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BIG POTATOES BE ON EXHIBIT

Arrangements for Potato Show Are Coming Satisfactory

CARL GRAY GIVES \$25 CASH PRIZE

Business Men of the City Will Hang Up Number of Prizes

The committees appointed by the Commercial Club to take charge of the Potato Show that will be held here Thursday, November 23, are getting well along with their work, and the outlook now is that a creditable exhibit of the famous potatoes grown in this section will be given.

The exhibit will be held in the Commercial Club room where it has been arranged to properly display the spuds. A large and varied list of prizes will be given to exhibitors, for individual exhibits, best collection, largest potatoes, etc. The merchants and business men of the city

have agreed to give different prizes, and Carl Gray, president of the Oregon Trunk railroad, has sent his check for \$25 to the committee to be awarded to the one making the best individual display of potatoes.

It is expected that potato growers from all around this section will bring in exhibits and compete for prizes. The Powell Buttes section grows fine potatoes, and a creditable display is expected from there, as well as from other sections in the Redmond territory and throughout the county. The whole of Crook county is eligible to compete at this show. Members of the Redmond Commercial Club who have grown fine potatoes this year, will not compete for any of the prizes.

It is the intention of the Commercial Club to make the Redmond Potato Show an annual event, and it is urged on farmers and ranchers that they make special efforts the coming year to plant a good variety of potato so as to improve their crop over this year (which no doubt it will be hard to do) and keep improving the crop each year.

The committee on prizes for the show have decided to offer three sets of prizes as follows:

The Carl Gray cash prize of \$25 for the best individual display of potatoes.

Best single potato—1, \$2 chair, 2, pair cuff buttons, 3, box cigars. Best dozen potatoes—1, \$5.00 pair shoes and one year's subscription to the Hub, 2, 1 set spoons and sack of flour, 3, 1 crate of grapes and one year's subscription to the Hub. Best bushel—\$5.00 pair shoes and wash boiler, 2, \$3.00 hat and one year's subscription to Spokesman, 3, \$2.00 scarf and one year's subscription to Spokesman.

The following merchants and business men have contributed either merchandise or cash to be offered as prizes:

Lynch & Roberts, pair \$5 shoes.

Ehret Bros., \$5 in merchandise.

W. Hobbs, crate of grapes.

Gregory's Variety Store, \$2 scarf.

J. H. Mendenhall, box of cigars.

C. H. Irvin, \$2 chair.

J. C. Williams, pair \$1.25 cuff buttons.

Jos. H. Jackson, \$2.40 wash boiler.

Freeberg Bros., \$3 hat.

Kendall & Chapman, \$2 set of silver teaspoons.

Redmond Grocery Co., \$2 of merchandise.

Robt. McSherry, \$1.85 sack of Snow Drift flour.

The Hub, two 1-year subscriptions to the paper.

The Spokesman, two 1-year subscriptions to the paper.

F. T. Redmond \$2, Ed Maher \$2, C. B. Hopley \$1, H. F. Jones \$2, Zumwalt & Miller \$2, Matt Kulesch \$1, G. W. Wells, \$1, State Bank of Redmond \$2, W. S. Rodman \$1, G. M. Huffman \$1, H. C. Herrick \$1, G. M. Slocum \$1, Redmond Bank of Commerce \$2, J. W. Brewer \$1, C. A. Cline \$1, Dr. Rodemyer \$1, Redmond Feed & Fuel Co. \$2, F. W. McCaffery \$1, C. S. Woods \$1, James Dougherty \$2, James Green \$1, Z. T. McClay 50c.

J. P. Rogers, superintendent of the S. P. & S. Ry. and the Oregon Trunk railroad, was here Monday night. He is on an inspection trip over the line from Opal City to Bend to see that the road is in condition to be opened for passenger and freight traffic Nov. 1st.

MUCH LAND IS BEING SOLD

Land Sales in This District Show Steady Increase During October

BUYERS MAKING IMPROVEMENTS

Redmond District Is Attracting Attention From Far Off Sections

During the past few weeks land sales in the Redmond and Powell Butte sections have been on the increase. The following recently made sales are reported by the Central Oregon Irrigated Land Co.:

Dr. Geo. E. Tooley of Kansas City, Mo., 40 acres of raw land, 6 1/2 miles east of here in the Powell Buttes section. He expects to buy more land later on.

Victor E. Johnson of Portland, 40 acres of raw land 6 miles east of here. Will go on the land in the spring.

John W. Akerblom of Bellingham, Wn., 160 acres raw land near Crooked river bridge. Will make improvements on same next spring.

Ninean Nielson of Cloquet, Minn., 80 acres in the same district as above. Expects to get on land this fall, and make improvements.

O. A. Abelson of Tacoma, 80 acres raw land 7 miles east of here.

J. J. Chapman of Oklahoma, 40 acres raw land 6 miles east of city. Has gone on land, built house, barn, etc., and is making improvements.

Elton E. Tooley of Portland, 40 acres raw land, near Powell Butte station.

Wm. J. Page of Couer'd Alene, Idaho, 80 acres raw land 8 miles east of here. Expects to go on land this fall and make improvements. He also bought city property in Mountain View Addition where his family will live so as to school the children at the school here this winter.

W. T. Smith of Portland, 80 acres raw land in the Powell Butte section. Is on the land now making improvements.

L. W. Van Doren of Portland, 40 acres in above section. Busy improving the land.

L. A. Heathman of Jennings Lodge, near Portland, bought the James McCoy 40 acres 6 miles north of the city.

M. F. Butner and Mr. Franklin of North Carolina, 160 acres partially improved land 2 miles north of city. Mr. Franklin is on the land now, and Mr. Butner has gone home to interest some of the people there in this country and will return in the spring.

Rev. A. G. Lane of Alton, Ill., bought the Frank H. Funk place 10 miles south of here, and is making additional improvements on the place.

Quartet Singing Well Received

The quartet singing at the M. E. church Sunday forenoon and evening was well received by the large congregations present. The quartet was composed of Mr. and Mrs. George Boyland and W. W. Alldredge of this city, and Mrs. Della Green of Oregon City. These people are all from one family. Mrs. Boyland is a sister of Mr. Alldredge, and mother of Mrs. Green. The voices of the singers are harmonious and blend with fine musical effect.

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Ladies' Shoes at COST PRICE

Regular	\$5.50	Shoes cut to	\$3.85
Regular	5.00	"	3.45
Regular	4.50	"	3.00
Regular	4.00	"	2.75
Regular	3.75	"	2.75
Regular	3.50	"	2.65
Regular	3.25	"	2.35
Regular	2.75	"	2.00
Regular	2.00	"	1.60

Full line Gutterman Guaranteed All-Wool Shirts at Eastern prices

E. L. RAPP

"The Head to Foot Clothier." Redmond, Or.

RACE MEET WAS A BIG SUCCESS

The Three Day Race Meet Was Satisfactory to the Public

FAST TRACK AND GOOD TIME MADE

A Number of High Class Horses Take Part in the Events

The three days' race meet held here Friday, Saturday and Monday, October 20-21-23, gave patrons of the turf the best line of this sport ever held in Redmond. A number of good horses that had been running at Salem, Eugene, LaGrande, Pendleton and Prineville were entered, and

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MAY ESTABLISH LOAN AND BUILDING ASSN.

Pacific Building and Loan Association May Operate Here

C. H. Beck and V. W. Burke, general agents for Oregon for the Pacific Building and Loan Association of Tacoma, are in the city this week trying to interest business men in the project of locating a branch of the above association in Redmond. Their proposition is to get ten business men here as a local board of directors to pass on all loans and look after the affairs of the association in this section. Messrs Beck and Burke state they have met with gratifying success, and it is expected that arrangements will be perfected this week for installing the local branch.

Mr. Beck says this association is authorized to do business under the laws of Oregon, that it has an authorized capital of \$4,000,000, and a subscribed capital of \$2,698,000. The proposition and object of the association is to loan money to intending builders, they to pay the same back in monthly payments, the same as they pay rent. An interest rate of 5 1/2 per cent. on the money loaned will be charged.

OUR GOODS and PRICES



In no other store in the county can the buyer find such a large assortment of all kinds of goods as we sell at our Large Department Store, and no where in the county can better prices be found than we offer to the buying public.

Our aim is to sell SATISFACTORY GOODS at SATISFACTORY PRICES, and that we are doing this is evidenced by the large and increasing patronage we are enjoying. We want your trade and extend an invitation to visit our store when in want of anything in General Merchandise.



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W. H. ANDERSON

The Postoffice Store