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Our idea of a good thing would be to own a good-sized cabbage patch next to a five-cent cigar factory.

Nobody appears to be satisfied with the verdict in the Centralia murder case—not even the fellows who escaped being hung.

There are a number of candidates for secretary of state sitting in the game but at this writing it is difficult to say who has the rod.

A man from Minnesota was yesterday complaining about Oregon weather. "Who wants to be a duck all the time?" he said. Still, while being things we might just as well be a duck as a polar bear.

Off in the stilly night, one smells a still.—Detroit News.

And because still hunters smell the still on stilly nights those who still in their still on stilly nights must be still in their still or those who search for the still will find the still and still the still forever.

Mr. Washington, of Indiana, relative of George, wants Oregon to take him as a vice presidential choice. Four years ago we had Mr. Webster, relative of Dan, but Washington sounds bigger so

From early morn to setting sun,
We'll whoop it up for Washington.

THE RHYMING SUMMARIST

Al Williams of the Windmill shop
Is looking for a barber
To shear the mohair from the mugs
Of those he likes to harbor;
Now why not get a lady, Al,
Fair, not false nor fickle,
So the boys may say
On their shaving day,
"Gosh, Susie, how you tickle!"

A few remarks on Wec's goatee,
Which we call his whiskers,
Where aphids make their little nests
And cut their funny friskers;
Wec wears the shrubbery on his face
As a sort of scenic duty,
To make a hit
And do his bit,
And add to worldly beauty.

Night and day Sadie vamps around
And flirts just like the dickens,
She would give Glen Smith a chance
But he doesn't care for chickens;
The geese are squawking toward the north
And daffodils are daters,
Make the welkin ring
It sure is Spring
So plant your beans and taters.

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Good Farming Pays

(From the Oregon, Ill., Republican.) A great and successful farmer who had been farming for seventy years, when asked what was the greatest farming lesson he had learned, replied: "The lesson that good farming pays better than any other business in the world; pays not only in money, but in health and contentment of mind. It is one business in which a man can live the Golden Rule every day, in all his dealings; and the longer he lives the more his satisfaction with it grows; and at the sunset of his life he can look back over the years without a single regret, knowing that they have been well spent and that he has contributed his best to the sum of human happiness and lived closest to the Scriptural injunction as to how a man should live.

Prefers Oregon to Heaven

(W. I. C. in Oregonian.) Oh, who would go to heaven today? Were the gates celestial drawn? Oh, who can long for a better land Who lives in Oregon? If I could go to heaven today, Sure of celestial dawn, I would tell St. Peter to shut the door, And stay in Oregon.

First House in Corvallis

The first house in Corvallis was built by J. C. Avery in the spring of 1846. He also built the first store there and was the first postmaster. Mr. Avery came to Oregon in 1845.

Baptismal Services Baptist Church

(Contributed.) Next Sunday will be another big day at the Baptist church. Sunday school at 10 a. m., Mrs. Grace Swope, supt., and the pastor will preach at 11 o'clock on "How To Succeed In Your Christian Life" and in the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock there will be administered the Ordinances of baptism to several persons. In the evening the pastor will preach on "A Changeless Christ For a Changing World." Where do you go on Sundays? Why not give God a few minutes of your time and go to church? You had better make up your mind now to come.

AN APT COMPARISON

(Contributed.) If good milch cows could be bought for \$5 apiece the price of milk would be reduced and city folks would all be happy. So why not pass a law providing that no milch cow shall be sold in Oregon for more than \$5.

Or let's go a step farther and pass a law that no milk shall be sold in Oregon for more than 5c a quart. But the trouble is that if this law was passed, then the dairymen would ship their milk to Washington, Idaho or California, and then where would the Oregon babies get their milk?

That's what's wrong with the proposed 5 per cent interest rate bill. If it should pass, mortgage companies and banks would simply loan their money outside of Oregon, and where would Oregon merchants, farmers, manufacturers and home builders get money with which to finance themselves?

Oregon banks are interested in Oregon development, but with gilt edge commercial paper and municipal and railroad bonds being sold at a price to yield as high as 7½ per cent very few bankers will loan at 5 per cent.

Big Local Talent Vaudeville Mch. 31—auspices of Co. K.

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COUNTY CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN APRIL

Interchurch World Movement to Send Big "Team" Here.

TO SHOW RESULTS OF SURVEYS

All Local Protestant Churches Co-operating in Movement Will Be Represented.

Early in April the Interchurch World Movement will hold its conference in this county. Representatives are now being selected by the local Protestant Churches of denominations associated with the movement, and from present reports the attendance at the conference will number well into the hundreds. In addition to the representatives selected by the churches, the conference will be open to all church members and friendly citizens who wish to attend.

The meeting place probably will be the county seat, and the attendance will be composed of the membership of the Protestant churches of the county.

The conferences will last one day only. During that day will be presented the whole program of the Interchurch World Movement for promoting co-operation in missionary and general church activities among the Protestant churches. Time will also be given to discussion of the local problems revealed by the Interchurch Movement's survey of religious conditions throughout the United States.

This county conference will be just one of the 2000-odd to be held throughout the United States on approximately the same dates.

No Sidestepping of Problems. It will be, it is said, a very exceptional county that does not hear some more or less unpalatable truths concerning unchurched areas, or wasteful competition, or underpaid and absentee preachers. Not many counties, it is stated, are able to show an average ministerial salary higher than the average for the whole United States, which is \$337, while barely one-third of the entire Protestant population of the United States, according to estimates made by the Interchurch survey, has an opportunity for regular church attendance.

Besides a full consideration of local problems, the program at the county conference will present the outstanding results of the world-wide survey of religious, social and economic conditions made by the Interchurch Movement, the material for which has been gathered from every corner of the earth. Special emphasis will also be laid on the place of prayer in Christian life, the importance of assisting young people in the right choice of their life work and the duty of laying aside a definite proportion of income for religious purposes. Lantern slides will be freely used to illustrate the various addresses.

The conference will be managed by local committees, and the various topics under discussion will be handled by a team of from five to eight men and women, recognized as church leaders in the county or state. This team, in addition to the local meetings, will be responsible for conducting the conferences in seven other counties.

Big Educational Campaign Prepared. This series of conferences represents only an intermediate stage in a great campaign of intensive education in practical Christianity preparatory to the united appeal for missionary funds and workers which will be held by the Protestant denominations co-operating in the Interchurch Movement between April 25 and May 2. The members of the team that will address the county conference were themselves trained as a "faculty" of specialists in the various aspects of the Movement at a series of state and pastors' conferences. Similarly, those who attend the county conference will in turn form a "faculty" for interpreting the message of the Interchurch Movement to their local churches.

Thus it is expected that before April 20 the ideal of church co-operation advocated by the Interchurch World Movement, in place of church competition, and the program of evangelization that goes with it, will be familiar to every one of the fifty million Protestants in the United States.

EXTENSIVE SLIDE EQUIPMENT TO BE USED IN CONFERENCE

Interchurch World officers having in charge the conference which will be held in this county early in April declare the local church workers exceptionally fortunate, as the stereopticon slides and other apparatus used in the State Pastors' Conference in Oregon have been left for use in the county conference. The slides in particular are said to be exceptionally interesting, covering very completely the results of the world-wide survey made by the Interchurch World Movement, as well as illustrating conditions throughout the United States.

Slides to illustrate hymns which were used in the State Pastors' Conference by the New York "team" also have been left for use of the county conference. All in all, it is said that the equipment afforded for this county will equal that used at any of the state conferences. An experienced operator with highgrade lantern equipment will accompany the team. Phone the news to M2113.

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