

GRESHAM OUTLOOK

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CHINA'S AWAKENING.

The civil war in China has reached alarming proportions. There are at least five chief factions seeking the control. We are accustomed to think of China as a backward nation but we will have to revise our thinking for China is rapidly coming into a national consciousness and beginning to assert herself.

It may be said there is a difference, but China as a republic is seeking an opportunity to work out her own destiny as we have worked out, or are working out, ours without foreign interference.

China has nearly four times the population of the United States. What a power China will be when her more than four hundred million people are awake?

The nationalists are said to desire to found a republic patterned after the United States.

China is said to be very friendly toward this nation—a friendship it would be well to cultivate. The indignities and hardships visited upon foreigners, many of them Americans, at the present time are incidents of war.

That soviet Russia will use the unsettled conditions in China to further her socialist ambitions is the one greatest danger to the world at present.

The market for second-rate goods doesn't need advertising.

Anyway China knows what she wants and is trying to get it.

Some men don't square with the past nor have an open mind toward the future. Of course, they don't harmonize with the present.

The tax commission's questionnaire, to be answered under oath, reminds one very much of war times.

Gresham streets aren't in the worst condition possible and the recent work of improving them is very much appreciated.

Don't be too hard on the man with an axe to grind. It's better to have an axe to grind than always be turning the grindstone.

We depreciate war but most of the advance of modern civilization has been the outcome of strife. It takes force to remove an obstruction.

There is more heart-break for the person who tries to do something worth while than for the one who is willing to take things just as they come.

The league of nations doesn't seem to be doing anything about this war in China except to look on. So also with the other scraps and threatened scraps.

The communists are fanatics and do not believe that they are morally bound to keep agreements made with "capitalistic" governments, says an authority. Russia is feared by the other nations of Europe and that is one of the chief reasons a disarmament program will be hard to put over.

Crop Yields Increase. A generally rising trend in per acre yields of leading crops over the last 40 years in the United States is indicated by a survey concluded recently by the federal department of agriculture.

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ANNUAL REPORT Powell Valley Water District No. 2 MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

December 1, 1925 to December 31, 1926.

RECEIVED table: Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1925; From water sales; Installations; Taxes; Miscellaneous; Total cash received.

DISBURSED table: Water; Operation; Repairs and tools; Sundry (notes paid); Installations; Debit account returned check; Interest; Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1926; Total cash disbursed.

Number of services, December 1, 1925, 168. Number of services, December 31, 1926, 126.

Meetings of the Board of Commissioners are held at Powell Valley schoolhouse, at 8 p. m., on the second Friday of each month.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS. F. O. EKSTROM, Chairman. A. C. ALVINGSON, Secretary. S. T. LIND, Treasurer.

HOGAN

Mark Doryland mashed one of his hands severely while at work at the Columbia brickyard and has been unable to work for several days.

Miss Frances Stout returned to Normal at Monmouth Sunday evening after enjoying a few days' vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Doryland entertained for dinner Sunday, March 29, Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller and Carl Murphy, all of Portland.

Mrs. Carl Schultz enjoyed a delightful visit Wednesday from an old friend, Mrs. E. T. Valliant of Lake Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Valliant are widely known as popular Mazama leaders.

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 7.

Mrs. S. B. Hall entertained the Matrons club of 1921 at a noon luncheon at Hallrose ranch on March 26.

Wm. Tegart recently returned from a pleasant vacation in California. While Mr. Tegart enjoyed California very much, he is glad to be home again.

The Washington Chapter, Order of De Molay recently gave a supper dance at the Oasls. Sixty-five couples attended.

Marie Grassl and Ted Butzer were married recently. At present they are residing with the bridegroom's parents on Barr road.

In the recent subscription campaign carried on through the schools by the Curtis Publishing Co., the pupils of Wilkes school earned \$11 for the school.

The boys will spend their share for baseball paraphernalia. As yet the girls have not decided how they will spend their share.

Start Annals Now.

Annals for Oregon gardens are being started now by forward gardeners, says the landscape gardening department of the state college.

They are planted in flats or boxes where they are left until the first true leaves appear. They are then transplanted to another flat, allowing two inches between.

When the plants are well started they are put into three or four inch pots to continue growth until proper growing conditions prevail outside, when they are removed into the garden.

Transplanting the plants into the pots may be unnecessary if outdoor conditions are favorable to their growth before the plants begin to get "leggy" in flats.

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