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Thanksgiving Day

To-day is Thanksgiving Day, a day which for a number of years has been designated and set apart by our rulers, as a day of thanksgiving for all the blessings we have, and all we enjoy.

The historical significance of the day is too well known to require mention. The method of expressing thanks may well be left to each individual, or family, to settle for themselves; but that all ought to observe the day in some way seems to us self evident.

On the religious features of the day, people will naturally differ. Those who believe that all they have, comes to them directly or indirectly from the hands of a personal God, will naturally feel, especially if their lot be a pleasant one, that they ought to return to that personal God their personal thanks for the many gifts they have received.

Others who do not find in the tangle of good and evil in this world any evidence of a personal Divine superintendence, and who do not believe in special interpositions of Divine wrath or Divine favor, or who do not believe that the governor of this Universe will in any way interfere with the operations of His natural laws to answer prayer, will naturally feel that such thanksgiving is superfluous, and if they may be said to pray at all, will offer only a kind of general prayer of adoration or none at all. Yet all should be grateful, for what they enjoy.

It surely will do no one harm in a general way, to stop and contemplate the advantages and blessings which he enjoys and to contrast his own condition with the far less fortunate condition of others, or his present condition with the less fortunate conditions in which he found himself in the past. Such action will certainly contribute to the happiness and contentment of the individual engaging in it, if no more, and, if in contrasting his own condition with that of those less fortunate it opens his heart and his purse to them, it will have accomplished the highest purpose of thanksgiving, for the great teacher, whom all churches claim to follow, said, "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these ye have done it unto me."

These advantages, together with the feature of holding family reunions on thanksgiving day, make that festival one that ought to be generally observed as a holiday by all good citizens.

The Oregonian in a recent editorial, indulges in its usual malignant rant against all things Californian. In this case it howls against the 'unjust judges' of California. Considerable experience in the courts of California, and a large personal acquaintance with California judges, had led us to the belief that California judges, California courts and California politicians compared pretty favorably with those of Oregon, and since coming to Oregon we have not seen anything to change our opinion.

What a terrible thing it must be to the Oregonian, with its malignant case of California-phobia, to remember at all times that the sacred state of Oregon, the home of Harvey Scott is bounded on the south by California.

We do not know to what advantage the editor of the Oregonian might show off on a bike, or a mule but as a persistent rider of hobbies, *ad infinitum ad nauseum* he certainly takes the cake.

It is reported that an agent of Elmore, Sanborne & Co., is circulating a written statement to be presented to the Portland Chambers of Commerce, to the effect that the present transportation service is perfectly satisfactory and that no better is needed etc. etc. Every business man, of this town, knows the direct contrary to be true, and it will be decidedly risky for a man who depends on the public for support, to sign such a declaration. The object of the declaration is, of course to stop all effort toward securing better transportation and a direct slap at the people's interest, and an effort to keep them under tribute to one man or firm. The HEADLIGHT reaffirms that it don't care a rap who carries the freight for Tillamook, so long as it is done to the satisfaction of the people, but to say that the present transportation service is satisfactory, is a lie of such colossal proportions that it cannot be taken seriously by anyone cognizant of the facts.

That great business improvement has come to the country since last July is conceded by all intelligent observers; and that this is due largely to the passage of the Dingley tariff must also be conceded. Whatever may be the operations of the new tariff, the restoration of confidence brought about by its passage, put into operation millions of dollars which had heretofore been lying idle, and that gave employment to hundreds of thousands of hands. It caused the country to undergo a change such as had never before been witnessed by many of the present generation, idle factories and furnaces to start into new life, and the hum of industry to sound from State to State. The new tariff is likely to warrant the confidence placed in it, as its revenues are satisfactorily increasing month by month, and it will be but a short time when the Treasury will have a monthly surplus instead of a deficit, as has been the case for the last four years.

At the annual meeting of the association of beet sugar manufacturers held in San Francisco recently, a resolution was passed unanimously protesting against the annexation of Hawaii or a continuation of the present reciprocity treaty. The sugar trust has so long enjoyed its cinch on the American people, that it views with the greatest alarm the prospect of annexation of the Hawaiian Islands whereby it will be brought into competition with manufacturers across the sea. The American people in general, however, view the matter far differently, and think there may be in it a prospect of release from paying tribute for ever mouth-full of sugar they consume.

The friends of silver are becoming fewer and fewer. Senator Stewart has told the people that they may as well fall in line and get their share of prosperity, as it is useless to talk silver now; ex-Governor Altgeld has dropped silver, and is said to be organizing a paper-money party, and ex-Governor Boies has renounced the 16-to-1 proposition as suicidal, in view of the great discrepancy between the coinage ratio and the commercial ratios of silver. Many other Democrats, being greenbackers at heart, have advocated free silver as simply a stepping stone to true flatism, and now that free silver is becoming so unpopular they are gradually dropping it.

Bradstreet's Review says that 'in spite of the less active trade of October, due to the yellow-fever scare, quarantines, etc. the aggregate total for that month was great, even September's immense total, marking the heaviest month's total since January, 1893. It may be remembered that Mr. Bryan, on a cool October day, stated that the first six months of McKinley's administration 'was the most disastrous in the history of the country.'

Something over a year ago Mr. Bryan was stating that the only way to increase the circulating medium of the country was by the adoption of the free coinage of silver, and yet the Treasury figures show that to-day there are millions and millions more money in circulation than when the statement was made.

The sad fate of the steam schooner Truckee, is much regretted by the people of this county. Many of whom have traveled on her have a pleasant remembrance of their kind treatment by officers and crew. But the one thing connected with the loss of the ship, over which all rejoice, is that there was no loss of life.

Bryan kept up his calamity cry in Ohio this year despite the fact that the October statement of the national banks of the country showed that the individual deposits in the national banks were \$253,000,000 in excess of those of one year ago.

A caucus will be held, at the city hall on Saturday evening, for the purpose of making nominations for town officers for the coming year. We trust the meeting may be well attended and the right kind of men nominated.

The comparison between the railroad earnings and the bank clearances at the present time and one year ago indicates an astonishing change in the business of the country.

The Republican strength in the South continues to grow year by year and Congress by Congress. The 56th Congress will have the largest Southern Republican representation in history.

Last year, in our commercial relations with Great Britain, the balance of the trade in our favor was greater than in any previous year in our history.

The Ohio counties in which Mr. Bryan spoke in the late campaign increased their Republican majorities 997 over those of last year.

The old State of Maryland has gotten a long way from the 'solid South.' Time was when she was counted a charter member of that organization.

Billy Bryan is talking of retiring from politics. Perhaps Billy is making a virtue of necessity.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The delinquent tax-roll for the year of 1897, has been turned over to me with a warrant attached thereto requiring me to collect the taxes on said roll by levy and sale of the personal property of such delinquent tax payers, and if none be found then the real property described on said tax roll. I trust those who are delinquent will pay up soon, and thus save themselves considerable cost.

H. H. Alderman
Sheriff of Tillamook Co., Ore.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Tillamook.
George W. Pettit, Plaintiff
vs.
C. L. Chatterton, Defendant

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution, duly issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause to me duly directed and dated the 25th day of Oct. 1897 upon a judgement duly rendered on the 25th day of February 1897 in the Justice Court for Bay precinct, Tillamook County, Oregon for the sum of \$29.25 and \$200 costs and which judgement I was duly docketed by the clerk in the Circuit court. Hen docket for Tillamook County, state of Oregon on the 23rd day of March 1897, and commencing me to satisfy the said judgement, interest and costs out of the personal property of the said C. L. Chatterton and for want thereof then out of the real property belonging to the said C. L. Chatterton in this County.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgement, order, decree and order of sale and in compliance with said writ I will on the 14th day of December 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock, A. M. at the front door of the County Court house, in the city of Tillamook, said county and state, sell at public auction, subject to redemption, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the said defendant has, or has had in and to the following described land to wit: The W 1/2 of N W 1/4 of N E 1/4 of N W 1/4 of section 27, T. 13 S. R. 3 W. of Willamette Meridian in Tillamook County, Oregon since the filing of the said judgement in said court to satisfy said judgement interest, costs and all accruing costs.

H. H. Alderman
Sheriff of Tillamook County, Oregon

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK.

In the matter of the Estate of Lester B. Hart, insolvent, notice is hereby given to all persons claiming indebtedness against said Estate to present their claim at the office of Handley & Handley at Tillamook, Oregon, within three months from the date hereof.

Albert Harris,
Assignee.

Dated Oct. 25th 1897.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, Oct. 26 1897.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Tillamook County, at Tillamook, Oregon, on Dec. 18th 1897, viz: Edward Evans, H. E. 10310 for the N E 1/4 of sec 25 T. 2 N. R. 7 West.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

John Paquet, of Tillamook, Ore; Fred Paquet of Hobsonville, Ore; Joseph Gaudran, of Hobsonville, Ore; Isaac Smith, of Wilson, Ore.

Chas. B. Moores,
Register.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order and decree, of the Hon. County Court of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, duly made on the 4th day of November, 1897 and to me directed as Administrator of the Estate of Ernest Wyss, deceased, and authorizing the sale of the lands hereinafter described, I will on Saturday the 17 day of December 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, offer for sale at public auction, at the front door of the Court House, in Tillamook County, Oregon, all the Estate, right, title and interest which the above named decedent, Ernest Wyss, had in, and to the lands in Tillamook County, Oregon described as follows to wit: The Southeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of section (11) eleven, and the South half of the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section (12) Twelve in Township (1) one, North of Range (7) Seven West of the Willamette Meridian, in Oregon.

Terms of Sale—Twentyfive per cent cash in hand and the remainder upon confirmation of the sale.

Conveyances to be made at the expense of purchaser.

G. O. Nolan,
Administrator.

Handley & Handley,
Attorneys for Estate.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order and decree of the Hon. County Court, of Tillamook County, State of Oregon, duly issued on the 8th day of November 1897, and to me directed as Administrator of the Estate of T. F. Harris deceased, and authorizing the sale of the lands hereinafter described, for the purpose of satisfying a certain mortgage upon said lands given by said decedent in his life time to one George F. Williams, dated Jan. 5th, 1892, I will on Saturday the 11 day of December 1897, at one o'clock in the afternoon offer for sale at public auction at the front door of the Court House, in Tillamook County, Oregon, The lands in Tillamook Co. Ore, described as follows to wit: The East half and the Southwest quarter of the Northwest quarter and the Northwest quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section (30) in Township (2) Two, South of Range (2) Nine West of the Willamette Meridian, in Oregon, containing (36) One hundred and sixty acres.

Terms of sale—Twentyfive per cent cash in hand, and the remainder payable upon confirmation of sale.

Conveyances to be made at expense of purchaser.

G. O. Nolan,
Administrator.

Handley & Handley,
Attys. for Estate.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Ore., Nov. 4, 1897.—Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Tillamook County, Ore., on Dec. 18th, 1897, viz: Ernest C. Werner, H. E. 9074, for the S E 1/4 of Sec 24, T. 3 S. R. 3 W.

The names of the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

V. Peterson, of Dolph, Ore. G. Baxter, of Dolph Ore. J. McCoy, of Dolph, Ore. Pulaske Gwin of Dolph Ore.

Chas. B. Moores, Register.

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