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BEAUTIFUL VALE OF GRANDE RONDE

"O! heart of the Andes, and heart of the Alps.

And all ye loved vales that in this world abound—
There's a heart in the west that will rival your best

For health, wealth and beauty, the Vale of Grande Ronde."

So sang Judge Brainard years ago, so sing we today.

About three hundred miles from Portland, nestling in the heart of the Blue mountains, lies the beautiful Grande Ronde Valley. To those who know and love it there is no fairer spot on earth, than this "Fair Vale of Grande Ronde." Surrounded by the everlasting hills and snow clad peaks, watered by pure crystal streams, and kissed by the breath of the pines, it offers an ideal place for a home. And there are many of them here. In the towns and on the farms, are many stately residences and tasty little cottages. In fact, all of the old buildings that were so useful years ago, are fast giving way to new and modern dwellings, farm buildings and business houses.

In shape and size, this "Vale of Grande Ronde" is an oval about sixteen by twenty five miles in extent, with whole neighborhoods of farms lying on the surrounding hills. In fact, along every creek, and in every little nook and valley far up into the mountains there are prosperous little homes.

There are in the Grande Ronde Valley, six towns and three villages of varying sizes. Some of the largest are incorporated, and all are growing, and doing a volume of business according to their sizes. All have schools and churches, most of them have flouring mills and other industries, notably, a woolen mill at Union, a beet sugar factory at La Grande and a pine fibre factory at Summerville.

But it is of the wonderfully fertile soil of the Grande Ronde, that the attention of the homeseeker is especially invited, for in Grande Ronde Valley we have "Bread and with it." Car loads of white, whole wheat and graham flour are shipped out of here, every year. While our millers, on request, make corn meal, oat meal and even buck-wheat flour. All which cereals are raised here, and in addition, rye and barley.

To go with our bread we have, first, meat, cattle, hogs, sheep and fowl, (chickens, ducks, geese, turkeys and pigeons,) and fish. And besides the grain to feed our meat, we raise timothy, alfalfa clover wild grasses, and some progressive farmers, and the Experiment station have been testing other varieties; but as they are not extensively cultivated, we will not mention them. On the surrounding hills is found the nutritious bunch grass. To be sure, we must not forget the butter and cheese produced from our cows, both in homes and creameries. And—yes! Ice cream; for no one knows how many hundreds of gallons the creameries make every summer, and even far into the winter, not to mention that made in private houses. Surely the ice cream cow must not be omitted from our list of blessings.

To be seasoned with all these good things, are our vegetables. Where can you find more succulent onions, radishes, lettuce, spinach, celery, cabbage, cauliflower and what not? Or more mealy

The Best Guaranty of Merit Is Open Publicity.

Every bottle of Dr. Pierce's world-famed medicines leaving the great laboratory at Buffalo, N. Y., has printed upon its wrapper all the ingredients entering into its composition. This fact alone places Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines in a class all by themselves. They cannot be classed with patent or secret medicines because they are neither. This is why so many unprejudiced physicians prescribe them and recommend them to their patients. They know what they are composed of, and that the ingredients are those endorsed by the most eminent medical authorities.

The further fact that neither Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the great stomach tonic, liver purgator, heart regulator and blood purifier, nor his "Favorite Prescription" for weak, overworked, broken-down, nervous women, contains any alcohol, also entitles them to a place all by themselves. Many years ago, Dr. Pierce discovered that chemically pure glycerine, of proper strength, is a better solvent and preservative of the medicinal principles residing in our indigenous, or native, medicinal plants than is alcohol; and, furthermore, that it possesses valuable medicinal properties of its own, being demulcent, nutritive, antiseptic, and a most efficient antiferment.

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Not only do physicians prescribe the above, non-secret medicines largely, but the most intelligent people employ them—people who would not think of using the ordinary patent, or secret medicines. Every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's medicines has the strongest kind of an endorsement from leading medical writers of the several schools of practice. No other medicines put up for like purposes has any such professional endorsement.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. One "Pellet" is a gentle laxative and two a mild cathartic. Drug gists sell them, and nothing is "just as good." Easy to take as candy.

potatoes, juicy tomatoes, palatable string beans or peas, luscious corn, carrots, squash, beets, parsnips, any thing, in fact that will grow in the temperate zone, will grow luxuriantly in Grande Ronde.

And for dessert, we have so much from which to choose, that we scarcely know where to begin, but with the strawberry, of course. Following these are cherries, currants, gooseberries, raspberries (black red and yellow,) blackberries and dewberries.

We turn again to our trees and begin the last of July to gather apples, pears and peaches. And then in quick succession—everything. Apricots, pears, plums, prunes, apples, peaches, grapes and some others.

And the delicious melons must be eaten to be appreciated.

What more can any man want than "Bread and with it" as interpreted in the beautiful Grande Ronde Valley.

True, he will want his home ornamented. Then let him cultivate all the dear, homey annuals and shrubs that all love so well. Let him go to the woods and bring in ferns, violets, mountain ash, honey-suckle, columbine and many others too numerous to mention. Let him set out handsome shade trees, and cultivate choice roses, velvety pansies, and oh! so many beauties that his taste will dictate.

Come with me this fine summer evening. I will take you to the top of some high cliff and show you a picture never to be forgotten. A picture so beautiful, so peaceful and so pure.

See those lovely homes nestled under the stately shade trees, surrounded by shrubs and many hued flowers, in a setting of velvety lawn. See the huge barns bulging with hay, with many stacks here, there and everywhere. See the orchards bending beneath their loads of red and green and russet and golden fruit.

Look at the sleek cattle lazily chewing their cud in the green pastures, the fine horses drawing the farm machinery to and fro. The many headers beheading the golden grain, here and there a thresher already at work and literally stacks of filled sacks in mid-field. See the smoke curling upward from dozens of mills and factories, the varying tints of the fields lying like a checker board below you, and over all the golden glow of the setting sun.

Then on to the west, to the "Vale of Grande Ronde."

"Where a man is a man, if he's willing to toil,

And the laborer may gather the fruits of the soil."

MISS OREGON.

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