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WILL KILL DISEASED CAYUSES

Eastern Oregon Range Ponies Condemned to Death

The Wild Rovers of the Hills and Destroyers of Bunch Grass Have Incurable Disease

The Oregon Domestic Animal Commission held a meeting this morning and there were present Geo. E. Chamberlain, governor, and F. I. Dunbar, secretary of state.

The state veterinarian, upon receipt of numerous complaints from the eastern portion of the state, near the Umatilla Indian reservation, that horses afflicted with contagious and infectious diseases were at large on the ranges in that section and were liable to communicate the diseases with which they were afflicted to the animals in the surrounding country, had

been directed by the board to proceed to the neighborhood and investigate conditions, and report to the board.

In obedience to these instructions he went to Castle Rock, Morrow county, Oregon, within the territory from which complaints came, and on the 24th of March reported to the board that he found from 400 to 600 horses afflicted with contagious and infectious diseases running at large in the neighborhood, and liable to infect animals in that section; that they were in the main incurable, and they were worthless for any purpose. It was ordered by the board that such of said animals as the state veterinarian shall consider to be incurable and worthless shall be killed, and that he take such action with reference to those which are curable as in his judgment may be best to prevent the spread of disease.

It was further ordered that the animals killed by the veterinarian be buried for the protection of the domestic animals in that section, and that the said veterinarian make due report and return of his proceedings under this order of the board.

The board found that the animals hereinbefore referred to are worthless because of their diseased condition, and the incurable nature thereof, and therefore appraised the value of said animals at nothing.

Live with thy inferiors as thou would have thy superiors live with thee.—Epictetus.

BOTKIN TRIAL DRAGS

San Francisco, March 25.—The morning session in the Botkin trial was consumed by arguments over the testimony of Prof. Price, the poison expert. The defense claims there is no proof the candy handed over to him for analysis was some of the same received at Dover. The court will pass on the question later.

Whitney L. Boise is Chosen.

C. H. Carey has withdrawn from active leadership of the Republican forces in Portland. His successor is Whitney L. Boise, who was elected last night chairman of the new Republican city and county central committee, and also chairman of the managing or sub-committee of that body. The other members of the managing committee to the number of 14 are yet to be chosen. J. J. Cole was elected permanent secretary of the central committee.

Mr. Boise is now in Washington, working for the passage of the Lewis and Clark bill. He will return probably in the next fortnight. The central committee last night delegated to five of their members the duty of selecting the 14 men for the managing committee. They will doubtless confer with Mr. Boise before announcing their selections.

DIED.

OLLSCHLAGER.—At the insane asylum, Thursday, March 24, 1904, Henry Ollschlager, aged 83 years.

Deceased was a native of Germany, where he grew to manhood, and a number of years ago he came to Oregon. For many years he was a familiar figure on the streets of Salem, and until a few years ago he had a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. In recent years his mind failed, and about six months ago he was sent to the asylum. Since his mind began to weaken, Mr. Ollschlager has been gone but very little, and his death at the asylum was expected. He leaves an aged widow and several nephews.

A noble and attractive every-day bearing comes of goodness, of sincerity, of refinement; and these are bred in years not moments.—Bishop F. D. Huntington.

SALOON KEEPER KILLED

Jack Ledros Shot While Locking up His Place for the Night

Everett, Wn., March 25.—Jack Ledros, a saloon keeper at Bryan, Wn., whose life has been threatened many times, was shot through the heart and instantly killed last night by some unknown person, while locking up his saloon. His was the only saloon in town, and the license was granted a short time ago, in spite of a petition signed by nearly every citizen.

WILL FIRE ON ALL SHIPPING. Russian Commandant at Niu Chwang Gives This Order.

Niu Chwang, March 25.—M. Kreutler, an employe of the Russo-Chinese bank, has been appointed consular agent of France at this port. All Russian property is being transferred to him.

Several additional guns are being mounted on the fort, and the Russian commandant has given orders to fire on all shipping that arrives.

The rim of the ice has broken up, and the junks that are lying off the railway wharf have fixed their cables so that they can be slipped at a moment's notice. This dispatch was carried across the river in a sampan (small flat-bottomed boat) between loose cakes of ice.

A messenger who has just arrived from the Yalu states he passed five Russian convoys going east before he reached Hein Yang. He encountered no Japanese, and but 2000 Russians near the Yalu.

SAN JOAQUIN FLOODS GARDENS. Thousands of Acres of Asparagus Ruined.

Stockton, Cal., March 25.—Unprecedented weather conditions prevail here, and so far as the flood is concerned on the islands of the San Joaquin river, the worst has come. Bouldin Island, comprising 7000 acres, is rapidly going under water from a big break in the levee, and 3000 acres of asparagus is ruined.

Rain fell in this locality in torrents Wednesday night and this morning, and shortly before noon a violent hail storm set in. Between times the clouds cleared away and the sun came out bright and warm.

The lowest part of Roberts Island is surrounded with water, and the big reclamation is endangered. If this should be inundated the loss to crops would be immense.

MORE EQUITABLE LIBEL LAW. New Bill Passed One Branch of New York Legislature.

The Wade libel law, which if passed will mean more liberal and equitable libel laws in New York state, has been passed through the assembly. Only six votes were recorded against it. It is understood, however, that the bill will meet with the strongest kind of opposition when it comes up in the senate.

The bill provides that in any civil action for libel charging publication of an erroneous statement alleged to be libelous the defendant may give proof of intention, and the plaintiff shall not be entitled to punitive damages unless he shall show malice on the part of the defendant or that the defendant failed, within a reasonable time after receiving notice in writing to correct and retract the said statement in as conspicuous and public

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a manner as that in which the original statement was published. Upon publication of such correction and retraction the defendant may plead the same in mitigation of damages.

Raised Their Salaries.
Washington, March 25.—The post-office appropriation bill passed late this afternoon. The item raising the salaries of rural free delivery carriers to \$750 per annum, and taking from them the express and news agent privilege was retained after a sharp debate.

Real Estate Transfers.
J. P. Rogers and wife to J. A. Darr and wife lots 7 and 8, in block 8, Salem, for \$4250.

R. S. and I. C. Bean have transferred to Anna B. Hofer land in Central Addition to Salem, \$5750.

A. F. Hofer and wife have deeded to R. S. Bean lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block 4, Frickey's addition to Salem, for \$3500.

N. O. Togstad and wife to L. S. Nordgard, 25 acres in t 6 s, r 1 w, for \$1400.

A. Balster and wife to J. Koenig, 40 acres in t 8 s, r 1 w, for \$1840.

Addie Parvin and Z. M. Parvin to Henry Nevens, 5 acres in lot 7, Liberty fruit farms for \$1900.

Portland and Return Only \$2.20.
The Southern Pacific is now selling round trip tickets to Portland from Salem for \$2.20, good going Saturday p. m., or any train of Sunday, returning Sunday and Monday, giving all day Sunday and Monday in Portland.

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- 500 yds of embroideries, worth up to 4c, 5c and 6c yd; sale price, yard3c
- 500 yards wash India silks, all colors, yard25c
- 35c White Oxford waisting, yd.19c
- 50c Etamines, new, yd22c
- 10c linen crash, yd5 1/2c
- 45c wool dress goods, yd35c
- 18c dotted Swiss; 40 inches wide; sale price, yd12 1/2c
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