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IT SEEMS TO ME:



By Dewey

Rex Hayes, owner of Cedar Lane Cannery, recently opened just south of Harbor for all kinds of canning, including vegetables and fruits, was in the Pilot office last week, to have printed several thousand labels for salmon cans. While working out "copy" for these labels, there was a section which he wished devoted to use for boosting the community as a whole.

"What's your slogan?" he inquired. "I want something including the slogan about winter flowers." So, on one end of the label appears "Canned in the heart of the county of winter flowers." Nothing more, but that little bit will be read, in time to come, by hundreds of people living across the United States.

Here comes Rex Hayes, who has maintained a cannery at Wedderburn for many years, to this community, and already he is trying to boost it to the world. How many of the remainder of us in this community could pattern after his example? Made me feel that I was negligent in my duty, yes sir, it really did.

Rex told me that he was going to get into 'gift packages' of salmon as a big business. He has a mailing list of some ten or more thousands of people who will be likely to send out packages of canned salmon they had caught and had him say: With these labels boosting this community as they will, certainly he has set a pace for some of us 'natives' to follow. Don't you believe?

How many of you expect to go to the school either Thursday afternoon or evening to view the new plant, and to meet the teachers? It might do a lot of us much good. We can see, first hand, the place, the type of training and such that our children will be receiving this year.

Home economics has been added this year. Then, you will have an opportunity to meet Miss Doris Jean Stewart, who will teach

this new course. She is, from appearances, easy to meet, and capable in her work.

The new school plant, which certainly will relieve the congestion in the schools, will be open for inspection. Certainly it should please us to see what our money has gone to build, and where our children will be housed for seven hours a day, five days a week for nine months of the year.

Those of the district who do not have children should come, also. The visit might convince you that this area has grown—has outgrown the old school system and plant. It will show you how we have progressed in this area, almost despite ourselves.

THAT'S RIGHT . . .

"Scientifically, the belief that seven years of ill fortune must follow the breaking of a mirror is on a par with the belief that a dried spider, enclosed in a hazel nut shell and thus worn as an amulet, will ward off fevers." From New Orleans, Item, New Orleans, La.: On this point we are willing to go along with the writer. Now, for the purpose of proving his point and showing his audience that there is nothing to this old looking-glass superstition, it is suggested that our Southern brother deliberately break a mirror.

The A. P. reports the attendance of sailors, from an American fleet which is anchored in the Spanish port of El Ferrell Del Caudille, at a bull fight held at LaCoruna stadium. The A. P. says, "The sailors lost their hats in the stadium but when they left LaCoruna most of them had a senorita on their arms." We devoutly hope that, later on, our boys did not lose their heads.

A majority of our states have passed laws prohibiting hitchhikers from thumbing rides along our highways. If you don't believe this just drive out over the highways and observe those hitchhikers who are thumbing rides.

A contract bridge experts says, "When playing bridge, women players always show more of their cards than men players." Women always show more than men.

The fish are leaving the English channel. All those swimmers, who are paddling back and forth between Dover and Calais, are crowding the fish out of their home waters.

Sinclair Weeks, former senator from Massachusetts, has been chosen by the Republicans to head the coming campaign for election of G. O. P. congressmen. Success looms in the offing for the Grand Old Party. Now it is just a matter of Weeks.

Harris State Park, adjacent to Brookings, is one of the most beautiful parks on the Pacific Coast. A new road through the park enhances its value as a place for recreation. Local residents should hasten and avail themselves of its use before its beach is cluttered up with emp-

Pilot Readers Register Complaint

A group of citizens has come to the Pilot office with a complaint. The group complains (1) that logging and lumber trucks drive through Brookings at unlawful rates of speed, that some of the drivers sound their horns at all hours of the day and night and that some of the trucks are either unequipped with mufflers or unreasonably open up these mufflers when they pass through here; (2) that the speed limit set for Brookings is not obeyed by the general traveling public, (3) that motorists unlawfully park their automobiles in Brookings, (4) that Greyhound buses and commercial trucks are being driven there without regard for the courtesies of the road and at excessive rates of speed.

This group has requested the Pilot to publicize its complaint in order that the situation may be corrected by those who are at fault. If the situation cannot be locally corrected the group has asserted that it shall petition the governor for relief.

In this controversy the Pilot is not taking sides. As a medium of news the Pilot is offering this complaint for whatever it may be worth and shall print any communications, received by it, by any citizen who feels that the complaint is not correct.

Among truck drivers operating out of this community are some of the most efficient and careful drivers on our highways. Our loggers are a public spirited group who are always anxious and willing to work for the best interests of the public. Our automobile drivers are conscientious and law-abiding. Our children are about to start their school year. More of them will be on our streets. If traffic violations are endangering their lives then we must stop these traffic violations. If traffic violations are existing in Brookings the Pilot feels that public opinion can, and will, correct the situation and shall not require outside assistance in so doing. This is an earnest plea.

ty tin cans, old paper plates, decaying food and those thousand and one other articles which free Americans discard after they have finished a picnic.

One of these days some curious cow, that has fallen into an empty silo, is going to get the surprise of its bovine life when it discovers that it is being pulled out of the hole as beefsteak.

Its exterior was not gaudy and its inside was quite neat, and it was constantly in use throughout the day.

To those, who had use for it, no doubt it was a treat

To linger there and while the time away.

A path was leading to it worn smooth by hurrying feet

And it stood there, quite alone, in all its glory.

In going to and from it the family oft would meet.

It's been many times, the theme of song and story.

But today I looked out at and to my eyes came tears

As I saw the workmen hauling it away. Now I entreat

The retention of a memory, all through the coming years,

For that little old outhouse across the street.

A new kind of an outfit has sprung up in Washington, D. C. Its advertising sets forth the information that it will handle the cases of all citizens who are in trouble with the government. It should get a plenty of business.

Mother get out of the wash tub, fill up the bath tub, too. Johnny is home from the fair.

Mrs. Sandstrom Broke Left Arm

While watching a friend off last Friday on the bus, Mrs. Kathryn Sandstrom stepped on a round rock, turned her ankle, falling on her left arm. In the fall both bones of her forearm were snapped near the wrist.

In recounting her experience to the Pilot, she wished a note stating she would be unable to care for her beauty shop for the next five or six weeks, at least. "It's terrible that a beauty operator has trouble combing her own hair, but I'm thankful it was my left hand instead of the right."

Californians Seek New Home Site

Mr. and Mrs. Beasley, retired poultry and egg producers and extensive walnut growers of Pomona, Calif., have been visiting several days in Brookings. For the past two years they have been driving up and down, back and forth throughout the United States, searching for a suitable location for a permanent home.

In Portland they were told that somewhere between Port Orford and the state line they would more nearly find the object of their search than elsewhere in Oregon. Having heretofore visited both sides of Brookings, local people hope these people here will find a home that will provide them with contentment and peace for their remaining years. While here they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Marsh.

LOCAL NEWS

Jerry Anderson was a caller

at Eureka, Saturday, and while there purchased three guinea pigs from which he expects to start a 4-H project. His arm, broken at Curry County Fair, is healing nicely, he says.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Yocum were week-end visitors at their farm near Grants Pass, arriving home late Sunday evening.

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WOOD!

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By Pete Lesmeister



QUESTION: Recently we suffered a fire loss which was paid by our insurance company. Now a friend tells me that my insurance policy expired with the settlement and I must take out a new policy. Is this true?

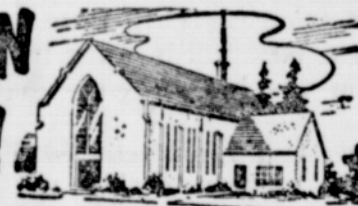
ANSWER: Not entirely unless the insurance company paid the full amount of the policy. When an insurance company pays you for a fire loss, it deducts the amount paid you from the amount of the policy. Thus, if you had a ten thousand dollar policy and the company paid you five thousand dollars, you would still have five thousand dollars in insurance. However, you should insurance agent about having your policy changed to give you adequate protection again.

If you'll address your own insurance questions to this office, we'll try to give you the correct answers and there'll be no charge or obligation of any kind.

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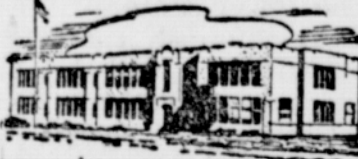
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