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THE OLD FARM.

When the busy day is over with its anxious hopes and fears,
 And the telephone stops ringing and the last clerk disappears,
 With a sigh I lean back weary in my swinging office chair,
 And my thoughts go back to childhood and the old farm that is there.

I can see the dear old homestead, broad and low beneath the trees,
 And the rows of shining milk pans sunning in the fresh sweet breeze;
 I can see the barn and horses, and the orchard on the hill
 Where we gathered golden pippins for the old stray cider mill.

I can see the upland pastures dotted o'er with grazing sheep,
 And the wheat field waving golden, ready for the men to reap.
 I can see the old stone fences where the chipmunks used to play,
 And the cornfield, and the meadow with its piles of fragrant hay.

I can see the cattle standing 'neath the willows by the brook,
 Where I used to fish for minnows with a bent pin for a hook;
 And the pond where grew the lilies that my mother used to prize,
 Ah, the light of heaven's shining now within those dear old eyes.

And I sigh while fancy lingers o'er each well-known pleasant scene
 Of the happy days of boyhood thrown by memory on the screen;
 And I'd give all I have gained since, all my wealth and treasure rare,
 To go back again to childhood and the old farm that is there.

From "Maxwell's Tallman."

POSTAL DEPARTMENT TO BLAME.

No matter from what standpoint the so-called reforms of the Postal Department in the matter of carrying the mails are viewed, they will be accepted as a confession that for fully thirty-five years congress and the executive branch of the government have made no attempt TO PREVENT THE ROBBERY OF THE PEOPLE BY THE TRANSPORTATION COMPANIES.

The fraudulent methods of weighing the mails, the correction of which it is said will reduce transportation charges 14 per cent, has been a matter of common notoriety for over a quarter of a century.

The San Francisco Chronicle and other newspapers pointed out the nature of the frauds and their magnitude but congress and THE POSTAL AUTHORITIES PAID NO ATTENTION TO THEIR CHARGES.

Under the circumstances it is colossal effrontery to make the claim that the steps so tardily taken to put an end to the cheating should be regarded as a voluntary reform.

It is wholly compulsory and the department could not get out of making it because it has been "caught with the goods in its person."

Jurors Can Keep Even.

Jurors in the circuit court will hereafter draw \$3 per day instead of \$2 as in the past. The new fee will just about let a farmer get even when called for jury duty. It will be fairly profitable to the average town man of leisure, who delights to serve on a jury. To the retired capitalist, the \$3 will be clear gain, for he can live at home; but the farmer will be out about \$1 per day for board and pay \$2 a day for a man to take his place on the farm. It is altogether probable that the change in the fees will make a difference in the number of excuses offered and the zeal with which they are pressed when men are called to jury duty.

The Magic No. 3.

Number three is a wonderful mascot for Geo. H. Parris of Cedar Grove, Me., according to a letter which reads: "After suffering much with liver and kidney trouble, and becoming greatly discouraged by the failure to find relief, I tried Electric Bitters, and as a result I am a well man today. The first bottle relieved and three bottles completed the cure." Guaranteed best on earth for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by J. C. Perry druggist. 50c.

Tons of Stranded Fish Die.

Residents near the lower end of the Columbia canal complain that tons of fish from the Walla Walla river become stranded in the small laterals and die. Some weigh as much as five pounds each, and the varieties include chubs, suckers, catfish and salmon. It is probable that wire netting will be placed at the mouth of the intake of the big ditch. Many of the residents along the ditch are using the fish as a fertilizer.—Walla Walla Gateway.

The Young Men

Of today will be the business men of tomorrow.

The strongest foundation a young man can lay for a business career is the habit of saving money—spending less than you earn. The best way to form the saving habit is to start a savings account.

We invite the young men of Salem to open an account with us

**SAVINGS DEPARTMENT
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 Bank**

Blast at The Dalles Makes Trouble.

Some careless shooting went on at the scene of the Court street cut this morning about 8:30, and rocks flew lively for a time. While the damage was not so severe as that of last fall, it was dangerous to be safe with a block and a half of the blast. A good-sized rock penetrated the roof of the McCord rooming house, owned by Mrs. S. S. Smith, went through the ceiling and lighting on a rocking chair, broke it. Another buried itself in the roof of H. S. Wilson's house, and still another, weighing about 100 pounds, hit a peach tree in Frank Egan's yard and imbedded itself in the ground. John Fitzgerald's house was also hit, and rocks flew in all directions.

Commissioner Billedeau says they have been working in soft rock, and put in an amount of powder sufficient to shatter that. Instead, however, they struck flinty rock, with the result that it made a scattering which caused serious damage and might have caused fatal injury. Deeming it necessary for the safety of the residents and property in that neighborhood, W. H. Wilson swore out a warrant for the arrest of C. J. Billedeau, who has charge of the work, and Frank Ballard, an assistant, on the charge of criminal carelessness. They appeared before Justice Douthett and their hearing was set for tomorrow at 2 o'clock.—The Dalles Chronicle.

The Texas Wonder.

Cures all kidney, bladder and rheumatic trouble; sold by all druggists, or two months' treatment by mail for \$1. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by Stone's drug store. 4w-1yr

A Landmark Gone.

One of the landmarks of Jackson county and of the county seat is being torn down in Jacksonville. It is the squat little old building that has so long stood in one corner of the court house block, and that years ago served as the office of the county clerk, and in which the business of a territory which now embraces the counties of Jackson, Klamath and Lake, was transacted, the two latter counties at that time forming a part of old Jackson, which spread more than half way across the southern boundary of the state, and comprised a veritable empire within itself. The old building was sold to a Jacksonville carpenter, who is razing it to the ground for the material it contains.—Ashland Tidings.

Success in life is accompanied by increase of enemies. That's why Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has imitators; it's a success. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

HOME FOR FEEBLE MINDED

Can the State Condemn Land It Does Not Actually Need?

Salem, June 18.—1907.

Ed. Journal:
 Considerably discussion has been caused by the action of the board in the matter of selecting a site for a home for the feeble minded. In the first place the selection of two persons, instead of three to report upon the different properties submitted for the state's use, is out of the usual order, and resulted as might have been foreseen in two separate reports neither of which was a majority report. It looks upon the face of it, as though this had been done, in order that the board might decide the matter without going against the majority report. I say it looks that way, for I make no accusations but it is a position the board has placed itself in, and it can find no fault if one calls attention to its appearance. There is another proposition that has a rather queer look and that is, that the board decided to purchase a tract of land which one of the owners did not desire to sell, and which he now refuses to sell. It decided to purchase a law suit along with its lands, and to dispossess a citizen by process of law, of lands he did not desire to sell.

Of the merits of the different tracts submitted for the state's inspection I have nothing to say, for that is a subject about which honest differences of opinion may arise though it is generally conceded that the tract selected is not so well suited for the purposes for which it is desired, as are some of the others.

I do not profess to have a profound knowledge of the law—but it strikes me that while the state has the right of eminent domain, and can condemn property necessary for its use, the question is still an open one, if it can condemn property for its use that is not necessary. In other words, there being an abundance of land that it can get, that is suitable for its purpose, can it arbitrarily take under such conditions any man's property? It may be permitted to do so under the law, but every sense of right and fair dealing is outraged by it. No sane business man is apt to rush into a business transaction, with a law suit attached to it, and I, for one, see no reason why the state should do so.

CITIZEN.

New Incorporations.

H. S. Gilie, W. T. Jenks and Edith E. Jenks filed articles of incorporation in the secretary of state's office yesterday for "The Liberty Orchard Company," with a capitalization of \$3000 and head offices located in Salem. The object of the concern is to conduct a general warehouse business.

The Hood River Mosler Fruit Company was incorporated by H. F. French, C. E. Houston and William N. Neville yesterday. The capital stock was fixed at \$150,000 and the head office will be located in Portland.

The Oregon Realty Company was also incorporated yesterday with a capital stock of \$25,000, and its main office is located in Portland. F. E. Andrews, C. D. Brun and Warren E. Thomas are the incorporators.

Harvey Cole of Woodburn is in the city on business.

Do Not Neglect the Children.

At this season of the year the first unnatural looseness of a child's bowels should have immediate attention. The best thing that can be given is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy followed by castor oil as directed with each bottle of the remedy. Fore sale by Dr. Stone's drug store.

Call for Polk County School Bond. Notice is hereby given that in accordance with section 3389, paragraph 31, of Bellinger and Cotton's Annotated Codes and Statutes of Oregon, I will within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice redeem and pay bond No. 1, of School District No. 29, Polk county, Oregon, issued Feb. 1, 1894, the same being now redeemable and payable. No interest will accrue on said bond after thirty (30) days from the date of this notice.

Dated at Dallas, Polk county, Oregon, Monday, June 17, 1907.
 J. E. BEEZLEY,
 County Treasurer.

6-19-31

Transfers Real Estate.

The following deeds have been placed on record in the office of the Marion county recorder:

- Catherine Boehringer et al to Henry J. Kell, 25 acres sec. 11, t 4 s, r 1 w, w. d. ... \$1,000
- J. and E. H. Brown to E. C. Tozier, lot 1, block 14, and all of block 15, Scotts Mills, w. d. 250
- C. F. Homyer et al, to Fridricka Homyer, lot 2 block 10 Highland avenue addition, Salem, q. c. d. 100
- W. N. Brotherton et al, to Edwin A. Thompson, lots 5 and 6, Hadley addition in Mill City, also parcel of land containing 1 1/2 acres in Hadley's addition in Mill City, w. d. 100
- A. Bush to J. W. Willson, lot 9, block 81, Salem, q. c. d. ... 800
- J. W. Willson et al, to C. J. and A. M. Thomas, lot 9, block 81, Salem, w. d. 800
- Alee Opplinger to J. and J. Opulinger, land in Marion county, w. d. 2,000
- J. H. Daniel et ux to T. S. Weesmer, 80 acres in t 8 s, r 3 w, w. d. 5,600
- B. S. and J. Coppock to Enos Presnell, lot No. 4, S. S. F. F. No. 7, w. d. 1,500
- M. B. and E. N. Peetz to Charles Sterling, lot 5 block 1, addition "B" to, Woodburn, w. d. 1,025
- J. R. Darling to Emil Beier, 6 acres in t 6 s, r 3 w, w. d. ... 300
- O. M. and S. T. Edminston to Jacobine Hansen, lot 8, Oswald's addition to Woodburn, w. d. 100
- W. H. and M. Scott to W. H. Niccolson, 84.50 acres in t 9 s, r 3 w, w. d. 100
- E. F. Bassett et al, to George E. H. Dunsford et al, east 1/2 of lots 6 and 7, bloc 85, Salem, q. c. d. 1
- H. B. Fliske et ux to George E. H. Dunsford et al, land in Salem, q. c. d. 1
- Trustees of Aumsville Lodge No. 90, A. O. U. W. to trustees of Crescent Lodge No. 176, I. O. O. F., land in block 13, Aumsville, q. c. d. ... 75
- D. A. McKee to M. and O. L. Shaner 2 acres in t 5 s, r 1 w, q. c. d. 1
- S. and I. Crocker to Jacob A. Anderson, land in Woodburn, w. d. 1,000
- Hellen Fladeland to M. and O. L. Shaner, 2 acres in t 5 s, r 1 w, w. d. 950
- R. M. and M. Hicks to Minnie B. Peetz, lot 3, block 1, addition "A" to Woodburn, w. d. 600

John F. Shoup to George Kearns, land in Marion county, w. d. 500

Marion News Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts are the happy parents of a bouncing baby boy. Born June 14th.

Jay Hobbs had the misfortune to get his face badly hurt while playing ball last Sunday.

School election passed off quietly Monday. H. E. Roberts and J. A. Doerfler were elected directors.

Roy Russell and family have moved to Jefferson for a while. Roy is peeling piling near that place.

Cherries are ripe now. That fruit is being shipped from Marion.

The little daughter of C. B. Bouck got quite badly hurt while at play recently, but not dangerously.

John H. Rhoten will have a sale of Jersey cattle, also a few hogs, silo, cream separator and other things on June 27th at his place.

Present Standing of City League Teams.

| Team. | Won. | Lost. | P. C. |
|------------------|------|-------|-------|
| T. K. W. M. | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Y. M. C. A. | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Merchants | 0 | 1 | 000 |
| Fairmount | 0 | 1 | 000 |

The Y. M. C. A. and Woolen Mill teams will play tonight at 6:30.

Clarity of Language.

"Miss Blank has recovered \$35,000 for her left leg, his wife read from the paper.

"I thought it was for the one the cars didn't leave," said her husband.—Philadelphia Ledger.



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 Reform School Supplies. Sealed proposals are hereby invited for furnishing the Oregon State Reform School with supplies for the next six months, ending December 31, 1907. Lists, with specifications will be furnished upon application to the superintendent. All bids must be in by June 26th. All goods must be in strict accordance with samples in original package when possible.
 N. H. LOONEY,
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