, pleaded guilty and was fined \$300 and costs, the smallest fine that could be made by the court. The priest built a large church some time ago, and being heavily in debt, a number of festivals and fairs were given and a barroom was arranged in the basement, where the priest dispensed intoxicating liquors to his thirsty parishioners and others. The citizens of Wesley have circulated a petition asking Gov. Jackson to have the priest's fine revoked.

Senator Alfred Holt Colquhoun of Georgia died on Monday. He was born in Washington county, Georgia, April 20, 1824. He graduated at Princeton college, New Jersey, in the class of 1844; studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1845. He served as a staff officer during the Mexican war. He served as a member of the 33rd congress and was a member of the Georgia legislature in 1859; was a presidential elector for the state at large on the Breckinridge ticket in 1860; was a member of the secession convention of the state of Georgia. He entered the Confederate service as captain, was chosen colonel of the Sixth Georgia infantry, served as a brigadier-general and was commissioned as a major-general. He was elected governor of Georgia in 1876 for four years, and was re-elected under a new constitution for two years. At the expiration of his term as governor he was elected to the United States senate for the full term, commencing March 4, 1883, and was re-elected in 1888. His second term would have expired March 3, 1895.

Some gigantic frauds are being unearthed in Brooklyn. There is evidence that Italians have been making American citizens out of their fellow countrymen by selling them forged naturalization papers at from \$10 to \$15 apiece. An organized system of buying and selling citizens papers obtained by fraud, and selling them to aliens not lawfully entitled to be naturalized and who, having become parties to the fraud, are controlled and driven to the polls like sheep, has been unearthed. When these aliens return to their own country the bogus papers are bought back at a big discount and sold again to new arrivals.

The notorious Fredericks, an convict, a confederate of Chris Evans, and who killed Sheriff Pascoe of Nevada county, Calif., and Benjamin Bruce, a brakeman on the Southern Pacific, last year, was captured last Friday, after entering the office of the San Francisco Savings Union and shooting the cashier. He presented a written demand for money to Wm. A. Herrick, the cashier, and being refused murdered Herrick. The note presented read as follows: "After considering my deplorable condition, I am convinced that this life is not worth living without liberal means, and, therefore, I am resolved to make one more effort to self help, to sustain my miserable existence. Should you not comply with my demands, I am compelled to employ my last remedy, a bottle of nitro-glycerine, and to bury myself under the ruins of the building, blasted to everlasting nothingness." Fredericks was supposed to have been seen in the Willamette valley last summer, and for a long time the sheriffs were on the lookout for him. The law should deal speedily with such a desperate criminal.

The annual horse fair will be conducted at Salem on Saturday, March 31st. With pleasant weather this will be a great day for Salem.

The state department has had the original draft of the Declaration of Independence, which has heretofore been on public exhibition, put away in a tin tube. It is said that this step has been taken because the ink on the precious manuscript is fading.

Several years ago, when the great Johnstown disaster aroused the whole country to pity and benevolence, the people of Brooklyn raised a relief fund of several thousand dollars. Of this no small amount was contributed by the laboring classes and those depending upon salaries. It appears that not all of the amount contributed was needed, and the balance of three thousand dollars, which now remains in the bank to the credit of the relief committee, will be used for the unemployed poor of Brooklyn itself.

A Little Daughter

Of a Church of England minister cured of a distressing rash, by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Mr. RICHARD BIRKS, the well-known Druggist, 207 McGill St., Montreal, P. Q., says:

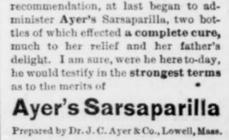
"I have sold Ayer's Family Medicines for 40 years, and have heard nothing but good said of them. I know of many

Wonderful Cures

performed by Ayer's Sarsaparilla, one in particular being that of a little daughter of a Church of England minister. The child was literally covered from head to foot with a red and exceedingly troublesome rash, from which she had suffered for two or three years, in spite of the best medical treatment available. Her father was in great distress about the case, and, at my recommendation, at last began to administer Ayer's Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which effected a complete cure, much to her relief and her father's delight. I am sure, were he here to-day, he would testify in the strongest terms as to the merits of

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