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THE MOST EFFECTIVE PUBLICITY.

At Prosser, Wash., they have a commercial club that has employed a publicity man. In discussing this action the Spokesman-Review very forcibly comments:

"Well and good! The move is a step on the right road. It is foreign missions of the civic sort.

"But other things are at least equally important. There is need of municipal missions at home. Without these the mission work of publicity abroad loses no small measure of its effectiveness.

"While we are boasting of our progress and resources to outsiders it is up to the stay-at-homes to develop the country and make its realities surpass the claims. Publicity must be backed by development.

"No publicity is so great, so effective, so attractive to capital and desirable residents as an enterprising, progressive, public-spirited community. The city beautiful is an advertisement. Good schools, numerous and well-financed, are an advertisement. Diversified and numerous industries are a means of publicity. Low cost of living, municipal efficiency of administration and reasonable taxes, honestly collected and expended, are magnets that draw the right people."

To which the East Oregonian adds:

"With these sentiments business men will quite generally agree. It is well for a community to advertise—the extent of its publicity work being gauged by the extent of the opportunities offered by that city. But it is absolutely necessary that along with the publicity campaign there should be an earnest and consistent crusade for the development of the country within itself as well as through securing new people and new industries."

These remarks are well timed and are particularly pertinent to the situation in Morrow County at this time. We must not think for a moment that our work is done when we have placed our publicity literature in the hands of prospective settlers. Our best efforts must be directed to making good every claim set forth. All must work together, loyally and energetically for a greater Morrow County.

It is none too early in the season for the good people of the city to get busy in the matter of cleaning up and beautifying the town. We would modestly suggest that the gentlemen composing the city council make a tour of observation and inspection throughout their entire bailiwick and see if any improvements can be made either for strength or ornament. And when they arrive at a point on Willow street opposite the Council chambers, that they halt in extra session long enough to condemn the dirty old shack of a stable located there, and order a thorough remodeling of the premises, so that pedestrians can pass along the sidewalk without mortal fear of the filth and broken planks on the way. If the proprietor refuses or neglects to do so, then order its total demolition and see that the orders are obeyed. And also admonish the stage driver that it is very bad form to monopolize the sidewalk for hooking up his team.

Now, don't kick, but BOOST!

After dragging Bluger Hermann through the mire of a long drawn out trial covering years twice failing in a conviction, Henry has finally dismissed the charge of land fraud against the veteran statesman. The distinguished old pioneer was made of iron and Henry failed to kill him off. Binger has thousands of friends throughout Oregon and the nation who will be pleased to learn, that at this date, the effort to fasten land fraud crime upon him has failed signally.—Eugene Register.

FRANKLIN P. VAUGHN.

Word reached us early last Saturday morning from Portland that Frank P. Vaughn, a prominent business man of this city, expired there at one o'clock A. M. that day.

Mr Vaughn was a pioneer of Morrow County, having come here in the Spring of 1883. He was the owner of a large farm in the Eight Mile district, which he has successfully conducted since his settlement here. For the last two or three years, owing to failing health, he has entrusted the cultivation of his farm to other hands, and moving to town engaged, in company with his two sons, in the general hardware and farm implement business.

Some months ago it became evident that he could not long survive the inroads of a disease that was gradually undermining his constitution and sapping his vitality. About a month ago he went to Portland hoping to procure some relief, but without success. The end came as above stated, and the remains were shipped to this city for final disposition, arriving on the Saturday evening train.

The funeral occurred on Sunday—Christmas day—at 1 o'clock p. m. Religious services were held in the Christian church, of which the deceased was an honored member, the funeral sermon being preached by Rev. J. V. Crawford, after which the body was taken in charge by the local lodge of Odd Fellows, conveyed to the Masonic cemetery, where it was reverently deposited with the solemn and impressive ceremonies of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Mr. Vaughn was born in Knox County, Ill., February 20, 1853, was taken by his parents when a child to Kansas, where he grew to manhood and was united in marriage to Miss Carrie B. Allison, who has proved a true and loving companion for more than a third of a century. Besides the widow, he leaves one daughter, Mrs. A. S. Akers, and two sons, John and Charles, all of this city, and a sister in Oklahoma.

Mr. Vaughn was a man of sterling integrity and fine Christian character, always lining up on the right side of every important question. His life and character he leaves as an imperishable inheritance to his family and friends.

A happy and prosperous New Year to all our readers.

Discourage the kickers and mossbacks; encourage the fellow that boosts.

Say, fellows, if you like the Gazette, come in and subscribe. Don't be satisfied with reading your neighbor's paper.

Boost along that Boost Club. If you expect things to come our way, don't go to sleep. Get busy and let's put Heppner and Morrow county on the map.

Some fellows around this town are beginning to wake up to the fact that Heppner has a marshal that is pretty well onto his job. Let us stand by him; give him our moral support. He will do the rest.

Heppner is entitled to a prosperous year. Let us stand up for our town, its institutions and its business men. Patronize home industries, keep your money here, and prosperity for the year is assured. Be optimistic. Be a booster. Get the habit. Don't kick.

By decision of the register and receiver of the land office at La Grande, made public on the 27th, the government loses the first proceeding in the series of cases being presented to cancel entries of about one hundred timber land claims in this county. This is the case in which testimony of many of the claimants, and a number of other

persons was taken last winter and submitted to the land office, and more commonly known as the Ayers-McSwords deal. The land office holds that the government failed to prove any illegal agreement of any kind prior to date of filing and that, no agreement having then been made, the other acts were not illegal under the circumstances of the case.

If you want your town to grow and your business to improve, interest yourself in everything that makes for its betterment. Everyone should consider himself an essential and important part of the community in which he lives. He should remember that he owes something to his fellow citizens. He owes to them his very best efforts for the common good. He owes to them a clean, upright life, industrious, purposeful habits, and an enthusiastic support of its institutions and enterprises. Be loyal to your own town. Get busy for it. Don't kick, but Boost!

The Christmas number of the Rural Spirit is a splendid issue. N. C. Maris, formerly of Heppner, is editor of this excellent stockman's journal, and he is making it a grand success in its field. Maris knows stock, and he is proving that he can edit a magazine, too.

I. O. O. F. Elections.

Noble Grand, E. E. Beaman; Vice Grand, O. O. Edwards; Secretary, Geo. Noble; Treasurer, Clyde Brock. Installation Wednesday evening, January 4th; A. M. Phelps, D. D. G. M., installing officer.

Cayuse Encampment No. 40, I. O. O. F.; installation Monday evening, January 2nd. Chief Patriarch, F. N. Frye; Senior Warden, T. E. Chidsey; High Priest, E. E. Beaman; Scribe, Roy Gray; Treasurer, Clyde Brock; O. P. Henricson, D. D. G. P. installing officer.

Canton Heppner, No. 7, Patriarch Militant, Captain, A. M. Phelps; Lieutenant, D. C. Gurdane; Emerg., E. E. Beaman; Clerk, Roy Gray; Accountant, F. N. Frye; Lieut. Col., T. E. Chidsey, installing officer. Installation Jan. 5th.

The subordinate lodge will install on Wednesday evening. Refreshment will be served and all the members are urged to attend.

Worse than an alarm of fire at night is the metallic cough of a cough, bringing dread to the household. Careful mothers keep Foley's Honey and Tar in the house and give it at the first sign of danger. It contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

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TAKE NOTICE: This is the Last Call

A glory ticket was issued Dec. 23, by County Clerk Hill to Wm. T. Crow and Miss Effie Campbell, well known young people of Lexington. Miss Campbell is the daughter of W. T. Campbell.

F. E. Boyden, M. D.

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PORTLAND, OREGON
January 4-7, 1911

For the above occasion, round trip tickets will be sold from Heppner by the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company at

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, Dec. 5th, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that RESSIE G. DYKSTRA, of Heppner, Oregon, who, on June 30th, 1909, made Homestead Application, No. 06702, for 8 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 31, Township 3 South, Range 27 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Patterson, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 28th day of January, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: George W. Dykstra, J. H. Carmichael, Louis Grosheas, and A. W. Dykstra, all of Heppner, Oregon. d8 j12.

F. C. BRANWELL, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon, December 1st, 1910.

Notice is hereby given that WILLIAM B. TUCKER, of Heppner, Oregon, who on December 3rd, 1904 made Homestead, No 14024, Serial, No. 03405, for 8 1/2 SE 1/4, Section 22, Township 1 North, Range 26 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final five-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before C. C. Patterson, U. S. Commissioner at his office, at Heppner, Oregon, on the 17th day of January, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Henry Stowers and T. M. Scott of Lexington, Oregon, and Frank Wilkins and R. J. Snyder of Heppner, Oregon. d7 j12.

C. W. MOORE, Register.