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### DANCE AFTER THE SHOW

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#### CRATER LAKE

Now and again for more than twenty years, says the Portland Oregonian, the beauty, wonder and sublimity of Crater Lake have been extolled by enthusiastic tourists and loyal Oregonians. Year after year its chief advertiser, Mr. W. G. Steel of this city, has visited it, photographed it from various points of view, and, at all times of sunny days and moonlit nights, proclaiming new beauties and wonders and urging the construction of a road that will make it accessible to all who enjoy mountain scenery, and who would further enjoy it in combination with one of the greatest wonders of the world—a lake the depth of which the plummet has never sounded, the waters of which are clear as crystal and sweet as new-fallen snow lying in a cup-like basin 6500 feet above the level of the sea.

All of this and much more has been told and retold of Crater Lake. Enthusiastic tourists, relatively few in number, have endured the hardships incident to travel over a rough mountain road, but lately made more passable by the enterprise of Medford citizens, for the real pleasure of a glimpse of this wonder of Nature through the all-encompassing woods, for a canoe ride over its placid depths and for the sight of sunrise breaking over its steel blue waters. Finally, after much effort on the part of a few, Crater Lake National Park has been created, and now a systematized effort is to be made to secure Congressional aid for building a permanent highway whereby the park can be reached at the mini-

mum of labor and expense by all who wish to view its beauty and grandeur.

An appropriation of \$500,000 will be asked for this purpose and Mr. Steel will be sent to Washington to labor with Congress with that end in view. Secretary Fisher, whose eyes have been opened to the wonders and needs of the Pacific Northwest by his recent trip to and through it, is expected to favor an appropriation to beautify Crater Lake Park; the War Department has made provision for a survey of the park and has recommended the highway plan now proposed, and with the personal effort that Mr. Steel will make it is hoped that the appropriation to be asked will be granted without delay.

A step of state-wide value has just been taken at the Oregon Agricultural College, where a division of extension has been added to the organization, the object being to extend the work of the institution into every section of Oregon. Instruction in farming will be carried into the homes so that people on the farms may carry on such studies as they wish. Farmers' Institutes will be extended and the scope of the work of the college will be much enlarged. One of the most important things contemplated by the new work will be a campaign to have agricultural instruction carried on in the rural and city schools of the state.

A farmer by the name of Harvey living on Agency Plains said a couple of weeks ago that the late fall rains had conditioned the soil for a bumper crop next year. Apply the old saying, that if a little is good a whole lot is better, to his prediction and then let some mathematician step forward and estimate what the crop will be after the warm, drenching rain that visited this district yesterday.

It has just been discovered that jack rabbits are a safe and sure exterminator of wild cats. A par-

ticular friend of Tommy McCormack's brought in several of the long eared pests for wild cat food last week and as a result the only zoological garden in Crook county is in need of new material. Out of a total of three beautiful, glossy skinned tabbies in the zoo, the rabbits were fatal to two.

Last week we said, if you love your wife take her to the minstrel show at Sanford's hall, November 17. This was all right but a little one-sided. It should have read, whether you love your wife or not take her to the show.

#### SCHOOL APPORTIONMENT FOR CROOK COUNTY

Only Three Towns in County Exceed Madras in Amount Received From State for School Purposes

The October apportionment of the common school fund for Crook county has just been made and shows that only three other towns in the county have been apportioned larger amounts than Madras. Following is a partial list of districts in the county which received apportionments and also gives name of clerk in the district:

District	Clerk	Amount
Haystack, Geo. H. Osborn		\$123 63
Grizzly, J. W. Lewis		158 22
Mountain View, H. W. Gard		169 75
New Culver, Wm. Boegli		114 02
Mud Springs, W. J. Stebbins		144 24
Fair View, Jesse Eades		108 26
Ashwood, Jas. Wood		363 82
Madras, S. E. Gray		76 82
Cross Keys, John G. Bolter		89 04
Hay Creek, G. W. Garlock		58 30
Trail Crossing, Dwight Roberts		121 71
Lamonta, Theo. N. Smith		58 39
Vanora, Geo. Irwin		83 30
Bonny Brook, Dan Crowley		91 00
Blizzard Ridge, Bertha Grater		92 89
Opal Springs, Earl Noble		112 10
Vibbert, C. F. Klann		156 30
Opal City, Mrs. Ida. VanTassel		114 02
Round Butte, J. S. Moehring		100 57
Lyle Gap, W. H. Farrell		114 02
Willow Creek, J. W. McElroy		58 30
Madras, A. R. Faussett		58 30
Metolius, J. W. Ramsey		58 30

The other towns in the county whose apportionment was larger than Madras are, Pineville, Bend and Redmond.

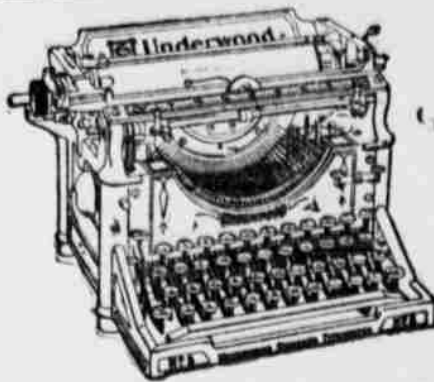
#### O. A. C. WILL MAKE FARMERS OF CHILDREN

Propose to Interest School Children in the Cities in Horticulture and Poultry

The new division of extension just organized by the regents of the Oregon Agricultural College will not confine its efforts entirely to the rural districts. In the larger cities of the state a campaign will be started to interest the school children in growing vegetables and flowers, raising fruit and keeping chickens. It is planned to convert many vacant lots into gardens under the care of the children, who will have the advice of the college experts in their work.

Oliver Phillips, a son of A. S. Phillips, formerly of this section, returned to Madras Saturday and is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. E. Beddingfield. He expects to spend the winter here and attend the Madras public school.

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