

Wanted--A Man With a Vision

It takes the man who is daily about the streets; the man who daily talks with scores of business men, men of less consequence, men of more consequence, if there be such, to sense an undercurrent. There is an undercurrent in the city today that has not been evident for many, many months.

It speaks: "What do you know; what have you heard?" It is an undercurrent which has confidence that there is something doing, but does not know just what it is. It is a rather daring undercurrent—one which will take a chance, but not desparate.

Ask any business man in Bend today about business. He will tell you that business is good, although prices are high and goods, no matter what they are, are hard to get at any price. He will tell you that people complain very little when they know the reason why commodities are high priced. Ask any business man what he thinks of the future and you will not be greeted by a pessimistic reply. Bend business men are optimistic. Their optimism is healthy. This is indicated, in part, by the improvement many of them are making, especially to take care of their business increases. Ask any business man in this city whether there is a falling off in business and he will tell you that there is not, but rather there is a healthy growth. He will tell you that he is planning on bigger, better business.

Do You See?

Are you one of the persons who takes an occasional trip downtown, but does not take the time to look around? Are you one of the persons who reads the newspaper, but without reflecting, lays it down after you have looked through the columns? If you are, then you cannot have a full appreciation of the development that is going on around you. You, perhaps, have not thought that before this year is over, all going as it seems it will, there will be more than \$350,000 spent in the city of Bend in building of residences, public build-

ings, hospitals, churches, business blocks, to say nothing of street improvements, improvements in water system and remodeling of buildings now standing. That is a conservative figure, for it is certain that this amount will be expended to make Bend a bigger city, provided, of course, the present building program of many individuals, organizations, societies and firms goes through. Do you realize that there have been more than 25 residences erected since the first of the year? Many of these were started late in the spring. Do you realize that despite the fact that there is current the high cost of building bugaboo, more than 20 other residences will rise in the city before the building season is over? Do you realize that, taking each residence at a value of \$2500, more than \$125,000 will be expended in the city by persons who have been inculcated with the "build now" spirit?

Business Section Changes.

With the program carried through for the year 1919, Bend's business section will have many material changes. Wall street will have at least three new business blocks. Although it has not been announced as yet, it is understood on good authority that Bond street will undergo even greater changes. It is understood that several blocks are now being contemplated for that street which will greatly change its appearance, giving it a more metropolitan aspect than it has ever had. It is certain to come. Then, too, just outside the limits of the business section there are to rise two buildings which will give Bend a substantial air. These two structures are the new Catholic church, which it is estimated will cost no less than \$50,000, and the new Sisters of St. Joseph hospital, which will rise in the vicinity of the church, the cost of which will be approximately \$65,000. Has it occurred to you what a difference these two structures alone will make in the general appearance of the portion of the city just east of

Helpful Hints for Housewives



THAT SUMMER DESSERT.

Stomachs, like the body, want "light" wear in the hot months. It has been said by food experts that the average person greatly over-eats—and the last straw is the dessert. Therefore the intelligent housewife selects her summer dessert with more care than her meats or vegetables.

A heart dessert, too tempting to refuse, may be eaten with relish—but it fosters gluttony and stupid after-dinner conversations. This likely is the reason for the general trend toward the light, digestible and appetizing gelatin for summer desserts.

Loganberry Delight tempts all. Dissolve 1 package of gelatin and add the Loganberry fruit flavor. Blanch 1-2 cupful shelled almonds and run through grinder. When gelatin starts to set, add the whites of 2 eggs well beaten, and the almonds. Beat well with egg beater and set away to congeal. Serve with whipped cream.

the present business section? Then, too, have you thought that the city is in line for some municipal building? It has already begun the erection of the fire department building, and it is likely that something of a definite character will soon be done regarding the program for the proposed new library.

All these activities augur well for a healthy condition. It is thought by serious-minded men that this activity is only the beginning and that many other improvements are being seriously considered by investors.

Ask the real estate men what they are doing. They will tell you that there are healthy investments in residence lots in almost every section of the city. Ask them what people expect to do with their small real estate holdings and they will tell you, for the most part, that these buyers expect to build homes.

Street Improvement Planned.

A movement has been started by the residents of one section of the city for improved streets. This improvement means paving, ultimately. There is nothing in a city so contagious as the paving idea. It grows and grows. Once one section has paved streets, it is just like the young lady with a young lady friend with a new style dress, hat or coat—she too must have one like it, or nearly like it. It is believed that the era of better streets within the city is here. Of course the city itself has declared for better streets, and also, by the way, for better walks—this time concrete walks. This will be of greater comfort to the purchaser of shoes, especially these days' price of shoes. This is certain: One will not talk with fear of falling through rotten and broken boards.

Wanted--A Prophet.

What has the future in store? To this the answer may be given—Wanted, a Man with a Vision. Who is the prophet, or crystal gazer, who can see the city five or ten years from now. If there were such a man, would he say that Bend is on one or more transcontinental railroads; would he say that Bend is the largest lumbering town in the northwest; would he say that 100,000 acres or more are under irrigation or in process of reclamation; would he say that there are 2000 farms tributary to the city; would he say that 100,000 acres of land

are crop bearing; would he say that the city has a population of 25,000; would he tell you that there are woolen mills, large warehouses for distribution of large amounts of goods sold at wholesale prices; would he tell you that the wool crop, mutton crop, beef crop, alfalfa crop, pig crop, has grown five times since 1919; would he say that the bank deposits run into eight figures; would he tell you that the city and county have their own buildings, all centered in one section of the city with improved grounds; would he tell you that the streets are paved and that the miles of concrete walks far outstrip the miles of board walks; would he say that there are far more families owning their own homes than living in rented houses; would he say that brick or concrete business blocks have almost completely replaced frame structures?

These are things about which people may think seriously regarding the future. It's a case of how much confidence you have.

The fact, however, today is that Bend is growing. It is growing more rapidly and more substantially than any other small city in Oregon, if the statement of men who make almost all the other towns of the state can be accepted. Ask the traveling salesman who come into Bend regularly. They will tell you almost to a man that Bend is the best city in Oregon—best from the standpoint of progress. It takes the man who sees other places, who makes comparisons, to get the proper proportions. These men say that Bend is outstripping every other city in Oregon in the way of development.

To Polish Mahogany.

Boiled linseed oil is the finest thing for genuine old mahogany, as it hardens and preserves the wood. Pour the oil on to a pad of soft flannel and rub the wood well. If there are any cracks in the wood the oil will fill these and harden. Wipe off the superfluous oil and polish with a dry, soft cloth. A little vinegar added to the oil will make a bright, clean, dry finish.

A Little Girl's Problem.

The father of a little girl I know is a Methodist, and her mother an Episcopalian, and the poor child never knows, in saying her prayers, whether to end them with "A-men" or "Ah-men."—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

At the Theaters

LIBERTY.

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The sunny south, laden with the sweet scents of orange blossoms and magnolias, is the scene of Pauline Frederick's newest photo play, "A Daughter of the Old South," which will be shown at the Liberty theater next Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Frederick appears as a beautiful Creole girl, whose love story, filled with lights and shades, and laughter and tears, is charmingly told by the star in a series of heart appealing scenes. Supported by a company of excellent players, Miss Frederick's latest starring vehicle is one of supreme importance to her admirers the country over.

Appearing in one of the finest roles of her screen career, Pauline Frederick, the beautiful paramount star, will be seen in "Bella Donna," a pieturization of Robert Hicken's great novel, at the Liberty theater on Thursday only.

Bella Donna, a London adventuress, lures the Hon. Niage Armine into marrying her, despite the damaging gossip of the capital of which she is the central figure. He takes her to Egypt, where she becomes infatuated with a powerful native, Baroudi, who persuades her to administer poison to her husband. This she does, but as he becomes gradually weaker from the effect of the drug, Dr. Isaacson arrives and discovers her treachery in time to save her husband's life.

Driven to hate Armine, and filled in her attempt to kill him, Bella Donna finally tells him the truth in a burst of uncontrollable fury. Then she goes to Baroudi, who now discards her as being too dangerous. Stunned, she returns to her home only to be turned away by Dr. Isaacson, who sends her out into the black desert.

Not all of the highly dramatic battles are fought on the battle fields. The struggle of man to control himself and make the best of himself is always an inspiring theme for the author, and in "The Sheriff's Son," Charles Ray's new Paramount picture which will be shown at the Liberty theater on

Friday, Saturday and Saturday matinee, William McLeod Raine has created a wonderful story with an extraordinary leading character. He takes a lad who has inherited a great fear from his mother and shows by an admirably constructed story how he fought down the fear and won back his self-respect and manhood.

A regular cannibal carnival will also be featured.

GRAND THEATER.

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and writes a letter to her Daddy Long Legs, telling him the whole sad story and when she receives no answer she takes matters into her own hands and goes to the house of the mysterious John Smith. And there, of course, she discovers that Pendleton, John Smith and Daddy Long Legs are the same person and naturally there is a happy ending. There will also be shown a Lloyd comedy and News weekly.

A genuine circus story is coming Tuesday and Wednesday with Billie Rhodes in "Whoop-La."

On Thursday only, George Walsh will be featured in a jinx story, "Never Say Quit." A hoodoo can be more pestiferous than a mosquito. If a man is born on Friday, the thirteenth, he is doomed to a life that is a joke to others and a nuisance to himself. George Walsh proves this conclusively in his latest "Never Say Quit." The jinx is after him from the day he is born. He is beaten and bruised, cheated and robbed, and the jinx grins contentedly. His aunt leaves him a fortune. The jinx sees to it that he does not get it, try as he may. He sets out on treasure hunts and the jinx finds him a wife. He settles down to married bliss and the jinx presents him with weeping triplets. Nogaing Jones and the 13 are ever on the war path and the 13 ever comes out on top.

A good mutual feature will be seen Friday and Saturday, August 1 and 2, in "That's Good," together with another Eddie Polo feature "Cyclone Smith's Story,"

Cool Day Thoughts in a July Sun



Cool evenings and days are not so far away, despite the burning rays of a July sun, no fashion decrees a fascinating wrap, closely resembling the dolman but distinct enough to have character of its own. It is light and considered and with swaggar roll collar. The new hats for early fall wear are either large or small.

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