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PORK SHOWS A SHORTAGE

FEW MISSOURI RIVER HOGS ARE SHIPPED OUT DURING JUNE.

WATER MELONS ARRIVE

Vegetables Are Plentiful in the Local Markets—String Beans and Peas Are Finding Good Demand.

The market for cattle of top quality has remained unchanged throughout the week, while the inferior classes have declined. The shortage in hog receipts as compared with May is due to the fact that there were fewer Missouri River hogs shipped in.

California fruits are arriving daily. Watermelons have been shipped in during the past few days, and are bringing high prices.

Oregon peaches of the early variety have been received from Canby. There is a good crop this year. Vegetables are plentiful in the local markets. String beans and peas are finding good demand.

Poultry dealers find no difficulty in moving their stocks of chickens these days. Hens and Springers, except the very small ones, sell readily at top prices.

Almost the only business resorted in the wheat market of the Northwest this week was done by Puget Sound millers, who are said to have paid up to 86-1/2 cents for bluestem. This is taken to mean they have some flour shipping business in sight. The local dealers could not or would not compete against these bids, their outside limit being 85 cents. The California millers are again beginning to show some interest and are nibbling, but no business is known to have been worked on Southern account in milling grade; though some feed wheat has been taken for shipment south.

Oats are steady at the quotations that have prevailed since Saturday, but the demand is limited. Barley is very dull.

MARKET REPORT

Quotations furnished by Oregon City Commission Company:

Buying
Grain—Wheat, 80¢/bushel; corn, 24¢/bushel; barley, 20¢ per ton.

Hay
Best clover, new, \$8.00 per ton; timothy, \$17.00 per ton; grain (Continued on Page 5.)



LEONARD W. RILEY, D. D., President of the McMinnville College, will talk on "The Ideal Education," during the Chautauqua session.

MRS. M. W. JACOBS SAW FIRST FOURTH

PORTLAND WOMAN ATTENDED A CELEBRATION HERE 64 YEARS AGO.

Mrs. M. W. Jacobs, of Portland, was a notable visitor at the recent celebration of the Fourth of July at Oregon City, and occupied a seat of honor on the platform at the public exercises in the city park. She was the guest of Rev. and Mrs. William A. Proctor while in the city.

Mrs. Jacobs is about 73 years of age. She is one of the few women living who assisted in the celebration of the first planned Fourth of July celebration on the Pacific Coast. This was 64 years ago, when Mrs. Jacobs was nine years of age. The celebration of 1846 was a small affair compared with last Monday's observance, but patriotism was exhibited to no little degree. At that time the residents of Oregon City were in doubt whether they were living on American or British soil, but the United States flag was raised and was given a salute. Mrs. Jacobs is a survivor of the Whitman massacre. She is in excellent health and spirits, notwithstanding her advanced years.

Carl Leaves for Detroit.

Dr. W. E. Carl left Wednesday for Detroit, Mich., to attend the Grand Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, and will be absent several weeks. He is the officially accredited delegate from Oregon City Lodge, No. 1189. Dr. Carl's majority duties will be taken care of by William Anderson, president of the city council, during the former's stay in the East.

CELEBRATION IS SPLENDID

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE COME TO OREGON CITY FOR GREAT FOURTH.

PARADE MAIN FEATURE

Daring Slide for Life, Races and Sports, Water Carnival and Fireworks Made Good Programme.

With perfect weather, the sun shyly coming over the hills and gradually warming the cockles of the patriotic heart, the greatest Fourth of July celebration Oregon City has ever had commenced Monday morning with noisy guns, as a fitting salute to the birthday of the nation.

Before 9 o'clock from every corner of Clackamas County and from Portland, people came. The high ways leading into Oregon City were black with carriages and automobiles, all filled with happy-faced people, eager to obtain an advantageous position to witness the monster parade, which, under the active persuasion of Grand Marshal R. B. Beale and his corps of assistants, moved promptly on schedule time. The bands of music from Aurora, Oswego, Molalla and Oregon City paraded up and down the main streets of the city, playing martial airs, which served to stir up the enthusiasm of the crowd.

Just before 10 o'clock the big parade was formed on Thirteenth street, off of Main, and with bands playing, flags flying and the crowds cheering, the line of march swung into Main street and turned south for the first glimpse of the waiting throng.

Automobiles with bright decorations, the national guardmen with precise military step, uniformed bands, splendid floats of business houses, fraternal organizations and commercial and improvement clubs, officials of the state, county and city in carriages, the Liberty car, with Queen Letha and her maids of honor, all drew the plaudits of the crowd as the parade marched and counter-marched to the city park, where the public exercises took place.

After the music by the bands, and an invocation by Rev. William A. Proctor, the Declaration of Independence was recited by Miss Mary Ellen Long. The announcements were made by O. D. Eby, president of the day, and Mrs. Leon DesLarzes, accompanied by a chorus, sang "Star Spangled Banner." The oration was delivered by Hon. Charles V. Gallo-way, of Salem, who was in splendid voice. Every word of his speech of patriotic fervor was heard even to the extreme edge of the crowd and he was frequently interrupted by bursts of applause.

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IRVING M. GLEN, musical director at the University of Oregon, will be the soloist at Chautauqua.

ASSOCIATION ELECTS THE SAME DIRECTORS

FIRST MEETING IS HELD IN HISTORIC HOME OF DR. McLOUGHLIN.

The first meeting of the members of the McLoughlin Memorial Association in the fully restored historic home of Dr. John McLoughlin was held Thursday evening. This was the annual meeting and the nine trustees of the organization were re-elected, as follows: E. G. Caulfield, Rev. A. Hillebrand, George A. Harding, Joseph E. Hodges, Charles H. Dye, E. E. Brodie, George H. Hines, Fredrick V. Holman, Dr. Andrew C. Smith. The trustees elected the following officers: E. G. Caulfield, president; Rev. A. Hillebrand, vice-president; Charles H. Dye, treasurer. The meeting was well attended by men and women who have taken a deep and active interest in the restoration of the home, and the Woman's Club of Oregon City was tendered a vote of thanks in appreciation of the work it has done in beautifying the grounds. Mrs. J. W. Harris, president of the club, was present and responded. President Caulfield gave a brief review of the efforts of the trustees in having the historic building restored. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Alldredge have been engaged as caretakers of the structure and they will occupy the upper floor of the building. The lower floor will be reserved for the inspection of the public, and it is the intention of the Memorial Association to secure relics of pioneer days and place them in the building. It is probable that some of the original furniture and the piano used by Dr. McLoughlin will be secured. Last night's meeting was held in the room that Dr. McLoughlin used as an office and in which he died.

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PRIMARIES ARE AHEAD

REPUBLICANS WILL MEET SATURDAY TO ELECT ASSEMBLY DELEGATES.

HARD FIGHT PROMISED

Anti-Assembly Leaders Lay Their Wires to Prevent Nomination of Party Ticket—J. L. Kruse Issues Appeal.

In every precinct of Clackamas County there will be primaries held next Saturday at 7 p. m., by the Republicans to select delegates to the county assembly, which will be held in Oregon City Saturday, July 16. There will be 230 delegates in the assembly, which is called at the instance of the county central committee, which adopted the Gibson resolution providing for the election of 55 delegates from Clackamas County to the State assembly at Portland, and for such other matters as may legally and regularly come before the delegates.

It is this last clause that has stirred up trouble in the camp of the anti-assemblyites. With this fancied loophole they believe the assembly people will attempt not only to select the 55 delegates to the State assembly, but will also nominate a county ticket. This latter action would seriously disarrange the plans of the gentlemen who are candidates for offices and who have publicly denounced the whole assembly scheme as an attempt to return to the old days of "ring" conventions. With this purpose in sight there is a great deal of work being done to influence the Republicans in every part of the county to select delegates to the county assembly who will be hostile to the assembly movement, with the expectation that after the delegates are seated they will proceed to enact resolutions denouncing the assembly and then adjourn, without even choosing the delegates to the State assembly.

J. L. Kruse, a farmer of Wilsonville, and a member of the legislative session of 1901, is out with a circular letter that was mailed to every Republican voter in Clackamas County, with the avowed intention of defeating the purpose of the Republican Assembly that has been called to meet at Oregon City on Saturday, July 16, to select delegates to the State Assembly at Portland. Kruse is actuated by the fear that the assembly will attempt to nominate a county ticket, and he implores every Republican to attend the precinct primaries next Saturday and send delegates to the county assembly who will act in opposition to the whole plan, which was recommended, by

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DR. D. F. FOX, who will deliver two lectures and a sermon at the coming Chautauqua assembly.

GEO. SMITH IS MURDERED

LIFE OF YOUNG FARMER OF CA- RUS IS TAKEN BY CURTIS HELVEY.

SELF DEFENCE CLAIMED

Considerable Mystery Surrounds the Tragedy, as There Were No Witnesses—Helvey Held to Grand Jury.

George Smith is dead at his home near Carus, and his murderer, Curtis E. Helvey, is in the county jail. Helvey fired three shots at Smith Thursday night, only one of them taking effect, the last bullet passing through the unfortunate man's body and piercing the heart.

The trouble between the two men arose last fall, when Helvey and Smith had some words at a dance. Smith was the bigger man of the two, and Helvey was no match for him in a fist encounter. It is said that Helvey became angered at Smith's attentions to Miss Helvey, but the family of the murderer denies the existence of a woman in the case. Further trouble ensued Saturday night at a dance at Mrs. Johnson's place, where Helvey was floor manager, and he states that Smith sent him word that "he would beat him to death" if he came to the dance. But Helvey was there and his friends were in the majority, and the promised beating was postponed.

According to the story of Helvey he was sick Thursday and spent part of the day shooting gray squirrels. While he was at supper, he was eating the report came to the house that two colts had broken into a field of grain and the father of Helvey and a younger brother went out to drive the animals out of the grain field. After he had finished supper, Curtis went out to help his father and brother, and he was going along the trail when Smith sprang out from behind a tree and brandished a big club.

"If you hit me with that, I will shoot you," said Helvey, but Smith struck and Helvey drew his revolver and fired, with the intention of breaking the arm of his assailant. The first two shots went wild and then the men clinched and pressing the barrel of the gun against Smith's body, Helvey fired the fatal shot. He then returned to his home and asked his father to telephone the sheriff. Sheriff Beale drove out to the Helvey place, 11 miles from Oregon (Continued on page 4.)

SAWYER MAKES FINAL REPORT

SUCCESSFUL YEAR OF PUBLICITY WORK BY OREGON CITY COMMERCIAL CLUB.

AMOUNT EXPENDED TOTALS \$4864.00

Detailed Account of City and County Advertising Is Submitted By Committee's Representative.

By joint action of the members of the Publicity Committee and the Board of Advisors I was, on March 7, 1910, elected to fill out the unexpired term of my predecessor, Mr. S. P. Davis. My term expired June 1. At a meeting of the said committee held May 30, I was continued in the office until July 1.

The total receipts of the office from all sources, from July 14, 1909, to June 25, 1910, were \$4864.65. Total of all warrants issued \$388.70. Bal on hand in bank July 1, 1907.95. Total amount of pledges unpaid to date, 178.00.

Since January 1, 1910, this office has received 1387 letters of inquiry. Of this number, Mr. Davis received 545 and I received 842. In addition to these, a large number have been sent out to addresses furnished by the Portland Commercial Club.

There has been paid out for Eastern advertising since March 7, 1910, \$192.67; for advertising in the Portland Sunday papers, \$139; to the Oregon City Courier, \$60.30.

Your committees appropriated \$200 to defray the expenses of the Willamette Open River Convention, held in this city April 27, 1910. By the report which was submitted May 4th, it was shown that after all bills were fully paid, there was an unexpended balance of \$74.80 and that the expenses therefor were only \$125.20. The balance was returned to the credit of the Publicity Fund.

Between January 7 and 10, sales of property to 55 newcomers to Clackamas County amounted to nearly \$200,000, and their advent is largely due to the work of the Publicity Department.

Many bundles of literature have been distributed in various localities since March 1.

This office was of material assistance in the United Census of 1910. In the line of newspaper publicity for Oregon City and Clackamas County this office has been instrumental in causing the publication of numer-

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Chautauqua Will Open Next Tuesday

Exceptional Fine Programme Is Arranged For Annual Assembly For 13 Days at Gladstone Park.

- Opening Day, Tuesday, July 12, 1910.
- MORNING.
- 10:00—Invocation, by Rev. F. T. Bowen, Chemawa Indian School Band.
 - Address of Welcome, President J. H. Ackers, State Superintendent of Public Instruction.
 - Response.
 - Organization of Classes and Announcements.
- AFTERNOON.
- 1:00—Concert, Journal Band of Portland.
 - Reading, Mrs. Anna White Stillman, of the Gillespie School of Expression.
 - 2:00—Lecture, "America Among the Nations," Dr. Wentworth F. Stewart, of Detroit.
 - 3:30—Baseball, Chemawa vs. Honeyman Hardware Company.
 - 7:00—Concert, Journal Band.
 - 8:00—Lecture-Retical, "Maud," Irving M. Glen, of the University of Oregon.
- Second Day, Wednesday, July 13.
- MORNING.
- 8:11—Classes.
 - 11:00—Lecture, "What the Jew Has Done for the World," Dr. Madison C. Peters, of New York.
- AFTERNOON.
- 1:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
 - Solo—Irving M. Glen.
 - 2:00—Lecture, "How America is Repeating the Mistakes of History," Dr. Madison C. Peters, of New York.
 - 3:20—Baseball, Gladstone vs. Clackamas.
 - 7:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
- 8:00—An Evening of Mirth, Mystery, and Magic, Edwin Brush, the Prince of Magicians.
- Third Day, Thursday, July 14.
- MORNING.
- 8:11—Classes.
 - 11:00—"The Home Sanitarium," Demonstration by the Nurses, Dr. Lena K. Sadler, of Chicago.
- AFTERNOON.
- 1:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
 - 2:00—"Americana," or the High Pressure Life, Dr. William S. Sadler.
 - 3:30—Baseball, Chemawa vs. Eagle Creek.
 - 7:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
 - 8:00—Solo—Irving M. Glen.
- Dramatic Reading, "The Sign of the Cross," Sarah Mildred Wilmer.
- Fourth Day, Friday, July 15.
- MORNING.
- 8:11—Classes.
 - 11:00—"Mental Hygiene," Dr. William S. Sadler.
 - "Healthful and Beautiful Dress," Demonstrations (women only), Dr. Lena K. Sadler.
- AFTERNOON.
- 1:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
 - 2:00—"Accidents and Emergencies," or "What to Do Till the Doctor Comes," Demonstrations by the entire Sadler's Company, of Chicago.
 - 3:30—Baseball, Gladstone vs. Honeyman Hardware Company.
 - 7:15—Chemawa Indian School Band.
 - 8:00—Illustrated Lecture, "Child Life in the Slums," Dr. William S. Sadler.
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THE PASMORE TRIO WILL APPEAR FOUR TIMES ON THE CHAUTAUQUA PROGRAMME

HAVE YOU BEEN NOMINATED?

THIS IS THE TIME AND THE CHANCE AND YOU ARE THE GIRL—SEND IN YOUR NAME TODAY

\$425 EILERS PIANO IS THE PRIZE

A Magnificent Instrument With Unconditional Guarantee Will Be Given Away By This Paper.

The Enterprise has announced one of the fairest and most liberal PRIZE VOTING CONTESTS ever conducted by any newspaper in the state. The prizes will be awarded entirely on a basis of merit. They will be given to the ladies that have won them by turning in the largest number of subscriptions.

The contest can hardly be said to have started as yet. The young ladies are just beginning to have their names entered and are planning their campaigns.

The winner of the grand prize may not have entered yet. There is plenty of time to enter. If your name is not in the list of contestants, send it in at once. Nominations can be made any time. Just write us your name and address stating you wish to enter the contest. We will do the rest.

Read the conditions carefully and prepare for a winning campaign. Send for a receipt book and start asking your friends for their subscriptions and their help in getting subscriptions from other people.

That \$425.00 Eilers piano is a splendid instrument. Sweet toned, high grade in every respect, sold under an unconditional guarantee, it is worthy of being installed in any home in the city or county. How long would you have to work to save enough to buy the piano any other way? Win it by doing a little work for the Enterprise in about five weeks. Every willing worker is sure of some prize worthy of her efforts.

Orders for the prizes will be given the successful contestants at the close of the contest, as awarded by the judges; same may be used by the contestant or disposed of as she sees fit.

Above all things do not get discouraged because someone has a few more votes than you have. Someone may make a spur, but there will necessarily be many changes in standing during the contest. Pledge your friends to your assistance, organize your territory, and your chances for becoming a winner will be vastly augmented. The one you least expect help from is often the one that will help you most. Let none escape your polite request for a subscription. No one will feel offended at your asking them. Most anyone can spare \$1.50, and some will pay you as readily for a two-year subscription.

Standing of Candidates.

The contest is just opening up. Many new names will appear yet, and possibly most of the winners are not (Continued on Page 4.)

SAVE THE COUPONS

Save the Coupons and Nomination Blanks for one of your friends in the Contest. Only a little act of kindness, but it will be appreciated by some young lady who has entered the contest to win the \$425.00 piano or a scholarship prize. It will help her. The little things all count in life's work and also in this work.