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Monmouth Meditations

In brief the supreme court agrees that Main street never was a county road.

A hen was recently set over a thousand dollars worth of eggs in Arlington, California, it being a wooden hen, an incubator that brings chicks into the world by wholesale.

The early gardener is now busy giving a fitting welcome to the peas and onions and lettuce that are thrusting their first shoots up into a moist world.

The reader is invited to look at the total resources of the First National Bank as listed on another page. They are just about double what they were in 1916 which is additional evidence that both the bank and this section of Oregon are prospering.

Advertising has a cumulative value. Started right it may produce results for the advertiser years hence. Maintained regularly it becomes like the snow ball that gathers size as it rolls and finally becomes a thing of force and power.

Weather sharps who have kept tab on the rainfall say we are about ten inches short of the season's average at present and since the records show we are always close to the average, we may look for some precipitation between now and the first of June.

People who only have a vague interest in the league of nations and who ignore entirely the fluctuations of the bond market have followed with interest the developments of the Hawley divorce case in Oregon City.

Our idea of the height of anguish is the emotion that would be displayed by the Los Angeles Times, should by any hook or crook, Hiram Johnson succeed in getting nominated and elected to the presidency. In that event the Times would doubtless emigrate to Mexico or Central Africa or the islands of the South Seas.

The grand jury investigation of bond sales to the state treasurer may develop a number of things one of them being that the state treasurer buys bonds of Morris Brothers for the same reason that municipalities sell to the same company. This because the company is a large one financially and is able to offer better terms to the seller and a better grade of security to the buyer. Also that competitors of the bond house are resorting to the old scheme of detraction to get a share of the business they can not get along ordinary business channels. Also it may prove the old adage that when rogues fall out honest men get their dues. Exposure by the bonding companies of one another's methods may result in benefit to the public.

The Higher Educational Tax act was endorsed by the State Taxpayers League at its annual meeting in Portland. It has also been endorsed by the Oregon Newspaper conference and the Oregon Retail Merchants association. It has been constantly necessary for the educational institutions to go to the legislature for additional sums with which to eke out their income to meet expenses. Passage of the Higher Educational Tax act will relieve this

necessity and also put our educational institutions on somewhat a like plane with the higher educational institutions of neighbor states.

Our Bargain Column

Good River Potatoes. Delivered for four cents a pound. C. E. Herren.

2 Fresh cows for sale. C. Perry, Monmouth.

Cedar Posts For Sale

Seven foot split red cedar posts in carload lots. Write A. M. Matlock Lumber Co., Dallas Oregon.

FOR SALE—12 milk cows, 1 fresh, 5 to be fresh soon, 8 heifers, all high grade jerseys, and one full blood bull. L. E. Olden, R. P. D. Box 10 3t

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Wood Sawing. Call on me for prompt service. Leave Phone orders with P. H. Johnson. A. L. Stimpson.

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