

Milwaukee is almost free from major crime, yet is only 85 miles from Chicago.

Fire loss in this country in 1926 totaled \$293,000,000. Fire precaution pays.

**GRANGE IMPORTANT BENEFIT TO FARMERS**  
(Perry Wait, Staff Writer)

The Grange, as an institution, is one of the most important in a community. With about 370 subordinates and more than 21,000 members throughout the state of Oregon, that reach into nearly every one of its communities, the Grange takes its place by the side of the church and the school for community betterment.

Cooperation is one of the basic principles of the Grange, and while tolerant to all groups, and having the highest regard for the church and schools, it stands ready to cooperate with one and all.

In many rural sections of the state the Grange hall is the community center for all of the gatherings for that particular neighborhood, and many associations are formed through their intercourse that have lasting benefits. Under good leadership it brings together those interested in better agriculture, better working and living conditions, better homes and better home life.

Organization is essential in this age of concentration and specialization, and any group having a common interest in any of life's necessities must band together to achieve their full share of the harvest.

Through the efforts of the Grange legislative committees, much legislation detrimental to agriculture has been modified or eliminated.

In Jackson county the agricultural and marketing committees have been instrumental in removing a large part of the surplus livestock from the local market and shipping it to Portland and other points, thereby creating a more active local demand, with better prices for all the farmers.

The local cooperative at Central Point organized about three years ago, is fast becoming one of the successful business enterprises in the county and is rendering worth while service to its patrons.

Recently there has been organized in Portland a state Grange wholesale department to serve the various county cooperative units all of the full time state officers having their offices in this large building in which the wholesale department is located. This move should lead to better cooperation and greater efficiency.

Any organization that has survived the tests of 70 years like the Grange has and have greater strength and influence than ever, must have served its purpose well and proven itself worthy of our consideration.

Past State Master George Palmer who has served on the state executive committee for a number of years has resigned. A successor will be appointed to serve for the balance of the calendar year.

**TWO MINUTE SERMON**  
(By Thomas Hastwell)

**KNOWING GOD AS A FATHER:**  
In the days when Moses set up the Tabernacle in the Wilderness and gave to the children of Israel the religion of Jehovah, the ceremonies and the ritual all revealed God as a far away deity, unapproachable, except through sacrifice and pompous ritual and obeisance, a God who must constantly be appeased and bribed if one were to avoid the consequences of his wrath. When Christ came to the earth he brought with him a new idea of the relationship between God and man. Instead of the old Jewish Jehovah he preached the sonship of God and man. Instead of a wrathful, avenging God, alert to destroy man. He told of a God to whom man might go as he would go to an earthly father, and take into his confidence, and to whom he might pour out his secret soul. I've often thought as I have talked with men, that many of them today have as their concept of God, the old Jehovah God, the far away, aloof, wrathful deity of old. They have never come into relationship with their God that Christ would have them come. They have never learned to look upon God as a father, wise, just, merciful. They have missed the most heartening, consoling and helpful part of their whole religion.

**INTERESTING NEWS FROM HERE AND THERE**

Steam shovels are used in strip coal mining that will move fifty tons of soil at one dip of the shovel. Fifty tons would tax the capacity of the largest railroad cars.

The radio networks charge the sponsor who broadcasts the World's Series ball games \$400,000 for the use of the national hook-up during the World's Series broadcast. This last year.

The Federal Trade Commission is conducting an investigation of soap and cosmetics said to have important curative properties.

Check your home for possible fire hazards and remove them.

A pair of dice, it is said, will stop most often on the higher numbers. This is said to be due to the fact that the sides containing the higher numbers are the lightest due to the fact that more of the material of which the dice are made is scooped out on this side.

Nearly 1,500,000 copies of Margaret Mitchell's book "Gone With the Wind" have been printed and sold.

General Motors reports that car sales during August totaled 188,010 or 1,357 more than the record August of 1928.

Parrots have been known to have a vocabulary of over 200 words.

The Indians of the United States and Canada use no less than 200 distinct languages.

Bulls cannot distinguish one color from another.

Wheat is one of the deadliest cargoes a ship can carry.

There are about 1125 species of trees in the United States.

More bears are killed in Maine than any other state in the Union.

Both cats and dogs are eaten in China.

81 per cent of the fire victims in 1925 were burned to death in their own homes. Fire prevention pays.

A good driver always keeps his eyes on the road, his hands on the steering wheel and his mind on the business of driving safely.

**SARDINE CREEK ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Powell who are living near Grants Pass spent Sunday with Mrs. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bradley of Rogue River were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Wait on Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fiene and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Dike of Medford Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor left Friday to spend the winter in Arizona. They expect to make a number of stops in California with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilde of Phoenix spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Rob Dusenberry. The Dusenberrys have just moved back to Sardine Creek after spending three years near Grants Pass.

E. C. Fiene and Perry Wait attended the monthly business meeting of the Grange Cooperative Supply Co., at Central Point, October 6.

During the last half century there has been a great move in the direction of education in agriculture and dairying.

But in the main it has been one-sided, as it has taught the farmer and dairyman how to produce well, but it has taught him little or nothing about selling well what he has produced well.

Now if the farm and the goat-dairy is to be merely a means whereby people can make a living, and where they are to be shut out from most of the activities which are worth while, it fails to supply the highest wants of man.

But if farming and dairy goat raising can be made a profitable business, as well as the most healthful business known to man, and if at the same time life in the open country can be made worth living in the largest sense of the word, let the day be hastened when people of Southern Oregon may have their eyes opened to the opportunities now awaiting them.

Civilization implies some measure of luxury and comfort. These can only be attained when the com-

munity is organized and has strength to retain some surplus of wealth beyond what is required for the bare necessities of life.

The business mind of the country must be organized to cope with the business mind of organized industry.

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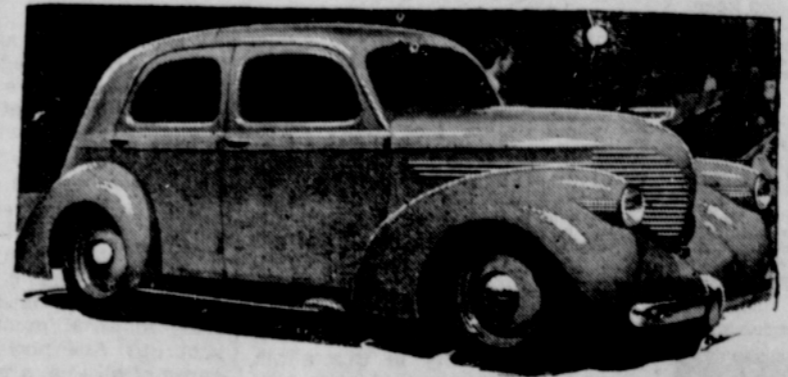
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