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**FUND FOR DEVELOPMENT**

**PORTLAND WILL SPEND \$300,000 TO ADVERTISE AND BUILD UP FARM LANDS**

Portland, Dec. 29.— Reports received from representatives of the Portland Chamber of Commerce engaged in raising, in this city, the sum of \$300,000 to be used in a state wide development and advertising campaign, indicate the intense interest that is being taken in the plan by business and professional men of Portland. Notwithstanding obstacles in the form of community chest affairs, the Astoria disaster and holiday activities that have presented themselves since the drive started on the 15th of December, more than one-third of the amount has been pledged. And without any doubt, chamber officials assert, the remainder will be forthcoming and the organization will be prepared to launch its project for the upbuilding of all of Oregon shortly after the first of the new year.

An interesting feature of the movement so far, has been the strong endorsement by Portland's largest industrial and commercial institutions of the Chamber's determination to give all the aid possible to the development of the state outside of Portland, the establishment of a cooperative marketing system whereby the producer may be able to sell his crop at a profit and the placing of the farmer on a better and a more secure footing.

"These business men full realize that Portland cannot continue to prosper unless the entire state prospers", said C. W. Mielke, president of the Chamber of Commerce in commenting on this phase of the movement. "And it is with this thought uppermost in their minds that they are regarding their subscriptions in the nature of an investment in Oregon and the state's future. They know that some measures must be taken immediately for the relief of the farmers. They believe that cooperative marketing is a step in the right direction and they are backing their opinions with their money. They are going to furnish right here in the city the finances for carrying on the work. They are confident that the results will be so apparent that when the present campaign is ended, it will have been found necessary that the work should be continued on a more extensive scale. We believe the investment will prove so profitable that there will be no difficulty in raising a much larger sum. We family were shopping in the Gate City Monday.

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Interment in the local cemetery.

Messrs I. M. Lowe and Fred Klingback heard Governor-elect Pierce speak at Cairo Friday and expressed themselves as well pleased with what they heard.

Rev. Blom did not speak here last Sunday but will be here on December 31st.

A hilarious time was participated in at the Literary last Friday evening. The Society was called to order by President Rippey and the following program given:

An Old Fashioned Negro Surgical Operation, Doc Pullen and son Fred. Selling the Washing Machine, D. P. Pullen, Fred Pullen, Glen Points and several children.

Round, Three Blind Mice, Mesdames Lowe and Bigelow and Mr. Pullen. Encore, Scotland's Burning.

Recitation, Towser Must Be Tied Tonight, Rada Elliot.

Piano Solo, Juanita Bigelow.

The Debate: Resolved that the country life is more pleasure than city life. Mesdames Klinefelter, Peutz and Lowe contended for city life while Doc Pullen and Fred Klingback argued for country life.

The ladies said their arguments were winners but the judges, Messrs. Lowe Klinefelter and Elliot were unanimous in their decision for the affirmative. The ladies decided they would have a vote in the selection of the "jury" next time and see to it that their own husbands, at least, would have no place on it.

The next Literary meeting will be held Friday evening December 29 and an equally enjoyable program given. The debate will be, Resolved That married life is better than the single life.

Everybody come. The old fashioned country newspaper is a feature of the evening also.

Mr. and Mrs. Larsen's daughter and baby arrived for a visit last week.

Wm. Peutz is plugging away working on the road near the old Owyhee post office with no assistance except what he hires, the one party interested in the road has promised to pay for his share there are a number of others who have promised to help. Help now when you are needed.

Rudolph Hite took a couple teams to his son in Long Valley last week.

Albert Wilson, of Payette, is rounding up his stray cattle and was an overnight guest at the Oce Schweizer home Saturday.

John East was over from Boise last week.

Miss Claude Smith and daughter Violet left Friday for a visit with her parents Mr. and Ms. I. Winnes of the Dalles.

W. W. Smith and J. Larsen shipped their unions Tuesday. W. L. Gibson had the consignment.

Ed Elliot shipped a load of turkeys from Nysa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ose Schweizer and

gramme considers a period of but two years.

"The advertising feature of the plan is important as a means of attracting tourists and others to the state, but the general belief among those who have studied the situation is that no time should be lost in getting the farmers into a better position."

As an instance of the interest that is being taken in the movement, attention is called to the larger subscriptions made by the Portland firms.

They follow: Portland Clearing House association, \$30,000; Multnomah Hotel \$3,000; Fleischner Mayer & Co., \$2,400; Olds, Wortman & King Co., \$2,500; The Oregonian, \$2,400; Oregon Journal \$2,400; Blake McFall Company \$1,500; Imperial Hotel \$1,500; Imperial Hotel \$1,500; Benson Hotel \$1,500; Powers Furniture Co. \$1,200; Marshall Wells Co. \$1,200; the Weiss Co. \$1,000; Rasmussen Co. \$1,000 Eastern Outfitting Co. \$1,200; Hirsch

Card of Thanks.  
To the many friends of our late husband, son and brother we wish to extend our heart felt thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and burial of Arthur A. Claypool, and to the officers and members of Advance Lodge No. 105, Knights of Pythias of Vale, we realize that we owe a debt of gratitude, for the generous and kindly manner in the attention and assistance given, and for the funeral services rendered by the Lodge.

Kathryn Claypool,  
Fannie J. Claypool,  
Edith Hayes,  
Belle Hayes.

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A. B. Weaver, Pastor.  
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All Kinds of Hauling Cheaply and Promptly Done  
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Rex Marquis represents us and will pay the highest cash prices for seed and grain. Settlement in full as soon as delivered. See him or call us collect before selling.

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**Did you ever stop to think**  
By E. R. Waite.

That these are competitive times. That in modern businesses, it is invariably the man that advertises who gets the business.

That the man who constantly keeps his business before prospective purchasers, is the man who reaps the reward of such progressiveness.

That today is an age of publicity and successful businesses pay much attention to this most important branch of modern business.

That to hold the attention of the buying public, is the first principle of commercial advertising.

That advertising should be given earnest attention.

That ads should be attractive.

That they should show merchandise of real value.

That they should be backed by the business integrity.

That a successful business is to a large extent dependent upon public sentiment toward a business you must attract favorable attention to it.

That advertising brings favorable attention to your business.

**Farm Pointers**

Considerable alfalfa will probably be planted on the river bottom and other warm, well drained soils of Western Oregon next April and May. It is a good plan to secure the seed of the genuine Grimm alfalfa before stocks are depleted and to anticipate needs for landplaster which usually helps in getting a good stand of the alfalfa. The Grimm alfalfa seed is usually planted at about 15 pounds an acre. This amount may seem excessive to some experienced alfalfa growers but for those who are beginning in alfalfa culture and who often sow the seed too deep, it is usually necessary to sow a slight excess of seed. Inoculating material may be had at 25 cents an acre from the department of bacteriology. Landplaster is usually applied at about 50 to 75 pounds an acre to the land that is to be planted to alfalfa.

Several farmers growing potatoes on Western mountain this year got a 12 1/2 per cent increase in yield by using landplaster on the cut potatoes. This treatment appears to preserve the seedpieces in the soil and is especially effective in rather cold and damp soils where the sprouting is slow.

Experiments at the station at Corvallis have shown that hay put into storage in the summer months increased several pounds per bale during the winter and usually reaches its maximum in February or March. It takes up moisture from the moist air and the bales are considerably heavier at mid-winter than they are at mid-summer. The hay generally goes back to near its original weight

the following summer.

Grain grading and the grading of other crops will be a special feature of the farm crops work of the winter short course at the agricultural college. This work will briefly review the development of grades and standards themselves, and how to apply them. The principal of grading the grain, hay and potatoes will be outlined and several laboratory periods will be devoted to actual grading work. This will be but a part of the general farm crops program which includes some of the most important phases of grain, seed, forage and potato production.

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**OREGON SLOPE**

Mr. and Mrs. Gorge Sullens and son Harold were guests Sunday of the former's sister Mrs. Henry Barker of Fruitland.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilcox were among the guests who were delightfully entertained Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. S. D. Dorman of Ontario. Music on the cello and on the violin with Mrs. Dorman at the piano featured the evening's entertainment.

The Christmas program given by the pupils of the school Monday evening was greatly appreciated by a large audience. The youngsters were well drilled for their parts and Mr. Attribury and Miss Loughrey deserve much credit for a splendid evening's entertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Clough entertained at dinner Wednesday evening for Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Boals and Mr. Snow.

Curtis Carico spent Sunday with Junior Miller.

Miss Leora Harritz entertained a group of young friends from Payette and Ontario with a lively party Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Simpson and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Carico.

About twenty five of local farm Bureau members attended the County Farm Bureau meeting at the hall near Cairo last Friday. This was the largest delegation from any one community. A profitable time was reported by those present, and all enjoyed the splendid address by the Governor-elect Pierce of Oregon also the music rendered by Farm Bureau talent from all over the county.

P. M. Boals was re-elected on the executive board of the county.

**OWYHEE**

The community was shocked to hear of the death of Gus Schweizer Monday morning. Mr. Schweizer was apparently recovered from his serious illness which occurred in November and had been romping with his little granddaughter Sunday evening. About four o'clock he had an attack of heart trouble and died at four o'clock Monday morning.

Deceased leaves his wife, four daughters Bertha, Kate, Cora and Anna and two sons William and Carl to mourn his loss.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Owyhee

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Propst. Everyone is invited to the Sunday school class.

**Prayer Meeting.**  
Those who wish to attend prayer

meeting at the Methodist church Thursday are cordially invited.

Three well bred sows and one registered boar for sale, or will let on shares to responsible farmer. Phone 210W.—1tc

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and best wishes for a  
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