

# FARMS NEED MEN, BANKERS DECLARE

## Oregon Association Starts Move to Send Young Workers to Idle Lands.

### ADVANTAGES TO BE SHOWN

#### Committee Is Named at Meeting of State Members to Prepare Booklet Showing Resources of Districts Not Under Cultivation.

Bankers of Oregon have joined the "back-to-the-farm" movement. At a meeting of officers and directors of the Oregon State Bankers' Association held at the office of H. H. Thompson in Portland, yesterday, a committee was named to devise the best ways and methods of inducing young men now on the farms to stay on the farms and to urge young men now in the cities to go to the farms.

The committee consists of Emory Olmstead, vice-president and manager of the Portland Trust Company of Portland; C. A. Dobell, cashier of the Benton County National Bank of Corvallis; J. H. Booth, president of the Douglas National Bank of Roseburg; J. H. Albert, president of the Capital National Bank of Salem; and T. J. Mahoney, cashier of the First National Bank of Heppner.

It is the purpose of the committee to issue a booklet and other literature showing the advantages of farm life in Oregon and the opportunities for success and prosperity through the practice of intelligent methods on any of the available land in the state.

"We also want to teach the youths in the cities to go to the farms and take up farming as a means of livelihood. There are more opportunities in farm life in Oregon than there are in the cities of any state.

"We believe that as soon as this fact becomes thoroughly impressed upon the rising generation, there will be an exodus from the cities and towns to the agricultural districts that will aid materially in the rapid development of the backward regions.

W. L. Thompson, president of the American National Bank of Pendleton, was elected state vice-president of the American Bankers' Association. J. L. Hartman, of Hartman & Thompson, Portland, was elected a member of the nominating committee and a member of the executive committee of the American Bankers' Association.

### APPLE SHOW IS ARRANGED

#### The Dalles and Yamhill County to Send Large Exhibit.

H. C. Atwell, of Forest Grove, president of the Oregon Horticultural Society, will be in Portland Monday to assist Secretary F. E. Power in the preparation of the programme for the convention that is to be held in conjunction with the State Apple Show.

Yamhill County has sent information that it will have a carload exhibit consisting of apples, nuts and dried fruits. This is the largest exhibit from a single county that has been promised this year.

Prices aggregating the equivalent of about \$100 have been offered by the Woodburn Nursery Company for the best ten boxes of Baldwin, Jonathan and Spitzenberg, at least three boxes of each variety.

### LEG'S VALUE OVER LIFE

#### Jury Allows \$8000 for Fracture, Another \$2000 for Death.

While one jury in the Circuit Court yesterday was returning a verdict of \$8000 as compensation for a broken leg, another, at almost the same time, placed a valuation of \$2000 on a human life.

A jury in Judge Gastenbain's department returned a verdict of \$8000 in favor of James N. Mitchell and against the O. W. H. & N. Company after listening all week to the evidence.

man to remain for nine days without medical attention, although he had been paying regularly for medical attention from his wages.

The defense was that the plaintiff's leg had simply been broken where it had been fractured previously, but X-ray pictures were introduced by W. M. Davis, attorney for Mitchell, to controvert that theory.

A jury in Judge Morrow's department decided that Laura Howard, whose son, Frank Walker, was killed March 1, 1910, is entitled to recover \$2000 from the C. J. Cook Company.

### PORTLAND MAID IS BRIDE OF SAN FRANCISCO IN QUIET CEREMONY.

#### Mrs. H. B. Suter (Nee Sweetland).



Harry Richard Suter and Miss Florence Nantilla Sweetland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Sweetland, of this city, were married Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the New Perkins Hotel. Reverend Mr. Boyd, of the First Presbyterian Church, officiated. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served in the banquet-room. Only relatives were present at the wedding.

and Alder streets was in progress, and was caught beneath a falling section of wall. His mother sued for \$1000, the maximum amount which may be recovered for a death in Oregon.

### DULLNESS LAID TO INJURY

#### Operation May Cure Lad Hurt in San Francisco Quake.

Injured in the San Francisco earthquake of April 18, 1906, Earl Hanson, now 14 years old and a pupil of the Woodstock school, will be brought before Juvenile Court Judge Gatens Monday by Truant Officer Krum who will ask the court to order the boy examined by physicians to determine his degree of sanity.

The lad was in the third grade of the public school at Oakland, Cal., at the time of the great fire, and although nearly five and one-half years have passed since the date of his injury, he has advanced only one grade and has been unable to make a success of his studies in even the smallest degree.

The "little fellow's" teacher first called the attention of Mr. Krum to the boy, reporting that he takes off his shoes in class and cuts his shoestrings to pieces and refuses quite often to go home after school is dismissed. Another eccentricity of the boy is his habit of rambling for long distances alone Saturdays and holidays and refusing to consort with children of his own age. He also has a mania for stealing.

### LECTURE SERIES SET

#### REED COLLEGE TRUSTEES ARRANGE COURSE.

Credit to be Given for Attendance if Hearers Desire—Schedule Begins in December.

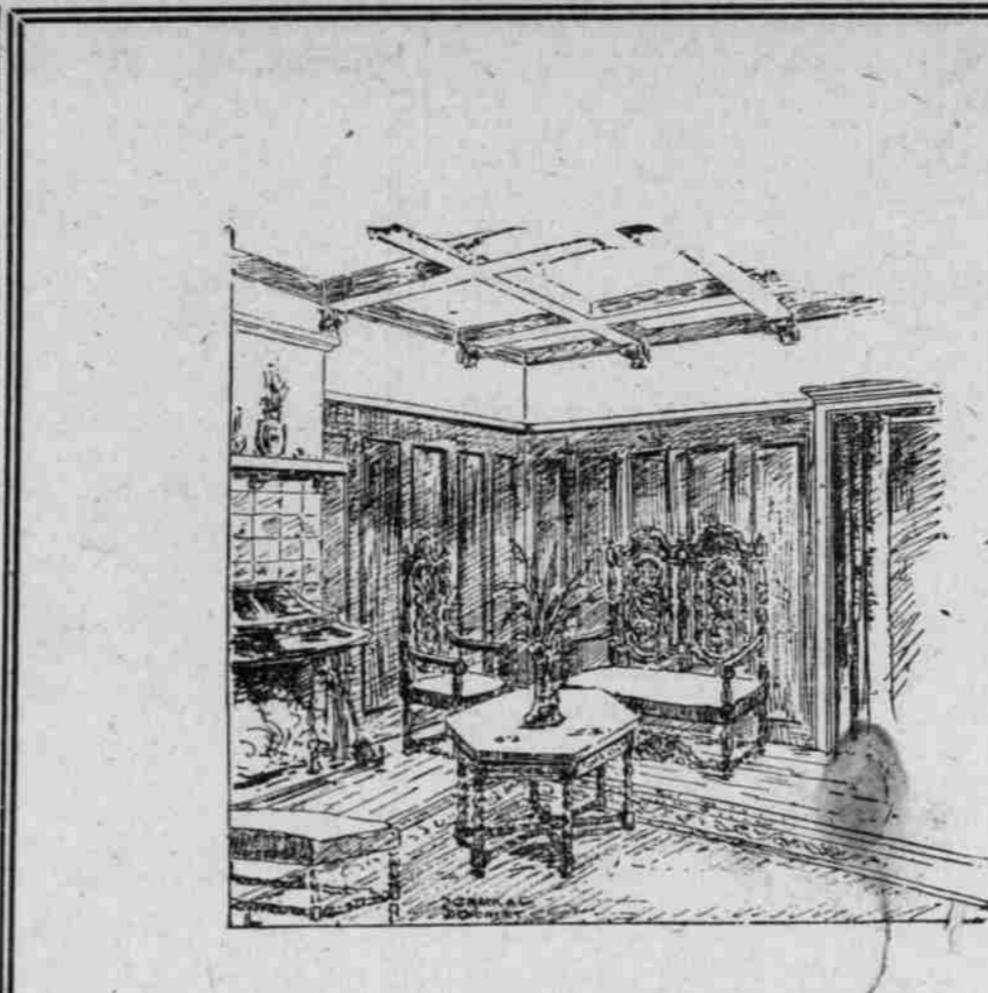
Arrangements have been made by the trustees of Reed College for a series of lectures between December 5, 1911, and February 23, 1912, for the benefit of persons who cannot take the regular college courses in the school. It is intended to make the lecture courses an annual affair.

The lectures will be open to those who wish to attend as hearers only, and those who wish to receive credit for their work.

### GUILD ASKS FOR GARMENTS

#### Demand With Winter Coming On Said to Be Unusual.

Greater than ever will be the need for the supply of winter garments during the season of collecting and distributing to the Portland branch of the Needlework Guild of America, since with the growth of the city and its increasing prosperity comes also increasing poverty and distress.



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### WASHINGTON FOR TAFT

#### RENOMINATION IN FAVOR, SAYS JUDGE C. E. KINDT.

#### Movement Inaugurated in Portland to Further Campaign of President Has Hearty Support.

That the movement inaugurated in Portland for furthering the renomination of President Taft is heartily endorsed by the Republicans of Washington County, and that similar action should be taken in every county in the state, was the statement made yesterday by Judge C. E. Kindt, of Washington County, who is in Portland for a few days.

"Mr. Taft has made one of the best Presidents we have ever had," said Judge Kindt.

"He is a good Republican and deserves a renomination. He has actually done more things and carried out more pledges than several of his predecessors. His speech at Chicago yesterday, in which he declared that he believed it to be his duty to enforce the laws impartially, shows the disposition that every man in his station ought to have.

Washington County Republicans are for him. This county never has given its vote for a Democratic candidate for Governor, and its influence will be for the regular Republican nominee for President.

"The first time I saw President Taft was in Washington in 1890, when he was before the Supreme Court of the United States as Solicitor-General. He impressed me then as being a great lawyer. He was later to be a great judge. His judicial appointments I consider the very best. The fact that he has not hesitated to appoint Democrats where they were men of signal ability is another evidence of his devotion to public duty and clear-sightedness. He is a man who has grown a great deal during his term of office. His efforts to bring about international peace ought to make for him the good will of all persons who believe that peace has even greater victories than war."

### GAS BLOCKS MAN'S SPEECH

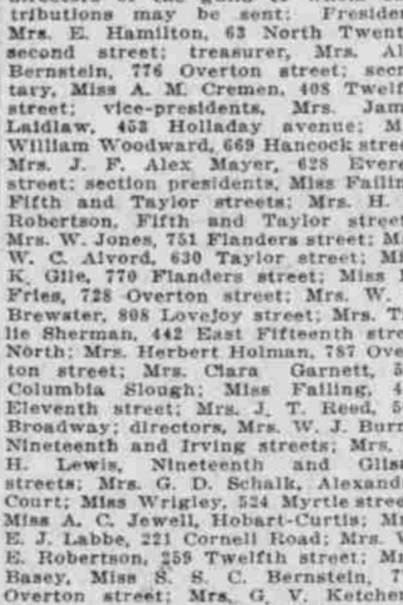
#### C. F. Walters, Who Inhaled Fumes Six Days Ago, Talks but Once.

Although under treatment nearly six days, and conscious most of the time, C. F. Walters, who was rescued from a room filled with gas, at 353 1/2 Yamhill street, Monday forenoon, after he had

### WALTERS DID, AND STILL SURVIVE.

Gas poisoning, said the physician, destroys the red corpuscles in the blood, thus destroying the energy of the victim and deadening his mind so that, although conscious of the things about him, he is unable to summon enough power to act.

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It is a story of remarkable interest with a most engaging plot. The scene shifts from South America to England, where the hero, who has won fame by an expedition to the Antarctic, enters Parliament. The heroine, Cynthia, is a charming character, and the story of the part she plays in the career of Captain Rames, R. N., the one-time commander of the Why Not, is abundantly full of romance.

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