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CITY OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER.

April 18 in American History.

1773—William Williams "warrior" for Connecticut, born, died 1811.

1847—Battle of Cerro Gordo, Mexico; General Winfield Scott defeated General Antonio de Santa Anna.

1868—Earthquake at San Francisco and vicinity. Many buildings in the town destroyed or ruined.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS. From noon today to noon tomorrow: Moon sets 6:28, rises 5:11; moon rises 11:39 p. m.; planet Mercury seen setting after sun.

While the gala of Oregon City in population in the last 10 years was disappointing, we have consolation in the figures shown in the census of Baker City and Pendleton, which are calculated to make the residents of those towns sit up and howl.

The Morning Enterprise joins the Commercial Club and the Oregon City business men in extending to its friends in the country a cordial invitation to come here next Saturday and spend Booster Day.

Easter was a grand day in the Oregon City churches. In nearly every instance the audience rooms were crowded to overflowing, and in several of the churches there were crowds both morning and evening.

Easter dinner was served by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henningsen. An Easter dinner was served by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henningsen at their home at 214 Third street Sunday afternoon, which proved a most delightful affair.

There was the annual business meeting of St. Paul's Episcopal church held in the church Monday evening. It was an enthusiastic gathering and the reports from the several committees gave evidence of new life.

Judge Ryan Will Attend Banquet. Judge Thomas F. Ryan arrived here Sunday from Needy, where he conducted a meeting of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows on Saturday night.

High Flagstaff in Gladstone. R. W. Porter, a member of the G. A. R., whose home is at Gladstone, is showing his patriotism by erecting the tallest flag staff in the new-born city of Gladstone.

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room were artistically decorated in ferns, Oregon grape and Oregon grape blossoms. During the afternoon and evening instrumental and vocal selections were rendered.

ANNUAL BANQUET.

Local Commercial Club Sets the Pace for Lower Banquet Prices. The annual banquet of the Oregon City Commercial Club will be held Wednesday evening in the banquet hall of the Masonic Temple.

Entertain Many Friends at Their Home on Easter Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Farr entertained at dinner on Easter Sunday at their home, covers being laid for 12.

GRAND BALL BY ELKS BUSCH HALL FRIDAY

COMMITTEES ARE PLANNING FOR A GLORIOUS TIME ON THAT OCCASION.

The Elks are making great preparations for their grand ball to be given at the Busch hall on Friday evening. Parson's orchestra of Portland has been engaged for the occasion, and there will be a late car for those who come here from Portland.

General committee consisting of Henry G. Mader, John Adams and W. E. Howard, entertainment committee, Charles Evans, floor committee, Dr. Clyde Mount, Harry Draper, Thomas P. Randall, John F. Clark, Harry S. Moody, William R. Logus, William Mulvey, A. A. Price, reception, Dr. M. C. Strickland, William Sheehan, B. T. McBain, Frank Busch, Linn E. Jones, John Riskey, W. H. Howell, J. E. Hedger, E. C. Baker, Theodore Omond, Dickie Selzer, E. T. Fields, ticket collector, C. W. Evans.

ELECTRIC HOTEL.

The following are those who have registered at the Electric Hotel: R. M. Wilson, A. C. Edmonds and granddaughter, Portland; L. E. Warford, Albany; Hollister McGuffie, Portland; Mrs. B. M. Harris, Portland; Lewis Laducke, R. W. Ward, Oregon City; R. W. Zimmerman, W. W. Field, city; V. B. Fried, Sandy; B. Searle, Camas, Wash.; E. Wright, Portland; Gus Smith, Portland; Rev. R. H. Owen, Mrs. H. Owens, Camas, Wash.; M. J. Halsey, Christ Swanson, Wisconsin; Mrs. Ashton.

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CORN GROWER WINS KELLOGG FINE TROPHY

R. A. JAMES, OF CHARLESTON, ILL., PRODUCES THE EAR DECLARED BEST.

R. A. James, of Charleston, Ill., has the proud distinction of having grown the best ear of corn in all the 1,125, 711,600 bushels of last year's bumper crop. At the National Corn Show just held at Columbus, Ohio, this gentleman was awarded the W. K. Kellogg National Corn Trophy, donated in 1909 by W. K. Kellogg, president of the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake Co., of Battle Creek, Mich.



R. A. James, Winner of W. K. Kellogg National Corn Trophy for 1910

is of Reid's Yellow Dent variety. It is 10 inches long, 7 1/2 inches in circumference and has 20 rows of kernels, 6 to the inch in the row, average 5-8 of an inch in depth, and 5-16 of an inch

in width. It is indeed a very correct type of yellow dent corn. Mr. James, the winner, is a vigorous farmer about 40 years of age and of pleasing personality, a man who has given careful study to corn culture, and who has achieved his success as a grand champion winner only by years of hard work and painstaking seed selection and careful breeding from season to season.

Illinois growers are especially elated over the result for the reason that this is the first time in four years that the honors have been presented, from the State of Indiana. Last year's champion ear, the first winner of the Kellogg trophy, was grown by Fred C. Pain, of Newton, Ind. It was also of Reid's Yellow Dent variety, crossed with Alexander Gold Standard.

The trophy awarded to Mr. James was made by Tiffany, of New York, for Mr. W. K. Kellogg, at a cost of \$1,000. It is made of Sterling silver, bronze and enamel, and is a truly artistic creation. It stands 20 inches in height. Mr. Kellogg's interest in corn growing can be understood when it is stated that the Kellogg Toasted Corn Flake output requiring 10,000 bushels of corn a day, raw product, for its manufacture.

The National Corn Show at which the award was made, was an event of tremendous magnitude. At one of the sessions President Taft was present and delivered an address.

SURPRISE PARTY GIVEN.

Miss Myrtle Donovan is called on by Young Friends Saturday. A surprise party was tendered Miss Myrtle Donovan on Saturday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Donovan, at Willamette. The evening was enjoyably spent in games and music. Refreshments were served to the guests.

LARGE WESTWARD HO!

CHICAGO, Ill., April 15.—(Special.)—Railroads centering here had a census taken and the report given out is that 85,969 people have gone West this spring on the tourist rates of the 30 day period.

POTATO CURIOSITY WITH PURPLE MEAT

HENRY HEITKEMPER PROPAGATES THEM FROM SEED DIRECT FROM GERMANY.

Henry Heitkemper, of Courtney, has a vegetable curiosity in the form of a purple meated potato, which he has raised successfully on his place, south of Milwaukie. Mr. Heitkemper is the father of Mrs. Frank Busch, of Oregon City.

He obtained some seed from Germany and planted the potato in the sandy loam on his place, and secured an excellent crop as a result. In Germany the vegetable is known as the "Sunday" potato, being better in favor and more mealy than the ordinary white potato.

Mr. Heitkemper believes that growers in the Willamette Valley will have no trouble in obtaining results and he is very willing to give a few potatoes for seed to any person calling on Mr. Busch at Oregon City or Mr. Heitkemper himself at Courtney.

BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD.

A Program of Local Significance by Local Speakers. The Baptist Brotherhood will give its monthly banquet this evening, with the usual program following. The ladies of the church will give one of their splendid dinners, after which there will be musical numbers and a half dozen short addresses.

REAL ESTATE. Sieugnu Oldenburg and L. Oldenburg to Charles Marchand, land in sections 5, 6, 7, 8, township 4 south, range 1 east; \$23,000.

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Are You A Money Saver? Most every one expects to be a money saver some time. Some expect to save when their income is larger; others plan to save when their expenses are less.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF OREGON CITY, OREGON. CAPITAL, \$500,000.00. Transacts a General Banking Business. Open from 9 A. M. to 7 P. M.

R. W. & R. S. Ward MACHINISTS. We do general repairing, broken machinery made to do as good work as new. Experts with gasoline engines. Phones: Main 2994. Home 156. 109 FOURTH STREET OREGON CITY.

Only a few of good stock are left in the country; at that there are probably enough for home consumption. Buyers have secured this section pretty thoroughly, and in consequence those who have potatoes left are holding for the outside price.

LATEST MARKETS

Portland Markets. Receipts on this market for the week ending Saturday have been 2900 cattle, 5 calves, 1203 hogs, 4210 sheep and 63 horses and mules.

WHEAT—The local market for wheat is a trifle better and the price advancing a little from last week. The latest quotations are for No. 2, if the grain is above the standard, a trifle above this price.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. 51 steers \$7.00, 63 steers \$7.00, 158 steers \$6.90, 163 steers \$6.80, 173 steers \$6.70, 2 calves \$6.00, 1 stag \$5.75, 1 bull \$5.25, 19 bulls \$4.25, 116 spring lambs \$4.75, 910 lambs sheared \$5.00, 42 wethers wool \$5.10, 216 wethers sheared \$5.75, 19 cows \$6.00, 4 cows \$6.00, 26 cows \$5.45, 3 cows \$5.03, 54 hogs \$7.60, 80 hogs \$7.25, 83 hogs \$7.10, 7 hogs \$7.30, 2 drafters \$300, 1 chukn \$225, 2 drivers \$200, 1 saddler \$100.

Butter—There is little change in quotations for dairy, the price for good butter ranging from 25c to 30c, but country butter is not chosen and will bring more than 10c and 15c and not wanted at that. Creamery is a trifle off in price in consequence of good dairy being more plentiful at this time of the year.

MEATS—Pork is on the decline, hogs bringing 8c and 9c; veal is much cheaper and price for small carcasses is 8c and 10c, larger at a considerable lower figure. Mutton brings a price according to scarcity.

APPLES—Local stocks are pretty well cleaned up and what are left are not very good. Prices for local stock range from 75c to \$1.50, and as much of the stock is Ben Davis it is not natural that the outside price should range. Hood River stock is selling from \$1.50 to \$2.50.

POTATOES—Demand for good local stock is fair and the supply limited.

WANTED—A RIDER AGENT. 1000 Hedgehorn Puncture-Proof Self-healing Tires. A SAMPLE PAIR TO INTRODUCE, ONLY \$4.00. J.L. MEADYOLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.

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American Wives' Incompetency Drives Husbands to Drink

By Mrs. ANNIE NATHAN MEYER, Founder of Barnard College.

WE HEAR A GREAT DEAL ABOUT POOR, DESERTED WIVES ABANDONED BY DRUNKEN HUSBANDS. I BELIEVE THAT MANY AMERICAN MEN ARE DRIVEN TO DRINK BY THE FACT THAT THEIR WIVES ARE STARVING AND THE POOR CREATURES THEY MARRIED ARE STARVING ALSO BECAUSE THEY DON'T EVEN KNOW ENOUGH TO FEED THEMSELVES.

There is a great deal said about motherhood. Of course we must be mothers, but WHY DON'T AMERICAN WOMEN BEGIN BY LEARNING TO BE WIVES? In everything relating to the home we are INCOMPETENT CHILDREN compared with the women of France and Germany.

There's a great deal of rot talked about DESERTED WIVES. I've a sneaking suspicion that a man doesn't desert a home worth living in or a wife who knows her business.