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PORTLAND SHOWS SPLENDID SPIRIT.

The gathering last evening in this city under the direction of the local Chamber of Commerce was a very enthusiastic occasion and much was said by various speakers to stimulate interest throughout the entire county. One of the most pleasing features of the meeting was the excellent showing of representative citizens from outside communities, evidence that these people are fully awake to their individual interests and are alert to the great possibilities of enjoying a substantial growth through the many thousands of new people coming west the present year.

A spirit of harmony prevailed throughout the meeting and the audience was impressed with the very important issue that the closest cooperation should prevail in order to accomplish the best results. The fact that Portland has assembled a fund of over three hundred thousand dollars, all of which will be spent for the purpose of building up the state outside that city, is evidence of splendid faith displayed by the business interests of that section for the general welfare of the people of Oregon. With this unselfish spirit presented in a clean, business-like manner, it should command the attention of every city throughout the state for a more wholesome cooperation generally with the queen city of the northwest. Without Portland's help we should realize there is little to be gained, but, on the contrary, if our people will only give a part in return for what Portland is doing, much good is bound to redound to the entire state. We should get away from those childish opinions that Portland is trying to run away with all the good things, leaving only the refuse for outlying communities. This is a false impression and one that has brought about much harm to the state generally. We should bear in mind that as Portland grows so will other cities throughout the state prosper, and, as a natural result from the upbuilding of the state generally Portland is bound to set a new era of progress. There is absolutely nothing to be gained by discrediting one part of our state, north, south, east or west, in an attempt to bring prosperity to an individual community. Oregon is one big family—all working together for one good cause—the upholding of every section of this great state, and this can only be accomplished in a sane, safe and constructive program of close cooperation.

We are now entering a new period in the development of Oregon. Portland has shown a splendid spirit toward this end, and the smallest thing that any community in the state can do is to give Portland the right kind of support in appreciation and recognition for what she is doing for all Oregon.

This is the time for banding ourselves together—working for the betterment of the entire state. Selfish interests should be set aside and every possible effort made to advance the state as a whole.

Today's developments in the Washington, D. C., scandal are nothing short of alarming. If true, it is certainly time for a general house-cleaning—and where there is so much smoke there is evidence of fire. One can hardly believe some of the testimony given, but the fact remains that a general rottenness in the conduct of government affairs has been carried on for a considerable length of time and unless some of the principals involved are summarily dismissed from further service in national affairs there's going to be an awful "trimming" about election time.

From the point of view of the traffic officer, automobile parking is the big problem, from that of many parents, the automobile sparking problem causes more alarm.

There are some reckless drivers who should be taken from behind the steering wheel and put behind a wheel barrow on a state road.

The people have got their income tax returns out of the way, but they will be able to think up something else to worry about.

Some folks think that the problems of politics can be solved by giving them up as hopeless.

ENTIRE COUNTRY IS URGED TO CLEAN UP

"Your city beautiful campaign here in Roseburg is most commendable," said Marshall L. Dana, associate editor of the Portland Journal, "and I am in hopes that it will be the first duty of your county chamber of commerce to extend this beautifying all over the county, especially along the public highways where the tourists are going to glimpse your beautiful Douglas county farms and scenery. The fences, barns, lots, etc., should all be cleaned up. Pails should be placed on the fences and barns and the yards should be cleaned of all refuse. In this way the prospective settler will get a better view of your county and you will stand a much better chance of getting your prospective newcomers which will flood Oregon this year. The first appearance the prospective settler receives of your county is the lasting impression and the residents should take an interest in this proposition." Mr. Dana stressed the importance of displaying an air of alertness

and prosperity, stating that when a city or county puts up a good front the tourist at once gets the idea that the community is not of the run-down, ramshackle type.

The city beautiful commission and the Chamber of Commerce will take this matter up with adjoining Douglas county towns and urge the appointment of committees to see that an effort is made to at least clean up many of the farms along the Pacific highway. The tourist dollar is new capital for redistribution locally and it is a trade to which all should cater. With indications pointing to nearly a million visitors in Oregon this summer, this county should stand a good chance to obtain many new settlers.

ROD AND GUN CLUB

Regular meeting Friday, March 28, at Broadway's Garage. Full attendance requested.

Reedport Millman Here—Russell J. Hubbard, of Reedport, of the Winchester Milling Company, spent several hours yesterday in Roseburg attending to business matters. He is on his way to Portland.

Editor Will J. Hayner, of the Sutherlin Sun, was hobnobbing with Roseburg boosters last evening at the Chamber of Commerce meeting.

PRUNE PICKIN'S

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS—It's gittin' so That the mossbacks Are so few and Far between in The village that It's darn near An honor to Confess Bein' one.

DUMBELL DORA THINKS That steel wool comes off hydraulic rams.

Some broken-hearted damsel sends in the following effusion, captioned "Daddy," and signs her name "Ima Lone." If Ima will call at ye ed's sanctum we'll give her the telephone number of quite a few bald-headed Daddies in the village.

DADDY!
I want a Daddy,
A blue eyed Daddy,
A bald-headed Daddy;
How my heart yearns!

I want a Daddy,
A fine slender Daddy,
A forty year old Daddy;
How my heart yearns!

I want a Daddy,
A mild tempered Daddy,
A sweet smiling Daddy;
How my heart yearns!

I want a Daddy,
A soft voiced Daddy,
A tender loving Daddy;
How my heart yearns!

—IMA LONE.

DEAR PRUNE PICKER:

I have been readin' your colyum for quite a spell and my rheumatism gets worse. What would you advise, LUM BAGO.

Dear friend Lum: The thing to do is to quit readin' this colyum and help your wife wash the dishes.

The ball team has started spring rehearsals and Charley Horse is showin' up great.

Just as the st. cleanin' dept. was ready to haul out the sprinkler this a. m. Jupe Pluvius cut loose with a sprinkle of aqua pura and thereby thwarted the good intentions of Mister Grimm's squad.

Among the little oddities of life we would like to mention that Whistling Bill Draper trotted his two phillies the full length of Jackson st. this a. m. without whistling once.

Improvements may come and moss backs may go but this colyum takes off our well worn derby to the new street lighting system. Its the biggest improvement in the village since George Quine shaved off his mustache.

Fred Haynes and Mose Rice are advocating a new hair cut for men. They want 'em cut with holes in the top.

The sob sister dashed out a squib on our gossip foundry this a. m. and got it all rusty by leanin' over and sheddin' the tears all over the keys.

Dean Bubar, new exalted ruler of the Elluks, returned a couple days ago from the metrop where he has spent the past few days looking over the crop of Hula Hula dancers. He says the hay shortage is causing much concern and may make it necessary to import oriental dancers instead.

Among those who welcome the return of summer is the ice man.

Life Pickins Say:
"It's agony to take the family out for a spin when you know dern well the rear right tire ain't goin' to hold out durin' the summer."

ROSEBURG STUDENTS MAKE GOOD GRADES AT U. OF O.

UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, Eugene, March 27.—(Special.)—At the end of the winter term two Roseburg students at the University of Oregon had made a grade of two or better in all their subjects and were awarded a place on the university scholastic honor role.

Philip T. Bergh, a freshman in the school of business administration made a 1 grade in all of his courses except one. This was probably the best grade made by a freshman at the university during the entire term. It is rather unusual for a freshman to make the honor role and a scholastic record such as achieved by Bergh is considered remarkable.

Frank N. Davis, a senior in the department of German, also made a good scholastic record. At the end of the winter term 87 students, or 17 more than during the fall period, were eligible for places on the honor role. Of the 87, 45 were women and 41 men.

BROCCOLI SEED FOR SALE

Net St. Valentine—Imported seed. St. Valentine is about 10 days later than St. Valentine; heads self-protected; curd snow white. The finest strain in existence. Price per pound, \$25.00, per ounce \$1.75. Orders taken for any quantity. Fred Schmidt, Dillard, Oregon.

ASSOCIATION TO TEST OUT SEED

Broccoli Men Organize to Secure Reliable Seed for Future Plantings.

OFFICERS ARE CHOSEN

Losses This Year Through Poor Seed Will Be Prevented by Proper Certification.

The Douglas county Broccoli Protective Association is the name of the new organization which the broccoli growers of the Umpqua Valley plan on perfecting in the near future. Plans of organization, constitution and by laws, are now being prepared by County Agent B. W. Cooney, who will present the plans to the growers at some meeting to be held in the near future, at which time the organization will be perfected and placed in operation.

The officers have already been chosen and are Ed Marks, president; B. W. Cooney, secretary and treasurer, and a board of five directors, B. F. Nichols, Foster Butner, Royce Buehner, J. F. Bonebrake and R. H. C. Wood.

This organization is being formed for the purpose of advising the growers of the county regarding the different phases of the industry. It will serve the growers only in the production of the broccoli crop, and the activities will relate to matters of good, pure seed, planting the seed bed, control of insect pests, cultivation of the crop and methods of harvesting. Membership will be open to all producers of broccoli and a low fee of \$1 will be charged.

The organization is largely demanded because of the losses which have occurred from poor seed during the season now passing.

"The broccoli crop for the Umpqua Valley is largely harvested at this time," County Agent Cooney says, "and it is now possible to check upon the yields of various fields and learn if possible the factors that contributed towards the success of the crop."

"A careful examination of a large number of fields located in all parts of the valley show some loss has been due to the low temperatures. This phase of our loss is to be taken as a natural course of events and cannot be avoided. However, the field surveys show that all of the damage is not due to soil or climatic conditions."

"The quality of the seed used seems to be a dominant factor in the production of this valuable vegetable. The selection of good seed is vitally important but unfortunately the growers are not always able to secure tested seed. With this condition prevailing and no solution in sight, it is time that the growers are doing something to develop a plan that will assure growers that their seed is reliable and that it will produce a crop if weather and soil conditions are favorable."

The seed situation in the Umpqua Valley has been carefully examined by Professor A. B. Bouquet, of the Oregon Agricultural College. Pro. Bouquet spent several days in the county examining fields and talking with a large number of growers. At the meeting held last Saturday night, which was attended by about 75 growers, he stated that the Umpqua Valley broccoli producers lost between \$75,000 and \$100,000 due largely to the poor quality of seed used.

The remedy, he states, lies in the certification of all seed used, and such a plan will be put into operation in the future if the wishes of the growers are followed.

The organization planned and

now in process of formation will direct this work. All seed will be tested before being planted, and the history of all seed offered for sale will be available to purchasers before it is procured, thus making it possible for the growers to know exactly what the seed will do under ordinary conditions. The association will also take care of other matters pertaining to the production and marketing of broccoli.

HUGE BLAST FIRED AT GRANTS PASS

The largest blast in the history of the cement industry in Oregon was fired at the Marble Mountain quarry of the Beaver Portland Cement company near Grants Pass Tuesday afternoon, according to Joe A. Denn, of the J. A. Denn Powder company which supplied the explosive for the huge blast. A solid section of lime rock 85 feet wide, 400 feet long and 94 feet high at the highest point, was picked up and dropped back in fragments ready for the steam shovel.

This was accomplished with the use of 40,250 pounds of Judson 10 per cent placed in four tunnels, each of which was bored from 40 to 60 feet underneath the limestone.

More than one half million tons of limestone was brought down by this blast which will last the cement company six years and eight months at the present rate of consumption.

The powder used in this shot cost approximately seven thousand dollars. A crew of twenty men worked three months driving the tunnels to hold the explosive. The charge was detonated by forty-five electric exploders connected in multiple with a 550-volt line from the Copec system.

Among those witnessing this shooting were D. S. Carpenter, president of the Beaver Portland Cement Co.; W. H. Muirhead, superintendent, R. H. Rennie, president of the Grant Powder Co.; W. S. Schilling, sales manager, and J. A. Denn who supplied the explosives used.

The blasting operation was under the supervision of J. O. Costello, technical expert for the Grant Powder Co., assisted by L. V. Rex, traveling representative.

BRITISH AVIATOR CONTINUES FLIGHT

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) LYONS, March 27.—Stuart MacLaren, British aviator, took off today for Rome on the second stage of his round the world flight.

BIG FORD DANCE

Leas and Co. will give a big Ford Dance on Saturday, March 29. All tickets \$1 which are good at any time, full value for any merchandise. Come on over and have a good time at our expense.

George McCreery, a hardware dealer at Sutherlin, was among the out of town people to attend the Chamber of Commerce meeting here last night.

Mark N. Tisdale, Sutherlin banker, was in the city last night to attend the Roseburg Chamber of Commerce meeting and to assist in promoting Douglas county interests.

Garden tools at right prices. Powell's.

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

Ah! How good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffling, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

MOVED!

The Singer Sewing Machine Agency and

Hemstitching Shop

formerly on Jackson St., have moved to

105 W. Cass Street

The Singer Agency

Italian Prune Trees!

4 to 6 feet 10c
6 to 8 feet 12c
8 to 10 feet 15c
3 to 4 feet 5c
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PHONE 473

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Health in Jersey Ice Cream!

Everybody wants Health

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DOUGLAS COUNTY CREAMERY

PHONE 340

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WANTED

WANTED—Nursing. Call 577-R.

WANTED—Washing. 229 Commercial St.

EMERY—Wants to buy your wool and mohair. See him before selling.

WANTED—Spading and gardening. Phone 191-R.

WANTED—Horse for his feed. Address J. M. M., care News-Review.

WANTED—\$2200. One year. 10 per cent. Good security. Well insured. A. C. X., care News-Review.

WANTED—Work on ranch by experienced man, or milking cows. Address E. A., care News-Review.

WANTED—Girl or woman for general work in family hotel, wages \$20 per mo. Apply Eldon Hotel, Grants Pass, Oregon.

MISCELLANEOUS

CAR OWNER—Don't forget to call 583 when in need of auto parts. Sarr's Auto Wrecking House.

SEND soiled bundles of socks and stockings to the HOME LAUNDRY to be mended. Phone 537.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—1 apartment. Phone 403-R.

FOR RENT—Safety deposit boxes. Roseburg National Bank.

FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping room, bath. 461 South Main street.

FOR RENT—One Remington typewriter. Earl Vosburgh.

FOR RENT—Extra large housekeeping room. 344 So. Jackson St.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, large sunny, good bed. \$3 per week. Phone 468 from 8 to 6 or call at white house at auto camp ground.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—Package of blue prints at cor. Oak and Rose Sts. Owner call at this office, identify property and pay for adv.

LOST—White gold wrist watch on gold ribbon, in business section Saturday. Reward for return. Phone 224-J.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Used player piano rolls. 50c each. Phone 370.

FOR SALE—Bone dry fir wood. \$3.50 tier. C. R. Cavender. Phone 179-Y.

FOR SALE—15 ft. counter. Reasonable. Bell Millinery.

FOR SALE—12 ft. counter. Reasonable. Bell Millinery.