

Poster Stamps Will Advertise Oregon in East

Over 6,750,000 poster stamps telling the facts and opportunities about Oregon are to be placed in circulation on our going mail thru the cooperation of the state's 30,000 business and professional men in the expansion program of Oregon state chamber of commerce, it was announced here by W. G. Ide, manager of the organization.

The first series of 20 stamps now on the press will be ready for distribution soon, it is said.

"The Oregon state chamber has committed itself to a practical and ambitious program for 1930 through the use of Oregon poster stamps will carry on an aggressive campaign of state wide development calculated to add millions to our new wealth production annually," Ide said.

"Build Oregon!" is the keynote of the state chamber's program. The state today produces more than \$619,000,000 in new wealth annually from agriculture, mining, lumbering and manufacturing. It

is the aim of the organization to conservatively and effectively exploit Oregon to the world in close cooperation with local chambers and trade organizations of the state and add millions new wealth annually to the state production output.

Three goals in attaining the objective of the program are: "Millions new wealth from increased agricultural production." "Millions new wealth from industrial expansion." "Millions new wealth from the scenic resources of Oregon."

The first Oregon poster stamps are printed in four colors and have 20 different stamps to the page. At the bottom of each stamp is the following wording: "Ask for all the facts—Write our chamber of commerce." The object of this is to direct inquiries prompted by the poster stamp back to the city first from which the stamp was posted.

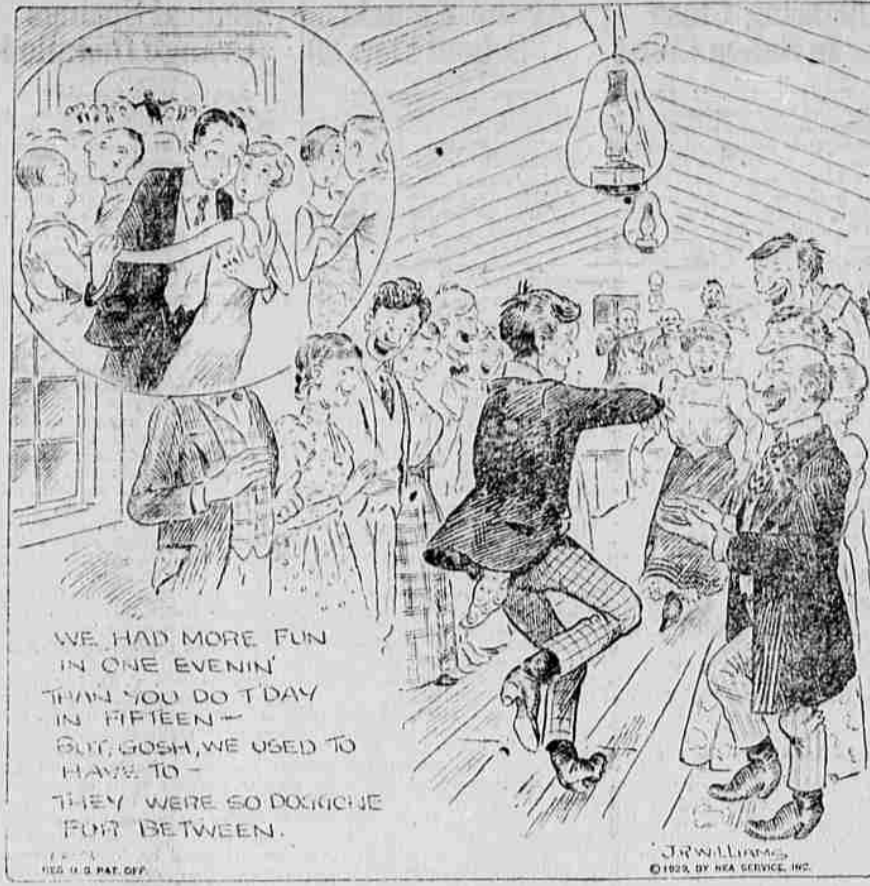
Among the copy on the first stamp is as follows: "Eat Oregon Apples—the nation's finest and most delicious." "Oregon First in Pacific Northwest in Prunes." "Oregon Where wheat often yields 50 bushels per acre." "Oregon where you can make greater profits in dairying." "Oregon where poultry boys and hens lay 300 eggs a

year." "Oregon sheep lead the world in wool production." "Ask for Oregon cherries and you'll get the finest." "Oregon Leads the Nation in Timber." "Oregon where 440 mills cut 4 billion feet of lumber annually." "Oregon offers industry low cost power—high labor efficiency—favorable rail and water rates to world markets."

"Come to Oregon see the unparalleled scenic grandeur along the Columbia river." "Come to Oregon 200 miles of marvelous vacation land beaches." "Come to Oregon see Wallawa Lake and wonderland—the Alps of America." "Come to Oregon—Enjoy the thrills of big game hunting and sport fishing." "Oregon has over 4,500 miles of all-year scenic highways." "Oregon climate is ideal—no floods, no cyclones, or violent electrical storms." "You'll find splendid schools and churches everywhere in Oregon."

If President Hoover can get by with developing more waterways and then getting the railroad people to spend lots of money on facilities to handle more freight, he must be an Economist, and the capital "E" is intended.

OUT OUR WAY



WE HAD MORE FUN IN ONE EVENING THAN YOU DO TODAY IN FIFTEEN— GUY, GOSH, WE USED TO HAVE TO FIGHT BETWEEN.

By Williams

CLASSIFIED ADS: The Market Place Of Union and Wallowa Counties

NEW TODAY

- WANTED—Carpenter and cabinet work, novelties, inventors models, wood turning, furniture and novelty repairing. La Grande Novelty Repair Shop, 1901 Fir St., opposite Bushen 2nd hand store. Don't forget the place. 12-11-24
- FOR SALE OR RENT—6 room house and double garage on paved street, Island City, Phone Main 29. 12-11-11
- FOR RENT—Furnished 4 room house, electric range, garage, close in. Phone 556-3. 12-11-11
- FOR RENT—Commodious furnished apt., reasonable, redecorated, two beds, refrigerator, garage, Landis Court apts., cor. 2nd and Spring. 12-11-24
- FOR SALE—Warner Bros. piano, Phone 178-M. 12-11-24
- WANTED—Good alfalfa hay, Call 451-J. 12-11-24
- FOR SALE—Five volumes of Pleasured Knowledge in good condition, also boy's bicycle, 1415 Wash Ave. 12-11-24
- FOR SALE—Calf potatoes, Glenn Thompson, Phone 265-W. 12-11-31
- WANTED—Man with family wants work of any kind. Call Observer. 12-11-1 tp
- WANTED—Young woman needs work badly. Will do anything. Call Observer. 12-11-1 tp
- FOR SALE OR TRADE
- FOR SALE—Used cars: 1927 Chevrolet coach, 1927 Chevrolet sedan, 1925 Olds coupe, Olds-Studebaker Used Car Lot. 12-10-54
- FOR SALE—Pine-brood Jersey Bull calves—winter pigs, 344 Brock, near Sumnerville, 12-9-31
- FOR DELICIOUS APPLES phone 285-W. \$1.25 or \$1.50 per box, delivered. Berger's grocery. Everything cheaper. 12-27-41
- FOR SALE—5 passenger Hippomobile sedan, \$475. Series "11" Franklin 5 passenger sedan, \$575. See Harry Waggoner, 508 Adams Ave. 11-29-1m
- FOR SALE—Choice lot, improvements all paid; also 2 houses; 12-7-61

Observer Want Ad Rates

- (Count five average words by the line)
- Per line, 1st insertion10c
 - Per line, each added consecutive insertion7c
 - Minimum charge on one order25c
- RATES BY MONTH
- 2 lines, per month\$2.50
 - 3 lines, per month\$3.25
 - 4 lines, per month\$4.00
 - 5 lines, per month\$4.75
- Each additional line over five charged at 60c per line per month.
- CASH IN ADVANCE is required on all Classified orders to earn these rates. Higher rates charged on all credit insertions. Copy for all Classified orders must be in this office by 10 A. M. DAY OF INSERTION. Stop orders on ad inserted until further notice must be received by this office or extra insertion will be charged.
- Telephone orders solicited. Cash rates may be earned on phone orders by payment of or before date of last insertion.
- PHONE MAIN 3.
"An Observer Want Ad Will Do It"
- terms, only small down payment required. See Earl Zundel, La Grande Nat. Bank. 11-19-14
- FOR SALE—Used electric washers. Maytag Shop, Main 629. 7-31-1m
- FOR SALE—All kinds of heaters. Hotolans from \$32.50 up. Other heaters as low as \$5.00. The Walla Furniture Store, 10-17-1m
- LOST
- LOST—Brown leather handbag, between La Grande and Elgin, Sunday, Dec. 1. Call Observer. 12-9-21p
- MISCELLANEOUS
- TURKEYS—Glenn Mammoth Bronze breeding turkeys, bred from 22 to 25 lb. hens and 17 lb. tom, W. A. Knauff, Rt. 2, La Grande, Ph. Farmers 58. 11-6-61p
 - NOTICE TRAPPERS—Live muskrats purchased at Intermountain Muskrat Farm, 5 1/2 miles south of town, \$1.50 apiece; no broken legs. 12-7-61p
- NOTICE—Get your trash hauled

before had weather. Ph. 227-W. 11-25-1m

ROOFING WORK—Repairs, any kind of a new roof, Call Chas. Hildebrand, 629-W. 11-4-1m

SOMMER HOTEL—Inquire for very special winter rates; also modern apartments. 11-4-1m

LA GRANDE MATTRESS & Upholstering & Rug Cleaning Works. Phone 424-W. Chas. Ed wards, Prop. 12-1-1m

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By William R. Kuhns, Financial Editor
(Associated Press Feature Service)
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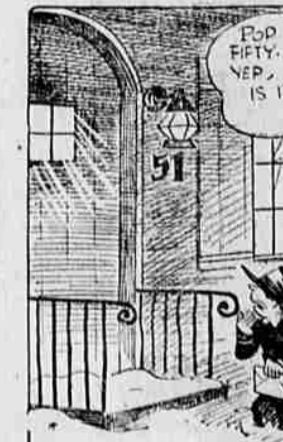
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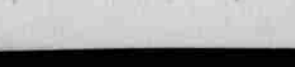
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To thoroughly bake a hundred-pound fish would be a

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You'd be much more successful baking a three-pound fish. You'd control the cooking just as Hills Bros. control the flavor of their coffee because they roast only a few pounds at a time—never in bulk. This process of Controlled Roasting is Hills Bros.' exclusively and it produces a flavor no other coffee has.



It is necessary to raise this additional amount by special levy for the following reasons:

(1) Deficit in budget allowance of last school year to cover repairs on High School Building, and equipping same, after first; (2) Purchase of additional land at High School; (3) Loss of revenue in previous budget years through non-payment of taxes.

Dated this 3rd day of December, 1929.

ATTEST: H. E. Williams, district clerk.

Geo. R. Brimble, chairman board of directors.

Dec. 4-11-16-18-26.

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Professional Directory

This directory is especially handy for the newcomer or for the out-of-town reader who may want the name and address of some professional man. It has been carefully prepared and will prove to be a ready aid to any reader in obtaining prompt professional service.

Classified for Quick Reference

Physicians & Surgeons

A. L. RICHARDSON, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon.
Office over Glass Drugs. Office phone, Main 15; residence phone, Main 55.

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MARGARET INGLE, D. O.
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Sommer Building Telephone Main 106

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