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At the time of the organization of the Commercial Club in this city, something near a year ago, there were some who objected to it on account of the social features adopted. It was said it was organized more for the amusement and entertainment of its members, than for what it might be able to do in the way of promoting the interests of the city.

When the start to organize was made, it was stated that no effort upon the part of any, unless of a few individuals, was being made to advertise, or in any manner to set forth and show to others what resources and advantages were to be found in this portion of Lane county and that a perfected organization was very much needed.

It had been learned by previous experience that the renting of a room, where at stated periods the members were to meet and take up matters of importance had, and likely would prove a failure.

With this knowledge and with the view of making the Club a permanent institution, it was decided to secure large and commodious quarters and furnish them in such a manner as would prove attractive and create a desire to gather at the rooms. This was accomplished and nearly a thousand dollars was expended by the Club in furnishing rooms, providing a pool and a billiard tables and card tables for the use of the members.

The wisdom of this action has been fully demonstrated by the regular attendance of the members and the interest taken in the work of the Club.

So far there has been but a small proportion of the business men of the city members and the Club not having their aid financially or otherwise it has not accomplished as much as it otherwise would, yet something has been done and with the rapidly increasing membership, which it is hoped will soon include all those interested in the advancement of the interests of this locality and with the experience of the past year, it should and will become a power for great good to all.

THAT BICYCLE STOOP.

Not long since an article appeared in an eastern Journal concerning the bicycle stoop and called the attention to the many young men of today who went about with shoulders stooped, in many instances more bowed over than men of great age.

Since reading it, notice has been taken of the young men and boys of this city and it is surprising at the number who, from no cause whatever, except absolute carelessness upon their part, are very much stooped over.

Very little of this is caused from bicycle riding as they are not used extensively in this locality. Education along this line would not be out of place in Cottage Grove.

How to Live to be a Hundred.

From the New York World.

By following these precepts, which Dr. J. B. S. King, of Chicago, submitted to the National Health Club, you may live to be 100 years old.

For a sudden strong effort or severe trial eat meat.

For a long continued effort for endurance eat cereals.

After exhausting mental labor eat yolk of eggs.

After exhausting physical labor drink infused tea.

For a pure brain stimulant drink coffee.

For paleness eat lean meat and spinach.

To make gray brain matter eat eggs, beans and oats.

For sound sleep eat onions and garlic.

The first 33 years of a man's life

is for growth," he declared. "The breastbone, which until the thirty-third year is composed of three bones, then consolidates into one, ending the growing period. The next 33 years is for work. The remaining period is for the enjoyment of the fruits of labor."

"Many people who get stout at their fortieth year think they are in fine shape. Mistaken idea. Stoutness at 40 is a sign of old age as much as gray hair."

When it is noticed the diet should be cut down one-third. The ideal old age is to be lean, spare and active. Old age loves fat, while youth detests it.

"Oats for children and Indian corn for adults is almost perfect food. Meat is the only food for a severe effort. Too much meat, however, causes bad temper. The nearest approach to a perfect brain stimulant is coffee."

Dorothy's Birthday Guests.

Dorothy was to have a birthday party, and had been promised that she could make out the list of guests herself.

Dorothy called in her very best friend, Corrine, to help her, and the two, with pencil and paper, devoted at least an hour to deciding who should be the ones favored with invitations. When the list was completed it was brought to the smiling mother for approval. Her eyes opened with astonishment, for it was about a yard long consisting of pieces of paper pasted together.

"Why, child!" she exclaimed, "what have you here?"

"Only five hundred names," said Dorothy, "and at the ball I read about in the paper the other day there were six hundred people. I guess I want to be as fashionable as other people."

The mother ran her eyes over the list. It included all Dorothy's playmates and most of her acquaintances, and then followed a list of such names as Ali Baba, Haroun Alraschid and the like.

"Where in the world did you get these names?" inquired the mother. "Who are these people?"

"Oh, I got them out of the 'Arabian Nights,'" said Dorothy. "But you don't need to be afraid. I don't believe more'n half of 'em will come."

"Ah, yes, I remember now," said the mother. "I thought those names sounded familiar. Go on and invite them."

And then she added meditatively, all of them.

Crop Report From the Willamette Valley.

"U. S. Department of Agriculture, Climate and Crop Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, Oregon Section, for the week ending Monday, April 24."

WILLAMETTE VALLEY.

Bridal Veil, Multnomah county, R. T. Smith.—Weather favorable and all crops doing nicely; fruit forward and, except Bartlett pears, in good condition; spring sowing and potato planting progressing.

Tualatin, Washington county, Geo. Galbraith.—Heavy rains during the past week; frost Friday night damaged some early strawberries; cut worms are working on some of the onions, otherwise the crop is promising; grain and clover doing well.

Stafford, Clackamas county, J. L. Kruse.—Weather very favorable for growth; rain Tuesday and Wednesday hindered plowing and seeding for a few days; winter and spring grain are in fine condition; early gardens making rapid growth; fruit seems to be uninjured; grass in meadows and pastures growing nicely and stock improving; spring seeding well advanced.

Dallas, Polk county, Frank Butler.—A good rain Tuesday with a thunderstorm; all crops have made fine progress; in my 20 years' residence here I have not seen so promising an outlook; goats all sheared; no sheep have yet been sheared.

North Yamhill, Yamhill county, J. T. Patterson.—Fine growing weather; hard hail in some localities Tuesday, but no serious damage done; grass looks fine; seeding completed; potato planting and gardening in progress; stock doing well.

Shaw, Marion county, J. G. Steinbrenner.—Weather fine during days, with a good many light frosts at night; fall wheat thrifty and looks fine; it is fully a month in advance of last season; stock rapidly gaining in flesh; weather very favorable for lambing; hops growing nicely and vines being trained; prune trees have finished blooming and the crop will be almost a total failure; only a very few of the late blooms on the Italian trees will set; petite prunes will probably be one-fourth to one-half of a crop; apples are coming into bloom, with a light crop indicated; pears and cherries also promise light yields.

Lebanon, Linn county, U. D. Steen.—Fall crops are growing

nicely; pastures are good for this time of year; spring seeding mostly finished; stand of all kinds of grain is good; early frost has injured some fruit, especially pears and Kentish cherries.

Goldson, Lane county, J. M. Goldson.—The late frosts killed nearly all of the peach crop and injured cherries; other fruits uninjured; wheat and oats are in excellent condition; pasturage good; gardening and potato planting in progress.

Centennial Notes.

Workmen are now building the main entrance gates at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. There will be twenty turnstiles for entrance, with a number of exit gates.

Oregon's mining display at the Lewis and Clark Exposition will show astonishingly rich deposits of gold, silver and copper, with specimens of gold from very rich new discoveries that run as high as \$20 to the ton.

The Fair Japan concession building on the trail is now in course of construction. It will be finished, the concessionaire says, a week before the opening day. This is to be one of the most interesting features of the Trail.

The Easter dress parade at the Lewis and Clark Exposition was gorgeous. Many thousands of people entered the exposition gates, the day being delightfully bright and balmy. Everybody was astonished at the rapid progress of finishing the Exposition.

Naeleay's Canyon, a wonderful scenic park leading up into the mountains from the Lewis and Clark Exposition grounds promises to attract thousands of people who will visit Portland this summer. The park is still in its primeval state, except for winding paths that lead through the trees and up and down the steep hills.

Payne and His Geese.

Bartholemew Anninias Payne (second mate with Bishop Hicks,) George Coffman and William E. Cole, went down to the Astoria Gun Club preserves this week armed with guns and ammunition, and a demijohn to hunt geese. Cole is probably the best fisherman in the country, but is a poor shot. Payne claims to be a crack shot and this trip proved it. In his run after a wild goose he was compelled to jump a ditch about three feet wide, and being heavy and waterlogged, he fell in. He immediately braced himself for the jump and went right into the middle of the ditch. Cole got a rail and put under him while Coffman secured a block and tackle, and after an hour's work Payne was extricated. He continued the hunt, however, and when he came home he had a dozen as fine geese as any one would care to eat. He complained at the high price the boys asked for the geese, but having promised his friends a feed it was either geese or not come home.—Astoria Herald.

Real Maple Sugar.

The Department of Agriculture's Bureau of Forestry is trying to revive and extend the production of maple sugar. As persons of middle age can remember, maple sugar was formerly obtained from the sap of maple trees. Now it is usually compounded of glucose, brown cane sugar, extract of hickory bark, and other substances capable of more or less plausible disguise. The Bureau of Forestry considers it a moderate statement to say that seven-eighths of all the maple sugar and syrup on the market are counterfeit. It thinks that the production of the genuine article can be made profitable throughout the Northern states and down as far as the mountains of Eastern Tennessee and Western North Carolina. Its investigations show that a farmer can easily clear \$3 per acre, and usually more, from a sugar grove on land that would be useless for any other purpose. At the same time this industry would help to preserve forest conditions. The Bureau believes that the producers can push pure goods into the market at a little higher price than is now paid for adulterated articles by forming associations, adopting registered trade-marks carrying absolute guarantees of quality and, if necessary, selling direct to the consumers instead of to the middlemen who are responsible for the present conditions.—Collier's Weekly.

BORN.

McFARLAND—On Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McFarland an eight pound boy.

WOODLEY—To Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Woodley a Divide, on Wednesday a nine pound boy.

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APRIL 7, 1905.

Wheat, valley.....\$.92
Barley, rolled.....22 50
Oats.....27 00
Flour.....43 40-47 50
Rye.....21 00 per ton
Middlings.....25 00 " "
Shorts.....25 00 " "
Chops.....18 00 " "

HAY.

Timothy.....14 @ 15
Clover.....11 @ 12
Grain.....11 @ 12
Chaff.....11 @ 12
Onions, per 100 lb.....2 40 @ 2 57
Honey, per case.....3 00 @ 3 25
Potatoes, new Oregon fancy.....90 @ 1 00

BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, ETC.
Eggs, ranch.....25
Eastern.....24

BUTTER
creamery.....22 1/2-27 1/2
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Dairy.....17 @ 20 1/2

POULTRY.
Chickens.....11 @ 11 1/2
Springs.....12-12 1/2
Broilers.....12 1/2-13
Wild geese.....2 50
Ducks.....8 00-9 00
Pigeons.....1 00-1 25
Hops.....25
Wool.....20-21
Hides dry No 1.....14 @ 15 1/2

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