

Ask Us

Whenever you contemplate making an investment, ask your banker about it. Not that the banker is infallible or smarter than you are—but because that is a part of his business.

If he is a successful banker, that is an indication that he knows good investments when he sees them. This bank keeps in touch with good investments and presumes to know by experience what to leave alone. While we, like all human kind are prone to mistakes we have been reasonably successful and we will take great pleasure in advising with any who care to call on us.

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Commercial Club Activities

F. LESLIE BODY, Secretary

COMMERCIAL CLUB NOTES

The acrostics setting forth Ontario's possibilities and location have been received by the Club and are available for free distribution. See that one is enclosed in your mail when writing to friends or business firms.

Secretary F. Leslie Body presented to the City Fathers a plan, which if adopted, would enable the Post Office inspector to approve of the Free Delivery service for Ontario.

The Council's attention was also directed to the drinking fountain located at the corner of Nevada and Oregon, and it was suggested that same be either removed or put into working order. This matter should be attended to at once as there is no public drinking source on our streets.

The number of inquiries received at the Secretary's office relative to parties desirous of locating here is increasing weekly. This week includes letters from Tennessee, Kansas, California, Oregon and New York.

Remember that "P" in PAVING stands for PUSH, PROGRESS and PROSPERITY.

COUNTY FAIR NOTES

The Fair Board is working assiduously to achieve their slogan—"The Best Yet." The premium list has been received and in many cases the prizes offered increased. It is expected to have same ready for distribution about July 20.

Several offers have been received

THIRTY MILLION AMERICANS OWN GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Mrs. A. R. Innes of Portland has been appointed an Associate State Director of the War Savings Stamp organization, and will devote her entire time to the work in State Headquarters at Portland. Mrs. Innes has been identified with the various patriotic "drives" in the State for the last two years, and assumes her new duties with full realization and knowledge of her task. With the Victory Loan out of the way, and the nation settling back to a peace-time basis, it is the intention of the Government to increase interest in War Savings stamp investments, not so much from a financial standpoint, as far as the Treasury is concerned, but to the end that habits of thrift may be made part of parcel of American citizenship for all time.

Now that the peace treaty has been signed the United States Government is continuing the sale of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps, not so much because the Government needs the money, as the Government knows that citizens of the nation need a safe, patriotic opportunity to invest their money in order that thrift and saving may become a national characteristic against dark days that may come in the future. There never was a time when saving was considered more important than during war times and now—immediately following. The thrift habit has been formed by many, even the young children, the Thrift Stamps being the unit of saving. The Government desires that this habit be continued, and so continues the opportunity for safe and sound investment in "baby bonds." There are many things to save for, for example:

For the rainy day, or to take advantage of a sunny opportunity; to provide for old age, insurance or an income; to buy a home or get married; to establish your family on Safety Lane; to give children an education or a start in life; to have a "turn around" fund which will enable you comfortably to meet future adjustments in business or in employment.

The Government will pay you four per cent interest, compounded quarterly, on your investment in War Savings Stamps. If necessary you can cash them in on ten days notice.

Urge the children to invest their vacation savings, or part of them, at least, in Thrift Stamps. As an investment it will never be regretted. As a moulder of character the habit of thrift develops the highest type of citizen. Every successful man has been thrifty. History and biography furnish the evidence.

The Fourth of July, 1919, comes more nearly being a real "Independence Day" in the United States of America than any previous day, except the original "birthday" of the American nation in 1776.

The Fourth of July this year sees 30,000,000 Americans holding government securities, largely in War Savings Stamps. These Americans are more nearly "independent" than ever before, for a financial reserve

from Carnival companies and the Board is confident of closing with a strong Amusement company.

There is also every indication of securing an aeroplane which will feature every known stunt in the aeronautical game, such as tail-spins, nose dives, loops, Immelman turns, barrel-rolls, falling leaves, etc.

If you own a car and have not yet secured your banner advertising the Fair, get one at once from the Secretary. We can all do our bit to make this event a great success.

The first of the Commercial club luncheons to be served in the club rooms was held last night. Nearly 30 of the members were present and many important matters were taken up for consideration. A Robinson of the auto comp ground committee reported that practically all the work had been finished and that the balance would be ready in a day or two.

The club passed a resolution endorsing the Evergreen Trail and promising its assistance to the officers of the association.

A committee consisting of W. F. Homan, D. M. Taggart, S. F. Taylor, Larue Blackaby, H. B. Cockrum and G. K. Aiken was appointed to complete the canvas for financial support for the club.

Enquiries are being made daily where newcomers can secure rooms. If you have a spare room to let or know of one, you will be conferring a favor by advising the Secretary.

fund means independence, aside from the practical patriotism that follows active participation in the financial affairs of the nation. Before the war but 30,000 Americans held bonds of their Government. The Thrift Campaign last year brought millions of men, women and children into the rank of better citizenship. The campaign is being continued this year that those and others may become acquainted with the satisfaction there is in putting their small change and their dollars at work in government securities. A solid, prosperous citizenry assures a solid, prosperous nation, and the one constantly interacts on the other.

"Teddy" is coming to Oregon. Not the late "T. R." of the big stick, the gleaming smile, the fearless words, but the promising son of a great father, Lieutenant Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., was his title in France but back in this country he is known simply as Theodore Roosevelt to those who do not know him well, "Teddy" to the worshipping men he commanded overseas.

As one of the prime organizers of ex-service men of the world war, Roosevelt has been indefatigable in his efforts to make the Legion a great success. There have been rumors of personal ambition connected with his work but he downed them by his steadfast refusal to accept the chairmanship, or any other office in the organization, at the St. Louis caucus. This, in spite of the fact that for nearly an hour the roof of the great convention hall trembled to the shouts of "We want Teddy!" voiced by delegates from every state in the Union.

"Teddy" is now on a speaking tour of the country in the behalf of the Legion. He is due in Oregon in September. Original dates called for his appearance in Portland September 17, but it is very likely that the date will be changed for a week later in order that he may be a speaker at the first state convention of the Legion to be held in Portland, September 24, 25 and 26.

The same week that Oregon is holding its convention the state or Washington plans its state meeting in Seattle, so that Roosevelt will be able to attend both sessions.

He will not confine his speaking to Portland and Seattle, however, for his tour will include several valley cities and probably at least one city in eastern Oregon. Pendleton, Salem, Eugene and Medford have been mentioned but not definite dates have been made. Cities desiring him should get their bids in early though it will be impossible for him to speak everywhere he will be wanted.

Barge E. Leonard of Portland, state treasurer of the American Legion, has been named chief of the speakers' bureau for Oregon by John J. Sullivan of Seattle, first vice-president of the national organization.

Roy Bowman returned to Ontario Wednesday after looking after his flocks of sheep in the Buhl section. He sold these recently and now has but one band in Baker county.

Here's a Healthy and a HAPPY BOY

Health brings happiness, and a care-free, wholesome, out-door life brings health to the boys.

The youngster in the picture almost lives outdoors in his overalls. He hasn't a care on earth. No need to be careful in every move he makes, for fear of soiling or tearing his clothes.

You'll never hear his mother calling out of the window "Tommy, stop that, you'll ruin your suit." He does not wear that kind of clothes when he is out playing with the "kids."



This boy wears Two-Horse Brand Overalls



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