

CO-OPERATION IS THE THING

Farmers Are Content to Struggle Along Independently.

GRANGES SHOULD TEACH

Failures Along This Line Are Brought About By Departure From Straight Paths.

SPRINGWATER, Or., March 28.—(Editor of The Courier.)—Co-operation in buying and selling, in union there is strength. Progress and improvement and concentrated action will be a social and financial benefit to all patrons of the Grange that will avail themselves of the benefit of co-operation and is the upbuilding and motive power behind all the world's advancement. All other classes, professions and callings long since recognized this power and applied it to their needs and wants. The farmer alone is content to remain behind all other professions, trades and unions. But cannot the spirit of co-operation be instilled in the Grange, which would be the real engine power to make the Grange go and take the farmer's condition out of chaos and teach him that in union there is strength; that united effort will do for him what it has been doing for others. Our purpose should be to buy together, sell together and act together for our mutual protection and advancement on all occasions. There have been failures along this line of co-operation, but they were brought about by departures from the true and straight path of business co-operation, and not through any fault in the principle itself. In the East and Middle West the Grange are awakening to the success of the business of co-operation. I will give one illustration—that of the Grange Co-operative Association, with its central business plant at Olathe, Kansas, in a building which cost \$60,000 with branch homes located in several counties. Its success for more than a quarter of a century proves the success of the true principles of co-operative business. The writer's plan to commence the business of co-operation is to let each subordinate Grange elect one business agent, they to elect or employ a business manager to buy and sell products for the Grange patrons; said manager to be remunerated from 2 per cent to 5 per cent of what he buys or sells for said patrons, and the above business agents from each subordinate Grange meet and establish a constitution and by-laws of the association (the writer has them written out), and elect proper officers for such association.

It is probable that the above matter will be brought before the Clackamas County Pomona Grange that is to be held at Tualatin Grange, April 11.

A. M. SHIBLEY.

Human Blood Marks.

A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well known merchant of Bao, Ky. He writes: "Twenty years ago I had severe hemorrhages of the lungs, and was near death when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well ever since." It cures Hemorrhages, Chronic Coughs, Settled Colds and Bronchitis, and is the only known cure for Weak Lungs. Every bottle guaranteed by Howell & Jones, Druggists. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

SQUARE DEAL FOR FISHERMEN.

They Should Place Men in Legislature Who Cannot Be Touched.

OREGON CITY, April 4.—(Editor of The Courier.)—Will you allow me to say a word respecting the manner in which fishermen of this county have, for many years, been imposed upon. I have fished on the Willamette for the last twelve years. During all that time the fishermen have been played to further a little political game, and from year to year they are put a little deeper in the hole.

The fact is, it is not in keeping with the methods of the political manipulation in Clackamas county for the fishermen here to have a square deal. They must be kept in trouble in order that promises to help them out will be of political value.

If the fishermen had real friends in the legislature, the laws regarding fishing would be fair to one section of the state as well as another—as fair for the upper Willamette as the lower Columbia. All any man ought to want is a fair opportunity without being hampered by a law that favors one section and discriminates against another.

Now the report is very common that the fishing interests of the lower Columbia always go to the legislature with a "long sack." If that is true, it ought to be plain that no one but an honest man is ever going to fairly represent the fishermen of the upper Willamette.

Before the fishermen were arrested at Oswego a few days ago it was rumored around town that someone was going to be pulled just to give a smooth politician a chance to make a star play. I heard a man say, in the presence of two others beside myself, the night of this arrest, that the men would show up an absolute defense, and that they were just pulled in order that this political manly lit might make the fishermen believe that his "influence" with the court made it a necessity to them. All a game

to fool men who ought not to be so easily taken in. How is it that, just on the eve of every election, for the last ten years, some poor fellow had to be pulled? Isn't it plain that this "fishermen's friend" here stands in with the Astoria bunch?

Now it is just this way: The canners on the lower Columbia have the "sack." We are not strong enough, if we were so disposed to do business in that way. Therefore, our only hope is to have men in the legislature who cannot be reached by the "peculiar influence" the lower river men use. We will either have such men or no fishing at all on the upper Willamette within a few years.

Yours truly,
G. W. PURSIFULL.

Is the Moon Inhabited?

Science has proven that the moon has an atmosphere, which makes life in some form possible on that satellite but not for human beings, who have a hard enough time on this earth of ours; especially those who don't know that Electric Bitters cure Headache, Biliousness, Malaria, Chills and Fever, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Torpid Liver, Kidney Complaints, General Debility and Female Weaknesses. Unequaled as a general Tonic and Appetizer for weak persons and especially for the aged. It induces sound sleep. Fully guaranteed by Howell & Jones, Druggists. Price only 50c.

New Concrete Wall.

The Southern Pacific Company has commenced the construction of a new concrete wall along its property at the intersection of Third street and Railroad avenue. This wall will replace the rock wall that was demolished in the recent rains, and will be 30 feet in height by 50 feet long.

Devil's Island Torture

Is no worse than the terrible case of Piles that afflicted me for ten years. Then I was advised to apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and less than a box permanently cured me, writes L. S. Napier, of Kules, Ky. Heals all wounds, burns, and sores like magic. 25c at Howell & Jones, Druggists.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATES.

Students Decide Against Preservation of Castle Rock.

Castle Rock was blasted in pieces Friday afternoon in a debate at the Barclay high school, the judges deciding that the rock should be sacrificed for commercial purposes. The question, as stated, was, "Resolved, That Castle Rock should not be sacrificed for commercial purposes," and the affirmative "put up a stout argument in defense, but the speakers on the negative were too much for the supporter of the affirmative. The judges were Malcolm Telford, William Jackson and Earle Latourette. The winning side was composed of Russell Wood, Elizabeth Ross, Carl Schram and Isidor Price, and the affirmative team was made up of Ernest Charters, Ruth Latourette, Allie Groat and Raymond Caudfield.

Interest in the high school is centered in the coming debate with a team from the Parkplace school, which will take place at the Barclay school in about two weeks. The question was proposed by the visitors and is, "Resolved, That United States Senators should be elected by a direct vote of the people." The local team will take the affirmative side.

Rheumatism Makes Life Miserable.

A happy home is the most valuable possession that is within the reach of mankind, but you cannot enjoy its comforts if you are suffering from rheumatism. You throw aside business cares when you enter your home and you can be relieved from those rheumatic pains also by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm. One application will give you relief and its continued use for a short time will bring about a permanent cure. For sale by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City and Molalla.

WORK ON NEW DEPOT.

Southern Pacific Arranges to Rebuild Local Station.

Work will be commenced on the reconstruction of the depot for the Southern Pacific Company at Oregon City as soon as the material arrives, which will probably be in a very short time. The company will rebuild several of its Willamette Valley stations this year, and will start the work at whatever point the material reaches first. It is the purpose of the company to complete the work this year, but the statement that work has already been started is premature.

The new station will extend from Seventh street clear through to Sixth street, and will be 137 feet in length, and the office and the waiting room will be just twice the size of the present quarters. The freight house will be 75 feet long, and the front platform will be eliminated, and a building put in its place, the steps running directly from the street to the waiting room. In the office a bay window will be installed, fronting the track.

Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egbert, of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Rheums and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding the same with a double dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip." Sold by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City and Molalla.

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HOLZMAN LEAVES HOME.

Sends Wife to Portland Hospital and Deserts Her.

Mrs. Sophia U. Holzman has filed a suit for \$40 per month allowance from her husband, Fred C. Holzman, to whom she was married June 11, 1905. She alleges that February 19, 1906, her husband induced her to go to a Portland hospital for treatment, and during her absence he deserted their home near Canby, selling or pretending to sell all of his personal property and upon her return she found her home deserted, and ever since that time has been unable to locate her husband. Mrs. Holzman states that she always conducted herself in a proper and wife-like manner. She has no money or property to support herself, and as she is weak and unable to work, has been obliged to depend upon her relatives for assistance and support. She further avers that Holzman is strong and healthy and able to work and earn good wages and that he is worth \$2000.

HUNTLEY BROS. CO'S TEST.

Sold Hyomei For Years and Know It Will Cure Catarrh.

Huntley Bros. Co. have given Hyomei a most thorough and remarkable test. For a long time they have offered to refund the money to any purchaser of Hyomei, if it failed to benefit. The remedy has made so many cures among their customers that they have urged its use in the most chronic cases of catarrh.

Breathed for a few minutes, four times a day, through the inhaler that comes with the outfit, it soothes the irritated mucous membrane of the nose, throat and lungs, kills the catarrhal germs, and restores complete health. Its healing, antiseptic fragrance penetrates to the most remote air passages as no medicine taken into the stomach can possibly do. Immediate relief almost always follows the use of Hyomei, and great benefit is seen after a few days' treatment.

The complete Hyomei outfit costs only \$1, and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the pocket or purse, and will last a lifetime, a medicine dropper and a bottle of Hyomei. If this is not sufficient for a complete cure, additional bottles of Hyomei can be obtained for 50 cents. Compare this small expense with the fees charged by specialists, and remember, too, if Hyomei does not cure, Huntley Bros. Co. will return your money.

Committed to Asylum.

Mrs. J. C. Holcomb was Tuesday committed to the state insane asylum. The examination was conducted by Dr. H. A. Hickman, and Justice of the Peace L. V. Stipp, who acted in the absence of County Judge Ryan. Mrs. Holcomb is 31 years of age, and resided on rural route No. 2, out of Oregon City. She was taken to Salem Tuesday night by an attendant.

Caught Cold While Hunting a Burglar.

Mr. Wm. Elmer Lanorgon, provincial constable at Chaplins, Ontario, says: "I caught a severe cold while hunting a burglar in the forest swamp last fall. Hearing of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, I tried it, and of using two small bottles, I was completely cured." This remedy is indicated especially for coughs and colds. It will loosen and relieve a severe cold in less time than by any other treatment and is a favorite wherever its superior excellence has become known. For sale by Huntley Bros. Co., Oregon City and Molalla.

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NATURE'S WARNING.

Oregon City People Must Recognize and Heed It.

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E. W. Midlem, machinist at the Crown Paper Co., and living at 410 Main street, Oregon City, Or., says: "Kidney and bladder trouble became very serious with me about six months ago, and the remedies I used did me no good as the trouble only became aggravated. I consulted a physician and although I faithfully followed the treatment instead of getting any results got worse, if anything. The kidney secretions were accompanied by pain and a burning sensation during passage, and their too frequent action was annoying and embarrassing. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Huntley Bros. drugstore and it was astonishing the effective way in which they acted on the kidneys. In a short time all symptoms of the trouble had disappeared, and the secretions were restored to a natural condition and the pain did not bother me. I can do nothing else than give all the credit for this to Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

MILWAUKIE GRANGE.

Saturday, April 21, Milwaukie Grange will hold an open meeting from 1 to 3 p. m. The program will be given by the married ladies of the order, and a table of articles will be sold to help the fund for building the new hall. All are invited and will be given a cordial welcome.

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