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LOOKING DOWN YUKON AVENUE.

One of the most traveled highways of the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition will be the street which has been given the name of Yukon Avenue. Yukon Avenue makes its way across the exposition grounds from west to east, and the ends are represented by Klondike Circle near the entrance, and Nome Circle on which fronts the classic Forestry building. It crosses the roaring Cascades on oriental bridges of handsome design, and from its central part the buildings of Hawaii and Alaska, backed by the enormous federal structure, are directly to the north.

Just to the west of Klondike Circle the Pay Streak winds in a general direction from north to south, and at the eastern end the land gives way precipitously to the shores of Lake Washington. It is on this beautiful shore of the lake the natural amphitheatre is located, and nature has so quaintly formed this delightful spot, that small effort has been required of man to transform it into as perfect an exhibition place as is possible. Its curving, sloping sides complete a semi-circle, and from its tiers of towering seats 30,000 spectators may witness the entertainments with no possibilities of occupying a single undesirable seat.

A wonderful variety of architectural display is shown by the many buildings through which Yukon Avenue passes, and during its course the visitor passes from man-made monuments through parts of magnificent forests whose grandeur has never been marred by the destructive craft of Mammoth's disciples. From every side the line of horizon is defined by mountains whose lines are delineated in perpetual snow, and stretching away as far as the eye can travel rest the waters of Puget Sound.

MARKET GARDENERS NEEDED

Rogue River Farms Should Supply the Home Market With Vegetables, Butter, Eggs, etc.

A visit of inquiry made to the different green grocers, fruit stands, etc. here and in neighboring towns reveals the fact that large quantities of cabbage, cauliflower, beets, lettuce, asparagus, potatoes, beans and other vegetables as well as butter, eggs, hay and grain are being shipped into the valley almost daily from California and other places to supply the market of this valley, when it is a well known fact that all the products marked do well here and can be grown at a fair profit.

There is no good reason why the Rogue River valley should not export all of the articles named instead of importing them as at present. The production and sale of this produce could be made to afford a considerable revenue to farmers and gardeners of the valley, bringing in outside money in exchange for farm produce while at present the balance of trade is against us, we are sending out every month large sums to pay for the products of other regions which could be profitably grown here.

We venture the prediction that the next few years will mark a great change in this respect, that many small farms will take the place of the few large ones, that diversified farming will be carried on all over this valley, the large tracts divided into small ones will afford homes and remunerative employment for a vast multitude of small farmers and market gardeners, the towns and camps affording an excellent market for the produce.

NEW RAILROAD FOR OREGON

Oregon Apples Feature of Famous Feed--Oregon Souvenir Delights Grocers--Thrashers Hold Successful Meeting.

(Special Correspondence.)
"Leslie's Weekly" publishes in its latest number a picture showing the contents of the storeroom on the Steamer "Hamburg", with supplies used for the Forawell Banquet tendered Roosevelt on his recent trip across the Atlantic. Foremost among the good things displayed are numerous boxes of Hood River apples, and fortunately for Hood River and Oregon the boxes are so placed that the labels are easily read in the picture.

Bascom B. Clark, Editor of the "American Thresherman", the leading paper of its kind in the United States; Lee Hardin of Indianapolis Indiana, representing one of the largest of American manufacturers; and Morris O. Eldredge of the United States Department of Agriculture, unite in the statement that the Oregon Threshermen held the most successful convention of its kind ever got together in this country, and that the entertainment at Portland was superior to that ever given in any other city. These gentlemen were invited out to show Oregon how they themselves were shown. All a fee in giving chief credit for this success to Secretary Philip S. Bates of the Oregon Threshermen.

The Oregon Retail Merchants Association will entertain the National Retail Grocers' Association who are to be in convention in Portland June 2nd to 5th, and the Oregon merchants will circulate in advance, a beautiful souvenir programme which will be one of the best advertisements of this state ever printed. Going into the hands of thousands of retail grocers all over the country, many of these programmes will find their way into the hands of people who want to come to the Pacific Northwest.

Klamath Falls is to have a real railroad, and "Railroad Day" will be celebrated Monday, June 7th. Prominent men from many sections will be present. There are lots of other communities in Oregon that would be delighted to hold similar celebrations. In this connection, the Lakeview Board of Trade is working with Klamath Falls toward the construction of roads which will give Lakeview its share of benefit from the new railroad.

Every commercial body in Oregon that failed to have a representative present at the Oregon Development League's Conference in Eugene last week missed the most instructive meeting ever held in this state. It goes without saying that the people of Eugene gave their visiting friends a most hospitable and enthusiastic reception.

The Sherman County Development League are planning a basket dinner, with a full afternoon programme of progressive speeches, of which music will be a delightful part, for Tuesday, May 11th.

Jacksonville Public Library

From the first of January 1909 to May first there have been borrowed from the Public Library five hundred and ninety three books and thirty magazines. The reading room has been open two evenings each week with a gratifying patronage. The following new books have been received:

Coniston	By Winston Churchill
Richard Carvel	" "
The Crisis	" "
True To The Old Flag	Henty
The Young Midshipman	" "
With Wolfe in Canada	" "
Under Drake's Flag	" "
By Right of Conquest	" "
Innocents Abroad	Mark Twain
Ben Hur	Lew Wallace
The Workers East and West	Wyckoff
Sarah Crewe	Mrs. Burnett
The Call of The Wild	Jack London
The Man of The Hour	Octave Thanet
Tom Grogan	F. Hopkinson Smith
The Virginian	Owen Wister
Rebecca	Kate Douglas Wiggin
Captain Courageous	Kipling
The Blazed Trail	White
Conquest of Canaan	Tarkington
Lady of The Decoration	Little
The Scarlet Letter	Hawthorne
The Pathfinder	Cooper
Lorna Doone	Blackmore
Treasure Island	Stevenson
Mill on the Floss	Elliot

City Water Works

Work on the City Well Progressing. Now Down 35 Feet With Plenty of Water in Evidence.

Work on the city well is steadily progressing, the depth now reached is about 35 ft. and the supply of water is still increasing. An additional pump has been ordered, one being insufficient to keep the water out. There seems to be no question as to the supply of water being adequate to supply all demands for years to come. A modern water system with ample reservoir capacity means a large increase in the number of homes in the city as well as better fire protection, lower insurance rates, better sanitary conditions for those already here.

It is almost impossible to over-estimate the benefits and advantages of a properly conducted, up to date water system, every dollar invested in water works will be returned to the citizens of the city tenfold.

The Council deserve commendation for the start made to secure an adequate supply of water and should be encouraged to persevere in their efforts until the work is completed.

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| Last Days of Pompeii | Williamson |
| David Harum | Glasgow |
| Little Minister | J. Adams |
| Right of Way | Mitchell |
| Alice in Wonderland | Mable |
| Childs Garden of Verse | Dole |
| The Pilot | Harland |
| The Spy | Olivant |
| The Lightning Conductor | Parker |
| The Battle Ground | Dye |
| Democracy & Social Ethics | James Lane Allen |
| Hugh Wynne | Ford |
| Famous Stories & Fairy Tales | Crawford |
| Famous Composers | " " |
| Cardinals Snuff Box | Washington |
| Bob, Son of Battle | Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch |
| Seats of The Mighty | Rice |
| McDonald of Oregon | Leslie Goldthwaite |
| Choir Invisible | Whitney |
| Hon. Peter Sterling | Thackeray |
| Saracinesca | Seton |
| Sant Ilario | Brown |
| Up From Slavery | Dodge |
| Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch | By The Wife |
| Leslie Goldthwaite | " " |
| Vanity Fair | " " |
| Wild Animals I Have Known | " " |
| Bob and His Friends | " " |
| Hans Brinker | " " |
| Garden of a Commuters | " " |
| Wife | " " |
| The People of the Whirlpool | " " |
| The Woman Errant | " " |
- The last three were the gift of Mrs. C. C. Beekman. The new state books will be here soon.

News of the State

Two 7 year old boys, named DeLapp and Smith were drowned while attempting to cross the Grand Ronde river at Inland City, Saturday morning.

C. W. Parrot of Roseburg, R. C. Dement, Myrtle Point, H. T. Stewart, Gold Beach; Amos W. Wilkins, Eugene, and W. C. Cardwell of Roseburg have been appointed members of the board of commissioners for the Southern Oregon District Agricultural Society.

Lebanon has four rural delivery routes leaving the town.

Summerville is putting in a gravity water system which is to be supplied by a pipe line from the hill.

In a revolver duel at Gates last week between Henry Sullivan and Wm. Herve both principals were seriously wounded. Sullivan died Saturday and Herve is not expected to recover. The trouble originated over a woman.

Philip Lee, who sustained a fractured skull as a result of a bicycle accident at Marshfield, some time ago, died Sunday.

North Bend expects to distribute 75,000 pamphlets descriptive of that city and Coos Bay, at the Seattle Exposition.

The Commercial Club of Grants Pass is getting up for distribution a booklet descriptive of the resources of that city.

Rev. Wm. Travis a pioneer educator and a minister of the Presbyterian church, died at Portland, May 1st, aged 85 years.

The Polk county Oil Co. which has

been drilling for oil near Monmouth will soon resume operation. Natural gas and a bed of salt have already been encountered.

AN OLD TIMER

Seattle, Wash., May 8--Some enthusiastic antiquarian at the National capital has gone back 3,000,000 years to fish up an exhibit for the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition. A letter from the Government exposition agent describes it as a "mummified dinosaur, or trachodon," but even if it is worse than that, it will be an acceptable addition to the old-timers who will gather by the lake-side when the gates open on June 1.

Not much of Colonel Trachodon's antecedents is known, nothing in fact, except that he died suddenly in Wyoming on an extremely hot day. Judging from the position in which the remains were found by Charles H. Sternberg, it died with its feet in the air and then lay out in the heat for 2000 or 3000 years, which fortunately for posterity, made it a mummy instead of a dislocated skeleton, for the skin of the beast is intact, albeit very much wrinkled as becomes ripe old age.--Portland Telegram.

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Plenty more proof like this from Jacksonville people. Call at The City Drug Store and ask what customers report.

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What Do You Know About This?

Four civil engineers arrived in Medford yesterday and at once started out in quest of furnished rooms. They are said (and truthfully said) to be in the employ of the Guggenheims, the big copper magnates, and incidentally the word "smelter" dropped from the lips of one of the party, and again a few words more which were in substance that they expected to be here eight months, after which their assignment would take them to South America. Now, what in the world would four civil engineers, employed by the Guggenheims, find to busy themselves with in this part of the coast country for eight months? There can be only

one answer to this question: Blue Ledge copper mines, smelter to be built there and a railroad from Medford to the mines.--Medford Mail May 11.

Pacific & Eastern R. R. Sold

The Pacific & Eastern railroad was sold to John R. Allen and associates of New York, Saturday. It is confidently predicted that the road will be extended in the near future. It is currently reported that Robert S. Towne, the mining magnate of New York is backing Mr. Allen in this deal and if so it may mean a railroad through this City and on to the Blue Ledge mine. The movements of the New owners will be noted with interest by residents of the entire valley.

Some Good Advice

(Oregon Tradesman)
The country newspapers are potent factors for the merchant. An advertisement should be carried in them, it should be carefully prepared and changed frequently. In addition frequent conversations with the editor will give him your point of view on local and national questions. He will be willing and glad to give you space for notices. And he will generally be glad to help you fight your battles; for you have made them his as your own.

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