

BRAINY TILLING OF SOIL STATE'S NEED

Hawley Makes Plea in Address at Corvallis for Good Farmers.

CAMPBELL IS CHEERED

U. of O. President Complimented by Agricultural College Students. "Oregon First" Proposed as Slogan at Corvallis.

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to the hills north of Sheridan to see the orchards report having had a delightful trip. H. B. Miller, from the seat of a baggy, explained how thousands of acres are being planted with apples, pears, cherries, plums and walnuts. The soil he declared on the very top of the hills has a depth of from 10 to 50 feet, insuring a perfect reservoir for the conservation of moisture. Italian prunes, he explained, yield from 100 to 1500 an acre without fail.

Members of the party who visited the brick company's plant at Williams, were amazed at the magnitude of this industry, which has been in operation for four years. The plant was in full operation and the visitors saw brick making in all its processes. The supply of clay, according to Colonel Moore, of the party, will last for 50 years and then some.

These are four different varieties from which brick of almost any desired color can be manufactured. Probably the greater quantity of brick now used in Portland is supplied by the Williams plant.

Mr. Rev. Charles Scadding, the booster bishop of Oregon, has been in evidence throughout the trip. He is particularly enthusiastic over the McMinnville chicken dinner.

Dr. J. B. Professor Paul A. Cowgill, of S. D. Vincent & Co., a rival of the great Mallin, will give an interesting exhibition of his fertilization in car No. 3. All are invited. Admission free.

Dr. J. B. Professor of the P. R. H. & P. Co., W. E. Coman, general freight and passenger agent of the Hill lines in Corvallis, declared that a living from the sale of apples, general freight agent of the S. P., is about \$1000 a year.

On the 11th, by Bill Hanley, post laudat: "Land schools upon the soil, say life's just the thing we need, whereby will build up population round where stumps and rabbits now abound. By teaching them with a farmer's rank, and have some money in the bank, than to stick around the town and work for years—a \$15 clerk."

STUDENTS' WORK INSPECTED

College Visited While Classes Are in Session.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, April 27.—(Special.)—After two days of steady rain, even Old Sol himself today was out to aid the people of Corvallis and the students of Oregon Agricultural College, who entertained the visiting business men of Oregon, here to pass the day and evening on the O. A. C. campus, inspecting the college buildings and equipment and seeing the students at their daily work.

The visitors' Pullman train, consisting of a baggage car, four sleepers, a dining and an observation car, reached Corvallis this morning at 1:50 o'clock, according to the schedule.

From 7:30 until 9 o'clock representatives of the Corvallis Commercial Club were at the train, which was run in on the sixth-street tracks, meeting the students as they disembarked from their cars and taking them to the Julian Hotel, where breakfast was served.

One hundred and twenty-seven of the students and twenty-seven of the faculty were present at the breakfast at the hotel, many others being entertained at the homes of friends. When the 24 machines were dropped, the visitors to Waldo Hall, after a drive about the campus and a tour through the college drill hall, which measures 128x260 feet, and exceeded in size by but one other college drill hall in the United States, there were more than 180 guests in the party.

Fifty officers of the O. A. C. cadet regiment were in waiting to serve as guides, each officer being assigned from three to six visitors.

In the domestic science laboratories, which are in Waldo Hall, the visitors saw more than 50 college women in their white aprons and caps, preparing the banquet which they will serve for the excursionists this evening in the ladies' dining-room. The men, as well as the women, evidenced their special interest in the work of the domestic science girls, and one epicure expressed himself as "ready for a sample of the feast right now."

From Waldo Hall the cadets showed their company through the greenhouses and then directed their march to Agricultural Hall, where the horticultural, botanical, zoological, art, commerce, domestic art and agronomy departments were visited.

The laboratory classes in horticulture were in session, and the students were seen making grafting and budding fruit and nut-bearing trees of commercial importance. In the market-gardening laboratories the classes were receiving instructions in the preparation of garden products, such as rhubarb, asparagus and cauliflower for the fancy market. Power-spraying apparatus of various kinds was also seen in operation, and demonstrations were given in the preparation of reliable spraying mixtures.

The basis of all horticultural work

WITNESSES TELL OF FINDING BODY

Twenty-Three Persons Testify in Humphrys Murder Trial at Corvallis.

OTHERS WILL BE CALLED

Detective Outlines Confession Made by Younger Brother After He Was Arrested and Charged With Crime.

CORVALLIS, Or., April 26.—Twenty-three witnesses have been examined in the Humphrys murder trial, all for the state, and the prosecution will introduce a number of other witnesses. Most of the testimony concerned the discovery of Mrs. Griffith's body and the circumstances surrounding her death. Detective Mitchell told of the search for the body and the finding of the same by Mr. Henkle, the confusion about the premises, the condition of the house and the inquest.

From a statement made by the attorney for the defense it is known they will try to shift the murder of Mrs. Griffith onto Dr. Ed North, a traveling dentist, who was once arrested on this charge but released at the preliminary hearing, because of insufficient grounds.

Witnesses testified to Mrs. Griffith's fearing George Humphrey might do her harm, the disappearance of the deceased, the arousing of the neighbors, the apparent uncertainty of the Humphrys, who were very near neighbors, the search for the body and the finding of the same by Mr. Henkle, the confusion about the premises, the condition of the house and the inquest.

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JUNKETERS VISIT SHERIDAN

Pretty View of Four Snow-Capped Mountains Pleases Visitors.

SHERIDAN, Or., April 26.—(Special.)—Sheridan was honored yesterday by the visit of 110 prominent Portland business men on an inspection tour of this section of the Willamette Valley.

The excursionists, who arrived in six Pullman cars of a special train, arrived at 2:15, after a visit to McMinnville, and proceeded in vehicles furnished by local men to the Church Hill-Mathews walnut plantations on the hills about two miles north of Sheridan.

From this point the party was able to see over the fog and in the distance were four white-capped mountain peaks, the whitest of the distant peaks forming a pretty contrast to the vivid green of the surrounding hills.

The visitors were unanimous in voting it the prettiest sight they had ever seen.

On their return to Sheridan they were joined by the remainder of the party, which had made a hasty trip to Williams to visit the Pacific Brick Company's plant.

At 5:45 the special resumed its journey to Dallas and Corvallis.

The special carried some of Portland's most prominent business men and was under the auspices of the Oregon Development League, Central Oregon Development League, Oregon State Bankers' Association, Oregon Immigration Commission and Portland Commercial Club.

The itinerary of the trip included McMinnville, Sheridan, Dallas and Corvallis, with William Hanley as chairman and C. C. Chapman as manager.

The object of the excursion, as given by several of its members, is to get in closer touch with the vast country comprising what is known as the West Side. The slogan of the excursion, as expressed by Chairman Hanley, is "Land schools on the soil."

His idea is that the farmers struggling on the farms should have help and encouragement from those in other lines of business. The best way to assist them, he believes, is by the sending of land schools on the soil, and in this way to show the farmers how best to produce crops. In a word, to give them that material benefit of the years of experience behind the experiment stations.

Juarez, Mexico, claims to be the only city in the world in which the direction and control of the city parks have been turned over completely to women, a board of eight women managers having exclusive control of them.

ASTOR'S BODY IS FOUND

ISIDOR STRAUS ALSO AMONG IDENTIFIED DEAD.

Dozen Huddled at Base of Iceberg Added to List of Victims of Titanic Recovered.

NEW YORK, April 26.—Officers of the North German Lloyd liner Princess Irene, which docked just before midnight, told today of a wireless message which they had intercepted on Wednesday in which a ship—the name not learned—reported that in passing 20 miles from the scene of the Titanic disaster she had sighted an iceberg on which were the bodies of more than a dozen men.

All wore life belts and the bodies were huddled in groups at the base of the berg.

It was the opinion of officers of the ship that the men had climbed on the mass of ice and had frozen to death as they were swept southward. No attempt was made to take off the bodies.

The bodies of Colonel John Jacob Astor and Isidor Straus, the millionaire merchant of this city, who lost their lives in the Titanic disaster, have been recovered and are on board the cable ship Mackay-Bennett. News of the recovery of the bodies was contained in a dispatch to the White Star Line Company today.

William Dobbins, secretary to Colonel Astor, said he had been advised by the White Star line of the recovery of Colonel Astor's body. Dobbins said Captain Roberts, commander of Colonel Astor's steam yacht Noma, was in Halifax and would look out for the body.

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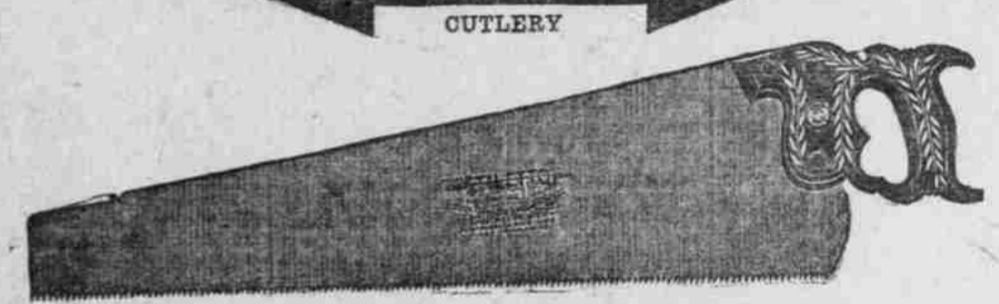
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