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RAINS MAKE GOOD CROPS NOW CERTAIN

Although there was not much of a snowfall in this part of Central Oregon the past winter, recent spring rains have been so frequent and copious that a full crop both in the irrigated and dry sections is now a certainty.

During the past two weeks the ground all over the county has been well soaked by the heavy rains that have been general. Monday night a heavy thunder storm, accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain, visited all parts of the county and thoroughly soaked the ground.

In the early spring the dry farmers in the northern part of the county, and in parts of the Powell Butte section, began to be doubtful as to whether they would have moisture enough for a successful crop, but recent rains have put their minds at rest on that subject, and fully assured a crop as last year is now assured.

While the season has been somewhat backward, the prediction is made that the growing season of 1913 will fully equal that of 1912 and a good crop be assured.

All the growing crops are looking well, and the majority of the farmers are feeling satisfied as to the ultimate outcome.

ERICKSON MAKING GOOD AT SALT LAKE

Ed Erickson of this city, who is playing ball with the Salt Lake City team, has made good right from the start. The first game Ed played he won for his team. The Salt Lake papers give Ed a good big boost in speaking of his playing, saying he is showing up better this year than ever before.

Reporting a recent game the Salt Lake Telegram says: "Pitcher Castleton was knocked out of the rubber in the second inning and was replaced by Erickson, who held the visitors to five hits in one and a half innings. Erickson struck out nine men."

How's your son getting on in college? They put him in as a pitcher the other day and he held the bases with a two bag-

Commencement Play to be Given Tomorrow Night

The pupils of the Redmond High School will put on a play—a Commencement play—Friday night at the Sparks Theater, entitled "The Sweet Girl Graduate," a farce comedy in three acts. Following is the cast of characters, and program of the evening:

Miss Maude De Smythe, the sweet girl, secretary of the class 1902
Evelyn Smith
Mrs. De Smythe, her mother, who is threatened with nervous prostration Laura Jones
Mr. De Smythe, her father, Prest. of the R. I. P. R. R.
Donald Burleigh
Mr. Jack Hamilton, her beau, president of the class of 1902,
John Fleming
Miss Matilda Hoppenhoer, her aunt, who never graduated,
"thank Heaven" Maude Malkeson
Miss Valeria Reynolds, her dearest friend, whom she loves very much Marion Froebe
Madame Sateen, her dressmaker Mildred Whitney
Madame Rantum, her elocution teacher (late of the Boston School) Hila Morse
Professor Grindem, principal of the High School, Richard Willcox
Mr. Chinese Bulbus, the florist Paul Loree
Katherine, the maid Frances Thompson

SYNOPSIS:

ACT I. Sitting room of the De Smythe home. Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. "We'll have the prettiest frock if it breaks the R. I. P. Railroad!"

ACT II. Sitting room of the De Smythe home, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. "Deep, deep, are the meanings of life."

ACT III. Hallway of the De Smythe home, Friday morning at 9 o'clock. "Mr. Bulbus, the lilies are lovely."

Topsey Turvey, by Room III.
Song and Drill

Reuben and Rachel, by Room IV.
Song and Drill

Mother Goose Rhymes, by Room I.
Song and Drill

Good Night, by Room II.
Song and Drill

Donald Burleigh and John Fleming are the two who will graduate at this term of school.

"He's my ideal and I'm his idol," said the girl.
"And your love affair?"
"Is an idyl."
"And your fiancé?"
"Papa says he is idle."
Diggs—My wife is a wonderful vocalist. Why, I have known her to hold her audience for hours—
Biggs—Get out!
Diggs—After which she would lay it in the cradle and rock it to sleep.

To Newcomers and Others Coming to Redmond or Central Oregon

THE REDMOND BANK OF COMMERCE DESIRES TO CALL ATTENTION TO THEIR BANKING FACILITIES, AND INVITES NEWCOMERS TO THIS PART OF THE STATE, AS WELL AS OTHERS, TO AVAIL THEMSELVES OF THE OPPORTUNITY OFFERED BY A SAFE, SOUND AND CONSERVATIVE BANKING INSTITUTION.

IT HAS BEEN OUR AIM TO CARE FOR THE NEEDS OF OUR OLD CUSTOMERS, AND ALSO TAKE CARE OF NEW ONES.

ALL THE COURTESIES EXTENDED TO CLIENTS CONSISTENT WITH GOOD, SOUND, CONSERVATIVE BANKING METHODS.

COME IN AND LET US GET ACQUAINTED.

Redmond Bank of Commerce

U. S. DEPOSITORY

Capital Stock Fully Paid.....\$25,000.00

Fourth of July Committees Are Working Hard

The various committees of the 4th of July celebration here are working overtime in outlining a program that will be interesting, and to put up a number of good stunts for the two days it is now proposed to celebrate.

July 4th and 5th will be celebrated in Redmond, and it is the desire of the publicity committee that everyone in Central Oregon get next to this fact and make their plans for coming here on the above dates.

All are guaranteed a good time. There will be something doing every spare moment of the two days. Lay away dull care and come to Redmond, should be the slogan of the

BOY DROWNED AT BEND. COMPANION IS RESCUED

Bend Bulletin: Earl McClure, son of J. W. McClure, was drowned shortly before 4 o'clock last Wednesday afternoon in the Deschutes river in front of the Hudson home at Bend. Howard Young, who was with him in a canoe, was rescued.

The boys were out canoeing and were upset at the point where the current takes a whirl around a rocky point.

The Young boy clung to the up-turned craft and was rescued by several men and taken to the F. E. Martin home.

Earl McClure was about 14 or 15

person who wants to appropriately celebrate America's natal day.

Just what the program will be for the event has not yet been decided upon, but enough numbers have been marked up to insure an interesting program. It has been stated by the Sports Committee that a five mile automobile race will be one of the attractive features. Base ball games will also be scheduled between fast teams.

But little more than a month's time intervenes between the 4th and in the meantime the committees in charge of the celebration will make up a program that will fully repay the visitor coming many miles to see

years old. Howard Young is a son of John Young. Both belong to the Boy Scouts.

Indignant Wife—I wonder what you would have done if you had lived when men were first compelled to earn their bread by the sweat of their brows.

Indolent Husband—I should have started a little notion store and sold handkerchiefs.

Wife—Oh, George, do order a rat trap to be sent home today.

George—But you bought one last week.

Wife—Yes, dear, but there's a rat in that.

REDMOND IS TO PLAY AT BEND JUNE 7

The base ball game here last Sunday afternoon advertised between the Bend business men and the Redmond business men, resulted in a victory for the Hub City merchants by a score of 16 to 9 in a seven inning game. Bend made 2 in the first, was blanked in the second, made 3 in the third, drew goose eggs in the fourth and fifth, and gathered up a couple of tallies in the sixth and seventh.

Redmond started off with 4 in the first, picked up 3 in each of the second and third innings, was blanked in the fourth, pulled in 2 runs in the fifth, and 4 fat juicy scores in the sixth. The seventh inning was not played by Redmond as they had the game won by a large majority.

A goodly sized crowd of people came down from Bend, both by train and auto. Part of the Bend band accompanied the delegation from there, and was met at the depot in the morning by the local band. Later the two bands were consolidated and furnished excellent music during the day and evening.

A series of tennis games were played in the forenoon, and an even record was the score. The Redmond players showed good form and held down the crack players from the city up the river. The Redmond players were Postmaster Moore, Dr.

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Kinds of Advertising

Upon embarking in business the first problem that faces the merchant is how to get customers. He starts out after business. That is advertising. He personally solicits trade or adopts some other means of advertising his business. But one thing is certain, if any business is ever built up it is built up through the medium of advertising. Every business man must admit this, or why not start a business under ground and the proprietor sit down waiting for trade to come to him? A well kept store in a good location, stocked with good goods at reasonable prices, is an advertisement. A merchant cannot hide his light under a bushel and be a success. He must advertise.

There are various ways of advertising, and for the sake of convenience and in the order of their importance we give them here:

1st. Personal Advertising—Where the merchant personally solicits business.

2nd. Personal Letter Advertising—Where the merchant writes personal letters to stimulate business.

3rd. Newspaper Advertising—Where through the newspaper the merchant gives business news each week to thousands.

4th. Circular and Other Advertising—Where through circulars, bills, bill boards and all other means of publicity, effort is made to influence the trading public.

There is no denying the advantage to a merchant in personally soliciting business, either visiting prospective customers personally or writing them personal letters. These are very effective ways of advertising, and at the same time very expensive ways of advertising.

Newspaper advertising is the next best means of advertising and, price considered, it is by far the best advertising.

THE SPOKESMAN CAN HELP YOU WITH YOUR ADVERTISING TO GET RESULTS. LET US TRY.