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### THE GET-TOGETHER SPIRIT

The get-together spirit that is now being manifested by the business men of Redmond will work wonders for the advancement of the city and surrounding country. It is by united effort on the part of the citizens in any community that beneficial results are accomplished, and that is what the Redmond people propose to do during 1914; accomplish many things that will work to the prosperity of this whole section.

The Commercial Club is taking on a new lease of life and going out for an increased membership, and different lines of industry in this section are being encouraged.

This is as it should be, and there cannot be too much of this get-together spirit shown, especially in a new community like Redmond.

### DECEASED NEWSPAPERS

The Tumalo Times, published at Laidlaw, is the latest Crook county paper to give up the ghost. In the issue of January 8 Editor Brown said the paper would be discontinued for lack of support. The suspension of the Times makes the third newspaper funeral in the county within a few months. Those falling by the wayside being the Terrebonne Oregonian, the Metolius Oregonian and the Tumalo Times.

But the reading public need feel no alarm for there are plenty of newspapers and near newspapers in the county left to fill the "long felt want." Madras has one, Culver another, Redmond three, Prineville two, Bend one, Sisters one, La Pine one—19 papers in a county of little over 10,000 population. That surely ought to be sufficient.

### THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE

For the first time in the history of the city the citizens can learn something of the condition of the finances of Redmond. This is explained very clearly in Mayor Hosch's annual message, delivered to the council at the January 13th meeting, and published in full in this issue of The Spokesman.

In a clear and concise manner the mayor has given just the information that the tax payers should have and been anxious to learn.

During the year 1914 all official proceedings of the City Council will be published in The Spokesman, and this will keep the citizens in touch with what is doing in municipal affairs.

A man came in and stopped his subscription to The Spokesman because, he said, the paper had "said things about people buying at mail order houses, and he wouldn't take any paper like that." The Spokesman is not boosting for mail order houses, but is boosting for the locality in which it is situated, and no locality can prosper if the people in the community persist in sending to outside points for their goods and groceries. It is communal interests that build up towns and communities in any section.

More sidewalks are to be built in the city, according to a resolution introduced at the last council meeting. Nothing improves the looks of a city more than plenty of good substantial sidewalks—and they don't cost the city a cent, either—the property owners have to build them, and the crosswalks, too. All the city has to do is to order the walks built.

The county division bee is again buzzing, and this time it buzzes at Madras and the Farmers' Union there is sponsor for the movement. It seems to many of the people in this section that taxes are high enough now without being boosted any higher by creating new counties out of the present county.

At a debating society in Portland the question for debate recently was "Resolved that through woman's influence more trouble and crime has been committed in the world than from any other source." The affirmative side won the debate, hands hands down.

The La Pine Inter-Mountain shows up its town well in the columns of the paper—all the merchants there advertise, and the Commercial Club, too. From looking over the columns of that paper a stranger is favorably impressed with La Pine.

Information received from reliable sources point to a resumption of lively times again throughout the whole country just as soon as the new currency law gets in working order.

Jos. P. Bates of this city, has some good intelligent ideas on the irrigation question that is occupying

the attention of the people in this section at the present time, and the same may be made public in the near future through the columns of The Spokesman.

The Deschutes Mutual Telephone Co. has applied for a franchise to erect poles in the streets and alleys in the city for the transmission of electricity. Does this mean another electric light and power company for Redmond?

### PLAN TO SHUT DOWN ON MAIL ORDER BUYERS

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pected to buy the produce from the people who spend their money away from their local town.

### COMMUNITY WELL IS PLAN TO AID FARMER

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office would be pleased to provide for the establishment and operation of one or two outfits through the use of convict labor. This plan would reduce the cost to a minimum and it being a work in the public interest the coming Legislature should appropriate funds to reimburse any organization that might see fit to aid in financing the undertaking.

### IRRIGATION IS TALK AT MADRAS MEETING

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have a triple division of the county. The sentiment of the meeting favors the placing of the country north of Crooked river and of the Grizzly divide into one county, and then the division of the rest of the county by a north and south line running about nine miles west of Prineville.

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