

ENTHUSIASM HIGH
THE HOG TRAIN WAKE

6700 Rogue River Farmers
and Brass Band Out to
Welcome and Learn.

TILLERS SHOW AMBITION

Experts Grow Hoarse Telling Eager
Producers About Cows and Swine
With Good Roads Gospel
Thrown In.

GOLD HILL, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Six thousand, hundred and fifty of the Rogue River Valley have listened to the doctrine of hog and dairy cow prosperity today and the big Southern Pacific-Oregon Agricultural College special demonstration train is tonight leaving a trail of most satisfactory enthusiasm in Southern Oregon as it speeds toward Junction City and the Willamette Valley, where it will on Friday and Saturday conclude its two weeks' itinerary with a whirlwind campaign for better cows and hogs and more of them.

All records have been shattered to date today. At 10 o'clock this morning, 6700 farmers at 9 o'clock this morning and an hour later the Talent brass band led 700 more to the railroad yards. But all that has gone before was but as the hum of a debating society as compared to the howling mob of 4000 Jackson County men who gathered at Medford. Then came Dr. J. P. Pollock with another 750 and Gold Hill with 500 and the Gold Hill band.

Two Reasons Exist. Two reasons explain the intense interest displayed by the farmers of this section of the state—ambition to make their farms more remunerative by engaging in the dairy business, and a desire for a remarkably well suited, and good roads that enable the farmers to get out where they can learn about the first reason.

They wanted to know about cows. Time after time Professor R. R. Graves poured into willing ears the reason why any of the four dairy breeds of cows would make good in this district. He demonstrated that Ayrshire was as good as a Jersey or a Holstein as good as a Guernsey if she descended from a milk strain, if the animal possessed a good constitution, if she exhibited good foot capacity, large milk veins, a good udder and dairy temperament. Tonight his throat is wound with red channel torn from the underlip of Ed Carey, who wants to keep Professor Graves in working order until the finish.

Demonstrations Are Practical. In his practical demonstration Graves shows where to look for the angularity of back and shape wither and hip bones that indicate the milking temperament and capacity. An example of a practical herd can be developed from ordinary scrub mothers. If the milking strain is there to begin with and a pure-bred sire is used. After years of demonstration of horticultural methods and some failures it was the sort of talk that Royce and the underlip of Ed Carey, and then the O. A. C. man trotted out a Jersey from the Carey herd at Lafayette and showed that he had made 500 pounds of butter in 1912. Then an Ayrshire that has made 132 pounds of butter fat in the past two months or as much as the average cow does in a year was shown. It was easy to understand that there was a difference between a steady income and one that is subject to pear blight.

Death to the scrub bull is written on every canyon wall between the state line and Roseburg tonight, and it is safe to say that the next few years will show an immense increase in the output of dairy products south of the Umpqua Mountains.

At Talent the speakers took occasion to discourage the absorption of stock to a creamery in which a Chicago promoter is endeavoring to interest the people.

BOYS' CONGRESS IS URGED
Mr. Churchill Wants Industrial Gath.
ering at San Francisco Fair.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—Superintendent Churchill announced today that he was urging a boys' and girls' industrial congress as one of the features of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Mr. Churchill has arranged to send ten winners of prizes in the children's industrial department of the State Fair to the exposition and he will urge other states which have industrial clubs to do likewise, the winners from the various states to be delegates to the congress.

Mr. Churchill thinks the plan would be of benefit in stimulating interest in the work.

"Such a congress," said Mr. Churchill, "would furnish each member an opportunity for an exchange of ideas and a wider acquaintance with the industrial work."

SALARY INCREASES VALID
Washington Supreme Court Holds
Legislature Can Ignore Limits Set.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The Legislature, by increasing the appropriation, has power to raise the salaries of public officials beyond the limits fixed by prior statutory limitations, was the decision of the Supreme Court yesterday.

The decision grants increases of salaries to the Clerk of the Supreme Court, the chief engineer of the Public Service Commission, Deputy Commissioner of Statistics, actuary of the State Insurance Department, Deputy Auditor and Assistant State Librarian. State Auditor Clausen previously had refused to pay the increased salaries under an opinion from Attorney-General Tanner.

FUNERAL WILL BE HERE
Body of Sutherland Accident Victim Is
on Way to Portland.

ROSEBURG, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—The body of Clarence Cray, a Southern Pacific brakeman who was killed early today at Sutherlin while trying to cross the track ahead of a locomotive, was sent to Portland tonight, accompanied by the father.

pective candidates. M. J. Anderson is out on the Republican ticket for County Judge against the incumbent, Judge Jewell. For Sheriff there are three candidates in the field, the present officer, W. C. Smith and Walter Harmon on the Republican ticket, with C. E. McLane running as an independent candidate.

"PARDON ARMY" IGNORED
Governor Johnson Says Requests
Will Have No Influence.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 12.—Commenting on the report that an army of 2000 men contemplated marching to Sacramento to demand a pardon for Richard ("Blackie") Ford and Herman Suhr, who were sentenced to life imprisonment.

FIRST DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE
FOR LEGISLATURE
ANNOUNCED.



Alva L. McDonald. The first Democrat to appear as a candidate for the State Legislature is Alva L. McDonald, who formally announced his candidacy for the lower house from Multnomah County yesterday.

Mr. McDonald is editor and publisher of the Angora Journal, the district is remarkably well suited, and good roads that enable the farmers to get out where they can learn about the first reason.

Alleged Procurer Jailed. For an alleged attempt to lure Mrs. Jessie Quimby and her cousin, Mrs. B. Shannon, to Grand avenue, into a disorderly resort, Ediger Smith, proprietor of a rooming-house at 223 1/2 North Seventeenth street, was given a 15-day jail sentence in the Municipal Court yesterday.

MEN OF AFFAIRS HOLD
HOTEL LOBBY FORUMS
Portland's Apparent Laxity in Going After Alaskan Trade Subject for
Discussion—Canadian Immigration Official "After" Locators.

THE Canadian government has adopted a policy of reprisal to offset the activities in Portland of "locators" for Canadian homestead lands. Under the Dominion law, no one is allowed to receive a fee for locating persons on government land, the government maintaining a bureau of its own for this purpose. But there is nothing to prevent "locators" of Canadian homesteads from operating in the United States, and a company has been busy at this work in Portland for several months.

Mr. Stone was formerly a newspaper man in Nome, and is as thoroughly acquainted with Alaskan conditions as the most enthusiastic Oregon Alaskan prospect.

After leaving Alaska five years ago he came to Oregon and founded the Matheur Enterprise at Vale, where he "boasted for Eastern Oregon" with such vigor that his paper became widely known as the prophet of Eastern Oregon development.

It is said that railroad officials watched the enterprise to see what Stone had decided for them to do, and when he announced that they would extend westward from Vale, that they rushed men and construction outfit to that point so that the Enterprise would maintain its reputation for foresight.

Mr. Stone accompanied Mr. Stone yesterday.

CONDITIONS are splendid in Southern Oregon, according to John A. Westerlund, of Medford, one of the leading orchard operators of the Rogue River Valley, who is registered at the Carlton.

ROSEBUD PARADE
TO BE ELABORATE

School Board and Rose Festival
Governors Plan to Have
10,000 Children in Line.

TOTS TO BE STAR FEATURE

East Side Business Men Hearty in
Co-operation and Street Railway
Company President Volunteers
Special Service.

The pageantry of the "Human Rosebud" parade of the school children is to be always the crowning glory of the annual Rose Festival—is to be repeated this year in a more picturesque and elaborate manner than in former seasons of festivity. Such was the declaration of the Board of Education at a special meeting with the board of governors of the Rose Festival at the Commercial Club last night.

The parade is to be short. Perhaps not more than an hour will be consumed in marching. This will prevent overexertion on the part of the youngsters.

George L. Baker, superintendent of amusements, announced that the system of policing the route and handling the centers of formation and dispersal, as well as keeping watchful eyes on the children, will be worked out with painstaking care.

Without exception the members of the Board of Education who spoke—Chairman R. L. Sabin, O. M. Plummer, Judge M. G. Munly and Dr. E. E. Smith—as well as School Superintendent L. R. Alderman, referred to the parade as a civic asset and as a sure inspiration toward civic pride.

It was also shown that from the standpoint of advertising Portland as a center of Roses throughout the country, this feature of the week towers far above all the other elements of the season's pastimes.

Warm Weather Is Aid, Says Ex-Master
Warden Clanton—Other Stations
Report Big Numbers.

SALEM, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—R. E. Clanton, ex-Master Fish Warden and now superintendent of hatcheries, in his report for January, says that because of the mild weather the propagation work at the Bonneville fish hatchery has been more gratifying than usual.

Superintendent Wilson has on hand 14,067 young salmon. The fry resulting from the fall chinook eggs are all hatched. There are 1,250,000 eastern brook trout eggs which are under different periods of incubation at the station.

Mr. Clanton reports that all eggs have been hatched and a large part of the fry is taking food at Glatkanie River hatchery. Twenty-seven hundred 2-year-old rainbow trout, from 10 to 18 inches in length, and 12,700 rainbow yearlings are being held. There also are 141,787 salmon fry, which are being fed on spawned out dried salmon. Statistics of other hatcheries are as follows:

Tillamook—Superintendent Wheeler has 493,880 chinook fry, 779,925 silver-side eggs and 492 silver-side fry.

WATSON REQUESTS SUIT
Spirilla Company Target of Corporation
Commissioner.

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"The Owl" for Kodak Developing, Printing, for Kodaks and Kodak Supplies.

"Owl" FRIDAY SPECIALS

10c Size Conti Castile Soap	7c	35c Size Jergens' BENZOIN AND ALMOND Lotion	19c
Made in Italy and imported by The Owl Drug Co. Makes a soft, creamy lather. Can be used on the most delicate skin.		For preserving the skin and complexion. Healing, soothing and whitening.	
20c Size "Owl" Foot Comfort	10c	35c Size Raymond Complexion Cream	19c
An antiseptic dusting powder. Relieves sore, perspiring, swollen, blistered, tired and itching feet.		A liquid powder for beautifying and preserving the complexion. White or flesh.	
25c Size Leakanot	10c	50c Size Milk of Magnesia	28c
For preserving, waterproofing and softening black or tan shoes. Shoes can be polished with shoe paste after application of "Leakanot."		Antacid and a mild laxative. Free from injurious ingredients.	
25c Size Sapanol Tooth Powder	14c	50c Size Celery King Tea	29c
Whitens and preserves the teeth, arrests decay and hardens the gums.		For the nerves, blood and bowels. The tonic laxative.	
25c Size Pape's Cold Compound	15c	50c Size Sal Hepatica	33c
For colds, grippe, headache and neuralgia. 4 tablet form.		Anti-rheumatic and laxative salts. Agreeable to take.	
25c Size Danderine	15c	50c Size Baume Analgesique	39c
A hair tonic that is beneficial to the scalp and an excellent hair dressing.		For rheumatism, gout and neuralgia.	
25c Size Witch Hazel	17c	50c Size "Owl" Theatrical Cream	39c
A full pint of "The Owl's" Distilled Extract of Witch Hazel contains full 15 per cent of pure grain alcohol.		For softening the skin, cleaning the pores, preventing wrinkles and whitening and refining the skin, we can suggest nothing better.	
10c Size Palm Olive Soap	25c	65c Size Manganese and Iron	39c
Made from pure palm oil and olive oil. Very beneficial to the skin and complexion. Special 4 Cakes		A palatable compound of these two well-known bloodmakers and tonics.	
		75c Size Lennox Hair Dye	49c
		For instantly dyeing the hair or beard a permanent and natural color.	

The Owl Drug Co.
TWENTY DRUG STORES ON THE PACIFIC COAST.
Washington and Broadway

LUMBER ACTIVITY
IS APPARENT NOW

Silverton and Wheeler Soon to
Hear Buzz of Saw and Hum
of Machinery.

BOOTH-KELLY REBUILDING
Springfield Plant, Recently Destroyed
by Fire, Will Be Larger—New
Mill of 125,000 Feet Capacity
Expected This Summer.

With the coming of weather more favorable for mill activity and for building operations over the state, the lumber industry of Oregon is regarded as bound to awaken from the lull of Winter.

In some sections, notably in the camps along the Columbia River and in the Coos Bay territory, operations were continued until a good sized supply had accumulated and in these localities several of the mills and logging camps will not resume operations until the present supply has been exhausted, but, in other lumber zones, indications of a renewed activity already are apparent.

The Silverton Lumber Company is about to resume active operation of its plant at Silverton, in Marion County, and the mill at Wheeler, in the Nehalem country, started activity this week.

The big mill of the Booth-Kelly Company, which was almost totally destroyed by the Springfield fire, is being rebuilt on a larger scale. It will be one of the most modern plants in the Northwest and will have an immense capacity.

It is said on good authority that a new mill having a capacity of about 125,000 feet a day is to be launched in the Willamette Valley during the coming Summer.

FISH PROPAGATION GOOD

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DRY STATE IS FORECAST

"Out-to-Win" Mass Meeting at Medford Well Attended.

MEDFORD, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—An "out-to-win" mass meeting was held at the Page Theater tonight and was attended by delegations from Grants Pass, Ashland and other nearby towns. Addressers were made by local ministers and several prominent state speakers for a state-wide prohibition campaign.

The theater was crowded to the doors and predictions were made by nearly every speaker that Oregon would go dry by an overwhelming majority.

These Diamond Values
Are Extraordinary!

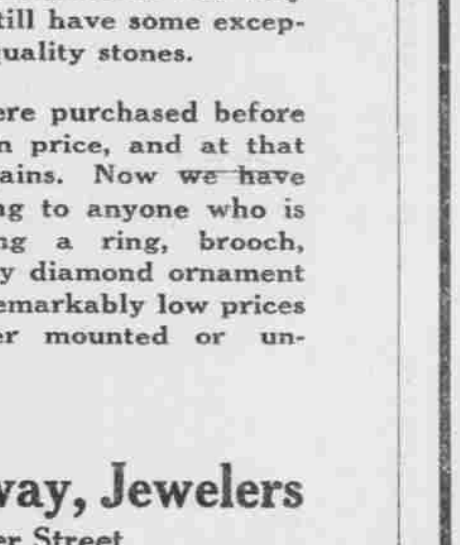
THE response to our first advertisement announcing remarkably low prices on \$25,000 worth of diamonds was very satisfactory, but we still have some exceptional values in fine quality stones.

These diamonds were purchased before the recent advance in price, and at that time they were bargains. Now we have no hesitation in saying to anyone who is thinking of purchasing a ring, brooch, pendant, locket or any diamond ornament that we are making remarkably low prices on diamonds. Either mounted or unmounted.

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363 Alder Street

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SUGAR

Imparts the finishing touch of elegance to the correctly served meal.



Fall and Half Size Pieces
THE AMERICAN SUGAR REFINING CO.
Address: New York City

SALEM, Or., Feb. 12.—(Special.)—"In the West, Salem Best" is the slogan for the Capital City chosen by the promotion department of the Commercial Club.

Miss Teddy Wesley, of La Grande, submitted the catchy phrase and she is the winner of the first prize. The second prize was won by Miss Lulu Walton, of this city, who submitted "Salem Satisfies."

"Success centers in Salem" was the phrase submitted by Miss Catherine Tottle, of Central Point. J. D. Dillon, of Portland, suggested, "Seek Success in Salem."