

Great Northern Railway's Oregon-Montana Exhibit Car



Swansee, Ind.—The band that rocks the rural cradle in this section is going to be a big factor in packing "immigrant moveables" for Montana and Oregon points ere long, if the unusual attendance of women visitors to the Great Northern Railway's Oregon-Montana exhibit car is any criterion.

The wives of fifty farmers drove from a radius of 14 miles to visit the "exposition on wheels" in Swansee yesterday. The interest of this feminine delegation was productive of promising results, for today their husbands came in from the countryside to make further inquiries and view the products of these states which made such a favorable impression upon the women folk. No fewer than twenty-five families went to Montana and Oregon from round about Swansee last year and their letters written to the farmers "back home" roused so much interest that the

organized pilgrimage to the exhibit car resulted. The men folk were skeptical about the car of products, it transpired, so the women "hitched up" and drove to town anyway, giving curiosity as an excuse. The glowing accounts they carried home with them did the rest and today, after these farmers had spent two hours in the exhibit car they frankly confessed that they never had any idea Montana and Oregon could raise such a variety of banner products on land that does not cost one-fifth of what Indiana land is held at. They all "allowed" there was something in the argument their discontented wives had been agitating as the result of those letters from the Northwest written by the erstwhile Hoosiers telling of vast improvement in their conditions since moving into the newer country where the prices of agricultural land is not prohibitory as it is in the more densely set

tled middle west.

These people, who found their awakening in the marvelous products which Louis Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway is exhibiting broadcast through this part of the country, for the most part, represent the large population of the land renters who are paying as high as \$9.00 per acre rental. They are tired of the struggle for little more than a living. Nearly all by dint of frugality, have saved a nest egg after ten or more years of tilling the other fellow's tract, with the landlord getting the lion's share. They now realize they might have owned their own land had they gone west years ago.

The comparatively cheap lands of Montana and Oregon appeal strongly to these folks. They are all diversified farmers and the products shown in the Great Northern's exhibit car was a revelation to them.

First Wool Sales at Pendleton.

Pendleton, Or.—The first, and one of the largest sales of the season, was consummated within the last two days, when half of the 250,000-pound clip of Smythe brothers, of Arlington, was sold to J. P. Dufour, woolbuyer for Henri Wattine and several foreign houses, as well as American manufacturers.

Although the price obtained is not known, it is thought to be the best price paid for many years.

The sale was the coarse wool end of the Smythe clip—the fine wool not having yet been shorn.

Lured by News of Gold.

Lakeview Or.—Lured by the news of gold strikes in the High Grade district at New Pine Creek, on the state line 15 miles south of Lakeview, an army of prospectors, miners and leasers are pouring into that town with tents, bedrolls and miners' pans as artillery.

While surface showings in the High Grade district have for the past two years aroused much interest here, a few recent strikes in the Sunshine claim assaying up into the thousands, has excited prospectors from Alaska to Mexico. It is predicted by prominent mining men, that New Pine Creek will excel Cripple Creek and Goldfields if present values hold out.

Alfalfa on Dry Land.

Oregon Agricultural College—The growing of alfalfa on the dry-farming lands of Oregon in cultivation rows for the production of seed has been the special dry-farming hobby of Prof. H. D. Scudder of the Oregon Agricultural College. He has advocated this plan widely through Eastern Oregon for the past five years, and is beginning to see practical results on a large scale. A prominent wheat farmer at Arlington has planned to put in 160 acres of alfalfa on his dry land, and has asked the agronomy department of the college for special instructions and for

the best seed. Another man, one of the largest wheat farmers in Gilliam County, is to put in 2,000 acres of alfalfa this spring. The great number of letters coming to Prof. Scudder from all parts of eastern and central Oregon on this subject indicates the first great change for the better in dry-farming agricultural there

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15 for \$1.50. Leave orders at Whitte's grocery. Mrs. PHESTON THOMPSON. 2p

March 23, containing small sum of money. Return to this office. 4-4

80 acres, 11 miles from Prineville, on old Bend stage road. All under cultivation; 50 acres in alfalfa and clover; 7 1/2 miles from railroad. Address X Y Z care Journal. No agents. 2-29-31

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2-29 CHAS. F. CONDART.

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Eggs That Hatch.

From 15 eggs sold Mrs. Cottrell 15 chicks hatched; from my pen of 21 White Leghorns during March I got 496 eggs; from 144 now setting 135 test good. Who can beat it. Yours for eggs. J. W. STEWART.

Shoe Repairing.

All kinds of boot and shoe repairing. Prices reasonable. Work guaranteed. ISAAC GOFF, Fifth street, first door west of John Morris' store. 2-29

Eggs for Hatching.

Partridge Wyandottes, Hatched Plymouth Rocks, Golden Laced Wyandottes, Anconas, 15 for \$2. Seabright Bantams, 13 for \$2. Plymouth roosters \$3. All Eastern Oregon chickens. Mrs. T. F. McCallister. 3-21

White Wyandotte Eggs for Hatching.

Fishel and Kelly strains. \$2 per 15—E. E. EVANS, Prineville, Or. 2-11

Money to Loan.

In sums of \$100 to \$1000 on three or five years time. C. F. SMITH, Prineville, Ore. Office with Crook County Abstract Co. 2-29-31

Took the Gold Medal.

Bliss Native Herb tablets took the gold medal at the Paris Exposition this spring. For sale by RAYMOND CALAVAN, Prineville, Oregon. 4-18-31

Settle Up.

As the following firms are out of business they wish to close accounts at once. O'Neil Bros. Co. Lone Pine Trading Co. O'Neil, Larson & Co. Settlement must be made by either cash or note with Walter O'Neil, Prineville, Ore., at the law office of George Bernier. 4-18

How Much for an Egg?

Silver Spangled Hamburgs, 10c each; Anconas and White Wyandottes, 15c each; Mammoth Bronze turkeys, 25c each. State how many you want. I guarantee my eggs. When properly handled, produce fine, strong, healthy chicks. Am ready to make good bonafide dissatisfaction. All matings are unrelated. 4-25 J. F. FOX.

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LOCAL MENTION.

Farmer Powell came up from Portland last week.

The M. W. A. band will give a shirt waist dance at the Commercial Club Hall May 10.

John Millhorn of Camp creek is in the city this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Millhorn.

The Journal reporter has been laid up this week with inflammation of the eyes, hence the shortage of local news.

The public school teams of Prineville and Bend crossed bats at Redmond last Friday. Prineville won by a score of 6-0.

W. F. King brought in a fine new Cadillac from Portland last week for the use of the Oregon & Western Colonization Co. agent at Burns.

The seniors were delightfully entertained at the home of Prof. and Mrs. Coe Friday evening. Various games were played during the evening, after which refreshments were served.

Mrs. Pauline Moore Riley, Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon, Order of the Eastern Star, will be in Prineville Monday, April 29th, for an official visit to the O. E. S. It is hoped all members and visitors will be present at the special meeting Monday evening at 8 p. m.

On May 5 the Methodist church will observe "Home Coming Day." The Rev. Dr. T. B. Ford of Oregon City will be here. Dr. Ford will deliver his great lecture on Abraham Lincoln on Friday, May 3, and preach on Sunday, May 5, in the Methodist church. Announcement of these services will be made in the next issue of the Journal.

LOCAL MENTION

Born—April 14, to the wife of John French, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hackett of Lamonta were transacting business in Prineville the first of the week.

The ladies of the M. E. church are preparing to give a big chicken pie dinner some time during court week.

Mrs. Pillette, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Omar Claypool, for the past month, returned to her home at Madras Sunday.

Grant B. Freer, a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Rice, is in Prineville. From here Mr. Freer will go to New York to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Winnek announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Lorene, to Hugh R. Lakin, wedding to take place in May.

Articles of incorporation of the Madras Trading Co. have been filed with the county clerk by E. Roush, Wm. R. Cook and Henry C. Noble. Capital stock \$8000. They will conduct a general merchandise business.

J. L. Morrison, St. Paul representative of the Oregon & Western Colonization Co., arrived in Prineville yesterday with a party from various points in the United States. They are: N. W. Sandquist and Geo. Sundholm, St. James, Minn.; Curtis Adams, of Twin Falls, Idaho; Floyd Miller, of Van Buren, Indiana; M. V. Intcher, of Imperial, Cal.; O. W. Riet and Geo. Beck, of Kennewick, Wash. These gentlemen represent considerable capital, and it is understood their mission is to purchase some of the former road lands. They are in the county now looking over the field and discussing its prospects.

LOCAL MENTION

Miss Bertie Carey has returned from her visit to Los Angeles.

J. H. and R. M. Templeton returned Friday from a business trip to Portland.

A full attendance of all members of the C. C. H. S. Alumni is requested April 29 at the home of Emerien Young, the president.

H. C. Oliver, traveling freight and passenger agent for the O. W. R. & N., was in Prineville yesterday. He predicts big crops this year throughout this part of the state.

Married—In this city Saturday, at the office of Justice of the Peace Kennedy, Walter A. Foster and Miss Edna Long, both of this city. The wedding was very quiet, and also proved to be something of a surprise to the many friends of each, as they were not thought to be contemplating such a move. The young couple drove out of town immediately after the ceremony and proceeded to the Powell Butte country, where they are now at home at the ranch.

The stockmen of Crook county met at Commercial Club Hall April 20 and organized an association. J. F. Blanchard was elected president; E. T. Slayton, vice-president; Raymond Calavan, secretary-treasurer; J. W. Stanton, L. C. Stephenson, D. Keenan and J. J. Johnson were elected a board of directors. The objects of the association are to cheapen the supplies of its members by buying at wholesale, to help in locating stray stock and to co-operate with the forest service in apportioning the range in the forest reserves, and also to aid the prosecution of stock rustlers.

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