

TELLS OF LIGHTNING ZONES

United States Forest Service Corrects an Impression That Has Become Almost Universal.

It is an old saying that most proverbs are only half-truths. Some are wholly contrary to fact.

For instance, there is an ancient saw to the effect that "lightning never strikes twice in the same place." This is absolutely untrue.

The United States forest service, which dreads lightning as a frequent cause of forest fires avers that lightning has "zones of frequency," wherein it is likely to strike whenever there is an electrical storm.

These zones have reference to topography, especially in mountainous regions. A hill much more likely to be struck by lightning than any area of lowland because it is nearer to the clouds.

An isolated tree does not "attract" lightning, as is commonly supposed. If it be very tall, lightning is more apt to strike it than to hit objects in its neighborhood because of its height merely.

For a like reason the Eiffel tower in Paris is often been struck by lightning. The lofty shaft erected in honor of the father of his country, in Washington, is a frequent target for thunderbolts, and has to be protected against them by an elaborate system of lightning rods.

A high mountain top is sure to be struck frequently by lightning. But not so if its elevation be great enough to uplift it beyond the ordinary level of thunderclouds. In that case it will have a lightning-struck zone lower down, around its sides.

Often a lightning-bolt discharged into quartz rock or quartz sand melts the silica and forms a curious little pipe of glass, perhaps an inch in diameter and some inches in length. Such pipes, called "fugurites," are sometimes found in large numbers on mountain tops.



FOUND—New Ajax tire with Velle cover on it. Owner can have same by calling at Independence Garage and paying for this ad. 11-1t

FOR SALE—Good New Home Sewing Machine with all attachments, \$15. Mrs. B. R. Wolfe, 234 7th St. o11-4t

FOR SALE—Good cedar posts, 8c on board cars. J. W. Thompson, Banks, Oregon, Route 1. 4-1*

WANTED—Contract to cut cordwood. Chas. Preissler, 389 Fourth and D Streets, Independence, Oregon. 5-2t*

TO LOAN—\$2000 on first farm mortgage. Inquire Enterprise office, or address Box 54, Independence. 4-tf

FOR SALE—1918 worm drive Ford truck in good running condition, price \$375. One Cascade, Jr. wood-saw, with 6 foot saw in good running condition, price \$75. F. N. Barks, phone 4321. 4-4tf

BARGAIN—One 1100 pound bay horse, sound and true, single harness and good light spring wagon, both shafts and pole, all for \$75. Phone 304, Monmouth. 2813*

WANTED—Men or women to take orders among friends and neighbors for the genuine guaranteed hosiery, full line for men, women and children. Eliminates darning. We pay 75c an hour spare time, or \$36 a week for full time. Experience unnecessary. Write International Stocking Mills, Norristown, Pa. o21-10t

FOR SALE—Two coal stoves at bargain prices. Dr. M. J. Butler, phone 7821. 30-tf.

FOR SALE—A No. 1 cow, Inquire Enterprise office. 30-tf

FOR SALE—Either one of two well-matched grade Clyde teams, one weighing about 3300 and the other 2800. Excellent for single work. P. O. POWELL & SON, Monmouth. 23-tf.

FOR SALE—Ash, oak, fir and maple wood. L. E. Haselton, Phone 2924. 15-tf.

GOOD PRICES ARE BEING PAID FOR LARGE PRUNES

A summary of all of the prunes of the new crop in the hands of the Oregon Growers' Cooperative association at the end of October showed nearly six and a quarter million pounds had been received up to that time. Large quantities of these prunes have been packed and shipped to eastern markets. Deliveries are not entirely completed and many members of the association still have prunes to be delivered.

Early estimates showed that the association would handle 8,000,000 pounds of dried prunes this season and it is expected that later deliveries will bring the total tonnage up to this figure. Last year 50 percent more prunes were handled from a smaller acreage the total amounting to more than 12,000,000 pounds.

The prunes are being processed and packed in nine different plants in the Willamette and Umpqua valleys.

Though the crop is light the prunes are of large size and of finest quality. Of all of the prunes graded both in the Willamette valley and in the southern part of the state, 48 percent are 30-40s and larger and more than 100,000 pounds of 20-30s have already been graded out.

Probably the first solid car of 20-30s ever shipped from Oregon was shipped from Dallas about a week ago by the association and it is likely that there will be at least two more cars to follow. The car brought \$10,800 from the New York market, the prunes selling for 18 cents a pound.

In spite of the light crop in the Willamette valley some growers are reporting two tons of dried prunes to the acre. One grower near Albany produced 80 tons on 40 acres, ten tons of which were 20s. This would be an excellent record for the best of seasons.

The prune growers of the Umpqua valley are the fortunate ones this season and a bumper yield has been harvested in that district. Packing is continuing regularly and shipping is continuing regularly from all sections.

DALLAS WILL RAISE \$12,000 FOR YEAR'S BUDGET

Dallas — The committee for the preparation of the budget has completed its labor, after more than three weeks of work. The committee was composed of nine citizens and the city council. The charter provides that but 11 mills can be raised, so the full amount for next year is \$12,100. The various funds for which the estimated amount for the expenditure for the ensuing year are:

- Auditor and police judge \$950.00
Treasurer 350.00
Attorney 700.00
Engineer 150.00
Outstanding warrants 3000.00
Marshal 1233.00
City hall 85.17
City park 250.00
City library 3005.00
City water 150.00
Fire department 750.00
City streets 1000.00
City sewer 350.00
Incidental—emergency 1763.83

In addition to the above amount \$2000 will be raised to dispose of bonds voted on by the people and \$1650, which is a one and one-half mill levy, for library purposes. The total amount of money to be collected from the taxpayers to meet the needs of the city is \$15,750, while the estimate of receipts for 1922 is \$1602. The council has been anxious to do many things in the way of improving the conditions of the city, but the money is not available and the improvements cannot be made. It was hoped to do some street work in the ensuing year and to lay a system of sewage in the south and west part of town, but from all indications nothing can be done. The fire department is anxious to have a hose truck and chemical wagon purchased, but the only way the same can be procured will be by a vote of the people, and it is contemplated that a measure will be put on the ballot in May next year.

Millions of dollars worth of watches have accumulated in Switzerland and there is no market.

If you want to sell it, buy it, trade it, or find it, try an Enterprise Classified ad.

Buena Vista

The Misses Gladys and Marjorie Reynolds of Albany, James Turnbull and Cyril Reynolds of O. A. C. and Edwin Ways of Albany Sundayed at the J. A. Reynolds home. The latter holds a responsible position with the Albany Savings bank, whose parents were former acquaintances in their home state, Iowa.

Alfred Loy and Clifford Wells were chosen delegates from the M. E. church here to attend the state S. S. convention which will be held in Salem this week.

Martin Congor, wife and daughter Emma, and Doris, of Sever were Sunday callers at the Anderson home.

T. D. McClain and wife of Salem were weekend visitors with relatives and friends here.

Miss Alma Wells of Salem visited the weekend with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lawrence and babe of Portland moved here last into the Peter Hansen property. Mr. Lawrence is the new garage man for the Willard McClain shop.

Mrs. Sarah Collins returned to her home in Dallas after several days stay here among relatives.

Miss Lucile Tucker of Salem spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Perry Wells.

Harold Reynolds is in Portland this week, where he has a position at the National stock show.

H. M. Nash and Bill Simmons expect to finish up line 37 to go into Independence this week.

Miss Eva McMiller of Linn county arrived here Saturday and will spend the winter with her sister, who is assistant teacher in high school.

The L. R. C. met at the home of the president, Mrs. Hazel Wells with 15 members and two visitors present. The meeting was opened with exercise, or find it, try an Enterprise Classified ad.

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Saturday Special

A Genuine Glenco Dust Mop

Fits any Broom

One Day only, Saturday, November 12th

Regular Price \$1.00

Special Price 69c

Watch this space every week for Special Bargains.

MOORE & ADDISON

Airlie Items

The funeral of Bueregard Tartar which was held in the Airlie church Friday was attended by many relatives and friends. He had lived in this community most of his life.

Mr. Carney visited Salem, Dallas and Independence Saturday.

The young people of the church have organized a choir.

Rev. Ballantyne, wife and son, visited at the J. F. Ulrich home on Friday.

Mrs. K. L. Williams spent Sunday with Mrs. Harry Dickson.

Mrs. A. Caughey has been quite ill with a severe cold.

Frank Tubandt and Alfred Wienert are operating Julius Wienert's mill.

Miss Maude McDaniel spent the weekend at her home.

The seventh grade gave a marsh-mallow roast for their room Saturday evening. Everybody had a did time.

Vern Williams was visiting home Sunday.

Glen Hadley went to Portland Saturday where he expects to find employment.

Mrs. A. C. Staats and Mrs. Womer were shopping in Dallas Saturday.

Robert Harris was a caller in Dallas Saturday.

Prior to 1910 the pink boll worm so destructive to the cotton was unknown in Egypt.

The cotton boll weevil does 400,000 bales of cotton annually in the United States.

It requires many years of experience to learn to know the different kinds of tea.

OUR 4th HISTORY MAKING ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION WILL END WITH A SENSATIONAL WINDUP OF

Dollar Day Opportunities

YOU MUST PLAN ON BEING HERE—IT WILL ADD DOLLARS TO YOUR SAVINGS

Table listing prices for various goods like sugar, coffee, and flour, with 'THE PEOPLE'S CASH STORE' logo and 'SALEM ORE.' text.

LOOK WHAT A DOLLAR WILL BUY AT THE STORE THAT CAN AND DOES UNDERSELL

Three Big Days--Friday, Saturday and Monday

Large table listing various items for sale at \$1.00, including cocoa, rice, beans, tomatoes, milk, peas, sardines, lard, peanut butter, cooking oil, soap, brooms, syrup, dress shirts, ladies' hose, heavy flannel, crepe bloomers, vanity cases, corsets, hats, etc.

WHO GETS YOUR MONEY? The mail order houses have invaded every open field and territory with their catalogue system. They transact their business under the very noses of the local merchants, who cannot attempt to combat this commercial menace that takes thousands upon thousands of Oregon made and hard earned dollars to other market points that are being prospered by these monsters of the trade.

SEE Independence Realty Co. for Real Estate of All Kinds Farm Loans and Insurance Office in Beaver Hotel Building Phone M1811