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IN THE TRUST AN INCENDIARY?

For the third time the flax industry is prostrated by fire at Salem.

Three destructive fires in succession aimed at one particular effort to establish the flax industry looks bad.

Would the Harbour flax trust, or any cordage or twine corporation go so far as to have these fires set?

IT DOES NOT LOOK REASONABLE.

But the establishment of this industry in Oregon is a menace to immense interests in the East.

Oregon cannot only grow better flax, but can grow it cheaper than any Eastern state.

Let it be hoped that no trust will ever be caught attempting to destroy an incipient rival industry.

It would be a cold day for the whole brood of capitalistic vermin if one of them was ever caught at incendiarism.

SALMON GOING NORTH

For the first time the British Columbia salmon pack exceeds that on Puget Sound.

It will be but a few years when the pack of Alaska will surpass that of all the other countries south.

The white man's destructiveness will wipe out this noble food fish on this coast as surely as it did on the Atlantic.

Take the erection of dams on the streams in Southern Oregon by mining and milling companies, that destroy whole rivers of salmon.

Could a greater outrage be committed than to slay millions of these fish on their way to the spawning grounds.

YET ALL THIS GOES UNPUNISHED BY THE STATE AUTHORITIES.

One bay and one river after another ceases to have salmon runs, and the great fish disappear as if by magic, never to return.

The outrage of shutting the salmon out of the Willamette and its tributaries has been endured for forty years.

Even when fish ladders are constructed at Oregon City ways are found to take the defenceless fish as they are about to come over the falls.

There is this to say for the white man: He finds other and more productive food supplies to take the place of the salmon and the buffalo.

THE NEW GRAND JURY.

That august body is in session at Portland.

It does not know what it is called together for, nor does anyone else.

Of course, there are plenty of unexplored timber and school land frauds that can be unearthed.

There are men in Oregon holding United States offices, and also drawing salaries from the state.

THERE ARE PLENTY OF FRAUDS OF A FINANCIAL CHARACTER TO INVESTIGATE.

The newspapers are filled with the exploits of the President, and the investigation of frauds in all the departments.

Beyond convicting four professional land-grabbers, and one poor old man in his dotage, nothing has been accomplished.

Let us hope the new grand jury will get busy, perform its duties and adjourn.

It is stated that its principal tasks will be to indict persons already indicted, or who have escaped conviction.

CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA.

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HENEY LOSES A POINT.

Court Denies Motion to Strike Out Part of Complaint.

Judge Arthur L. Frazer, of the state circuit court, in Portland Monday, morning denied the motion filed to strike out parts of the complaint in the \$50,000 damage suit brought against United States District Attorney Francis J. Heney by Attorney Charles F. Lord.

MRS. MANSFIELD WINS HER SUIT

Famous Divorce Case Ended by Decision of Judge George.

Judge George, Monday afternoon, in Portland, handed down a decision in favor of the plaintiff in the well-known divorce suit of Hattie E. Mansfield against Claud H. Mansfield, which was tried in the circuit court two months ago.

Mrs. Mansfield, therefore, gets one-third of the famous Broitenbush hot springs, in Marion county, 14 miles from Detroit, the terminus of the Corvallis & Eastern railroad.

Judge George also granted a motion for a new trial in the case of W. D. Randall against the Southern Pacific Railway Company this afternoon.

Other decisions of minor importance were handed down by Judge George this afternoon.

Clew to Van Dran Murderer.

If the information in the hands of the district attorney proves correct, says the Telegram, a negro employed as porter at the Van Dran saloon, who suddenly disappeared the evening following the day on which the murder was committed, will be brought to the city in the custody of a local officer on the charge of complicity in the murder.

The negro has been located in a Washington city, presumably Spokane, and the district attorney took steps today to certify the man's identification, and secure his arrest.

Below the suspicion that this porter committed the dastardly crime has been found the traces of the even more atrocious implication of an enemy of Van Dran, who, it is thought by many of the officers interested in the case, employed the negro to do the job.

This last clew now seems to be the sole hope of the officers. They have been following it up for several days, and first located the negro porter Sunday.

He is said to have given no notice to Van Dran that he would quit, but suddenly demanded his pay and left.

The negro was in the habit of going on errands and taking drinkables to the Van Dran flat, and had unusual privileges about the place.

Crimes Against Animals

"The cooks of today," write Yuan Mei, a Chinese author of the nineteenth century, "think nothing of mixing in one soup the meat of chicken, duck, pig and goose. But these chickens, ducks, pigs and geese have doubtless souls, and these souls will most certainly file complaints in the next world of the way they have been treated in this.



Smiles from the Type-Writer.

There are still a number of people in the world who refer to it as the "telefome," and talk about using the "fome, and 'foming to their neighbor."

There will be a bang-up twentieth century telephone exchange in use at Salem soon, but it will be the same old telephone girl, and she will wear the latest pattern of shirt waist.

Three hundred Chinese were admitted into the United States last month. There is no evidence that they have been missed from the four hundred and more millions of the inhabitants of the Chinese empire.

"Yes," said the prosperous Yamhill county Democrat at the Portland exposition, "them vaseline engines is all right. I've seen 'em operate a 20-horse-power engine on a schooner and it went all right."

Emile Sauret, the famous violinist, will make a short concert tour this season under the direction of William K. Ziegler, manager of the Chicago Musical College. His first appearance will be in Philadelphia as soloist with the Philadelphia orchestra.

FRAUD EXPOSED.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease for over 35 years.

Tonka, the usual cheat for vanilla, costs one or two cents for a certain amount Schilling's Best vanilla a dollar.

One is strong; the other is fine. One is rank; the other is delicate. Nevertheless four fifths of "vanilla" is tonka. The 98 cents accounts for it.

Going to Bed in India.

Going to bed in India is a very different process from going to bed at home. To begin with, it is a far less formal process. There is in the hot season no shutting of the door, so cutting yourself off from the outer world, no going up stairs, and, finally, no getting into bed, which, with its bedding, is so simple as to be worth describing.

Notice to Taxpayers.

The board of equalization for Marion county, Oregon, will meet at the office of the county clerk Monday, August 28th, 1906, and publicly examine the assessment roll for the year 1905, and correct all errors in valuation, description or qualities of land, lots or other property.

All parties interested are requested to appear and examine their assessments for the year 1905, and have all errors corrected by said board if any there be.

FRED J. RICE, Assessor of Marion county, Or. Salem, Oregon, August 1st, 1906. 3-3-5wk

A Bootless Attempt.

"Ma," said Tommy Twaddles, looking up from his reading of "Terry the Teapot," "what is a bootless attempt?" "It's the sort your father makes to get in without my hearing him when he comes home late from the club," answered Ma Twaddles, cheerily. Pa doesn't stop to remove 'em at the foot of the stairs now. He knows it's no use.—Cleveland Leader.

JOURNAL OPEN FORUM

Correspondents need not sign names to communication in good faith, and not personal, and of local interest.

Editor Journal:—In the interest of the farmers you can say in your valuable paper that broom corn raised in the Willamette Valley is all right, and I am willing to pay \$80 a ton cash for it. Sample of the same can be seen at the office of Derby & Wilson, raised on Keizer Bottom, by Mr. A. W. Froglee, who has planted one-half acre Broom corn this year in a failure down East. They have planted one-half as much as last year and they have had so much hot wind, which has injured the crop a good deal. Twenty-five cent brooms will be scarce in 1906.

E. HANSCH, Salem Broom Factory.

Editor Journal:—I write to thank you for the article in The Journal, headed "Trials by Popular Sentiment." It certainly is a good sign to the people of Oregon when a paper of ability has courage in the face of recent events to come squarely out for right and justice. By the way, did Mr. Heney leave his hat when he left for California? Surely there is something the matter, or the papers down there would be this be telling us how the people of Oregon stand. Now, Mr. Journal, don't you think it would be a good idea to review the whole matter, say from the day the president had his picture taken with Uncle Binger. How much short of 43,000 plurality would his vote have been if he had told the people of Oregon that if he was elected he would retain Mr. Hitchcock in his cabinet? Don't you think if some shrewd lawyer had the backing of the government and the use of three of the best detectives on the trail of the Secretary of the Interior, H. W. S. and M. W. A. and one or two others, that he would come as near finding a conspiracy as Mr. Heney did?

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