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THE stock exhibit at the Country Club grounds is a great show. We venture to say that nothing like it was ever before seen in Oregon. Certainly at no other similar show has there been anything like the number of entries; and we believe it would be true to say that the general standard of excellence was not surpassed even by the great show at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

In this connection the Oregon farmer has reason to be proud, more than any other man. For the showing made by Oregon stock is emphatically the feature of the exhibition. If finer horses, cattle, sheep and swine were ever bred anywhere under the sun, no one has heard anything about it. We do not believe that the exhibit was ever excelled, or that it can be excelled at the present time. How it may be excelled in the future we can hardly conceive; and we believe it is excelled the excellence will bear the stamp of Oregon.

To the city-bred man, to the visiting stranger and, perhaps, to a considerable percentage of Oregon farmers, this exhibit of Oregon stock is an education. It is certainly an eye opener to every person who is not in position to be familiar with the splendid stockraising facilities in this state. It discloses the solid foundation upon which the agricultural reputation of Oregon is built; and bespeaks an enhancement of that reputation in the future that is hardly conceivable at the present time. There is absolute pleasure in the inspection of this Oregon stock and the universal and inevitable conclusion that the Old Oregon country is the best stock raising country in the world.—Telegram.

THE RECORDER is just in receipt of the September number of the University of Oregon Bulletin, which treats of Country High School Organization and Training of Teachers, and is one of the most valuable bulletins recently issued by the University for those interested in the betterment of our rural schools. It contains an exhaustive account of the methods adopted by other states for the training of teachers, and discusses fully the so-called Lane County plan for the establishment of country high schools. To quote from it: "This plan will allow country districts to organize high schools, as the tuition is to be paid by the whole county. The country high school can have as good a teacher as the city high school. Inasmuch as this plan allows an enterprising district to start a high school it does away with the necessity of the vote. The trouble with the Union High School Law is that it requires a majority vote of all the districts before the high school is started." Under its working, some four or five high schools are being established in Lane County in places where it was impossible to maintain them before. A small county tax is levied and high school students, regardless of location, draw their share of the tax; the more high school students, the more money the district draws from the county.

Under this law, country high schools can be established in every group of districts in the state that is not over twelve miles in extent, and that has fifteen or twenty pupils who can attend high school. The legal form necessary to secure a vote is given, and the Bulletin can be secured free by writing to the Registrar of the University.

In a very able editorial on the condition and needs of the Coos Bay and Coquille River harbors Brother Orvil Dodge of the Sentinel says there is no doubt but that Coos Bay will get a good appropriation next winter, as well as the Coquille river, if we all pull together. Why not send Brother Dodge to Washington to intercede? There is probably no man in the county better able to present the needs of the two harbors, and he will be perfectly fair and candid in all his dealings and will do just as efficient work for Coos Bay as he will for the Coquille river. The RECORDER will place itself on record as being in favor of Dodge to look after these interests because it believes him thoroughly qualified and fair in all things. We all know he has done good work for us in the past and will do it again if the opportunity is afforded. He has been in close touch with the situation for years and in direct development work. Again we say let's send him to Washington to intercede for the two Coos county harbors.

Sunday and Day are the names of two farmers living in California. Sunday has five sons and Day has five daughters. Three of the Sunday boys have already married three of the Day girls, with the other two brothers courting the two remaining sisters. It looks as though every day would be Sunday bye and bye.

The Outlook says, "The year 1908 will go down in history as one of the worst, so far as forest fires are concerned, in the last quarter of a century. Figures obtained by government officials show that losses in all parts of the United States, principally the northern part of the country, will run high into the millions of dollars. A wide-spread movement to check the fires has been started in many states by government officials by the adoption of rational systems of fire protection. Exclusive of salaries of forestry officers, it has cost the government so far this year \$30,000 to have the national forest reserves patrolled." This is a large sum of money to spend for salaries and yet the other expenses which seem to have brought no results. Some system of adequate protection against forest fires should be provided, and the proper method would be to get fire fighters who have had plenty of experience in the work.

That Coos county is still growing in wealth at a rapid rate is evidenced by the fact that the assessed valuation of property is \$828,180 more this year than it was last year. The total assessed valuation for 1908 is \$14,069,071, a pretty good showing, everything being considered.

SINCE Harrison requires a guarantee of 4 per cent on the expense of building a railroad from Drain to Coos Bay, it is suggested that the residents of the Coquille Valley make a proposition that their commerce will furnish three per cent if our neighbors over the bay can show a possibility of furnishing one per cent. It is claimed that such a proposition would be right, as about three-fourths of the commerce of Coos county is furnished by the Coquille Valley.—Sentinel

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