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### Ash Wednesday.

Social festivities will be almost entirely suspended during the next 40 days, as the season of penitence ushered in by Ash Wednesday is universally observed by society.

Ash Wednesday will be observed in the Catholic, Episcopalian and the Lutheran churches of the world today with all the solemn ceremonies from which the day derives its name.

The ashes used in today's ceremonies by the Catholics are obtained by burning the remains of the palma blessed on Palm Sunday of last year. The blessing and administration of the ashes take place before mass in the blessing four ancient prayers are used, and the ashes are sprinkled with holy water and fumigated with incense. Then the faithful approach the altar and the priest, dipping his thumb into the ashes marks upon the forehead of each, or in the case of tonsured priests, upon the place of the tonsure, the sign of the cross, saying in Latin, "Remember, man, thou art dust and shalt return to dust."

In many churches the priest also deposits small portions of the ashes upon slips of paper placed in the altar rail by persons who desire the ashes for future pious uses. The celebrant himself, be he even bishop or cardinal, receives the ashes from some other priest, usually the highest in dignity of those present.

The observance of Ash Wednesday is of very great antiquity. The administration of the ashes was not made originally to all the faithful, but only to public penitents, who appeared before the church door on the first day of Lent, in penitential garb and with bare feet. Out of humility and affection, friends of the penitents, although not in the same condition, used to join them, expressing in similar outward contrition, and offering their foreheads also to be sprinkled with ashes. The number of these persons gradually increased until at length the administration of ashes was extended to the whole congregation and the rite took its present form.

### Going to the Grocery.

The belief expressed by James J. Hill that people would save money by going to the grocery and making the personal selection of their purchases instead of ordering by telephone, is entirely reasonable. And not only would they save money, but they would live better. At the home end of the telephone there is nothing to suggest the possibilities that the grocery offers. It is difficult to think of things to eat except the things the family has been in the habit of eating. The result is that the diet of people who regularly do their grocery ordering by telephone is likely to become pretty monotonous.

But a person who visits to the gro-

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cery induces a very different frame of mind. There is a wealth of variety from which to choose—all of it temptingly displayed. Then the difficulty is not to think of something different but to make a choice from among the many different things that are desirable. Furthermore, there is possible the selection of particular articles out of many of the same variety and so getting a better quality.

There is also the bargain chance. Prices, especially of fresh vegetables, fluctuate more or less. What was exorbitantly dear yesterday may be within the reach of the family purse today. The result is that the family larder is often enriched by something that may be really considered an unusual delicacy because it chances to be quoted lower than usual at the time the marketing is done.

There is also the element of keeping the grocer up to the standard of quality and neatness by a personal inspection of their places. One cannot help but suspect—realizing that grocers are human—that grocers would be sorry looking places if everybody did their marketing by telephone and nobody ever saw the grocer except the driver and his clerk.—Eugene Guard.

This is Ash Wednesday and the first day of Lent. March 27th is Easter Sunday, and the last day of Lent. From early times the church has set aside this season in memory of the 40-day fast of Christ. The name of Lent comes from an old word meaning Spring. This observance in memory of Christ's 40 day fast in the wilderness comes in the spring so they called it Lent. Some call it Clean Lent. What a strange name? What do they mean? On Ash Wednesday, in some of the churches, ashes and holy water are sprinkled on the people in the sign of the cross. Ashes mean humility—we must be humble. Water has reference to our need of washing clean from sin. The sign of the cross refers to what Christ has done for us. Because Lent begins on Ash Wednesday with their ceremony of cleansing it is called Clean Lent.—Christian Herald.

On the 27th of this month the people of La Grande will vote upon the question of floating a \$75,000 bond issue to raise money for a new high school. Undoubtedly that town is

in need of a new building and it is doubtful if they could invest \$75,000 in a better way.—Pendleton E. O.

### Georgia Road Convention

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 9.—To make Georgia highways the best in the South is the object of the State Federation of Road Authorities, which convened in the House of Representatives today in the second annual session.

The Georgia Federation of Road Authorities is composed of all the county commissioners of the state and has already done much valuable work for the people of Georgia. The program for the meeting is one of great and varied interest. Addresses will be made upon subjects of practical utility to the road builder. The main object of the meeting is to map out a plan for road work for the coming year.

### Big Farm Institute.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 9.—All roads from the farming districts of the state lead to Providence today, and tomorrow when a state farmers institute is to be held in this city under the direction of the state Board of Agriculture.

### Notice of First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon: In the matter of W. E. Anderson and A. Anderson, as partners, under the firm name of Grande Ronde Hardware Company and the Imbler Hardware Company, and individually, Bankrupts:

To the creditors of W. E. Anderson and A. Anderson, of Imbler, in the County of Union and District aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day of February, 1910, the said W. E. Anderson and A. Anderson were duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of their creditors will be held in the office of the Referee in Bankruptcy in La Grande, Oregon, on the 16th day of February, 1910, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claim, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupts, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

JNO. S. HODGIN,  
Referee in Bankruptcy.  
February 5th, 1910. 1-5-7.

### O. R. & N. TIMETABLE

#### West Bound.

No. 9—Mail, ar. 10:50 p. m.  
No. 5—C. pas. ar. 10:05 p. m.  
No. 7—Chl. spl. ar. 9:25 a. m.

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No. 10—Mail, ar. 5:30 a. m.  
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- No. 2.—80 acres, 7 miles from La Grande, all under cultivation, good 6-room house, good barn and all kinds of outbuildings. About two acres family orchard, 60 acres in alfalfa and timothy hay, good water right. R. F. D. by the door. 1-2 of a mile from school. About \$400 worth of personal property goes with the place at the price of \$6,400.00.
- No. 3.—20 acres adjoining the above tract; splendid land well adapted to fruit growing or anything else. A small house and under fence. Price \$1300.00.
- No. 4.—50 acres, 7 miles from La Grande. Good new 5-room house, good barn and other outbuildings. Two good living springs, and a stream of water for irrigation; all under good cultivation. R. F. D. by the door. Telephone line. Price \$4,000.00.
- No. 5.—152 1-2 acres near the Conely ware houses, all in fall wheat and alfalfa hay; good improvements. If sold at once can be purchased for \$14,500.00.

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C. J. BLACK, the Real Estate Man.