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GOD'S KINDNESS:—For the mountains shall depart, and the hills be removed; but the kindness shall not depart from thee, neither shall the covenant of my peace be removed, saith the Lord that hath mercy on thee.—Isaiah 54:10.

DIVERSIFIED FARMING AND PROSPERITY

The Morning Oregonian in its issue of August 12, contained an article by Arthur M. Evans on dairying and diversified conditions in Wisconsin that is worthy of special note. Among other things the author says: "In Wisconsin the premier dairy state, the 'economic status' of the average farmer is perhaps the best of all the farming states of the Mississippi valley. Milk prices are accounted the barometer of prosperity in these parts."

The writer draws a comparison of conditions in Wisconsin with those existing in the Dakotas, Minnesota, and wheat growing states. He informs us that the farmers of Wisconsin are giving the laugh to the proposal to subsidize wheat growing, and aver that the farmers of the wheat growing districts have it within their power to work out their own financial problems.

As a whole, the agricultural interests of the nation are in a sorry plight, but the illustration drawn between conditions in the diversified regions and in the one-crop districts affords the wheat farmer a view of a plan that has worked successfully in bringing about better financial conditions in the districts where diversified farming is followed.

prove beyond any doubt that there is a need for more dairy cows in Oregon.

CANADIAN WHEAT MARKETING Much evidence in favor of co-operation organization for the marketing of Canadian wheat is being brought out before the Grain Inquiry Commission in the prairie provinces. The farmers are exercising common sense, too, in turning toward the plan of voluntary co-operative effort, in preference to continuing the demand for a Government wheat board.

The necessity of doing something to improve the system of merchandising the produce of western Canadian farms is generally conceded. Without co-operation among the producers, Canadian wheat is offered for sale at the very time when prices are falling, as the flood of grain is poured into the world market from United States and European sources, as well.

Experiments in self-help through the organization of a voluntary wheat pool are being tried out in other countries. The pooling system is regarded as a very advanced form of co-operation for the marketing of farm produce. But a careful study of the progress that has been made in Australia, New Zealand, Denmark, and other countries should help the Canadian farmers to start in right.

"PITTSBURGH PLUS"

A good many people are doubtless puzzled these days over the meaning of Pittsburgh Plus. In the news the other day mention was made of the joining of four states to fight in the courts the practice known to the steel trade by the above name.

According to Pittsburgh Plus, steel makers base all prices in that trade on the theory that the steel was made in Pittsburgh and shipped from there. If steel is made and sold in Chicago to buyers in Monmouth, the purchasers have to pay at the same rate as though it were shipped from Pittsburgh.

The entry of Magnus Johnson into the senate will fill an aching void that has been felt ever since "Soekless" Jerry Simpson left it. A Kansas man drove 250 miles for a quart of moonshine. News reports fail to state, however, how much he had when he got home.

The giraffe probably feels that nature, in giving it a tongue 18 inches long and withholding from it the power of speech, had a lot of neck. As time goes on it begins to appear that what the consumer should have done was lay in a 10 year's supply of coal in 1921.

By the terms of Section X31625, Subdivision 14761 of the Lausanne Treaty, the Armenians' title to the air is confirmed. An egg is accepted as admission in some theatres in Hungary. What sort of an egg one pays to see a punk play is not specified.

Roseburg—California Oregon Power company which recently purchased Douglas county Light & Water company, offers stock to local residents. France and Britain used to poke fun at Uncle Sam for writing notes.

Daily News Letter

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The House of Commons is losing its dignity because of democracy in dress.

This explanation of recent Labor uproars in the House of Commons is made in all seriousness by a serious writer in a serious weekly review. The old days, when members were tailed-coats and high hats, never produced rows, the writer explains, the members of Commons should increase their dignity by wearing wigs and gowns and giving the House a greater degree of formality.

This is but one step in a general movement to force Englishmen back into the manners and customs of their fathers. The older circles are grieved and pained because the younger generation show an abhorrence of silk hats and frock coats.

The newspapers headlined the Oxford-Cambridge cricket match "Few High Hats Seen At Varsity Match" and then proceeded to use valuable space in decrying the lack of sartorial taste, which was no noticeable in the good old days.

George Bernard Shaw attacks, frequently and vigorously. One of his most recent attacks is against amateur dramatic society actors and playwrights. "I am a professional writer of plays," said Shaw. "My job is to rob the amateur and in every way to exorcise and pillage him. What is a theatrical amateur? One who would be ashamed to belong to the theatre."

There is some joy in an English election after all, if D. P. Pilon, Conservative M. P. for Stourbridge, tells it straight. "After the result of the last election was declared I was kissed by 500 women," said Pilon. "I had been through a lot of shot and shell, but I had never been through so much powder before. I am looking forward to my next election."

London doesn't know what to do when a heat wave comes along. Any time the thermometer registers over 80 degrees then London is in the midst of a heat wave, and Londoners have suffered two heat waves already this season, and suffered in ignorance.

The use of ice is almost unknown in an English household, and it can only be procured with ease when the weather is cold. Electric fans are also an almost unknown quantity. The Londoner unwisely flees to "cooling" beverages for relief from hot weather. Having but little knowledge of cooling beverages, they follow a formula—they give up their whiskey in favor of gin. This is supposed to make one entirely comfortable, but it appears to fail unless the gin is taken in sufficiently large quantities to make the drinker entirely unmindful of heat or any other troubles.

Though the English consume gallons and gallons of tea they have yet failed to discover the refreshing qualities of iced tea. In the better hotels, at the risk of being thought a lunatic at large, it is possible to procure a glass of cracked ice and a pot of hot tea and concoct your own iced tea, but the process is generally regarded by a circle of pop-eyed waiters, who look on as though they felt a sacrilege was in commission.

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SOCIETY

MRS. GRACE E. ANDREWS, Editor Phone items to her at 345-R, between 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. and evenings.

Birthday Celebration—Mrs. Hattie Boyd and Metra Grace Millet celebrated their fourth birthdays together Friday by entertaining a number of their friends with a lawn and dinner party.

The three and four year old tots enjoyed their dolls and other toys while the others looked on and chatted. At five o'clock the two birthday cakes, decorated with pink roses and the appropriate number of candles, were the important feature, but which soon had to submit to being cut and were served with pink ice cream and punch.

Those who enjoyed this happy day together were: the Messdames Boyd, Willie, Hayes, Shaw, Shelby, Millet; the little Misses Barbara and Nathalie Shelby, Jane Sugg, Tura and Metra Millet, Rowena Smith, and Verna May Shaw.

Mrs. Doran Better—It will be good news to the many friends of Mrs. Doran that she will be able to return to her home in Ashland this week. She is expected Wednesday.

Mrs. Doran has been recuperating from a very severe illness at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Y. Brown, who lives at Walterville, near Eugene, Oregon.

Arrived from St. Louis—Mr. C. A. Sommer, with his daughter Julia and son Francis, arrived last Saturday from St. Louis to spend some time on his orchard about two miles north of Ashland.

This constitutes one half of the family, and if they can find it interesting here, that is, opportunities for his boys, to earn a livelihood, he may locate here.

Since their arrival, they have found Ashland a mighty nice place in which to live, but it takes work to make a living worth while, and what Mr. Sommer wants to know is, can willing hands and honest effort find the work in Ashland?

The Sommers, as soon as they get somewhat straightened out are anxious to meet the people of Ashland and get acquainted. They want to make their home here.

Mrs. Sommers remained at St. Louis with the oldest and youngest sons and they are very interested to know how Ashland and its people impress the one half the family now here.

Ashland is very glad to welcome those who come to make their homes here. Our friends may rest assured that since so many have built homes and acquired a competence here that they need have no fear but that it may be done again.

We may also assure our friends that in Ashland the spirit of friendliness prevails and they may be very sure that they will find friends and neighbors good and true.

Start on Trip—Miss Grace Luman, the courteous young clerk at Elhart's starts tomorrow on a well deserved holiday.

She will make her first stop in Portland. Then go on in to Washington, visiting a brother who is in business in Yakima, another brother that she will see, lives near Centralia, on a ranch. A little time will be spent in Tacoma also. Here Miss Luman will be joined by friends and the party will go on to Vancouver, B. C. From there they will visit a number of places in Canada.

Miss Luman will be gone several weeks and expects to have a wonderful trip; visiting relatives and friends and enjoying the scenic beauties on her way.

Porch Party—On Monday of this week, occurred the birthday anniversary of Mrs. E. E. Miller on Church street and in the evening, her near neighbors, Mrs. Goodyear, Mrs. Froman and Mrs. Bolton decided to surprise her.

To be sure that it would be a surprise, it was planned to have the gathering just across the street, at the home of Mrs. Goodyear, in the form of a "porch party."

Mrs. Miller was invited over for the evening and found her neighbors assembled to give her birthday greetings. It was a complete surprise and everyone present enjoyed it just as much as Mrs. Miller did.

The time passed happily and all too quickly in friendly, neighborly visit.

Its close was marked by the serving of most delicious refreshments. The neighbors present to wish Mrs. Miller many happy returns were: Mr. and Mrs. Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Froman, Mr. and Mrs. Gowland, Miss Frances McWilliams, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Hamilton, Mrs. Goodyear, Mrs. Barron and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Miller, the guests of honor.

refreshments, to which the hungry girls did ample justice.

The Hach's Entertainment—A very enjoyable gathering was held Saturday evening at the residence of R. W. Hach on Granite street. The affair was complimentary to the Rev. Harry Billings, who is leaving shortly on an automobile tour of the south, extending as far as Oklahoma, where he is booked for a few weeks of revival services.

A program was rendered during the evening as follows: Vocal solo, "Face to Face"—Miss Loveda Bullock.

Vocal duet, "Lead Me to the Pearly Gates"—Misses Loveda and Arletha Bullock.

Reading, "A Comic Interpretation of the Different Churches"—Mrs. George Icenhower, who responded by "A Drowning Kitchen."

Instrumental duet, "La Paloma" and encore, "Parade of the Amazons"—the Misses Bullock.

Piano solo and encore by Miss Hach. Reading, "How Ruby Played" and encore, "A Fast Night's Ball"—Mrs. Bomar.

Piano solo, "Transcription of Meditation in C Minor"—Mrs. C. T. Pine. Vocal duet, "Sacred"—Harry Billings and R. W. Hach.

Reading, "A Preacher and the Provincial Inquisitive Child," and encore "Dan McGrew,"—Harry Billings. Also several selections on the victrola. Then a merry hour was spent by games both indoors as well as out doors on the lawn, after which dainty refreshments were served consisting of strawberry ice cream and various kinds of cake; all vowing Mr. and Mrs. Hach as jolly entertainers.

A continuation of Saturday night's activities, were held at the Pentecostal church, beginning twelve hours later, when after the regular Sunday morning services a bountiful repast was held at the noon hour, in the basement of the church, after which there was a close renewal of Christian fellowship with each other in observing the Lord's supper. Out of town guests enjoying these services, were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Bullock, and Misses Loveda and Arletha Bullock, Mrs. R. S. Birchard, O. E. Borders and fam-

ily and Miss Helen Schrader all of Medford. A. J. Lapham of San Jose, who is visiting the Earl Keeble family, and the Garwood family of Hill, California.

Guest at the Watson's—Mr. Thomas A. Polleys of Chicago is the house guest this week of his cousins Mr. F. E. Watson and Miss Winifred Watson at their home, Scenic Drive and Strawberry Lane.

Mr. Polleys who is the General Tax Commissioner of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway is a veteran railroad man well (Continued on Page 3)

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