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CITY AND COMMUNITY SHOULD GET BEHIND CANNERY IS ADVICE

This Is Said to Be Opportunity for Cooperation on Part of Both.

Folly of Allowing Products of Country to Go to Waste Is Pointed Out.

COTTAGE GROVE, Ore., March 19. — (To the Editor) — Cottage Grove is a good city, a live city, but any sensible banker or other individual will tell you that the property of any city depends largely on the healthy prosperity of the country around it, and working conditions of its industries. The same thing applies to the prosperity of the country surrounding the city. It depends upon a good market for the products of the farm and the forest. Their relationship can never be separated so long as the earth revolves on its axis.

Savior Not Welcome in This Modern World

Preacher Says He Couldn't Get Popular Vote of People for Any Office.

Poultry Lecture Is Scheduled Next Week

A series of poultry meetings for Lane county has been arranged by County Agent O. S. Fletcher. The one for the Cottage Grove district will be held at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the city hall. This meeting is in conjunction with the lecture on "The Poultry Business" given by Calvin Funk, post of the American Legion.

LOCAL GIRL IS WINNER IN NATIONAL CONTEST

Miss Hazel Curtis of Cottage Grove is one of four Oregonians who are listed among the 120 prize winners in an ideal home contest in which more than 600 men and women from every section of the United States submitted plans. The contest was sponsored by the American Farm Bureau federation as another step forward in its campaign for better living conditions for every farm family in America.

Jail Break Is Failure.

While industriously at work Tuesday morning the bars of one of the outer windows of the county jail, Harvey Brice, held on a charge of burglary, was interrupted in his task by deputy sheriffs who entered the building unexpectedly. A broken hatch saw and a case knife were found by the deputies. The piece of hatch saw had evidently been concealed for some time because it exactly fits a broken piece of saw that was found hidden in the jail some time ago.

New Furniture Store Opens.

Earl S. Powell of Roseburg opened a furniture store here last week in the west half of the Hubbell building at Fifth and Main streets. Additional stock was received the first of the week. Mr. Powell owns a furniture store in Roseburg and his opening of a store here was inspired by increase in his Roseburg business. The store will handle new furniture and the best grade of used furniture.

75 Dolls Get Gay Easter Chapeaux

Seventy-five tiny "mothers" of the city were made happy Saturday when the New York Millinery parlors gave away that many doll hats. Mamas of the dolls were required to present their "offspring" and they jammed the store from the time giving away the hats started until the supply of gray chapeaux was exhausted. There were large fancy dolls and little raggy outfits, there were blondes and brunettes, American-bred and foreign-bred, dolls pretty of feature and dolls far from pretty, but each was given a hat while the hats lasted. Two dozen or more youngsters ready to burst into tears when they saw that they had arrived too late were permitted to leave their dolls to have hats made for them. The hats were made by the hats for them when they returned and found that it had been impossible to get hat material and were informed that the dollies would have to go without the Easter.

Free Poultry Lecture Is Planned for Tuesday

Arthur A. Peters, national poultry authority, will speak at a free poultry lecture at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, March 26, in Phillips hall. The meeting will be open to anyone interested and poultrymen of the district are urged to attend. Films will be shown, questions will be answered and improved poultry methods will be discussed and explained.

Oregon Has All Sheep It Is Able to Feed

Oregon now has all the sheep that this branch of stock breeding needs for good results and any further expansion should be discouraged. Some pertinent facts of great interest to Lane county sheep owners are cited by O. S. Fletcher, county agricultural agent, in connection with advice from Oregon State Agricultural college officials on this subject.

County Agent Discourages Adding to State's Total of 2,500,000 Head.

The monthly precipitation in Cottage Grove with departures from normal follows: January, 5.59, departure -0.76; February, 2.42, departure -3.5; March, 9.92, departure +5.18; April, 4.78, departure -1.06; May, 0.5, departure -1.51; June, 0.6, departure -1.4; July, 0.46, departure -1.54; August, 0.99, departure -0.69; September, 1.23, departure -1.17; October, 2.54, departure -0.58; November, 3.65, departure -0.83; December, 6.72, departure -0.83.

Miss Cooper Witness To Decapitation

That one of his daughters, while driving a car in California, was driven to an accident in which the driver of another car was decapitated, was reported by W. B. Cooper, a Eugene, former resident of this city, who was here a few days ago. It was reported by the Cooper girl that a rock was thrown from the macadam road by a passing car and that the rock crashed into and demolished the windshield of the car in which the gruesome accident happened. The driver of the car lost control and his car crashed into the car driven by Miss Cooper, the driver of the first car, in such a manner as to sever the neck.

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More Clear Days Than in Cities That Capitalize Their Climate.

While Cottage Grove has a greater precipitation than many other cities of western Oregon, the annual report of the federal weather bureau for 1928 shows that it has a greater percentage of clear days than cities which are capitalizing on their climate. Cottage Grove has a precipitation of 35.61 inches, while Eugene had 34.91 inches, Grants Pass 29.61 and Medford 14.33, but Cottage Grove had 165 clear days, while Eugene, only 22 miles away, had 127 and Medford 137. Grants Pass did not report. Cottage Grove had 192 cloudy days, while Eugene had 114 and Medford 150. The highest temperature in Cottage Grove was 101, while Eugene it reached 102, in Grants Pass 114 and Medford 106.

MILLS STILL HOLDING SITUATION IN HAND

Domestic Cargo Markets Held to Be Only Menace to Fir Prices.

The general outlook has many uncertainties but it does look as though, if the mills exercise a little good judgment, they should be able to carry over the advantage which they now hold until such time as the increasing fields get out from under the retarding influence of winter weather.

Ships Most Lumber In Its History

That the lumber market has improved greatly over a year ago is indicated by the fact that during February the W. A. Woodard Lumber company shipped 155,000 feet, the largest amount of lumber ever shipped by this company in one month. While the price was not as profitable as prices have been in the past, it was reported to be satisfactory. Shipment this month will not be as heavy, but the market seems to be holding firm to the gains in prices made last month.

Tree of Youth Is At New Home

When the H. C. Quigley family moved a few days ago into the C. A. Kurze home on Ninth street Mrs. Quigley found in the yard a cherry tree in which she had played a child and which at that time was on the home property of a grandfather, "Uncle" Barney Vench, pioneer of 1853. A number of years ago, when the street was improved in front of the Vench property, it was found that the tree was in the street and it was moved to the property which the Quigleys have purchased. The fact that the tree was there, however, had no bearing in the purchase of the Kurze place.

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