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The largest automobile factory in the world will be seen in Hood River when the Studebaker Corporation of Detroit, Mich., show their famous motion picture films entitled, "From Pig Iron to the Finished Automobile," at Heilbronner hall, Saturday, December 30, at 8 o'clock.

These films, which are 6,000 feet long, are among the most interesting as well as the most costly ever made. They show the E-M-F 30 and Flanders 20 made at the rate of 150 per day or 50,000 per year. They also show the famous cars on the track, in the wilderness and on the road.

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An additional attraction, there will be shown views of the famous Flanders 20 pathfinding trip from Seattle, Wash., to Hazelton, Canada. This trip, which was 1250 miles long, was considered an impossibility by experts who knew the route selected, which was for the most part over the famous Caribou Trail, where not even a wagon had attempted to go. The Flanders 20 reached Hazelton after six weeks of the hardest going ever encountered by an automobile, thereby winning the Pacific Highway medal, "First to Hazelton" and numerous other trophies.

This interesting entertainment will be absolutely free.

### Studying Tree Canker

Whether bark canker is a primary or secondary disease is to be determined by experiments now being carried on by H. L. Reese of the plant pathology department of the Oregon Agricultural College. He has inoculated the bark of some pear and apple trees for this purpose, over 40 being treated.

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## HUSUM EXPECTS MANY LAND BUYERS

That there will be an influx, next spring, of homeseekers to this section of the White Salmon valley, is daily becoming more evident. Never before have there been so many inquiries made of business men and ranchers at this time of the year by residents of the middle west and far east, seeking information as to the conditions of this locality, and who aver they will visit the valley at an early date in 1912.

Within a radius of a few miles of the town of Husum there are 25,000 acres of tillable lands, and only one-fourth the area is under cultivation. The number of orchard tracts in this locality being cleared for commercial orchards is a revelation to those who looked upon the region a few years ago. Orchards and modern homes have bloomed forth as if by magic, and diversified farming has been carried on here where heretofore it was thought impossible.

### Rebuilding Wasco Warehouse Mill

The flour mill of the Wasco Warehouse Milling Co. at The Dalles, which was recently destroyed by fire, is being rapidly rebuilt and it is expected to have it ready for operation by March 1st. The mill will be built entirely of reinforced concrete and will have an immensely increased capacity. Stranahan & Clark, the local distributors of the Wasco Company product, will continue to handle the product of the mill as formerly.

### Organize Competitive Phone Co.

The recent advance in rates in both the light, power and phone systems at Husum has caused new companies to enter the local field for a share of the business, and competition promises to be keen. The Farmers' Mutual Telephone Company, recently organized there, will be the competitor of the White Salmon Valley Telephone Company, which announced a rise in switching charges.

### Notice of Annual Stockholders' Meeting

The annual stockholders' meeting of the Farmers' Irrigating Company will be held Saturday, January 13, 1912, at 10 a. m. at Commercial Club hall for the purpose of electing seven directors to serve one year, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may legally come before the meeting.

By order of Directors.

M. H. NICKELSEN, Secretary.\*

### Oregon Hotel Special Dinners

A special table d'hote dinner will be served at the Hotel Oregon every Sunday from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. for 75 cents. A la carte meal will also be served. Music by the Mandolin Club. Dine with us.\*

### Oregon Advances in Road Building

Great advances in road building throughout this state are shown by figures of county judges. In 1905 Oregon had 35,000 miles of roads and spent \$800,000 in repairs and construction. In 1910, with 40,000 miles of roads, \$2,000,000 was spent.

### Notice

Destruction or cutting of trees within the parks of the city is positively prohibited. Any and all offenders will be vigorously prosecuted.

By order of the Common Council.

H. B. LANGLEY, City Recorder.

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## COMMENCE WORK ON \$1,000,000 PLANT

Active work on the million dollar power plant to be installed by the Northwestern Electric Company, was commenced near Husum Tuesday. Under the direction of C. B. Clegg, chief engineer, a survey is being made for a macadamized road from the dam site on the White Salmon river four miles below here to a junction with the Underwood-Husum county road. The road will be 30 feet wide, and heavy auto trucks will haul supplies for the power plant from the Underwood station.

The company has also put a crew of men at work on the dam site, taking soundings, as to the nature of the foundation. A concrete mixer has been shipped for use on the road and at the power site.

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### O. A. C. Students Get Krag Rifles

Gallery shooting practice by the cadets under the new commandant, Lieut. Miller, at the Oregon Agricultural College. Eighty new Krag rifles have been put into commission because of the number of cadets in training, more this year than ever before. The new guns are modeled exactly after the regular Krag in weight and balance, but shoot 22 shorts. A table worked out by the army engineers allows comparison of the gallery gun scores with those of a full sized rifle range rifle.

### Inter-Urban for Southern Oregon

Southern Oregon cities are looking forward to a network of interurban electric lines that will greatly facilitate travel and inter-community life in that section of the state. Plans are announced of a trolley line from Grants Pass to Ashland, linking all the intermediate cities.

### Trains to Lakeview January 1st

Trains will probably be running to Lakeview by late winter or early spring, as rail connection has been completed from Alturas, Modoc county, California. A wonderfully rich country will be opened up to the outside world.

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Ar. Metolita	6:00 P.M.	Lv. Madras	9:00 A.M.
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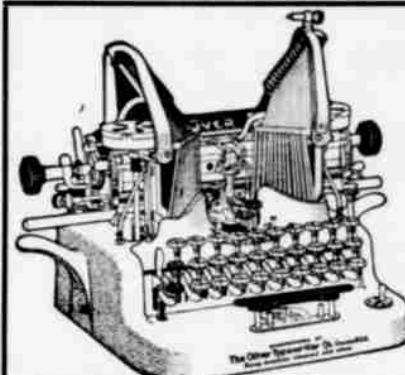
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