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AN ABUSE.

The name of Oregon has become synonymous with premier apples, and therein is difficulty. Real estate operators and others are describing all kinds of soil as apple land and by the process are finding ready sale for it at high figures. It is an activity certain to result in harm to the state and the apple industry.

All soil is not apple land. There is as much of fitness or unfitness in soil for orchard purposes as in the selection of materials for a garment.

The soil must be suitable. Pears reach their highest perfection on one kind of soil and apples on another.

All these and many other considerations enter into the purchase of lands for orchard sites. Costly blunders can be made, and costly blunders are being made. Every orchard that fails—and all of them on unfit sites will fail—will yield a reaction of complaint and condemnation. It will be harmful to the apple industry and harmful to the state for lands to be sold as apple lands that are fitted only for dairy, or other purposes. It is of public concern that Oregon's reputation as an apple producer be not abused.—Daily Journal.

Don't spoil a good dividend paying little farm by cutting it up into small unprofitable 5 and 10 acre tracts unless it is suburban property. To make a living from the soil a man must have land enough to keep a couple of cows and a team, besides his fruit and garden tracts. This cannot be done from five acres.

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TOO MUCH FOR ONE JUMP.

A move has already been begun in Cottage Grove to referendum the U. O. appropriation. The sentiment all over the state seems to be that it is too much for one jump. The referendum needs polishing up. It will be needed.—Albany Democrat.

The legislature has rubbed it into the tax payer good and hard. The old games of trade and back scratching have been carried out to the limit, says a Linn county exchange.

Cottage Grove residents are out with petitions to referend the U. O. appropriation. It is unreasonably large.—Jefferson Review.

The Albany Daily Democrat very truthfully says: "Our public and high schools are the ones that deserve the big slices."

Eugene has no one but herself to blame for the strong sentiment favorable to referending the University appropriation in south Lane county. The treatment accorded to south Lane by Eugene is the blackest page in Oregon's history. There has been neglect, bad faith, deception, misrepresentation, unkept promises, betrayal of trust, in fact every abuse common to political, profane and sacred history practiced against Cottage Grove by Eugene, and now they call us spiteful. The worm has turned.

It is observed that Representative Allen Eaton voted against placing the state printer on a flat salary. It is said that Mr. Eaton conducts a book bindery at Eugene and his patronage from the University of Oregon in the way of commissions and otherwise amounts to no small sum. Through the increased appropriation for the U. O. which Mr. Eaton ably championed in the legislature, if reports are true, he will receive more than the encomiums of that educational institution.

It is said that District Attorney Bryson of Eugene, declares he will arrest the first man who engages in the liquor business in this county no matter how the spring municipal elections go. Bryson declares no legal election can be held in this county on the liquor question unless it is held at a regular municipal or general election on the "first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of any year."

This declaration published in the Eugene Guard will no doubt be resented by Roseburg: "We will join forces with Drain and help form a new county around that ambitious town rather than let Cottage Grove win out. If it is to be war to the knife, we accept the challenge."

Consolidate the University of Oregon with the Oregon Agricultural college, place them under a single board of regents and move the whole business to Portland where they should be and thereby forever settle this higher educational problem in Oregon.

Even the cats and dogs are suffering from the grip since the cold east winds have been prevailing and grip has been epidemic.

Death of W. H. Lincoln.

William Henry Lincoln, an esteemed citizen of Cottage Grove, died at his home in West Cottage Grove, Sunday morning, February 26, 1911, after a lingering illness. Deceased was born in Ripton, Vermont, May 25, 1841, and was therefore aged 69 years, 9 months and one day at the time of his death. He enlisted in the 5th Vermont Co. E. volunteer infantry at the opening of the civil war and served three years. He was married to Miss Mary Destel at Springfield, Mass., on March 24, 1868, to which union five children were born, one son dying at five years of age, those surviving being Mrs. Belle L. Sutton, Springfield, H. D. Lincoln, Mrs. Ollie Slagle, Mrs. Ida King of Cottage Grove, also a widow and nine grand children. The family came to Oregon in 1879 and has resided in and about Cottage Grove a greater portion of the time since that date. Deceased was a worthy member of the I. O. O. F. lodge of which he was a past grand. He was also an ex-commander of the G. A. R. post of this city. He was a worthy member of the Methodist Episcopal church and a man of a cheerful and most exemplary character. Funeral services were conducted from the M. E. church today by Rev. Robert Sutcliffe, the I. O. O. F. taking charge of the funeral at the close of the church service, the ritualistic service of that order being conducted at the I. O. O. F. cemetery. The sorrowing widow and family have the sympathy of the entire community in their time of great bereavement.

Death of Jake Lurch.

The many friends of Jake Lurch, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lurch of this city, were deeply grieved to hear of his sudden and untimely death Saturday, Feb. 25, 1911, at the Lurch home in this city. He had retired to the bath room to take a bath, when he was stricken with an epileptic fit and expired. The family quickly summoned a physician, but nothing could be done for the young man, who had been a sufferer from this malady for some years. He was born in this city about 35 years ago and grew to manhood here. While attending Berkeley college he contracted the trouble from which he finally died and was compelled to give up his college work. He has long rendered valuable assistance in the Lurch general merchandise store here and was widely known and highly esteemed by every one in this community. A brief funeral service was conducted at the family home Monday morning and the remains were escorted to the depot by the Masonic fraternity of which deceased was a member, and were taken to Portland for the last sad rites and burial. The Leader will publish an obituary notice later.

Harness! Harness!

E. B. Grable, next door to Wilson's restaurant, has on hand now a line of single, double light and heavy farm harness, which he will sell right. Pads, saddles, whips, collars and anything that belongs to a harness shop. Harness and shoe repairing a specialty. All work done neatly and promptly. Prices right.

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We, the undersigned, desire to express our sincere thanks to our kind neighbors and friends for their aid, comfort and sympathy during the late fatal illness of our father and grandfather, Elder Babcock.

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How to Plant Sweet Peas.

The condition of the soil has very much to do with the success or failure of flower culture and especially sweet peas. It is very important that the soil be fine and mellow. If the soil is naturally heavy, and of a clay nature, it should be manured and spaded in November, as the winter's action tends to pulverize soil that would be cloddy and difficult to work if not spaded until early spring. Always be careful not to spade or work in the soil when too wet. Always remember that fine mellow soil will retain moisture and thereby aid germination while cloddy soil that has been worked while too wet will soon dry out and the seeds perish. A good test is to take a handful of soil and compact it gently in the palm of the hand by closing the fingers. If when released the soil remains solid and retains the impression of the hand, it is too wet to work, but if when released it slowly crumbles apart it is in the right condition. The trench method of planting sweet peas is used by many with excellent results. For this method dig a trench about twelve inches deep, scatter coarse sand in the bottom, then a layer of fertilizer, then fill to within about six inches of the top with a loose, rich soil. Plant seeds and cover lightly, gradually filling in as plants grow. Mr. Scott, the expert Sweet Pea grower of the Portland Seed Co., recommends that sweet peas be planted where they receive only the morning sun. But practical growers have equal success with planting them in the open.

'Six Sharps One Flat.'

A very interesting and humorous four act drama entitled "Six Sharps One Flat" will be given by the high school students under the direction of Mrs. F. D. Wheeler at the armory next Monday evening.

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

- Mabel Maitland, who reads and impersonates, Flora Phillips.
- Dorothy Dean, who sings, Leah Perkins.
- Polly Perkins, who is a pianist, Allie Phillips.
- Joyce Joiceland, who is an artist, Lauretta Atkinson.
- Marguerite Merrill, who is a stenographer, Blanch Veatch.
- Katherine Kimberland, who relates stories, Jennie Smith.
- Mrs. Scroggs, who wants her daughter finished, Myrtle Kem.
- Miss Clarrys Elatory Scrogg, daughter to be finished, Ursula Lockwood.
- Mr. Fritz, book agent, Harry Kime.
- Dennis, janitor of flat, E. Anderson.
- Rodney Morris, Polly Perkins' accepted lover, Jesse Lewis.
- Mrs. Harding, another flat dweller, Marguerite Johnson.
- Robert, Mrs. Harding's brother, Robert Wood.
- Fred Albright, just returned from Europe, Bert Trask.
- Cholly Chumley, who is not one sharp, Joe Smith.
- Songs in costume by quartet, Misses Whitsett, Robinson, Messrs. Woods and Lewis.
- Duet, Ursula Lockwood, Reu Sanford.
- Solo, Lottie Whitsett.
- Admission 25 and 35 cents, tickets on sale at the Wave.
- A few number one Jersey cows for sale. Inquire of Curtis Veatch.
- Bohemia Avenue Vacation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular Council meeting to be held at 8 p. m. Monday, April 3rd, 1911, a petition will be presented to the Common Council of Cottage Grove, praying for the vacation of all of Bohemia avenue, of Georgetown.

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