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THE JOURNAL STANDS FOR PROGRESS, DEVELOPMENT, GOOD GOVERNMENT, AND NO DEGRADED LABOR.

AN ESTIMATE OF HARRIMAN.

(Editor Hurley in the Oregon Oriano.)

It is often thought that the words of a rich man are infallible when considering money matters.

IS IT TRUE?

Because a man has taken opportunity by the forelock and pushed forward along certain lines which have been easily seen, and become rich DOES IT FOLLOW HE IS INFALLIBLE.

Chance has made these men what they are to a greater or lesser degree.

We say they came from the ranks; a poor man comes to be president of the United States; a poor boy becomes in time a great railroad magnate; a lad raised on a ten acre farm comes to be a builder of a great city and thus his name becomes a by-word.

By personal effort these men overcame their surroundings but fate also played its hand.

E. H. Harriman became a railroad magnate of great power by seeing the effect of combining railroads, and increasing the amount of stock so that it would barely pay its dividends, and USING THE SURPLUS MONEY TO BUY OTHER ROADS.

A man of his ability would be presumed to see the hand of fate and prepare to meet it, but in place of that in his charges against President Roosevelt he has committed an error which is liable to force him down from his leading place in financial circles.

EVERY MAN WHO IS AN ORGANIZER IS DEPENDENT ON SCORES OF OTHER MEN and when ever their confidence in him is destroyed his position is soon filled by others who are ready and willing to take his place.

This is the case the world over and the bigger the man the more momentous the drop when the platform is removed.

THE INFAMY OF BETRAYED CONFIDENCE.

The Portland Telegram, in a spasm of moral uprightness, says:

"Stenographer Hill, the young man who sold a transcript of his notes of the famous Harriman letter, is guilty of a contemptible offense which is held to be criminal. He has been arrested, and there is the promise of vigorous prosecution. As the case stands there is reasonable probability that Hill may land in the penitentiary. At all events he will be held in utter public contempt—HE WILL BE REGARDED AS A LOWER GRADE OF CRIMINAL than the common thief."

We heartily endorse the sentiments of the Telegram.

A stenographer or private secretary who hires out to convict an employer IS A CRIMINAL.

An employe who enjoys a trusted, confidential relation, and then betrays the employer whose bread and butter he has eaten IS TOO LOW TO BE CLASSED WITH CRIMINALS.

What becomes of persons like Robertson, who betrayed Senator Mitchell's confidence, or several who at present are betraying Congressman Hermann?

THEY DISAPPEAR IN AN OBLIVION OF DESERVED OBLIQUE AND CONTEMPT.

Will the Telegram extend its condemnation to Robertson, Rittenhouse, et al., who have been the main instruments in the prosecution of Mitchell and Hermann?

IF IT UPHOLDS THOSE BETRAYERS OF CONFIDENTIAL RELATIONS, then every business and professional man better work his own machine and copy his own letters.

CHIVALROUS FRIENDS OF THE PEOPLE.

It is amazing how chivalrous are the boasted friends of the people. When a combination of predatory elements propose to loot the state treasury of OVER \$600,000 FOR HIGHER EDUCATION.

When there are hundreds of school districts in the state that have never more than three to four months of the very poorest common schools;

When the farmers and taxpayers raise a hand to strike a blow in resistance to organized-graft of predatory officialism;

Then the boasted friends of the people, who live off the people, ALL TAKE THE SIDES OF THE GRAFTING COMBINATION THAT ROBS THE TAXPAYERS.

The great newspapers that get their daily bread from the common people;

The state politicians that fleece the public for a living and tell always how dearly they love the masses.

Even the father of the referendum takes his stand with the Spoilers, and say MY HEART IS WITH YOU BUT MY HAND IS AGAINST YOU.

Where is the boasted chivalry of the loaches and parasites that only want the votes of the people to serve their own game?

The farmers and taxpayers must fight alone and single-handed for any crumb of reform that falls from the tables of their masters.

Blood Humors

Persistent Eczema—Druggist Advised Proper Medicine—Another Complete Cure.

It makes no difference how severe or long-seated a case of bad blood, humors, eczema or scrofula may be, Hood's Sarsaparilla cures just the same.

It has the greatest record of any medicine ever made. Has received the largest number of testimonials—40,369 in two years.

It is the one above all others for you to take if you need a thoroughly good medicine for your blood.

Read the following from Mr. C. C. Bailey, a well-known pump manufacturer, of Champaign, Ill.

"When I asked my doctor what that eruption was which came under my right ear, and which had refused to yield to home treatment, he said it was a bad case of eczema and that it would take a long time to cure it. Another doctor said it was about the worst case he ever saw. I followed their advice for 16 months, and still the eruption would not heal.

"One day I asked the druggist if he had anything he thought would do me good. He said if anything would cure me it was



C. C. BAILEY.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, and advised that I buy three bottles, watch the results, and be governed accordingly. There was such decided improvement at the end of that time that another bottle effected a complete cure." C. C. Bailey, 46 E. University avenue, Champaign, Ill.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Will convince and cure where given a fair trial. Buy a bottle today.

Sarsaparilla are Hood's Sarsaparilla in tablet form. Have identical appearance and the same curative properties. 100 doses \$1. Lowell, Mass.

GUARANTEED under the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906. No. 324.

NORRIS & ROWE'S COMING.

Annual Tour Will Celebrate Twentieth Year of Partnership—Souvenirs Given.

The well known young showmen, Norris & Rowe, send assurances to us from their Santa Cruz, winter quarters, that they will exhibit here in the spring. The coming season will witness many innovations and improvements in their greater circus. It will mark the twentieth year of their co-partnership and to fittingly celebrate the occasion, the tour will be known as "The Jubilee Souvenir Season." They are having made to their order hundreds of thousands of costly and pretty souvenirs that will be distributed free to their patrons. It will be the first season that they will travel in three sections of fifteen cars each making their circuit forty-five cars in all. It is a fact that the Norris & Rowe circus has grown larger and faster than any other show in the world. It was always a railroad circus and never a wagon show as all other American circuses were at their inception. The parade this year will be a gorgeous pageant. They will have more bareback somersault riders, both male and female than ever before and more gymnasts, acrobats, aerial and mid-air acts, trained wild and domestic animals, bicycle acts, marching Shetland ponies, drilled Arabian stallions, camels, dromedaries, Llamas, hippodrome races and arena features of a sensational nature than they have ever presented before.

The menagerie has grown greatly both by purchase and numerous births at the winter quarters. A pair of tiny cub lions, four Siberian bear cubs and a baby tigress are among the native sons and daughters of most interest. The show has the greatest spread of all new canvas that they have ever exhibited under. This western circus has always received a cordial welcome here and the coming season should prove no exception.

"Pneumonia's Deadly Work

Had so seriously affected my right lung," writes Mrs. Fannie Connor, of Rural Route 1, Georgetown, Tenn., "that I coughed continuously night and day and the neighbors' prediction—consumption—seemed inevitable, until my husband brought home a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, which in my case proved to be the only real cough cure and restorer of weak, sore lungs." When all other remedies utterly fail, you may still win in the battle against lung and throat troubles with New Discovery, the real cure. Guaranteed by J. C. Perry, druggist, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Higher Prices Predicted.

Belfast, April 13.—Commenting upon the situation in the linen market, the Belfast News-Letter says: "So far as our staple trade is concerned, it would appear as if the top rung of the ladder had not even yet been reached, and were it not for the lengthened time required by producers as regards delivery, it is unquestionable that extensive contracts could be booked, just now, even at the most extreme requirements from a cost standpoint.

"America remains in the lead which it took in the consumption of the lightest and finer makes of white goods, but, while such is the case, the numerous other classes of linens continue in demand far beyond expectations, even the long neglected damask goods moving off with a considerable amount of freedom.

"Our home markets, which seemed to waken up shortly after the present year opened, have been taking goods in a steadily increasing fashion, and there are certain indications that the volume will speedily become much more in keeping with what ought to be than what has been in evidence during the past few years, because whatever was the cause for it, there is no doubt that the demand for linen goods from our home markets have been wretchedly poor for several years back. Spinners have been able to add largely to their orders for line weaves, and the almost record prices of 6c 9d to 7s for the range of numbers have been paid for considerable quantities, with a rather lengthened time arranged for delivery. Tow yarns have been in steady request, but, so far as they are concerned, there has been the same disposition shown to forestall the future.

"Continental spinners, as a rule, are not offering much for delivery during the present year, and indeed, it may be said, that the deliveries which they are at present making opposite orders close upon two years ago are anything but satisfactory to consumers. In the manufacturing end the chief business done was in light goods for dress purposes, for which some large contracts were

placed. Most manufacturers are now quite as well booked ahead as they desire to be, and the conditions, so far as delivery is concerned, are in all cases of a most unblinding description."

Call for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the City of Salem, Oregon, at the office of the city recorder, at the city hall in said city, up to 8 o'clock p. m. on Monday, April 22, 1907, for the improvement of State street in the city of Salem, Oregon, from the East line of Commercial street to the west line of Church street, in the said city, by grading said portion of State street and paving the same with Warren's Bitulithic Waterproof Pavement, and to widen the sidewalks on a portion of said street, in accordance with the plans and specification now on file in the office of the city recorder.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check to the value of 10 per cent of the amount of the bid submitted, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract therein prescribed within 10 days after having received notice of the acceptance of his bid, said check to be forfeited to the city of Salem in case the bidder fails to qualify and execute the contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the recorder at the city hall. By order of the common council.

W. A. MOORES, City Recorder.

Date of first publication of this notice, April 9, 1907. 4-9-10t.

A Man Buys His Own.

Arlington Record: Walter Wade, the merchant of Olex, has a large, fine mule, and was very anxious to secure a mate for it, and offered a large, substantial price. His mule was out in pasture. Some of the mischievous "boys" caught him, trimmed his mane and tail, curled and brushed him and slicked him up and then rode him into Olex, and called on Mr. Wade, and informed him that they had a mate for his mule, that they would sell him at a fair price. Mr. Wade looked him over carefully and said he was a good match for his mule, and bought him of the "boys," paying the price agreed upon. When he went to turn him out to pasture with his other mule he found that it was gone, and in tracing up the matter found that he had bought his own mule. In order to get his own money back the boys were treated to about \$20 worth of fine cigars.

Rheumatic Pains.

I have been a very great sufferer from the dreadful disease, rheumatism, for a number of years. I have tried many medicines but never got much relief from any of them until two years ago, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I found relief before I had used all of one bottle, but kept on applying it and soon felt like a different woman. Through my advice many of my friends have tried it and can tell you how wonderfully it has worked.—Mrs. Sarah A. Cole, 140 S. New St., Dover, Del. Chamberlain's Pain Balm is a liniment. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. It makes rest and sleep possible. For sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

Will Be Fine Drive.

The improvement on Thirteenth street is progressing nicely and soon Yew Park will have one of the finest drives in the city. Thirteenth street is to be graded from Leslie to the south city limits which will make a road over a mile in length. The street is being plowed today between Mission and Waller and the work will be finished at the earliest date.



Julia Romaine

Julia Romaine, in "The Parson's Daughter."

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE AT WOODBURN SATURDAY

County School Superintendent Moores has arranged for holding a county teachers' institute at Woodburn Saturday, April 20. The program is as follows:

"Recent School Legislation"—Hon. J. H. Ackerman, state school superintendent.

"Composition in the High School"—Principal E. T. Mariatte, of Salem. "To What Extent Is the School Board Responsible for a Good School?"—Colonel J. M. Poorman, of Woodburn.

In the afternoon a general program will be followed by addresses as follows:

"Domestic Science and Its Possibilities"—Mrs. Clara Waldo.

"The Economic Science of the Teacher's Profession"—M. F. Hanville, of Woodburn.

"How May the Community Help the School?"—Hon. J. H. Ackerman.

Cured Rheumatism.

Mr. Wm. Henry of Chattanooga, Tenn., had rheumatism in his left arm. "The strength seemed to have gone out of the muscles so that it was useless for work," he says. "I applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and wrapped the arm in flannel at night, and to my relief I found that the pain gradually left me and the strength returned. In three weeks the rheumatism had disappeared and has not since returned." If troubled with rheumatism try a few applications of Pain Balm. You are certain to be pleased with the relief which it affords. For sale at Dr. Stone's drug store.

MEALS 15c

AT THE Salem Restaurant

339 COURT STREET.

Call and try our 15c meals. We will give you a 25c meal for 15c, in first-class order.

To Collect Wages.

George De Bord vs. West Scott and John Evans in the suit filed in the Marion circuit court to obtain a judgment against said defendants for \$100. The complaint sets forth that De Bord contracted to build a dam for Scott in Riverside addition of city. The plaintiff stated that he worked 16 1/2 days at \$2 per day. The defendant paid De Bord \$27. The complaint asks judgment for \$27 due upon laborers' lien, also \$21.50 due the laborers' lien assigned to plaintiff by Jessie De Bord, attorney's fees, \$5 for preparing liens and \$2.50 for recording same. Evans has some interest in the real property and is made a defendant in the case.

The clock ticks and ticks the way. Shortening up our lives each day. Eat, drink and be merry. For some day you will be where you can't Rocky Mountain. (Free samples at Dr. Stone's drug store.)

CAPITAL COMMISSION 267 Commercial St. Phone 179

Cash Purchasers Poultry, Eggs, and All Farm Products

Salem Fence Works Headquarters for Wire Fencing. Hop Wire, Barb Wire, Netting, Pickets, Gates, Blinds, P. & B. Ready Roofing. All at lowest prices. Walter Morley Court St. Salem.

Deposits of the Capital National Bank as shown by their published statements for the past five years.

APRIL 30, 1902	\$337,960
APRIL 9, 1903	\$395,974
MARCH 28, 1904	\$473,554
MARCH 14, 1905	\$506,225
MARCH 6, 1906	
MARCH 22, 1907	\$676,726.90

The above record is the result of careful and courteous administration of the interests of its customers and the granting to them of every accommodation consistent with sound banking. Your account is solicited.

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