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Forbes Delivered the Goods

During the session of the legislature just closed everyone agrees who was in a position to watch the workings of the House that four or five men were instrumental in getting nine-tenths of the important legislation through that body. Of the four or five leaders none received more recognition than our representative, Vernon A. Forbes, of Bend.

Forbes introduced the bill and lead the fight that made possible the lease of the Southern Oregon lakes, which will bring a great amount of wealth to the state without injuring anyone, and which might have easily been allowed to go the way of many of our natural resources without bringing any revenue to the state whatever.

During the 1913 term of the legislature, Forbes introduced the bill that made the development of the Tumalo project possible, which project will stand forever as a monument to the state for efficient work done by the commonwealth.

It was Forbes who championed the fight for the creamery bill which prevents the manipulation of prices in communities like this one, to the benefit of the so-called creamery trust and the direct detriment of the people.

In justice to Forbes it should be said that those who are in power in the legislative bodies of the state recognize him to be one of the ablest of their number. It is whispered that he may have the speakership of the house for the next session if he wishes that honor. In justice to the man and in the interests of this part of Oregon he should be returned to the House by unanimous vote at the expiration of his present term.

Tax Paying Time

Last week a well known catalogue house shipped 70,000 pounds of catalogues to Roseburg, Oregon, by freight, from which point they were mailed out by parcel post to all parts of Oregon. The catalogues were a work of art and cost anywhere from 75 cents to \$1.75 each to deliver to the customers. They weighed approximately two pounds each, and in the one shipment above mentioned there were more than 35,000 catalogues, the cost of which delivered to the customers would total some \$40,000. This amount represents a part of the profits these people realize from the sales made in communities just like this one throughout the state, which profit belongs to the local merchant. Have you paid your catalogue assessment yet? It is a tax that leaves Crook county never to return. It contributes not one cent to the road, school or other funds of the county. Can we afford it?

Trade at Home and Save Money

A local citizen received a shipment of stock salt by parcel post a short time ago. To relieve our minds of the idea that such articles were being shipped by mail, we held a little investigation with the following results:

Stock salt at this particular time was selling at 55c per 100 pounds in Portland. Parcel post rates are, we all know \$1.08 per 100 from Portland to Prineville, which brings the cost of the article to \$1.61 per

100 pounds. Next we interviewed two of our local merchants and found that stock salt is worth in small lots \$1.15 per 100 pounds in the open market in Prineville, cash. Add the cost of postage, money order, etc., to say nothing of the delay, inconvenience and anxiety and the consumer lost 50c per hundred on the shipment. Next, to carry the idea farther, we investigated the freight rates and found that by local shipments, the charge for this class of freight would cost said consumer 83 cents per hundred which added to the original 55 cents would yet leave a balance in favor of the home merchant of 23 cents per hundred.

While these prices and comparisons will not figure out in every case as strong as the above, we believe that in many instances the investigation will prove that it is to the best interests of everyone to buy of the home merchant.

The co-operative cannery at Newberg paid to farmers of that region \$24,454 last year, practically all of it for produce which would otherwise have been lost. The cannery made a net profit of about \$3000, which was better than expected for the first year. Co-operative establishments of this kind are likely to prove the salvation of thousands of Oregon farmers.

Even though the supply of wheat from southern Russia will perhaps be released soon by the capture of Constantinople, wheat in the Portland market is quoted at \$1.15 to \$1.40. The law of supply and demand continues to govern. Plant every idle acre to spring wheat for the prices are sure to be good this fall.

Market reports during the current week predict a wool famine during the next year. Crook county sheepmen have awaited this news for many long years.

In the tenets' directory for the Oregon Journal building we note the following: "West, Oswald, lawyer, room 503." It seems we have heard that name before.

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FOR SALE EXCHANGE, RENT, ETC.

The Journal Classified Ads.

Advertisements under this head are charged for at a flat rate of five cents per line for each insertion. No display other than regular headings will be admitted to the Classified columns. Copy should be in this office not later than Wednesday noon to insure insertion under this head.

Seed Rye For Sale

Good clean dry land seed rye for sale, price \$1.50 per bushel. **LEWIS BRADLEY-BERGER**, Prineville, Ore. 3-4-tf

For Sale

Team young oxen, weight 3200 lbs. Address, **LEWIS COVYELL**, Redmond, Ore., Box 255. 3-4-2p

Horse Taken Up

One white mare, weight about 1000 pounds, brand rather P, nine or ten years old, broke to work. Owner can have same by paying pasture and advertising charges. Animal at my place on the Lamonta road. **N. F. McCOIN**, Prineville, Oregon. 3-4-3p

Farmers' Union Meeting

A meeting of the Farmers' Union will be held at the courthouse on Saturday, March 13, 1915, at 1 o'clock, for the purpose of re-establishing our Union, electing officers and attending to any other business the farmers may wish to take up. All members of the Union are requested to attend this meeting, also all farmers who wish to join. 3-4-2; **T. H. LAFOLLETTE**, Pres.

Man and wife want position on ranch; man to work, woman to cook. Address **M. N. Stewart**, Powell Butte, Ore. 2-25-13p

WANTED—A man to retail Rawleigh Products, town and country. Largest and best line. One of the oldest and largest Companies in the world. Six factories and branches. Products supplied from new Pacific Coast Branch. Quick service, low freight. We want only industrious men, capable of earning \$100 and up per month and expenses. Must have means for starting expenses and furnish contract signed by two responsible men. Address **W. T. Rawleigh Co.**, Oakland, Calif., giving age, occupation and references. 3-4

Work Wanted

Boy 19 and mother want work on a ranch. Good references. Inquire at this office. 2-25-12p

We are paying cash for Hides, Pelts and Furs. Prineville Feed, Livery & Sales Stable. 2-11-tf

Furnished Home for Rent

Nine room house for rent; fully furnished. Inquire **Mrs. Eva Doak**. 2-18-3p

White Leghorns.

Stock, Pataluna and highest laying strain O. A. C.; eggs from finest selected breeders. \$1 for 15; \$5 for 150. 1-28-5t **A. D. PRATT**, Post, Ore.

Stallion For Sale

Three-quarter Percheron Stallion, eight years old, weighs 1350 pounds; blocky built and heavy bone. Good breeder. Price reasonable. For further information write to **T. J. FERGUSON**, Roberts, Or. 2-11-4tf

Wood Sawn on Short Notice

Leave or 'phone orders to **H. D. Still's** Harness Shop. C. F. PERRIN. 12-24

Bargain Sale

Four full blooded Jersey bulls, coming yearlings, price \$20 each if taken by March 15. One two-year-old full blooded Jersey bull; price \$75. All at ranch on Combs' Flat. **Frank Vanina**, Prineville, Or. 2-9-2tp

6 Per Cent Money

Loans may be obtained for any purpose on acceptable Real Estate security; liberal privileges; correspondence solicited. **A. C. AGENCY COMPANY**, 758 Gas, Electric Bldg., Denver, Colorado. 2-4-4t

Cream Shipper.

We need more cream and are paying two cents more for butterfat than any other creamery. Cash with each can. Fair and courteous treatment. Ship Cream or write for shipping tags. **Yamhill Creamery Co.**, Portland Oregon. 2-11

For Sale

Pure Bred Hereford Bull O. A. **HEDLUND**, Prineville, Ore. 2-25-2t

For Sale

Twin cylinder, belt drive, 1912 Yale Motorcycle; 7-h.p. In excellent condition. Price \$125. **ROBERT DOUGLAS**. 2-18-4tp

Take Advantage of the Wheat Market—Chance of a Lifetime

Buy a good home with a crop of wheat. Here is your chance: 160 acres of fine land lying in a square, well fenced, on main county road; 1 1/2 miles from school house; level land, no rocks, no big trees; deep soil, 60 acres well cultivated; 100 in good pasture; water right; good small barn with 5 stalls, good small granary 12x12, good buggy shed, woodshed and workshop; two cisterns; small bachelor living house, two rooms, phone; all the land cultivable and irrigable. Owner will sell at a sacrifice, lease or rent. Adjoining land ranges from \$40 to \$75 an acre; terms. Investigate this rare chance. Address **P. O. Box 334 Prineville, Oregon**. 2-18

Baled hay for sale at the Hamilton Stables. 2-18-1t

Maddux & Co. will buy your vegetables and produce. Ask the man. Phone Pioneer Red 603.

The Journal, \$1.50 per year.

If You Are in Need Do Not Fail to Read this Ad

Time We Need and Time We Want!

The European nations in their great conflict depend on the time; the farmer depends on the time to go to his work; the man who works wants to know when it is meal time, and if you are in need of a good timepiece, we want you to know that we keep an up-to-date stock on hand of both

Watches and Clocks

It will pay you to look over my stock. I keep all grades of Standard makes in stock, such as Elgin, Waltham, Hampden, Hamilton and other makes of different grades of watches

Remember I sell New Elgin Watches for \$5.50

And other R. R. grade watches, 21-jewel Hamilton and others. These are sold the same everywhere. Everyone is invited to call in and inspect my stock when convenient.

Watch This Space for my Regular Announcements!

L. KAMSTRA

PRINEVILLE

OREGON

BIGGS & BIGGS

Attorneys-at-Law

Prineville, Ore.

Seed Oats for Sale

Good clean seed Side Oats at the Dishman ranch on Ochoco. Write or 'phone **C. L. Roberts**, Prineville, Oregon. 1-28-1t

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Shingles, Mouldings, Windows, Doors, Glasses, Etc. Etc., Etc.

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BURSON FASHIONED HOSE



The Only Hose that is Knit to Fit Without a Seam

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If you have not traded with us a trial is all we ask. We give you

Price Service Quality

Mrs. I. Michel



We have just received another lot of those "America" Alarms. They're clocks we can fully recommend, reliable, exact time-keepers that won't let you oversleep. We would like to sell you one, because you'll surely tell your neighbor about it.



You'll have to get up early to beat the "America" Alarms.

They're punctual, durable, and neat. They don't require much attention and don't cost much either.

I have a fresh shipment on the way and will have them on sale Monday.

BURSON FASHIONED HOSE



All other shaped hose have seams like this in leg, sole and toe. Above we show the BURSON and the "others" turned inside out—note the difference.