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The greatest truths are the simplest, so likewise are the greatest men.—Anon.

Editorial

GO-GETTERS

(Editorial in National Farm News)

Nearly every community is made up of two classes of citizens, whose daily lives and actions easily separate them into two distinct camps. They need no formal introduction to any intelligent audience or readers of the press. While in many respects they may dress alike and present the same sort of social front, they are as different in actual make-up as black is from white. The one class is composed of the "Gimmies" and the other of the "Go-Getters." The former are a decided liability and the latter a pronounced asset to any community.

The "Gimmies" descended from that stock which for years has been singing, "The world owes me a living," occupy the most of their time in seeking pleasure at the expense of others and are never known to offer a constructive suggestion on any subject. They "howl" about their lot in life and entertain visitors with a deep blue story about the shortcomings of the section in which they should speak a kind word about anybody or anything. If it rains they bemoan their fate; if the sun shines they fear a drouth, or that the crops will all burn up. They were apparently born with a distorted liver or are subjects of chronic dyspepsia. They give nothing to the community and are seldom missed when they proceed hence.

On the other hand, the "Go-Getters" are always smiling and happy, have a kind word for everybody and everything worth while. They believe in their community, its people and its plans for improvement. They love the children who romp over the fields and highways and predict for them bright futures. They believe in trees, God's first temples, grass instead of ash heaps, and flowers instead of weeds. They are advocates of a spotless town or village. They bless the tongue which gives honest praise and the ear that is deaf to scandal and gossip. If they can't speak good of their neighbor they keep still. They contribute to those things which do no good among the folks who are a part of their community, the place that they call home sweet home. They believe in their country and will do anything within reason to continue it as the greatest nation on God's footstool. They revere and respect the church because they believe that any community is better for having the House of God in its midst. They think and speak well of the public school, because they believe it is the bulwark of our liberty and the safeguard of our cherished institutions. They pull together and are never found seeking to destroy good works. They try to raise living standards, encourage physical improvements of their neighbor-

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Along the Seashore

Tide Table for Week Ending January 20, 1931, at Port Orford.

Table with 3 columns: Day, High (A.M. P.M.), Low (A.M. P.M.). Rows for Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday.

hood, and lend every assistance toward making civic, social and educational conditions better.

Of the two classes, the latter is much preferred in any community which desires to progress toward moral, mental and physical perfection.

CREDIT TO THE PROSPECTOR

(Editorial in Mining Truth)

Engineers and Geologists are fond of quoting the saying that producing mines are made, not found. This may be true in one sense, but nevertheless the mineral deposits must be found before a mine can be made. And it is not the immaculately dressed expert sitting in a big city office who finds the outcropping vein of ore. It is the hardy, tough prospector who combs the hills, deserts and mountains of the West, and the North, and locates the site of future mines, often at the risk of his very life.

The prospector is a unique character in the history of civilization. He is obsessed with the pioneer spirit, with the love of adventure and with the belief that somewhere, just around the corner or just over the next ridge, there is a fortune awaiting him.

Discouragement, disaster, defeat and failure cannot down him. He may give up his nomadic life for a time and settle down to other pursuits, but the urge for exploration and discovery is still in his blood and will come out sooner or later, carrying him back to his beloved wilderness.

The history of mining is full of romantic stories which show that some prospector's dreams come true. The unfortunate fact remains however, that most of them spend their lives seeking the "golden fleece" in vain. But they perhaps enjoy life just as much as those who are more fortunate, for it is the pursuit rather than the attainments, of the goal that give life its zest.

COAST GUARD STATION STATUS

When the Senate reconvened last week Monday after the holiday recess one of the first things performed was the appointing of new conferees on the Treasury-Post Office Department appropriation bill, in which the item covering an appropriation for the establishment of a coast guard station at Port Orford is included. Vice President Curtis appointed Senators Phipps, Smoot, Moses, Harris and Glass, and the bill was returned for further consideration in conference between the two Houses on objections raised in the Senate to the elimination of a provision covering the leasing of garages for use of the Post Office Department.

In view of the apparent determination of the democratic-insurgent block to force the calling of a special session of Congress after March 4th through filibustering against the passage of all departmental appropriation bills, it is uncertain as to the time the Treasury-Post Office Department bill will again be reported out of conference.

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SIXES NOTES

The sportsmen are enjoying the unusually fine steelhead fishing on the Sixes and the Elk rivers, and many fine catches are being reported.

Louis Farrier and C. C. Woodworth attended to business matters in Marshfield and Hauser last Wednesday.

J. Hulet, caretaker for Receiver Wann of the Inman Mines, was buying supplies here yesterday.

Mrs. George Tolley and Mrs. C. C. Hayes and children motored to Port Orford Sunday morning to attend church service.

Louis Farrier, who had a very painful injury to his foot a short time past, is still suffering considerably from the accident.

Captain Mabin of the Cape Blanco Lighthouse transacted business in Bandon last week.

Walter McGill purchased a new Chevrolet truck yesterday.

Mrs. E. L. Jamieson visited friends and relatives over the week end in Port Orford.

C. C. Woodworth motored to Templeton Sunday and had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Munson. On his return to Sixes Mr. Woodworth was accompanied by Mrs. Munson and the baby who will visit at the Woodworth home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tyson and children and Mrs. Howard Hull motored to Port Orford Sunday morning to attend church service. Mrs. Hull became a member of the Community Church by letter.

Eddie Connelly spent Sunday with Harry Helmskin.

C. A. Shirey transacted business in Port Orford Thursday.

PIRATES' WEEKLY

Ruby Purdin, Editor

The Botany class has been spending the past few weeks in making pamphlets showing the different species of Conifer trees.

Late Saturday the Pirates won the basketball game with North Bend. The official score was 11-5. Two of the regular players, Ray and Clinton Fromm, were not able to attend the game. The Port Orford Independent team played Gold Beach Independents and won with a score of 35-5.

This is the beginning of the second semester and next week a copy of the new schedule will be published.

The Freshman class was awarded the first prize for the garden work, which was a half day holiday. The Sophomores won the second prize of five dollars. The Seniors did not compete in this contest. The work will continue on until the end of the year when further prizes will be given.

Last Tuesday morning the Seniors were to entertain the student body. Three members of the class acted out a short play, entitled, "Courtship Under Difficulties."

Tuesday morning the Freshmen will again entertain.

Metal Prices

Lead (N.Y.) 4-15c per pound, Zinc (St. L.) 4-20c per pound, Copper 10-27c per pound, Silver 29.50c per ounce, Aluminum (N.Y.) 23.30c per pound, Antimony (N.Y.) Chinese 7.12c per pound, Nickel (N.Y.) Ingot 35.00c per pound, Platinum (N.Y.) \$36.00 per ounce, Quicksilver (S.F.) \$106.00 per 76-lb. flask.

Installation of Officers

Tuesday night the Neighbors of Woodcraft held installation ceremonies for the officers elected to serve during the coming year, with Mrs. Myrtle Forty as installing officer. The officers are: Past Guardian Neighbor, Myrtle Forty; Guardian Neighbor, Bernell Forty; Advisor, Lola Post; Clerk, Nesta Johnson; Banker, Sylvia Quigley; Managers, Rachael Marsh, Christiansa Fromm and Ella Knapp; Attendant, Nancy Wright; Magician, Ad-da Newman; Flag Bearer, Kate Leneve; Press Correspondent, Ella Knapp.

May Use Ashland Granite

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Oregon granite from Ashland or limestone from Yaquina can be used in the postoffice at Corvallis and Klamath Falls, according to information received by Representative Hawley. Contractors are authorized to use either or both Oregon products, substituting them for Indiana limestone.

The ruling will satisfy demands for using local material and also will encourage Oregon industry.

Church Services at Langlois

Service was held in the church last Sunday night with a good attendance.

Dr. D. A. Thompson, Synodical Superintendent of the Presbyterian Church, who resides in Portland, preached a very interesting and forceful sermon.

The music was directed by Mrs. Sevy and a number of the glee club in the musical part of the service.

At the close of the service a meeting was held to discuss the matter to reorganize the church work. It was unanimously voted that they should proceed next Sunday to organize the different departments.

The Sunday School organization, under the direction of Mr. Sevy, will meet next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

The young people will meet in the evening at 6:30 p. m. to organize the young people's society.

At 7:30 p. m. the church service will open with a song service followed by the sermon delivered by Rev. Elmer E. McVicker, closing the service at 8:30 p. m. May every one have a hand in this work.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior General Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon

January 8, 1931.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thomas Jefferson Ward of Langlois, Curry Co., Oregon, who, on May 10th, 1927, made Add. stock-raising homestead entry, Serial No. 016463, for SE 1/4 SW 1/4, S 1/2 SE 1/4, Sec. 21, W 1/2 SW 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, Sec. 22, NW 1/4 NE 1/4 and W 1/2 (600 acres) in Section 27, Township 31 S., Range 14 W., Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final stock-raising proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Fred Caughell, Clerk of County Court of Curry County, at Gold Beach, Oregon, on the 21st day of February, 1931.

Claimant names as witnesses: B. B. Stratton, and L. K. Hutton, both of Langlois, Curry Co., Oregon, Lester Keller, and Albert West, both of Sixes, Curry Co., Oregon.

HAMILL A. CANADAY, Register. J135c.

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