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IT IS interesting to note that in the write-up of the County Grange meeting held last week at Gresham the publication that should have given the most complete record of proceedings omitted entirely those discussions relative to the propriety of bonding the county for road building, and the criticisms that were made in regard to it. That seems to be the plan that is being followed generally by promoters of the bond issue. Only one side of the argument is being presented. No opposition is allowed to show up anywhere, and this in spite of the abuses that have developed in other parts of the state.

When the road bonds have been voted and the Columbia highway has been covered with Warrenite there may be a little cash left to sprinkle some tar over one or two other roads of the county. It will be just as well. A Warrenite surface on the roads of eastern Multnomah will mean exclusively automobile travel. When a team cannot start a load on the level without falling down what chance would it have on the grades seen along our roads if they were covered with an asphalt surface.

To be absolutely fair about the road building in this county we must admit first that there are several thousand people in Portland who pay taxes for road building who can never get any direct returns for their money except to use the roads as pleasure drives. These people are entitled to consideration. It is a question of how far we should go in considering them. Pleasure must be sacrificed to utility, sometimes. We personally favor the Columbia Highway. It ought to have been begun years ago. But that is no reason for wanting to convert on impassible canon into a highly artistic, perfected highway in a short two years. It is not probable that more than five percent of the people will average to use the road annually, and that mostly for sight seeing. It would be far more rational to put that road in a good well-rolled graded condition for a few years and devote the road funds to roads in the county that are of daily commercial utility to thousands living in the city and country, giving them a good coat of hard brick or concrete, a few miles each year until they have all been rendered passable, and then complete the pleasure drives, a portion each year.

OREGON has been getting its name in eastern magazines considerably of late. The April Technical World in a write-up of speedy motor boats the "Oregon Kid" is given a flattering paragraph.

Popular Mechanics gives a Clackamas County man the credit for a new stump burning device, that utilizes an iron hood that covers the burning stump.

"The Standard of Polk County" is a two page article in World's Work, of March, that will be of interest to every one connected with educational work, especially in Oregon. Polk County is credited with having the schools ranked higher than those of any other county in the United States for buildings and clean and sanitary conditions.

We are getting to have a day for everything. There is an apple day, an orange day, a cotton day, clean-up day, and fifteen different sorts of tag days. Pretty soon we will expect to hear of egg day, dog day, lime and sulphur day, and perhaps,

bed bug day, or something of the sort. Why not?

Attention is called to an excellent article following, clipped from a contemporary, relative to the local paper. It will bear study and it is hoped that every reader will give it a short minute of time, and adopt some of the suggestions it offers.

How to Help the Home Newspaper

(From Glendale News)
"It is not enough for a live community that advertising should be correctly used to stimulate business and promote general prosperity. The home newspaper is a social and intellectual thing as well as a medium of business. One cannot serve the community better than by seeing that interesting items get to the editor. The editor is no mind reader; call him up and tell him. To do so is the neighborly thing, the kindly thing—a courtesy not to the publisher alone but everyone in the district who might be interested in your little item. Whenever Eric W. Allen, head of the department of journalism at the University of Oregon, speaks in a town he urges the citizens to get behind their home paper in both a business and a news way on the ground that the newspaper can be made a wonderful agency for building up a community. By a "successful community" Mr. Allen means not merely the community whose business men are prospering, and whose laborers are all at work, but the community that is a real social and intellectual center. He looks to the home paper as the most powerful means within reach of bringing about this kind of "success."

"If you can once get all your people into the way of voluntarily pouring these interesting scraps of news into the weekly paper, you will add immensely to the general friendliness of the community," says Mr. Allen, "you will be helping to make your town the kind of place where people want to stay and to which former residents will want to come back."

So try to get ideas into the paper. Write a little for it once in a while. Don't let the editor do all the thinking of the town. If you publish ideas, you start others to thinking, and you raise by just so much the general level of intelligence.

Encourage the home paper to be a business, social and intellectual center of the community. It will richly repay."

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F. F. Patterson of Roseburg has formed a company to build a commercial fruit drier at that city.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Preston, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Naoma Jane Preston, has been appointed executrix of the estate of Thomas Preston, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Multnomah, and has qualified as such.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same properly verified to undersigned executrix at the office of her attorney, Harry E. Hall, 6510 Foster road, City of Portland, Oregon, on or before six months from date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated and first published February 4, 1915.
NOAMAJANE PRESTON,
Executrix of the estate of Thomas Preston, deceased.
HARRY E. HALL,
Attorney for said estate, 6510 Foster Road, Portland, Ore.

STATEMENT of the financial condition of THE MULTNOMAH STATE BANK

at Lents, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business Mar. 4, 1915.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$ 35,377 18
Overdrafts	10 86
Bonds and warrants	16,000 00
Furniture and fixtures	4,000 00
Other real estate owned	7,255 52
Due from approved reserve banks	4,286 54
Checks and other cash items	362 90
Cash on hand	6,151 60
TOTAL	\$ 89,544 60

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 15,000 00
Surplus fund	1,500 00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	5,131 22
Postal savings deposits	11,867 09
Individual deposits subject to check	\$ 20,109 79
Demand certificates of deposit	1,886 60
Certified checks	586 75
Cashier checks outstanding	688 75
TOTAL	\$ 89,544 60

State of Oregon, ss:
County of Multnomah, ss:
I, H. E. Bloyd, Acting Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. E. Bloyd, Acting Cashier.
Correct—Attest:
C. F. Hendricksen,
C. A. Oppegard,
Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Mar., 1915
W. F. Kilmann,
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