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If not, read the following law and have your Butter Wrappers
printed, with your name and weight of butter thereon.

Do You Comply With the Butter Law?

CAUTION!

CHAPTER 179, SECTION 3.

It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, association or corporation to sell, offer or expose for sale, any short weight butter within the State of Oregon. All butter sold or exposed or offered for sale in rolls, prints or squares within the State of Oregon, shall be plainly marked: "Eight ounces, full weight," sixteen ounces, full weight, "twenty-four ounces, full weight," or "thirty-two ounces, full weight," and ever roll, print or square sold, offered or exposed for sale shall contain the number of ounces marked thereon, and any person, firm, association or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25.00 nor more than \$100.00, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than six months; or both such fine and imprisonment.

The Journal can furnish you with good parchment Butter Wrappers, printed according to law, at \$1.25 for the first hundred and 25 cents for each additional 100. This includes stock and printing. We are printing for the best buttermakers in this valley, and would like to add your name to our list of satisfied customers.

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Entertainment. In the home
A Louisville barrister escorted his wife and daughter to a lecture and then to his wife's appearance disappeared. He was on hand, however, when the meeting was over.

"Hello, here, Theodore," said a friend, meeting a barrister and his family in a street car, "been to the lecture?" The lawyer stooped a look at his wife's face.

"No," he answered, "just going."—From Success Magazine

No Advancement.
Experts in Brazilian agriculture unite in affirming that methods of growing tobacco, gathering the crop and curing it have changed little, if at all, since the days of the early colonists, two centuries ago. Practically nowhere is there any idea of tilting the soil and cultivating the crop with an instrument more modern than the spade.

The London Feather Market.
The London market for the importation of plumage for ladies' hats is the largest in the world and it is estimated that 5,000 persons are employed in the manufacturing and other work incidental to this trade. The value of the imports is said to be \$3,500,000 to \$4,000,000 a year.—Punch and Stream.

Age of Fishes.
Until within recent years there had been ascertained no trustworthy way of finding out the age of fish. It has been shown that mere size does not indicate age. Reibisch, Heinicke and others have discovered that many of the bones, scales and otoliths of fishes have annual age rings, resembling those in tree trunks.

Inevitable.
"Dey ain't no use talkin' to a woman," said Charcoal Eph as he emerged from a dispute with Mrs. Charcoal. "She done bound 't git 'er wid weepin' ar hammah yo' wid a fastiron, bullye me! Han' me de hose liniment, Mistah Jackson!"—Baltimore Sun.

Conversation Under the Sea.
About 30,000,000 words a year pass under the sea, through cables linking British and North American ports.

To Get the Best Light.
When using oil lamps the housewife is always very careful that every part of the lamp is scrupulously clean and the burner is bolted to remove any accumulation of dirt. She forgets, though, that her gas jet is just as likely to accumulate soil. Often there is quite a little collection of dust and if this is cleared away the improvement in the light is noticeable.

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HON. JAPANESE COMPLAINS TO HON. RAILROAD

Shikaro Takomoto, "Japanese passenger," has written to the Hon. S. Pacific Company, earnestly asking why, "please, do engineer 9:30 evening p. m. freight train necessary blow whistle with so long lasting of sounds for calling back end brakeman if 5 short whistle call would wake his baby and back end brakeman with same effect each departure?" And Takomoto, too, has some suggestions regarding Pullman cars.

"Dear Hon. S. Pacific:

"I residing in these Suisun City and question, please, do engineer 9:30 evening p. m. freight train necessary blow whistle with so long lasting of sounds for calling back end brakeman if 5 short whistle call would wake my baby and back end brakeman with same effect each departure? Many other trains at crossings raise same long noises; cannot all lives be safe with less awaking of almost the dead?"

"Also recent time of late I travel with hon. employ in lovely electric light Pullman car 'Aliena' and cannot find safety place to lose my watch and American Eagle (\$10) for complete safety. Could not honorable pullman save 25c from every gentleman in lower berth rate financial condition by inserting in smoke room wash place, one small deposit box convenience (10c to porter upon arrival at destination to leave key with it) so saving temptation of robbery under pillow.

Thanking you for quiet relief to home and very grateful for travel safely.

Yours truly,
Shikaro Takomoto.
Japanese Passenger."

The Southern Pacific has answered Takomoto and assured him that it will do all it can that "all lives be safe with less awaking of almost the dead."

NUMBER OF APPLE TREES DECREASING

The Intermountain Fruit Journal, published at Denver, recently printed a carefully compiled table showing the decrease in bearing apple trees in the United States during the decade from 1900 to 1910 amounted to 50,471,924 trees. This is a surprising bit of news to fruitgrowers in the Pacific Northwest, who were of the opinion that the apple business might soon be overdone on account of extensive planting of orchards in this section. It would appear from the figures of the Journal carefully compiled by states that the loss in other states far exceeds the gain in the Northwest. The fruitgrower need have no fear of an over supply of extra fancy apples such are grown here. The demand will increase faster than the acreage of new orchards.—Nampa Record.

Killed in Runaway.

Helen Derrick, 12 years old, daughter of A. A. Derrick, well-to-do stockman and rancher on Willow creek, was killed Friday evening in a runaway accident near Jamieson, 18 miles north of Vale. Her sister, Hester, who was with her, was also seriously injured.—Huntington News.

Sheriff Kerfoot arrived at Vale Saturday last from an extended trip around the circle in search of delinquents. On his trip he found himself at Hailey, Idaho, last week and on arising found the water frozen all over town.—Vale Enterprise.

Weiser directors are planning a new high school building to cost \$75,000, because of the rapid growth of the Weiser schools, and the movements meets with popular favor.

Dunn Says Business Conditions Are Good

Dunn's Trade Review of business in the Northwest, which has just been issued, shows none of the conditions at present or for the future so freely predicted by the standpatters. It says:

"The county reports, with few exceptions, indicate an increased acreage in cultivation and the prospect of a larger average yield per acre. No general damage has been suffered by any of the cereals, although several areas were injured by unseasonable drouth and high winds in the early spring. The first cutting of alfalfa and clover was generally a loss owing to late rain. Fruit, with the exception of the early cherries and berries, is conceded to have favorable prospects.

"Of several hundred reports received from jobbers, manufacturers, and leading wholesale and retail houses, 80 per cent show an increase in volume of business. 17 per cent show a decrease and 3 per cent no change. Of the same reports 40 per cent show collections improved, 33 per cent no change and 27 per cent show collections worse. Of houses reporting, 33 per cent claim prospects better for an increase of trade in the ensuing months of the year, 42 per cent regard prospects as equal to those of 1912 and 25 per cent regard prospects worse than in the corresponding period of the previous year.

"The building permits for Portland, Seattle, Spokane and Tacoma for the six months are:

1912—\$15,796,186.00.
1913—\$16,124,516.00.
This shows an increase of \$328,329.00.

The total bank clearings of the four large cities for the same period were:

1912—\$748,737,937.36.
1913—\$798,688,865.39.
An increase of \$49,950,928.03.

Regarding the prospects at Nyssa the Review says:

"There is an increase of 10 per cent all around in the acreage sown to grain. The prospect is for a crop equal to that of 1912, in amount, although there will be a slight decrease in yield per acre.

"Two new pumping systems will bring several thousand acres under cultivation. Business prospects are better."

Dr. Charles C. Smith, an osteopath of Boise, has appealed to the supreme court. He was convicted of manslaughter and sentenced to 10 years in the penitentiary for the alleged starving of Miss Clara F. Foy, a school teacher, who fasted 49 days under his treatment for stomach trouble.

New Section of the Train.
Henry Miller, the actor-manager, is always in earnest when he is rehearsing a play, and he frequently makes remarks that sink deep into sensitive souls of the people in the cast with him.

Not long ago he was greatly incensed by the inability of an actor to read a line according to instructions, and this is what he said to the delinquent:

"My dear sir, you ought to go down on your knees and scrub out the cellar of your intellect."—Twice-a-Month Popular.

Privilege of the 400.
Miss Parvenu—"I was almost sorry, ma, that you spoke so rudely to that poor little Mrs. Willis." Mamma—"Well, my dear, pray where is the satisfaction of being in the best of society if you cannot snub those who are out of it?"

Millions in Steamships.
The American merchant steamships completed in the last twelve months aggregate more than 135,000 tons, approximating in cost \$12,000,000.

An Insinuation.
Scribbles—I say, old man, the first edition of my book is exhausted. Dribbles—Well, I trust your friends appreciate your generosity.

For Sale.
Pure blood White Minorca cockerels, April hatch, \$1.00 each. Best large egg producing strain W. W. Smith, Box 265, Nyssa, Or.—adv. j3-tf

WAS DESTRUCTIVE CLOUD BURST

One Man Drowned and Much Valuable Property on South Mountain Destroyed.

The prolonged hot, sultry weather brought on a severe storm that did much damage to the immediate region where it struck. On the head of Cabin creek on South mountain there was a sheep camp of the Azcuenaga Live Stock Co. and Toseblo Sabalbeasco, one of their herders was caught by the rushing waters caused by a cloudburst, or water spout, and drowned. The camp tender was with him and when water began to fall in such heavy torrents they commenced moving their camping outfit to higher ground, and the herder went back for a small pup he valued highly. Before he could secure the pup and gain the higher ground he was caught by the water, driftwood, dirt and rocks which swept down the creek in a wall fully 15 feet high, sweeping everything before it.

Nothing living can withstand the force of these destructive floods if in their path, and the man was carried some distance down the stream and covered with debris. This occurred on last Wednesday afternoon and a messenger was sent here (a distance of 40 odd miles) and several parties left for the scene of the disaster early Thursday morning to find the body, which they fortunately did, and brought it in, arriving early this morning. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Tim Lequerica of this place.

A mule that was tied near the tent was drowned and washed down the creek considerable distance. The tent and camp fixtures that had not been taken to higher ground were not found.

About two miles below this camp was the homestead of Warren Duncan, which is reported to be ruined by the bottom land being covered with rocks and other debris, but as the creek bottom widens out considerable the force of the flood caused no loss of life, although being over a foot deep on the floor of the houses. Their crops of all kinds were destroyed, but minute details have not been received.

Joe Lessman, living on another creek that heads near the head of Cabin creek, is reported to have lost about 40 acres of fine timothy. —Jordan Valley Express.

\$40,000 PRUNE SALE REPORTED

Weiser.—One of the most sensational sales of Idaho fruit ever recorded is reported by Miles Cannon of this city. The sale, negotiated by Cannon's sales agents, the Northwestern Fruit Exchange of Portland, is of the entire 1913 crop of his prune orchard, and involves a cash consideration of approximately \$40,000. The transaction is a bona fide, outright sale, f. o. b. cars at the orchard, a large cash deposit having passed from buyer to seller to bind the bargain. In addition, the buyer is to have his representative at shipping point to inspect and accept all cars as they go forward. The price basis is the most satisfactory and profitable for several seasons.

When Ray Boyd of Sparta started out Wednesday across his homestead after his cows, a full grown coyote sneaked up behind him and bit his leg. He had trouble in driving the animal away, and when he reached home again he found that it had whipped his dog and was eating his chickens. Boyd then evened up the score by killing the coyote with his shotgun.