

SAYS MOVEMENT FROM FARM TO CITY GOOD SIGN

A. H. Rawl, of Agricultural Department, Believes It Shows Advancement of the Human Race; Valley Impresses Him

That the movement to the cities from the farms is not one to depreciate, but a condition that speaks well for the advancement of the human race, was the statement of A. H. Rawl, chief of the dairy division of the department of agriculture, who was the guest of honor at a dinner given him last night by the Commercial club.

"The complaint of people leaving the farm is all poppycock," said he. "The country goes to the city because of better surroundings. The only way to keep people on the farms is to give country life surroundings that make it equal to that of the city in point of attractiveness."

"It takes dollars to do this, and we must have some system that will make dollars for the farmer before you will accomplish much in keeping the people on the farm, for they will be drawn to the city by the more attractive surroundings."

Valley Soil Rich.

"Now dairying is not the whole thing in agriculture. I would have sheep and orchards and all the other things in the Willamette valley. And I would have more dairy cattle and better ones. The valley is one of the best dairy districts on earth. It needs more drainage, more cows and more dairy farmers, but you have got many good ones now. The soil of this valley will last forever by a well balanced system of agriculture."

"Dairying means a great deal here for it gives quick cash returns, provided you put the proper investment into it. There are 22,000,000 dairy cattle in the United States and they are producing about half what could be produced by the use of ordinary business methods. You need not think Oregon stands all alone be-

cause you have some poor cows here. They have the same conditions elsewhere. The best way to improve conditions is to give the farmer examples and object lessons of proper methods and betterments will soon be under way.

World Like \$50,000.

"Our bureau is a small one, always lacking funds; but I wish we might have \$50,000 to spend on this coast in dairy work. We haven't got it, but we hope to have it within the next two years. If we can come here and join with your local institutions in improving dairy conditions and helping your farmers, I for one will be very well satisfied."

Dr. J. R. Wetherbee of the Commercial club presided at last night's dinner, and in introducing the speaker told of the growth of Oregon's dairy industry in five years from \$5,000,000 to \$17,000,000. Oregon, and particularly western Oregon, is cow heaven, as well as the promised land for the diversified farmer.

E. B. Miller, head of the traffic department of the Harriman system in the northwest, spoke of the work of cooperation the railroad interests perform, and promised a continuance of this assistance.

More Farmers Needed.

E. L. Thompson, who is himself a practical dairyman, having a model dairy near the city, said the need was for more modern, up to date farmers who would embrace modern methods. He said the recent immigration from the east is proving more ready to take up the improved dairy methods than the old farmers of this state. He also urged government cooperation in the work.

E. L. Sabin told of the work being done in the middle west by such dairy experts as Hoard, Babcock and King. Dr. E. A. Pierce spoke of Willamette valley soil, and Dr. Calvin S. White gave a few remarks on tubercular conditions in dairy herds.

Those present were: A. H. Rawl, chief of dairy division, United States department of agriculture; S. W. McClure, chief northwest division, department of agriculture; Dr. E. H. Hutchinson, bureau of animal industry, United States department of agriculture; D. O. Lively, William McMurray, Phil S. Bates, C. D. Minton, H. C. Maria, T. S. Townsend, C. C. Chapman, W. H. Dunckley, H. Beckwith, W. L. Crissey, W. P. Halderston, R. B. Miller, A. C. Black, R. L. Sabin, F. W. Robinson, H. E. Lounsbury, F. H. Fogarty, W. E. Coman, Paul V. Maris, Dr. J. R. Wetherbee, A. H. Lee, E. L. Thompson, L. A. Coddington, C. H. Williams and J. J. Sayre.

Yesterday Mr. Rawl saw sections of the Willamette valley and he was immensely pleased with its possibilities.

"The Willamette valley is a wonderful country," said he, "and opens opportunities for thousands of people. Its

SEAL SALE IS NOT AS BIG AS HOPED

Workers in Tuberculosis Campaign Despair of Raising Fund of \$10,000.

Portland, Dec. 19.—To the Editor of The Journal—The wording of the tax amendment published in The Journal of this evening on page 6, top of third column, is incorrect. The amendment passed by the people is to be found on page 72 of the state pamphlet. The one you publish as having passed is found on page 34, and was defeated.

The correction should be made, as the two amendments are quite different. The one passed was 236 on the ballot, while the one published by you as having passed was No. 312.

Incidentally it might be well to suggest that several unjustly taxed La Grande on this continent levy taxes on land values and exempt improvements without impairing their credit in the least, and that this looks like discrimination against Oregon.

A. D. CRIDGE.

According to the present outlook, the Visiting Nurse association, together with the women who are engaged in aiding the Portland campaign for the sale of Red Cross seals, will not succeed either in selling 1,000,000 seals or in raising the \$10,000 which it is declared will be necessary in carrying on the work of the association during the coming year. This situation, it is said,

is not due to lack of enterprise or organization on the part of the campaigners but rather to a failure on the part of Portland people to cooperate and aid. As the money which is raised is spent principally in Portland for the benefit of consumptives who have no money with which to obtain treatment, this lack of cooperation is deplored by the workers.

A donation was received yesterday of \$50 from Mrs. F. Opitz, which constituted a material encouragement to the campaign. The help of Miss Alice Lloyd, the English comedienne, is also much appreciated. Miss Lloyd will sell seals at the Hotel Portland tomorrow from 12 until 1 o'clock, and at the Olds, Wortman & King store from 4:30 until 5:30 p. m. Miss Grace Cameron will sell today at Trail & Gibbs' store from 3:30 until 4:30 p. m., and during the same hour Friday at the Sweetland Candy store. The women who will occupy the Red Cross seal booths tomorrow are as follows:

Meier & Frank—Mrs. Marion Delph, Mrs. Donald Monroe, Mrs. H. Palline, Olds, Wortman & King—Miss Judith Scott, Miss Muriel Williams, Tull & Gibbs—Miss Janet Noble, Miss Rae Zimmerman, Mrs. J. W. Swope, Mrs. J. Winters.

The Owl—Miss Mildred Meyer and assistants.

Woodard, Clarke & Co.—Miss Ethel Chamberlain.

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Buy Merchandise Bonds at Special Booth Main Floor—Christmas Candles in Basement—French Pastries Fourth Floor

The Greater Olds, Wortman & King Store Tomorrow's Christmas Bargain Bulletin

Only Three More Shopping Days Before Christmas—Greater Reductions on Holiday Goods Than Ever

Buy Red Cross Stamps From Alice Lloyd Main Floor Tomorrow

Miss Alice Lloyd, the popular English comedienne who has taken an active part in the great campaign against tuberculosis, will preside over our Red Cross Stamp booth tomorrow from 4:30 until 5:30 p. m. Miss Judith Scott and Miss Muriel Williams will have charge rest of day.

Comparison Sale of Men's Shirts \$1.50 and \$2.00 Values at 95c Each

Five hundred dozen Men's Coat-Style Shirts, with cuffs attached—Beautiful assortment of dark and light patterns—We invite comparison of these shirts with "job" shirts offered elsewhere at 90c—It will be easy to distinguish that other shirts were made to sell regularly at 89c and are called **\$1.50 and \$2.00 values, while ours are regular stock values at \$1.50 and \$2.00—Special at 95c**

Women's and Men's \$4 Umbrellas \$2.95

Today's shoppers will realize a substantial saving on these Umbrellas. Sizes 26 and 28-inch tops, of good quality silk and linen, mounted on paragon frames with eight ribs, absolutely rustproof, good waterproof tops. A splendid selection of handles, all new and attractive. Regular \$4.00 values, priced at only, each **\$2.95**

\$35.00 Fur Scarfs \$17.50
\$22.50 Fur Muffs \$11.25
Other Furs Reduced Fourth

In the Fur section, second floor, we offer a splendid line of large shoulder pieces, with front tabs, lined with chiffon satin taffeta, trimmed with plaited ribbons and tassels—Also plain shawl collars with two silk tassals—\$35.00 values at **\$17.50**

Large \$32.50 pillow muffs to match for only **\$16.25**
Large \$22.50 pillow muffs to match for only **\$11.25**

Our entire stock of women's and children's furs in coats, sets, neckpieces, muffs, etc.—Children's furs **\$1.49 to \$32.50; women's from \$8.50 to \$350.** Every kind and quality, reduced a **Fourth**

Men's Neckwear Regular \$1 and \$1.50 Values for 37c

Continuation of our great sale of men's Four-in-Hands. There's Ties enough in this lot for all Portland. It was the greatest neckwear buy we ever made. The entire stock on hand with one of New York's leading manufacturers, picked up by our New York office force at 30 cents on the dollar. We pass them on to you at the same proportionate reduction. Don't look elsewhere. You will see more ties here than you ever saw before. All the very latest styles in French fold and reversible four-in-hands. Roman stripes, Dresdens, Persians, etc. Plain colors in Baratheas stripes, Peau de Soie, Peau de Cygne, satins, French cords Faille silks, etc.; \$1 and \$1.50 values, special at only **37c**

\$5 Radiopticon at \$3.95
\$8 Radiopticon at \$6.38
\$10 Radiopticon \$7.95
\$12 Radiopticon \$9.48

The Radiopticon is the best Post Card Projector on the market. It shows all the cards clear. Equal to any picture show. Only a few left, so better step lively. Come in and see the demonstration of the Radiopticon.

\$25.00 Overcoats \$15.85
Men's \$25 Suits at \$15.85

Stop! Think! Study the case! Is there a time in all the year when you need new clothing more than during the holidays? Then remember our Clothing Store is in its first Winter season and every suit we show is new and the very latest style—In this sale we include the swellest lot of Scotch and English mixtures—\$25 values for only **\$15.85**

Men's Overcoats and Cravenette Raincoats—Those very popular styles, such as are being worn by the fashionable young fellows and particular business men—All the latest styles—A full line of sizes—Our regular \$25.00 values at **\$15.85**

Sale of Dressed Dolls \$2.50 Values at \$1.78
\$1.50 Values for 98c

In Joy Land, fourth floor, a sale of Dolls, dressed in dainty or chiffon. Beautiful flowered patterns, dolls with sleeping eyes and lashes. Our regular \$2.50 values, special for this extraordinary sale tomorrow, to close **\$1.78**

Another lot dressed in jacket suits or lace trim'd gowns, sleeping eyes and curly hair. **\$1.42**
Regular \$2.00 values, special at only **98c**

Dolls dressed in very pretty suits with plume trimmed hats. Regular \$1.50 values **98c**

Desk Blackboards \$2.00 Values at \$1.48

Child's Desk Blackboard with roll of copy papers at top. Easel blackboard or opens out into a desk. Our regular \$2.00 values, on special sale for tomorrow at only **\$1.48**

Sale Rocking Horses \$2.75 Values at \$1.75
Swinging Horses \$4.50 Values at \$3.25

Tomorrow in the Toy Store, fourth floor, very attractive Rocking Horses with padded saddles, long rockers; stands 23 inches high. Regular \$1.75 value, special, each, at **\$1.23**

Another lot, larger size, 26 inches high. Regular \$2.75 values, each, at **\$1.75**

SWINGING HORSE, 29 inches high. \$3.25
Regular \$4.50 values, special price at **\$3.25**

Boys' Automobiles \$7.00 Values at \$4.15

An extraordinary value, very well made 1/2-inch tires, steers with a wheel and has an adjustable seat for big or little boy. A regular \$7.00 value; special, to close, at each **\$4.15**

"Sweetheart" Dolls Reduced

Our celebrated lines of "Sweetheart Dolls" that were made expressly for us in Germany. They are full ball-and-socket jointed, have sewed wigs and natural hair. Some have sleeping eyes, some flirting eyes. All sizes are placed on sale at the following reductions:

Size 18-inch, regular \$1.75 values, special at **\$1.33**
Size 20-inch, regular \$2.25 values, special at **\$1.69**
Size 21-inch, regular \$2.50 values, special at **\$1.88**
Size 23-inch, regular \$2.75 values, special at **\$2.05**
Size 24-inch, regular \$3.25 values, special at **\$2.44**
Size 25-inch, regular \$4.00 values, special at **\$2.89**
Size 26-inch, regular \$4.50 values, special at **\$3.33**
Size 27-inch, regular \$5.50 values, special at **\$4.14**
Size 29-inch, regular \$6.50 values, special at **\$4.48**
Size 32-inch, regular \$7.50 values, special at **\$5.48**
Size 33-inch, regular \$9.00 values, special at **\$7.28**

Christmas Groceries Low Priced

HAMS—Choice eastern, the pound, only **17c**
BACON—Extra Fancy Breakfast, pound **27c**
CRANBERRY SAUCE—Anderson's, tins, **11c**
NUTS—Fancy mixed, the pound, at only **20c**
PLUM PUDDING—Atmore's 10c, 29c, 57c, **83c**
MINCE MEAT—Fancy family large jar **70c**
POB CORN—Ready to pop, 4 pounds, only **25c**
MINCE MEAT—Atmore's condensed or Non-Such, put up in packages, now at each, only **10c**
PRUNES—Fancy, in boxes, the box, only **9c**
New Sage, Stilton and Gorgonzola Cheese, Stuffed Dates, Figs, Marshmallows—low prices.

Bohemian Butter In 2-lb. Squares 79c
Christmas Raisins

Buy your Raisins and Currants, etc., for your Christmas dinner at very special prices. Cluster Raisins put up in 2-pound cartons, Reg- **21c**
our 50c the carton, now at special price **10c**

RAISINS—Extra Fancy Seeded, package **10c**
RAISINS—Choice Seeded, 3 packages for **25c**
CURRENTS—Re-cleaned, special, 2 pkgs. for **25c**

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