

Independence Enterprise

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Oregon, with its wonderful fields for development, needs more money instead of less. And yet one of the measures which will appear upon the ballot this fall would make the legal rate of interest four per cent, with five per cent the maximum rate on contract.

School Notes

NORMAL NOTES

Mr. A. E. Ingraham, principal at Summerfield, Oregon, was interviewing prospective teachers for his school on Monday.

Mr. Gentle represented the faculty in chapel last Friday. He gave an interesting discussion of the three-fold nature of the present day curriculum in elementary schools.

The afternoon sessions at the Normal this week have been moved up to 1:15 instead of 1:30, with thirty-five minute periods.

Miss Mamie Radabaugh, critic in the Monmouth training school, spent last week-end with friends here.

President Ackerman reports a very energetic group of people in the Normal extension at Pendleton.

Mr. J. V. Bennes, the architect in charge of the building program, has plans ready for an extended enlargement of the heating plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler entertained the members of the faculty at their home very happily last Sunday evening.

Students have been interested in the poster exhibit in the corridor near the library this week.

Mrs. Ackerman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lunn, at Corvallis this week.

Father O'Hara who is now connected with the University of Oregon gave an excellent talk at the chapel hour Wednesday morning.

DEMAND FOR HOPS IS NOT BRISK JUST NOW

Hop dealers do not take a reassuring view of the market prospects this season. There has been no demand at all for 90 days, and unless buyers soon show some interest in hops prices are likely to be low.

There will be a large crop in the United States, probably 35,000 bales more than last year, and certainly a smaller domestic demand.

home brewers will use no one knows or can find out. The quantity will be fairly large, no doubt, but not large enough to make much of an impression on the supply.

Crop prospects in Oregon are very good. The season has been favorable throughout and much new acreage will bear well. The 1920 crop is now figured at about 65,000 bales as against 40,000 bales last year.

With a total American crop around 185,000 bales and relatively little use for hops in this country, England must be looked to for an outlet for the crop.

According to the latest advices from England, the crop prospects there are brighter. There was a very severe vermin attack early in the summer but this has been largely overcome.

Oregon growers have fortunately already contracted to sell the greater part of their output for high prices. It is figured that between 35,000 and 40,000 bales of the 1920 crop have thus been disposed of.

Exports of hops from the United States for April, 1920, were 3,675,819 pounds, of which 3,492,255 pounds went to England and Scotland.

Ancient Bricks Well Made.

Of the durability of the ancient bricks the remains of ancient walls and courses that go back to prehistoric times bear witness. So strong are the well-made sun-dried bricks that they are found as a foundation many courses deep, beneath the ponderous stone work of ancient temples.

Dr. Duganne, Dentist, office over Independence National Bank.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers State Bank

at Independence in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, June 30, 1920.

Table with Resources and Liabilities sections. Resources include Loans and discounts (\$233,482.76), Bonds and warrants (\$40,379.88), etc. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in (\$25,000.00), Surplus funds (\$5,900.00), etc.

I, C. G. Irvine, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. G. IRVINE, Cashier. Correct—Attest: C. W. Irvine, Edw. Rex, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1920.

D. E. FLETCHER, Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct. 21, 1923.

Parker

The rains the first of the week damaged quite a bit of hay. Postmaster Lacy has been hiving bees this week.

Mrs. H. N. Dickinson is rejoicing over a new piano.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Peterson spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Portland.

Mr. Ray Lacey and family spent Saturday visiting his parents in town.

Mr. William Setak and wife and children motored to Albany Saturday to do some shopping.

A family picnic dinner was spread at L. W. Fuller's home on Sunday. Those being in on the good things to eat were: Mr. C. W. Sparks and wife and children of Parker, Mrs. Banson and son of Minnesota, besides Mr. L. W. Fuller and family.

Mr. Partch of California, motored up to spend a few weeks with his mother, Mrs. Mary Partch and his sister, Mrs. Edward Veith. This is the first visit of Mr. Partch to see any of his nieces or nephews in ten or twelve years.

Mr. Clarence Reynolds of Portland is visiting his friend, Oscar Peterson, for a few days and like a good fellow, Oscar is teaching him how to use a pitchfork instead of leaning on one.

Mrs. Elizabeth Chapin accompanied her son, Elmer Chapin, and wife to Oregon City Saturday, where they will visit relatives.

Portland—The way to sell your product to the other fellow is to buy what he has to sell. That is why the Albers Brothers Milling Company of this city a few days ago received a large shipment of wheat and corn from Manchuria.

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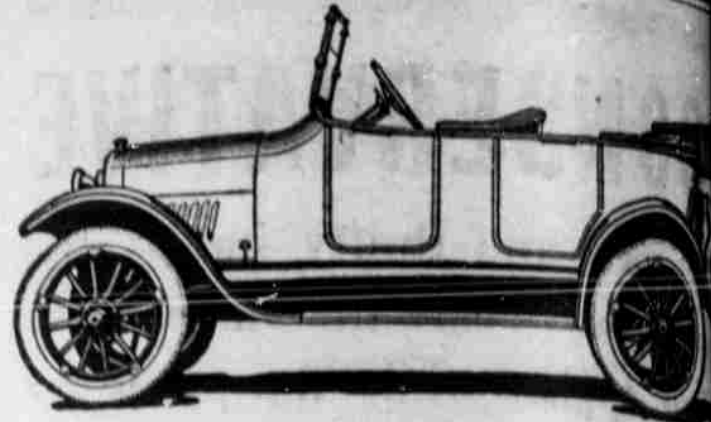
In The Churches

At the Baptist Church Although the Sunday school picnic is over, the good time we all had will not soon be forgotten. Those who stayed at home can tell themselves that they missed a good time.

Christian Church The Rev. J. A. Melton of Portland will preach in the Christian church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

Card of Thanks To the many friends who so kindly rendered assistance during the burial of our father and grandfather, John Winters, we extend our sincere appreciation.

A. A. Patterson, general manager of the Pacific Coast plant here, stated that the Aladdin Company is receiving thousands of inquiries from the Orient and expects soon to be sending its ready-cut houses to China, Japan, the Philippines and Hawaii.



Here's Service For You

Gilroy, California, May 13, 1920 In spite of this and other repair bill has been extremely and the car has been very in the way of tires, gas oil. We were so well pleased service we had on this little we have recently purchased the same source one of the Trucks, although the little car is still in daily use. We congratulate you on the facture of what we consider serviceable and reliable on market, cost considered. CROW'S NURSE

Immediate Delivery Can Be Secure All Models

SAYLES MOTOR CAR C STREET, INDEPENDENCE, OREGON

Portland—To make its product popular with the kiddies, the Tru-Bla Biscuit Company of this city is enclosing a toy airplane in each package of soda crackers.

The Big Sale Closed

THE CONCLUSION OF THE BIG SALE AT THE WOOLEN MILL STORE ON SATURDAY WAS THE FINAL OF THE LARGEST AND MOST UNIQUE SALE EVER ATTEMPTED IN OREGON OUTSIDE OF PORTLAND.

IT WAS UNIQUE FOR THIS REASON: THE GOODS WERE OWNED BY THE PROPRIETOR. THERE WAS NO MONEY PRESURE FROM ANY BANK OR MANUFACTURE. IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE TO REPLACE THE CHARACTER OF MERCHANDISE SOLD DURING THE SALE AT ANY LESS PRICE THAN IT HAD BEEN BOUGHT.

IT WAS SIMPLY THAT THE HUNDREDS OF PATRONS OF THE STORE SHOULD HAVE THE SAME OPPORTUNITY TO REPLENISH THEIR WARDROBE AT REDUCED PRICES THE SAME AS THE PATRONS OF ANY OF THE LARGEST STORES IN THE U. S. NOT EXCEPTING MR. WANNAMAKER'S OF NEW YORK.

IT RENEWED THE FRIENDSHIPS OF MANY OLD TIME FRIENDS AND BROUGHT MANY NEW ONES.

THE MANAGEMENT IS MORE THAN GRATEFUL FOR THE HEARTY CO-OPERATION OF THE PUBLIC WITHOUT WHICH IT WOULD HAVE BEEN A FAILURE. THERE WILL BE NO RELAXATION IN THEIR EFFORTS TO SERVE THE PUBLIC. PLANS WILL BEGIN AT ONCE TO MAKE PREPARATION FOR THE FAST COMING FALL AND WINTER BUSINESS CAMPAIGN.

Salem Woolen Mills Store

C. P. BISHOP, Proprietor