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INSTITUTE CLOSES.
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large vineyards, spoke on "Packing Fruit from a California Standpoint." Although loyal to his own state, he said that the must confess Oregon can compare with any state in the Union as a fruit state, and was the superior of California in producing apples, strawberries and prunes; but hesitated to make her equal in peaches and grapes.

In packing fruit, the orchardist should first consider whether the price in the East will justify him in the expense incurred in shipping. Otherwise it were better to dry your fruit. Second, he should bear in mind to choose the largest and best for shipment, flavor being a secondary matter. No fruit measuring less than two and a half inches should be shipped, and all should be gathered just before it ripens. After wrapping carefully in tissue paper, pack in twenty-five pound boxes and ship in refrigerator cars. He has found the Earl Fruit Co. to be very reliable. Many have tried to avoid commission men, but he finds he cannot get along without them.

Prof. Leckenby then brought up the question as to flavor, saying that he did not agree with the speaker, but thought much attention should be given the matter of flavor, and asked if that was not the reason for the complaint against flavorless California fruit. Prof. Phillips said the reason for this is that the fruit was picked green and allowed to ripen on the way, and then asked how he thought it could be remedied. A great deal of amusement was caused by Prof. Leckenby's answer, when he said the only way out of the difficulty was to raise the fruit in Oregon or Washington. The last speaker was Prof. Leckenby, who was to speak on "Grasses on the Arid Regions." On account of the lateness of the hour he made but a few remarks. The professor does not favor summer following, recommending rather that nitrogenous plants be substituted, as summer fallow lessens the nitrogen. He would not favor planting grass, but peas, beans, clover, etc., unless the land be arid, when bermuda grass is preferable. He has a firm belief that by study and experiments grasses may be found which can be planted on our barren hills and will flourish and feed our numerous herds.

In closing, Dr. Sanders said he believed if the institute had been more widely advertised, a large attendance would have been secured. He also promised if the gentlemen would visit us again he would insure them a large institute.

\$200.00 Given Away.
Separate Be-a-u-t-i-f-u-l F-l-o-w-e-r-s and use the letters to form as many words as you can, using the letters backwards or forwards, but don't use any letter in the same word more times than it appears in "Beautiful Flowers." It is said forty small English words can be spelled correctly from these letters. For example—tea, feet, at, etc. The Hamil Seed Company will pay Two Hundred Dollars in cash to the person sending them forty words formed as above. If you are good at word-making and can form forty words write your name and address plainly on your list and inclose the same with fifteen two-cent stamps for ten packets of Beautiful Seeds of ten popular and different varieties.

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dred Dollars is to attract attention to and introduce our seeds in the U. S. This offer will be carefully and conscientiously carried out and it should not be classed with catch-penny affairs. We will spend a large amount of money to start our trade and want your trial order; you will receive the greatest value in seeds ever offered. If two or more persons succeed in forming forty words the \$200 will be divided pro-rata. Many extra special prizes of value will be awarded to persons sending twenty-five words or more who will assist in introducing our seeds and specialties.

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Mr. Howard S. Soule, of Soule Bros., tuners and repairers office and repair shop, 128 First street, Portland, Ore., who will make regular trips to this city, will be at The Dalles for several days. All work guaranteed in the way of tuning, tone and action regulating, repairing and case refinishing. Please leave orders at Umatilla house. Feb 24 1w

Information Wanted
Regarding a sorrel mare, reported to be on government flat. Said mare is branded L. O. on left shoulder; has star in forehead; is six years old. Party who will deliver same to me at Enderby postoffice will be suitably rewarded.
Address, AUGUST LONGREN, Feb. 15, 1m-1 Enderby, Or.

For first bites, burns, indolent sores, eczema, skin disease, and especially Piles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stands first and best. Look out for dishonest people who try to imitate and counterfeit it. It's their endorsement of a good article. Worthless goods are not imitated. Get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Snipes-Kinersly Drug Co.

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Doctors Can't Cure It!
Contagious blood poison is absolutely beyond the skill of the doctors. They may dose a patient for years on their mercurial and potash remedies, but he will never be rid of the disease; on the other hand, when bermuda grass is preferable. He has a firm belief that by study and experiments grasses may be found which can be planted on our barren hills and will flourish and feed our numerous herds.

S.S.S. For Blood
I was afflicted with Blood Poison, and the best doctors did me no good, though I took their treatment faithfully. In fact, I seemed to get worse all the while. I took almost every so-called blood remedy, but they did not seem to reach the disease, and had no effect whatever. I was disheartened, for it seemed that I would never be cured. At the advice of a friend I then took S. S. S., and began to improve. I continued the medicine, and it cured me completely, building up my health and increasing my appetite. Although this was ten years ago, I have never yet had a sign of the disease to return.
W. R. NEWMAN, Staunton, Va.
It is like self-destruction to continue to take potash and mercury; besides totally destroying the digestion, they dry up the marrow in the bones, producing a stiffness and swelling of the joints, causing the hair to fall out, and completely wrecking the system.

Assessments on Taxable Property.

State of Oregon, County of Wasco, ss
I, A. M. Kelsay, County Clerk of the County of Wasco, State of Oregon, do hereby certify that the following is a statement of the several amounts apportioned to be assessed upon the taxable property of Wasco County, Oregon, for the year 1895, for the various purposes for which a tax can be legally levied, for said year, to-wit: Total taxable property for the year '95, \$3,072,229

For state purposes, 5-7-10 mills	\$17,512.10
For county purposes, 13 2-10 mills	40,554.85
For school purposes, 5 mills	15,361.50
For G. A. R., 1-10 mill	327.75
For poll	669.00
TOTAL	\$74,355.20
SPECIAL TAXES.	
Dalles City, 6 1/2 mills	\$ 7,215.83
Dufur, 2 1/2 mills	109.05
School District No. 2-5 mills	308.36
" " " " 3-14 mills	1,607.37
" " " " 4-15 mills	373.58
" " " " 2-2 mills	54.08
" " " " 6-15 mills	229.80
" " " " 7-9 mills	275.24
" " " " 11-3 mills	49.69
" " " " 12-7 1/2 mills	8,862.77
" " " " 13-8 mills	257.44
" " " " 14-2 1/2 mills	209.67
" " " " 15-2 mills	115.28
" " " " 16-2 mills	78.58
" " " " 20-5 mills	139.65
" " " " 21-5 mills	173.33
" " " " 22-7 mills	631.33
" " " " 23-4 mills	51.80
" " " " 24-15 mills	59.25
" " " " 25-4 1/2 mills	1,521.63
" " " " 26-2 mills	78.05
" " " " 27-7 mills	124.18
" " " " 28-4 1/2 mills	129.80
Total amount of taxes to be collected.	97,481.01

I further certify that the foregoing is a full and correct transcript of the original assessment for Wasco County, State of Oregon, for the year 1895, as returned by the assessor of said county, for said year, and now in my office and custody, IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the County Court of said county, at Dalles City, this 1st day of March, A. D., 1895.

A. M. KELSAY,
County Clerk.

To the Public.
We are authorized to guarantee every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and if not satisfactory to refund the money to the purchaser. There is no better medicine made for La Grippe, colds or whooping cough. Price 25 and 50 cents per bottle. Try it. Blakeley & Houghton, druggists.

Cash in Your Checks.
All county warrants registered prior to May 1st, 1895, will be paid at my office. Interest ceases after Feb. 27, 1895.
C. L. PHILLIPS,
County Treasurer.

STALLION FOR SALE.
One Clydesdale stallion for sale. Can be seen at Ward's ranch, near Dufur. For terms apply to Ward Bros., Dufur Or. 123-1m-w.

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