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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1921.

GREAT THINGS:—Fear the Lord, and serve him in truth; for consider how great things he hath done for you.—1 Samuel 12: 24.

DEVELOP THE SOUTH UNIT

Of the two Deschutes project units in which Bend is especially interested it now seems assured that one, the East unit, will be developed. There is needed only the allotment of sufficient water to make it possible for the North canal company to proceed; it may take a fight to get this water but surely it will be forthcoming sooner or later. That, of course, is what the community wants. It has no interest in the North canal company but naturally is favorably disposed toward it and its plans.

The other unit of local interest is the South unit, not in its entirety for it runs around back of Powell Butte and into the Prineville territory. There is a considerable section, however, lying to the east, adjoining the Arnold district and directly tributary to Bend the development of which is of the utmost local importance. This is public land withdrawn from entry pending reclamation and as matters stand today only the United States reclamation service can proceed with its development.

The Arnold irrigation company is in position to reclaim a portion of this unit—that lying closest to Bend—if water is given it for the purpose and it is the logical authority to undertake the job if the Reclamation service will not do it. The Arnold company has applied for this water but so long as there is in existence the ruling of the water board that water will be allotted only to those who own or control the land on which the water is to be used it has no chance.

It is probable that so far as the Reclamation service is concerned its attitude toward this unit is affected by the statement made in the Deschutes survey report that it is the least desirable of the four units. Taking the unit as a whole this may be true but the portion irrigable from the Arnold system is extremely good land. This fact should be brought out.

Under these various circumstances the question arises as to what can be done to obtain the desired development. We suggest that the proper



The Long Winter

"The winter will be long and cold," observed the prophets, bent and old, who know the goose-bone lore; "the signs and tokens all agree that there'll be weather fierce to see, and stormy winds will roar. The little creatures of the woods have stored up nuts and other goods in quantities immense; in hunting deep and stormproof lairs the groundhogs and the grizzly bears have manifested sense. The bark is thicker on the trees," the prophets say; "such signs as these were never known to fail; we'll have a winter long and stern, and he who'd have some coal to burn should salt away his kale." The signs and tokens all agree, and yet the seers don't worry me, for always they are wrong; I never knew a prophet yet on whom a man might safely bet; the winter won't be long. The winter won't be long or cold, since length and fierceness are foretold by these prophetic boys; the skies will be serene and clear, and Gentle Annie will appear, and raise a cheerful noise. There may be sundry puffs of snow, and now and then cold winds may blow, but they will wink out soon; when all the prophets are agreed that winter will be fierce indeed, it's sure to be like June. When prophets differ we can't guess what sort of elemental stress is scheduled to appear; but when they're all agreed we know that nothing they predict is so, and thus our course is clear.

course for the Commercial club and its irrigation committee is first to obtain a soil survey of that portion of the south unit tributary to the town in order to show its desirability for reclamation. This having been done the Reclamation service should be persuaded to come in, obtain an allotment of water, join in the Benham falls reservoir project and reclaim this section. This, of course, being on the assumption that the water board rule still holds. If the water board rule is changed aid should be given the Arnold in getting this land to reclaim, in securing a water allotment and the necessary storage either in the Benham Falls reservoir or elsewhere.

Only in this way will this development of such vital interest to Bend be secured.

The latest number of The American Legion Weekly reports the turning out of an edition of a local paper by legionnaires who took charge for a day. The paper was entirely written and edited by veterans, says the weekly. It may be proper to point out that the entire news staff of The Bulletin is made up of members of the Legion or the Auxiliary and that a Legion man is circulation manager.

BARR'S

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

ARE YOU BOTHERED WITH NIGHT-BLINDNESS?

When the pupil of the eye refuses to properly expand in going from a lighted room into the darkness, they need the supplementary lenses which we can furnish. Our examination will show us just the degree of convexity required by your vision. When will you see us about the matter?

H. W. BARR
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GRAND
Saturday and Sunday

WILLIAM D. TAYLOR'S PRODUCTION
The FURNACE
BY DAN SULLIVAN
STORY BY JULIA CRAWFORD JESSE

and The Hall Room Boys in
"Friday, The 13th"
10c, 25c

COLLEGE STUDENTS BACK FOR HOLIDAYS

Bend's small army of college students began arriving for the holidays this morning, and more will come tomorrow. Among those who have already appeared are Calvin Smith, Robert Fulton, Richard Hayden,

Francis Redfield, Connie and Rae Knickerbocker from O. A. C., and Lester Smith from U. of O.

Thomas Going also arrived from Eugene, where he is attending the university high school. Most of the students from Eugene will arrive tomorrow. Miss Helen King is home from Portland, where she is attending an academy.

Crabs Walk Off With Clocks.
Christmas Island, in Oceania, is infested with landcrabs two feet across which swarm over the camps of travelers in such large numbers as to be dangerous. A party of astronomers, led by Admiral Wharton, were unable to protect their supplies, and the crabs even carried away two large chronometers.—Popular Science Monthly.

WILLIAM S. HART

in
THE TOLL GATE
A Paramount Arcraft Picture

LIBERTY SUNDAY
GRAND MONDAY

Paramount Magazine and "Our Daily Bread," a highly educational subject --- 20c, 30c, and 35c

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\$35.00	High Grade, in Fancy Cases	\$25.00
\$75.00	14k White Gold Bracelet Watches, at	\$55.00

SYMONS BROS.

O'Kane Bldg.

Pyralin Ivory as a Christmas Gift

If she has a set started, select another article to match that which she already has. If she has none, no gift could please more. Following is a list of the different articles we have to offer in Ivory.

Cuticle Knives	Hat Brushes
Nail Files	Bonnet Brushes
Puff Boxes	Military Brushes
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