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Oregon's Chances.

In response to a communication from the Ohio Valley Manufacturers asking Governor Chamberlain's views upon the business situation and outlook in this state, the governor answered the question in the order of their asking as follows:

"Oregon is prosperous and prospering. Her crops of all kinds have been abundant during the past two years. Her mining interests are rapidly developing. Manufacturing enterprises are springing up in our midst, and there is a steady influx of immigration which promises well for the future.

"I have every reason to believe that our state will be benefited by the developments of the coming year. Prospects at present are the most flattering in every field of industry, and I can see nothing now that will tend to retard the growth of our state and the prosperity of our people.

"The coming presidential campaign, no matter what its result may be, will be not have any appreciable effect upon the business conditions of this state. I am one of the number of those who believe the inevitable laws of supply and demand regulates the growth and development of a state or country rather than the personality of the individual who happens to be a candidate for president or the questions that enter into the campaign."

Is President Roosevelt a Jew-Hater?

That is a curious letter President Roosevelt wrote to the executive committee of the B'nai B'rith acceding to the request that he forward the petition of Jewish citizens to the czar praying for just treatment of their brethren in Russia. The President says in effect, "I will forward your petition, but don't think it will make any difference." A most singular way to answer his petitioners, in fact cannot but be offensive, whether or not it is intended that way.

Foe of Wife Beaters.

Chicago Inter Ocean: An idol of women and the terror of wife-beaters has fallen. Yesterday morning Alderman Donohue, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., the justice famous the world over for thrashing the wife-beaters hailed before him, was arrested for assaulting his own wife, carried disgracefully to the station-house, with fewer clothes than modesty requires, and later held by Mayor Price under \$300 bail to appear before the grand jury.

Edward Hogan, a baseball player at Walla Walla, stole his own wife from the pesthouse adjoining that city the other day and lit out for Portland. The Inland Empire League had disbanded, and the baseballist did not propose to leave the town without his wife. She had been in the hospital three weeks for smallpox. Hogan did not quit at that. He turned the carriage over to an acquaintance at the depot for return to the stable from which it was hired. It was not paid for, and now the stableman holds the man, who returned it for the charges.

Where Are the Sign Boards?

There is no section of the road law which is more imperative in its requirements and which is more disregarded, than that which makes it the duty of road supervisors to erect guide boards at the forks of every highway. If the law was strictly followed no supervisor could draw his salary until he had erected guideboards wherever roads unite or cross, yet it is remarked by everyone who travels in the country in this section of the state that there are very few such boards in evidence.

State Land Sales and Taxes.

A Salem dispatch says that for several years the assessors of the several counties of the state have been confronted with the question whether land when it is sold by the state to the individual, but upon which no deed has been given, is subject to taxation. This question was submitted indirectly, and from a non-official source to Attorney-General Crawford recently.

While not rendering an opinion upon the question officially, Mr. Crawford said that neither the certificate of sale nor the land is subject to taxation until the deed is issued.

"The purchaser," he says, "has nothing but an equity in the land until he gets his deed, the state retaining the legal title in the land until it has been paid for in full, and an equity is not subject to taxation. The legislature, in my opinion, could pass a law subjecting these lands to taxation, but at present no such law exists."

The official list of Heppner missing now number but eight. Of these three are babies.

Episcopal churches throughout the state are taking collections to help their Heppner brethren rebuild.

German exports to the United States for the fiscal year ended June 1, totaled \$9,411,000, an increase of \$1,196,000 over the previous year.

That is terrible news from Hanna, Wyoming. Two hundred and eighty men went into a coal mine Tuesday and less than fifty have come out alive. One hundred and sixty-five of the men have large families.

Various London boards of guardians propose to send quite a number of the children under their care to Canada. An excellent move. It will give the youngsters a chance to become somebody. They will have room to develop.

Governor Chamberlain has issued his annual proclamation against setting fires. And they will go ahead taking chances of letting brush and clearing fires get away from their control just the same as if the Governor had done nothing about it. The careful man will be careful with fire. The careless man will heed no one.

Russia does not surprise anyone by stating that no communication from any other power will be received relative to the Kishinef massacre of Jews. That country has the best of it. While the terrible killing has shocked civilized humanity in every clime, Russia can say, "You attend to your business and I will attend to mine." They are Russian subjects. What can any other people do about it?

The Register says "A strain of white blood runs through the colored race of the South that cries out for companionship of white women," and that is responsible for the lynchings that follow outrages. This is not true. The census returns show that apart from the border states the proportion of mulattoes is very small. And the blacker the belt, like some parts of Alabama, the fewer of mixed bloods. It is the negro—many of them but little above the brute—that casts the shade of apprehension over the homes of the South.

Lower Siuslaw Notes.

(Guard Special Service.) Mapleton, July 2.—Mr. Prosser who bought the Patterson place above Acme has a great improvement in the looks by slashing the land, and has driven piling for a bridge across Patterson slough. It was hoped that he would make it his permanent residence but he says he will go to Seattle and will perhaps locate there. He will continue to improve the place. A dyke across the slough is planned which will reclaim a large tract of swamp land and make it one of the best pieces of property in the whole Siuslaw country.

A young man weighing about ten pounds came to F. C. Bean's on the first. He will soon be running the business and Fred can take some needed rest.

I see by the "The West" that the gasoline launch, "Um Paul," has been sold to parties in Gardiner, but it is still running here on the river under the management of Mr. Andrews as of old.

Some of our people tried to make hay but it has been so rainy for several days that it is no go.

Warren Andrews killed a large black bear in the suburbs of Mapleton yesterday. It was worthless but there is one less varmit running at large.

Phil Nickols and Tom Hudson were hunting in the hills west of town Saturday. The dogs treed a cougar but it jumped out of the tree before they could get a shot at it. They failed to tree it again.

We expect to celebrate the Fourth in good style. Hon. J. E. Barnes has consented to deliver the address. In addition to the intellectual features there will be numerous games and will close with a grand ball in the hall in the evening.

That Eugene and Siuslaw telephone has not been commenced yet, but it ought to be. Some of our Eugene capitalists should seriously consider the enterprise. There is money in it.

The Phelps Brothers have their large logging engine in position and expect to push the business after the Fourth.

Cherry Pickers Wanted.

At Dunn's Cherry orchard across the river bridge. Apply to I. M. Francis at the orchard to pick in the morning.

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NO PITY SHOWN. "For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gullede, Verbena, Ala. "I had a terrible case of piles causing 24 tumors. When all failed Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25 cents at W. L. DeLano's drug store."

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Disgusting. "Chollie—I went down to a rather informal affair last evening, dear boy, and gwaocins! I was compelled to witness a sickening sight! "Horror! What was it?" "A fellow without evening dress eating breakfast food for supper!"—Baltimore Herald.

Of course Harvard feels sore today while Yale is correspondingly elated. And it will be a year before the Massachusetts university can have a chance to get even.

President Roosevelt don't want Mark Hanna to run the next presidential campaign. But Mark is no worse now than when he raised millions, and corruptly used it, in the campaign that made McKinley then Roosevelt president. If Mark is bad now he was bad then.

Spokane telephone service is demoralized, and all because the telephone company sought to say what the girls should wear and how they should wear it. High collars, no low-necked dresses, turn down collars, no wearing flowers, and hair done up on top of the head, caused the mutiny. The girls were right in insisting on their privilege of dressing in prevailing fashion and looking as pretty as possible. They have other views for the future than answering the telephone call.

Iverson Items.

(Guard Special Service.) Iverson, July 1.—Rainy weather which is bad on the hay crop. Gardens look fine and a good fruit crop insured.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. McGlynn, of this place attended the Moore-Weber wedding at the Catholic church in Eugene Tuesday.

I. S. Day and family were in Eugene a couple of days last week.

M. D. Evers of Elmira, was doing business in this neighborhood today.

Several parties from here attended the picnic at Walton Saturday and all report a splendid time.

The mountain roads were never in better condition than at present.

Wild blackberries are very scarce in these parts.

C. M. Stephens, of Noti valley, was hauling shingles from here Monday. He has just completed a substantial house and barn on his ranch on the Noti.

S. R. Withrow was doing time on his homestead last week.

Walters and Son, of Elmira, have two logging camps now running on Noti. They are getting a nice lot of logs out.

Walter Chastain, who was laid up with rheumatism the past month, has so far recovered that he is able to get around once more.

There will be a meeting of Socialist Local, No 13, at the Iverson school house the 4th. A genuine love feast is anticipated.

Ed Whitaker, who is working in Walters' logging camp, visited relatives at Walton Saturday and Sunday.

Allen Chastain, of Brownsville, was up last week working on his homestead. He returned Monday accompanied by his niece, Miss Joy Cornelius, who will remain an indefinite time.

Irving Items.

(Guard Special Service.) Irving, July 1.—The ladies' aid society met in the vacant store building here on Thursday afternoon and transacted business in the interest of charity, about twenty ladies being present.

J. W. Baker went to Turner for a few days' visit with his father, B. W. Walker.

Several farmers in this neighborhood have commenced moving their hay, a sure sign of rain.

Hon. I. N. Edwards, of Riverview, was in Irving on business Thursday.

W. B. Yates has recently added a refrigerator to his establishment and will prepare to furnish ice cold soda water and ice cream on short notice.

A fish vendor was in Irving from Eugene on Wednesday and promised regular trips in the future.

Miss Effie Mongold, who recently accompanied her father and sisters to Grants Pass, returned to Irving on Monday, not finding the climate of Southern Oregon adapted to her health.

A daughter of Andrew Baker arrived here on a visit Sunday to her parents.

From the number of new harvesting machines being shipped in and the number of large barns in course of construction in this section one would be led to the belief that the farmers were expecting an abundance at harvest, and it is to be hoped their expectations will be realized.

FARM FOR SALE.

A farm of 216 acres in Pleasant Hill precinct is offered for sale. 130 acres in cultivation and more suitable. Balance pasture and 16 acres of timber. Suited for grain, hay and stock. Well watered by springs.

Two dwelling houses on premises. Call on or address,

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ALSO THE OREGONIAN. The WEEKLY GUARD and the Weekly Oregonian to paid-in-advance subscribers, \$2.25 per year.

Brevities

Snow fell at Butte, Montana, yesterday to the depth of several inches.

The old fire cistern at the intersection of West Eighth and Olive streets is being filled up.

Al Kuykendall is helper in the post-office while the several clerks take their summer vacations.

The Oregonian puts the yield of grain in Oregon, Washington and Idaho at just 41,678,000 bushels for the year ending.

Miss Farrow, representing Baker's cocoa, is demonstrating the good qualities of that particular brand at Ax Billy's store.

The clerks and bartenders of Marshall field baseball Tuesday for the Heppner relief fund. Over \$500 was realized. The clerks won, 12 to 11.

Three lintels for the opera house were put on the ground this morning. They each contain 2,840 pounds of iron and were cast at Frazer's Iron Works, Eugene.

A late Butte, Mont., Miner has a double column cut of Fred Herbold in football costume, together with his coaching record. He will coach the Butte team next season.

Numerous prostrations were reported yesterday at Cleveland, Ohio, as a result of the prevailing intense heat. The government thermometer yesterday registered 88.

Albany Democrat: Either Eugene or Roseburg with their present professional aggregations of ball players would come very close to doing up either of the Portland clubs.

The Albany league team defeated the Lebanon team yesterday by the score of 12 to 1. Salem defeated the Schillers, the crack team of Portland, by the score of 8 to 1.

The cyclone hose Co. met at firemen's hall last evening and voted to participate in the celebration. Chas. Evans was chosen to take charge of the arrangements.

With few exceptions all the logging camps in the Lower Columbia River district will close down today for a month or six weeks. The logging companies agreed to do this so that the surplus logs might become exhausted and the price maintained.

A child can operate the Deering self dump hay rake. We have a car load in stock.

Chambers' Hardware. Al. A. Simmons is located at the old stand, 6th and Williamette streets where the best grade photo work may be had at reasonable rates.

Why Don't You Use BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT?

This Popular Remedy. CURES Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Burns, Lambe Back, Stiff Joints, Corns, Buntions and Chillsbains, and all inflammation of Man or Beast.

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Even children drink Grain-O because they like it and the doctors say it is good for them. Why not? It contains all of the nourishment of the pure grain and none of the poisons of coffee.

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Dexter Items.

(Guard Special Service.) Dexter, July 2.—Mrs. E. B. Hunsaker of San Francisco, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Mabel Williams is spending a part of the week in Eugene.

S. M. Goddard now rides in a new buggy.

Haying has begun here, though but little will be done until after the 4th.

The Booth-Kelly Company have gone up the Williamette to bring down a drive of logs for the Springfield mill.

Three logging camps have about all closed down until after the fourth.

Ruth and Paul Guiley of Creswell, visited friends here a couple of days this week.

A few of the young people of this place attended the Creswell picnic.

E. J. Johnson had a barn raising Monday. R. S. Edwards is also erecting a new barn.

Mr. Wilkins the gentlemen who is interested in the North Fork mines, left here this week for his home in Pennsylvania.

W. H. Berg of Cottage Grove, visited friends here Sunday and Monday.

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For Sale. FOR SALE.—Two A No. 1. cows. W. R. Doherty, river road opposite Bangs' Park. GOATS FOR SALE.—50 head of Cruzan goats for sale. Call or address Cruzan Brothers, Zion, Oregon. SHEEP FOR SALE.—57 head of sheep. 49 early lambs, balance ewes. Call on or address Frank Perry, general delivery, Eugene, Or. FOR SALE.—80 acres timber land with living water and large house also 10,000 capacity sawmill; located two and one-half miles east of Saguinaw, Oregon. Address H. H. Joyce, Saguinaw. FOR SALE, TRADE OR RENT.—good farm for either sale, trade or rent. Would sell personal property with crop, cheap and give possession most any time. For further information call on or address Frank Lemley, Pleasant Hill, Oregon. FOR SALE.—One team and harness one set single harness; one 2-horse wagon; one harrow, one cultivator two milch cows, one yearling heifer, one yearling colt, one sow with eight pigs, one sow, one feed cutter, one Petaluma incubator; for sale in parts to suit the purchaser from now till June 1st. Call on Mrs. Ella Bissell, one-quarter mile west of Henderson Station.

Wanted. WANTED.—Cherry orchards, large or small. Write giving description and price, to Commercial Cream Company, Salem, Oregon.

A child can operate the Deering self dump hay rake. We have a full stock of all sizes. Chambers' Hardware.

Attention.

To this Sale of Men's Trousers. A grand CLEARANCE SALE of Trousers in which all notion of profit is disregarded.

We place on sale this week 89 pair of trousers odds and ends of our stock. These consist of imported and domestic worsted, cheviot and tweed garments in all patterns that we have sold as high as \$6.00, not one pair in the lot worth less than \$3.50.

Your choice of the entire lot while they last \$2.50

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