

KLICKITAT COUNTY IS FINE COMBINATION OF MOUNTAIN AND PLAIN

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SOIL PRODUCTS VARIED

Wool, Wheat, Fruit and Lumber Among Leading Commodities Raised in Various Sections.

By Fred Lockley. Sundale, Wash., March 6.—Geographically Klickitat county belongs to Washington, commercially it belongs to Oregon.

Covers Wide Field. Within its borders it includes the magnificent scenery of the Columbia river, the rolling wheat covered hills of the Horse Heaven country, miles of thrifty and prosperous orchards in the White Salmon, Lytle and Sundale districts, sage brush covered sheep range in its eastern extremity and heavily timbered mountains to the north and northwest of Goldendale, where the Simcoe mountains reach an altitude of over 5000 feet above the sea.

Records compiled a few months ago show that the state still owns 64,122 acres, and that there are 44,284 acres of unappropriated grazing, timber or agricultural government land open to homestead entry.

Some Part Mountainous. About 30 per cent of Klickitat county is mountainous, 20 per cent level, and approximately 50 per cent is made up of gently rolling hills.

Personal Mention. Tom R. Wilson of Salem, recently appointed deputy in the office of Milton A. Miller, collector of internal revenue, reached Portland yesterday to take up his new duties, and is a guest of the Cornellius.

Says Chicago is Prosperous. That business is better in Chicago than at any other point between Atlantic and Pacific is the opinion of Mr. J. Whittall, big carpet and rug manufacturer of Worcester, Mass., who, with Mrs. Whittall, left Portland this afternoon for San Francisco.

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Club Activities BY VELLA WINNER



Mrs. Ione Townsend Wells, who will be soloist at the entertainment to be given Wednesday evening at the home of Mayor and Mrs. Albee by Chapter A of P. E. O.

Belgium and King Albert Discussed. A rare treat was afforded the members of the department of literature of the Portland Woman's club yesterday when Samuel Hill spoke of the personal side of King Albert and Queen Elizabeth. Mr. Hill took a trip around the world with King Albert when he was the crown prince, and he recalled, in his usual delightful way, some of the interesting and striking experiences of that famous trip.

North Irvington Circle Meets. The North Irvington circle of the Portland Psychology club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. W. Johnson, 921 East Eleventh street north.

To Have All-Day Meeting. The Woodlawn Parent-Teacher association will hold an all-day meeting Wednesday. The morning will be given over to hearing reports from the city's beautiful committee and in making further plans for this work.

Demonstrates Fruit Canning. A demonstration of fruit canning was the outstanding feature of the meeting of the Richmond Boys' Industrial club and the Parent-Teacher association of that school.

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story promises to be very good up to the time the wife secures the divorce, but from there on the action is not consistent with what has gone before, and no further is given for the wife's actions. For comedy there is a George Ade story, "The Fable of the Cold Gray Dawn of the Morning After." It is a good temperance lecture, with comedies, and the Hearst-Selig Weekly completes the bill.

FRATERNAL NOTES

McMinnville Knights of Columbus Plan to Give First Degree.

Special Car Planned. McMinnville Knights of Columbus will hold a session Sunday, March 21, at which time the first degree will be conferred on a large class of candidates.

Reports Good Success. Miss Jennie Green, general organizer of the Women of Woodcraft for Oregon, is now at Oakland.

Social Meeting. A social meeting of the new lodge of the Knights and Ladies of Lincoln will be held this evening in R. of P. hall, Eleventh and Alder streets.

Sojourning on Farm. Mrs. Ada C. Ross, who has been secretary to Mrs. C. V. Van Orsdahl, grand guardian of the Women of Woodcraft, is sojourning on a farm near Richfield, Wash.

New Lodge Formed. Adelphi lodge, Knights and Ladies of Lincoln, has formed with the following officers: Cliff E. Meloy, president; Martin C. Larsen, vice chancellor; Edward M. Lance, secretary; Dr. Walter J. Larsen, prelate; Arthur M. Galt, master-at-arms; Dr. C. C. Vinton, guard.

Editor is Honored. B. F. Crawshaw, editor of the Pacific Odd Fellow, was presented with a handsome jewel badge last Tuesday evening at the meeting of Alberta lodge, in honor of his having completed his 45th year as an Odd Fellow.

Officers Are Elected. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Caledonian Scotch Social club elected the following officers: Mrs. V. Long, president; Mrs. Keason, vice president; Mrs. Adams, treasurer; Miss M. Doig, secretary; Miss Graham, conductress.

Mount Hood Circle. Mount Hood Circle, Women of Woodcraft, was hostess last Thursday evening at its home on East Sixth and Alder streets while representatives of Harvick, Montavilla, Royal, Sacajawea, Multnomah and Oregon Circles were guests.

General Organizer Coming. Miss Martha H. Sawyer, general organizer of the Women of Woodcraft, herebefore working in Wyoming, is expected in Portland next week to report at the headquarters of the Grand Council at which she will take up the active field work of the order for the state of Washington.

Times Will Lecture. Harmony Lodge No. 12, A. F. and A. M., at the Masonic Temple next Monday evening, will entertain Mrs. Himes, assistant secretary of the Oregon Historical society, who will deliver an illustrated lecture "On Historical Points in the Development of Oregon." He will tell of the organization of the first Masonic lodge in this state, but his lecture will not be confined to Masonic events.

The Arcadia Club. The Arcadia club will entertain the members of Columbia Lodge No. 114 of Oregon at its party, this week. This organization has quarters at the Commercial club building well fitted to receive the membership of any lodge in the city.

Webfoot Camp, W. O. W., last evening had a large attendance and a social session of interesting numbers was given. Dr. J. R. Gilbert made a talk on morals and sanitation.

De Champlain Succeeds Titled. Astoria, Or., March 6.—Paul De Champlain, formerly in charge of the Marconi wireless station at Astoria, has succeeded J. G. Titled as local agent for the Port of Portland. Mr. Titled resigned more lucrative position in Ogden, Utah, and leaves for that city today.

BETTER THAN SPANKING. Spanking does not cure children of bedwetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions, for the child who wets her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures the mother who has trouble with urine difficulties by day or night.

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FRIST OPEN MEETING OF LABOR COUNCIL IN PORTLAND IS HELD

Speaker Urges Necessity of Employing Only Skilled Labor on Interstate Bridge.

STEEL TRUST IS SCORED

President McClory Said Trust Started Out in 1900 to Break Up All Labor Organizations.

In accord with its new policy, the Portland Labor Council last night held the first open meeting in its history. The necessity of employing only representatives and the general public had been excluded.

A prediction that before the interstate bridge is finished there will be a surplus of \$225,000 or more was made by Ben Osborne of Portland, one of the vice-presidents and a member of the executive board of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

Mr. Osborne said that the contractors who built the Broadway bridge received only unskilled labor from among the citizens of Portland, that many of these workers were sent to the hospital as a result of injuries could not do the work as efficiently as well-paid, self-respecting union workmen.

He expressed the hope that the interstate bridge contractors will realize the necessity of employing only skilled men, in order to secure the lowest cost, as unskilled men brought in from the outside, he contended, could not do the work as efficiently as well-paid, self-respecting union workmen.

J. E. McClory of Cleveland, president of the International Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, spoke at the invitation. He declared that the union that he and Mr. Osborne represent is stronger and more united than ever, "the steel trust started out in 1900 to destroy all labor organizations among its thousands of employes, and had succeeded in breaking up one after another. He named the Amalgamated Steel Workers, the Lake Steamer and the United Miners as having dwindled to a handful of members as a result of the trust's activities."

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On request of the Industrial Workers, the legislative committee was requested to formulate an amendment to the charter abolishing the contract system for all public work.

A special committee to ask the Portland Railway, Light & Power company to recognize the right of its men to organize reported that it had been promised an audience with company officials next Thursday.

The committee on employment reported that the rooming-house managed by the committee was receiving guests regularly, and that money for the expenditures there was being received. The painters and the barbers each sent in \$50 during the week.

The committee was instructed to prepare a statement as to receipts and expenditures. Secretary E. J. Stack said that secretaries of unions sending money to the committee should use the term "entitled to" instead of "needing" the consideration of the committee.

Former U. S. Senator Bard Dies Suddenly. Hueneme, Cal., March 6.—The victim of heart disease, ex-United States Senator Thomas Robert Bard, aged 74, died yesterday at his home here. He was in the best of health, lay down for a little rest before going to a business conference. When his attendant tried to arouse him at 8 o'clock he found him dead.

lighted by electricity. The current is made at the shingle mill of the Hamilton-McClelland company on Lake river. The system starts out very satisfactorily, and it is probable that a number of lights will soon be increased.

Ridgefield Is Now Electric Lighted

Current Generated at Mill of Hamilton-McClelland Company Distributed in Corporate Limits of City.

Ridgefield, Wash., March 6.—Thursday night, for the first time in the history of the city, Ridgefield was

Claim Agent is Happy. B. F. Boynton, claim agent of the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, smiled a happy smile yesterday. On Thursday Mrs. Boynton presented him with a lusty son. Mrs. Boynton and the boy are reported as doing nicely.

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Pioneer Californian Dies While Asleep in His Home at Hueneme; Had Been in Good Health, Apparently.

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