

Rats! Rats! Rats!

Condensed milk factories in the New Northwest are increasing. There are now in operation at Kent, Auburn and Chehalis, Wash., Forest Grove, Oregon, Hillsboro, Oregon, and Mission, B. C. and arrangements are being made to establish a sixth one at Tillamook, Oregon, starting it with a capacity of 50,000 pounds of milk per day and increasing according to the supply. The best industry in Tillamook county has for years been dairying, and it is capable of wonderful development. The demand for condensed milk in the Orient is said to be unlimited. There is room for a plant in Yamhill County, and as good a location as can be found is at Sheridan. Yamhill County is just as good a dairying county as Tillamook ever was. The only difference is that Tillamook has the industry farther advanced. There is no reason why Sheridan should not make an effort to secure a condense milk factory here. There is no need of our farmers shipping their cream away from home as they did last year and are doing now. It is safe to estimate that 500 cows could be had tributary to Sheridan within a year if a factory would start up here. That would represent about \$12,000 per month to be distributed among our farmers. It is worth investigating, is it not?—Sheridan Sun.

It's enough to make a Yamhill goose turn up its toes, and in doing so swalk out "Rats! rats! rats!" when told that Yamhill is just as good a dairying county as Tillamook. Ignorance must be bliss with the Sun man, for Yamhill county never can and never will make a dairying county the same as Tillamook, for while everything is parched and dry in Yamhill during the summer and fall, Tillamook meadows are producing a luxuriant growth of green feed. They would think they were in paradise if they saw the same thing in Yamhill, but as so many Yamhillers have told some awful big crammers about Tillamook, it is not much good trying to describe what paradise is like, for they get a foretaste of the hot place most every summer, and his satanic majesty knows it is impossible to turn Yamhill into a dairying county. Rats!

Will Cure the Mange.

TO THE EDITOR OF TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT DEAR SIR,—Please print this communication for the good of your neighbors. I found a poor old dog on the side walk afflicted with the mange. It was nearly covered with it. Now, the mange is catching. Not only other dogs may catch it, but children and grown people also. I have cured it on dogs, children, cows, grown folks by the following remedy: Wash the spots twice a day with warm water with a rag dipped in gold dust, soak well, dust the gold dust on and let the dog go. Then take three table spoonfuls of rosin, one small tea spoonful of lard, melt and stir well, then a piece of bee's wax as big as a small walnut, melt all together and apply by rubbing it on the sore spot. It is a safe cure if properly applied. If it is too hard to spread add a little more lard.

The Prosperous Northwest.

The past year was one of extraordinary prosperity for the northwest and all conditions promise that the present year will witness a great addition to the wealth of this region. A correspondent of a Chicago paper who has traveled recently in a number of western states writes that he has found everything favorable to an undiminished continuance of the high tide of prosperity. He states that there has been, broadly speaking, no falling off in the volume of business, that the farmers have more money than ever before, that the employed people are all at work for good wages, that railroad earnings throughout the west average higher than a year ago at this time by from 5 to 12 per cent, that the amounts of money which the people of the west have on hand representing their surplus, their savings, their accumulations through these recent years of unexampled prosperity, are simply amazing. This correspondent states that in purely agricultural counties the bankers told him that they did not know what to do with the money that is offered them for deposit. "In many instances, he writes, "they have been compelled to refuse further deposits because of the difficulty of using the money profitably. It is surprising to be told that in an average western county of perhaps 25,000 population, embracing probably 2,500 farms, the aggregate sums on deposit in the local banks reach as high as \$2,000,000 or \$3,000,000, or an average of approximately \$1,000 per farm. As no one individual has very large deposits, it follows that the accumulations are well distributed."

This correspondent further says that what is true of the agricultural counties is true also of the cities and towns in which there are manufacturing and commercial interests. He found an abundant supply of money everywhere and the west lending to the east—a reversal of the conditions which prevailed only a few years ago, when the west was absolutely dependent financially upon the east. And this change from the old order of things, will probably be permanent. There appears to be every reason to believe that in the years to come

the west will not only be able to take care of its own financial requirements, but will continue to be a lender to the east. Western development is still going on and the resources of this section are far from being exhausted. There is, in short, a splendid outlook for the west and the energetic and enterprising people of this section are fully alive to this and can be depended upon to take full advantage of the conditions that make for progress and prosperity.

Trailed by Blood.

STOUX CITY, Ia., Jan. 17.—Hattie Pitcher, the young woman schoolteacher who asserted that she had been shot, bound and gagged last Tuesday night in the Henshaw Hotel at Miller, S. D., was today arrested on a warrant sworn out by half a dozen prominent business men of Miller. She is charged with assault with intent to commit felony, and administering ether to Wiebur Quirk for the purpose of robbery.

Quirk was a clerk in a drug store at Miller. On Tuesday night he was held up by two masked persons, bound, gagged and after having been made unconscious by the use of ether, was tied to an iron bed, where he was found the next morning in a serious condition. He could not give a description of his assailants, and the affair remained a mystery.

Miss Pitcher at first said she had been shot accidentally. She took the Sheriff to the place and pointed out the revolver with which the wound was inflicted, but would not say who shot her.

Drops of blood were found leading from the drug store where Quirk was assaulted to the hotel. Other arrests are promised.

Adventure in Mammoth Cave.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 17.—Eighteen delegates to the Conventional League of Commission Merchants were thrown into the icy water of Echo River, which winds a tortuous course through Mammoth Cave, and was saved only by the coolness of the guide, John Nelson, and the heroic work of Charles A. Muehlbonner, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

The roof of the cave over Echo River is arched and the space in the center, owing to an unaccountable rise in the river, was only two and a half feet above the water. In order to insure the passage of the boat the men and women were forced to stoop over. At one place the boat swerved to one side, raking the heads of those occupants seated next to the bank. These leaned farther forward, which lowered one end of the boat and the water began to flow in rapidly. The guides saw the danger and told to Mr. Muehlbonner to jump on a steep bank, which offered only a slight foothold. Lying down on his face he held to the chain and pulled the boat toward the bank. The boat sank in eight feet of water. Further back where there was no landing the water is 18 feet deep.

By the light of a single lantern the party escaped by climbing over to Mr. Muehlbonner's prostrate form, and after waiting several hours for a boat, were brought back in safety to daylight.

Giuseppe Garibaldi, a grandson of the Italian patriot, was discovered among the revolutionists who were captured last August at Ciudad Bolivar. When President Castro learned of this fact, and after Garibaldi had been recognized by officials of the Italian Legation, he ordered his immediate release.

The first rain of the season fell over portions of Southern California Sunday. At Santa Barbara the storm lasted three hours and the streets were flooded. The weather indications point to more rain. At Ventura, where there had been no rain since last May, quite a heavy precipitation occurred. The storm was quite general over Central and Northern California.

Rev. Richard H. Kennedy, the Congregational minister, has been acquitted of the charge of having entered the house of E. H. Warren, a slight distance east of Hillsboro, on the early morning of September 1, and committed a burglary. The jury was out until about 4:30 Sunday morning, when they agreed, and signed a sealed verdict, just as soon as it was known that an agreement had been effected. Mr. Kennedy was appraised of the fact. It had come to light that the verdict was acquittal, and the minister was greatly affected.

Attorney Bentley made preparations to apply to Judge Belinger, of the United States District court, at Portland, for a writ of habeas corpus for Armstrong, the condemned murderer, whose execution is fixed for next Friday at Baker City. Bentley was advised of the adverse ruling of the Supreme Court of the state and Armstrong was informed. To all appearances Armstrong is resigned to his fate, although he showed more signs of nervousness Sunday than he has at any time since his arrest. Sheriff Brown is proceeding with the preparations for the execution. Armstrong's attorneys still insist that their client will not be executed Friday or at any other time.

Money amounting to \$6,000,000 is spent by the Department of Agriculture to show the farmer how to get more money from his farm, his livestock and his dairy, and at the same time to improve his soil. Four thousand persons,

2,000 of whom are scientists, are engaged in this educational work. This department is a great educational institution, and it is seeking for bright men who can be taught how to tell the farmer what to do to improve his condition. Whenever a particularly bright young fellow who has graduated at one of the state agricultural colleges is found the department tries to get him to learn what it is doing and then go out and assist in the general work of educating the farmer along the right lines.

Dissolution Notice.

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Claude Thayer and wife to H. A. Brooks. Lote 7 & 8 Block 42, Thayer's 5th addition to Tillamook. \$135.00

U. S. A. to Lewis L. Smith. Patent. W 1/2 SW Sec 1 & NE SE & SE NE Sec 2 1 N 10.

Lewis Parrish to Fred Kabke. W 1/2 of E 1/2 of SW 35 2 N 10. \$1.00

Sarah F. Hayward to Floyd W. King. SE SW 4 2 S 9. \$450.00

State of Oregon to William W. Armstrong. 26 54 acres of tide land in Sec 53 3 N 10. \$53.08

Albert Mason and wife to Mrs. A. E. Branch. Bond for deeds for 54 acres off North end of Quick D. L. C. \$2430.00

Five mortgages filed to secure \$1700.00

The Kingdom of God.

TO THE EDITOR TILLAMOOK HEADLIGHT I Cor. x. 26. For the earth is the Lord's, and the fullness thereof. It is his by right of creation.—Matt. v. 5. Blessed are the meek: for they shall inherit the earth. God has just as much right to take the earth from us and plant a nation that respects his will, as he had to take it from the Indians and give it to us. When we were children, one claimed the cow, another the chickens, and another the pigs, &c., but when the cow died it was the loss of the whole family, when the pigs were butchered they were for the use of all. Civilization divides the earth up into lots. Under savage rule what one had all had, everything was in common, there was no incentive to put forth any special effort to produce anything, for everyone would come and help himself until it was all gone. We have heard men tell of trying to get ahead under such unfavorable circumstances. Socialism talks feasible enough, but do away with proprietorship and we sink back to the savage.

The kingdom of God is the only advancement of civilization, it points to God the sovereign ruler, and as many as comply with his will as his subjects. It is his great family, what difference does it make who owns the earth if he is subject to the will of God.

The rich man owns what he has by law, but who made the laws, if he bribed the law makers he can't look to God for protection, it is the unjust and unequal laws that the kingdom of God conflicts with. If a man is subject to the will of God the more wealth he has the better it is for those who live near him, but if not, he becomes an oppressor, that is the one the socialist objects to.

The kingdom of God will be filled but strange that the better class offer an excuse, one says I have bought some land, another some oxen, another I have just married, every one is provided with an excuse that shuts himself out, the publican and Pharisee are the only ones that avail themselves of the opportunity. Just as it is in the savage world, the chief and high men want to remain and enjoy the distinction that would not be noticed in the civil world, so men of high degree in the civil world would enjoy no special privileges in the kingdom of God. All men and women are equal at the foot of the cross. The kingdom of God is the greatest reality in this world, it is the only thing that can stand the shame, disgrace and remorse to an insane asylum. The cross of Christ was the greatest shame in its time, the lions den and fiery furnace in their day, but to be buried alive in a lunatic asylum, is more horrible than any death that the human mind can conceive of. Yet it is unable to drive a man to distraction, whose mind and heart is staved by a simple faith in the sovereignty of God our royal king. J. C. GOVE.

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