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GOOD CROPS INSURE GENERAL PROSPERITY

How splendid are the material prospects of the nation as it enters the June reckoning of the fields nature is now preparing for the harvest! There have been eight successive crop years of great abundance. The new century has not been a failure—and now every condition promises for this year a yield such as the republic has never known, surpassing in its bounty even the riches harvested last year, when the soil yielded products valued at seven billion dollars, says the Los Angeles Express.

Over Seventeen million acres of wheat were sown in the spring, 631,000 more than last year. The spring wheat is in excellent condition—over 7 per cent better than at the same time a year ago, and surpassing even the average percentage of condition for the past ten unprecedented years. The condition of winter wheat, while low in some states, is for the whole country nearly 10 per cent better than it was a year ago. Thirty-one million acres of oats, in prime condition, await the harrow. Should ordinary good fortune attend the progress of the season, it is probable that the value of the farm products of the United States for the current year will exceed the total attained last year by over one billion dollars.

Whatever check on business activity may be imposed by the political uncertainties of a presidential year, no adverse circumstances can withstand such magnificent and rich soil prosperity. The creation of that stupendous mass of fresh wealth will revivify the nation in all its length and breadth. We shall see such a period of growth and progress of activity in all lines of trade and industry, as the union has never looked upon.

The dawn of the new bright day already reddens the sky. The short night of doubt and difficulty is nearly done.

Judge Hanna, of the Southern Oregon district court, has decided that Medford's city charter overrides the state local option law and that the city may remain wet, although the entire county was voted dry. Of course the judge is aware that he will be bumped hard by the supreme court, a decision having been rendered on precisely the same issue in an appeal from Judge Harris' court in Lane county two years ago—but Hanna doesn't care for a third thing like that. A good many years ago he went so far in refusing to obey the mandate of the higher court that he had to resign from the bench, and it may be that he will again make the same stubborn fight, for the "wet" of Medford.

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Kennedy's Laundry Cleaners. The best laundry cleaning and dyeing. All kinds of laundry work. 100 W. 3rd Street.

The morning papers of last week contained a startling statement regarding the wrecking of the steamship "The Oregon" on a reef in Puget Sound. It was stated that the vessel was wrecked on the night of the 15th, and that the crew were rescued. The next morning the papers showed up at Seattle, and the wrecking of the "Oregon" was reported as a fact. The papers of the 17th and 18th showed that the vessel was not wrecked, and that the crew were not rescued. The fact is that a fog came on the night of the 15th, and the vessel was not wrecked.

cannot the cruiser to anchor over night—and the extraordinary reports with an imaginative mind are not to be trusted.

The news published in last evening's Guard, that the lumbermen had won their fight against the proposed raise in rates, was received with much satisfaction here. It will no doubt have the effect of establishing a market price for lumber once more, and in due time will result in the re-opening of many mills in Lake county and the Willamette valley.

The two Bills which will fight it out for the presidential job are both pretty good fellows. No bad bills go in this campaign—unless the trust magnates sneak them into the legitimate expense fund when the treasurer's back is turned.

In expressing the opinion that common sense would decide the presidential election, Henry Watterson gave every man hope, for every man believes that common sense is on his side.

What puzzles a lot of people is why John Hays Hammond didn't go after the presidency—there would have been more advertising and the result would have been the same.

Fairbanks got one vote in the republican national convention. That fellow was probably trying to forget the sweltering Chicago heat by contemplating the other extreme.

No matter who ordered Hitchcock to "smash the opposition," the opposition is willing to admit that the order was carried out with neatness and dispatch.

It was all a mistake to think that Kansas and Missouri rivers had cornered the water of the world. Oregon still has a plentiful supply, thank you.

It would be difficult to make Chicago bartenders believe that any practicing prohibitionists attended the national convention.

LaFollette got a lot of applause but also doesn't always nominate a president, nor elect one either, as one Billy Bryan can testify.

The "Market Day" parade could have been made a success if composed entirely of "floats"—or sailing vessels.

President Hall earnestly requests the presence of each member at our regular meeting Saturday evening, June 20, as this will be the last meeting before the department convention at Newport June 24 to 27, inclusive. It is for the interest of all who wish to go to the convention to be present or report to the president on or before this meeting.

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HENRY'S DISCOVERY. "I've often wondered," Henry said, "Why people always say 'They post a letter when they start to send it on its way.' But now the mystery is solved; 'tis plain as plain can be; 'Tis 'cause the boxes all are put on lamp posts; don't you see?"

Heart to Heart Talks. By EDWIN A. NYE. Copyright, 1908, by Edwin A. Nye.

GOOD FOR YOUR "BLUES." When you begin to think you have a hard time in life— Just then is a good time to compare your condition with that of some who have a harder time than you, more sorrows than you, less prosperity than you.

Should you happen to be in the sort of mood described here a touching passage in the life history of a poor Milwaukee woman—read it anyway—this from "the short and simple annals of the poor."

Mrs. Mary Wiedig, widow, lost her only child, a little girl. She had no money to give the child a decent sepulcher. She went to the poor commissioner. And this is the sequel:

Mrs. Wiedig staggered up the path in the cemetery which led to the plot of ground where her husband was buried, bearing the little coffin which held the body of her little one. She took a spade she had put there the day before and began to dig. Poor woman! She was digging the grave of her only child—the last tie that held her to earth.

One who passed through the cemetery heard the crying and went to the spot where the frail woman bent to her awful task.

She explained why she was digging the grave herself. She had no money to pay the sexton. "They would have buried her for me for nothing if I had let them put her grave over there in the potter's field. But she was such a little child, so little, and sometimes when I was obliged to leave her alone she was afraid of the dark. I wanted her to lie by her father's side so she would not be afraid. I told the poor commissioner how I felt, and he gave me this coffin. The woman who lives next door from me is coming out next Sunday to plant some vines."

And the agonized mother talked on, half wild with her grief and scarce knowing what she said, calling tenderly the name now of husband, now of child.

The man had a heart. He hurried to the sexton and gave him money to dig the child's grave and bury her in the potter's field. And the woman cried, but this time the tears were sweet instead of bitter.

This story is not from the pages of fiction.

Number 10 is a funny sketch. It is reprinted in a reliable newspaper, which gives, for particulars concerning

the woman's home and history. Compare your disappointment and troubles and sorrows and heartaches with those of this miserable one. You have not passed through hades.

BIDS WANTED. Separate bids wanted for brick work, iron work, plastering, cement work, plumbing, wiring and all exterior mill work for the I. O. O. F. building on or before the 20th of June, 1908.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of John Hinzler, Eugene, Oregon. Each bidder will be required to furnish a bond of at least fifty per cent of his bid. By order of building committee.

Kodol is the best-known preparation that is sold by druggists today for dyspepsia or indigestion, or any stomach trouble. Kodol digests all foods. It is pleasant to take. It is sold here by all druggists.

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50 acre farm, 38 acres in crop, 12 in pasture; new 6-room house and barn; crop, stock, tools, implements, etc. If taken soon, go with place at \$13,500—\$15,000 cash, balance on good terms.

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New 3-room house and lot. Price \$1,000. In every respect, well furnished, for \$2,000.

Good new 3-room house and two lot, well furnished, chicken house and porch, family orchard and berries; a good home; for \$1,000.

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FOR SALE—Loose chest hay, Squire Smith, Phone Farmers 1343, d&w320.

FOR SALE—A cash register, a safe, and a nickel coffee urn. Enquire at Guard office.

FOR SALE—Five fresh Jersey milk cows. Phone Farmers 189, D. P. Olson, Irving.

FOR SALE—A gas heater, almost new, for sale cheap. Address Box 14, Eugene, Or.

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Hereford bulls for sale. Enquire 559 Willamette street.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Second-hand buggy; will take wood, potatoes or chickens. Apply at Underwood House, Eugene.

FOR SALE—A few tons hay now on race track, Monroe and Thirteenth street. A. C. Mathews.

FOR SALE—Good 5-room house on large lot; good garage. Call at 168 Jefferson street.

FOR SALE—Buff Orpington eggs, 13 for \$1. W. B. Hampton, 1197 Columbia avenue, corner 19th st.

FOR SALE—A first-class barn, suitable to be made into a dwelling. Enquire 836 or 848 Alder street.

FOR SALE—Parties wishing to buy 200 acres of first-class timber land, call on J. W. Carlie, four miles west of Hale.

FOR ABSTRACTS in Douglas county, or blue prints of vacant lands, write Roseburg Abstract Company, Roseburg, Or.

FOR SALE—All kinds of four-foot wood. Can deliver at once. Address G. L. Beckwith, Goshon, Or. Phone Farmers 5255.

FOR SALE—9-room house, three blocks from Willamette street; lot 80x70 feet. Price, \$2100. Oregon Land Company.

FOR SALE—Timber land; quarter section in township 16, s. r. 1 w. section 32. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Address C. J. G., care Guard office.

FOR SALE—City lots, close in; \$300, \$350 and \$400; \$50 down and \$1 per month, without interest. W. H. Kay, at Eugene Gun Company's store.

FOR SALE—A No. 1 business for sale; good location; clean stock; will take city property in part payment. Wish to retire from business. Call at Guard office.

FOR SALE—First-class baled chest hay; also maple and old growth fir wood. Louis C. Vitus, Junction, Or., R. F. D. No. 2. Phone Farmers' 129.

FOR SALE—A well improved farm of 120 acres, 4 miles north of Coburg. This is a bargain at \$50 per acre. On good terms. Smith & Brown, Coburg, Or.

FOR SALE—One National cash register, one Remington typewriter and a large iron safe. Enquire of L. M. Travis, Loan & Savings bank building.

FOR SALE—Piece of property on West Sixth street. Will give a reduction of \$250 if taken within ten days. Box 541, Eugene, Or.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 160 acres of timber on the Siuslaw, one mile from the river; timber 5,000,000 feet. \$2,000. Enquire C. V. Oglesby, room 16, Beckwith building.

FOR RENT—Office at 113 West Seventh street, Eugene. 318.

FOR RENT—New front room; furnace heat; electric lights and bath. Suitable for two gentlemen. 144 East Ninth street.

HOTEL PROPOSITION—The Junction City Hotel, containing 50 rooms, furnished complete, has recently changed ownership and the property is now for sale. A very favorable proposition will be given to a first-class hotel man. Will give long lease if desired. Address H. N. Burchell, Junction City, Or.

MISCELLANEOUS. FOR RENT—Good wagon for wood. C. S. Frank, 139 East Ninth street.

IF YOU WANT TO SELL your property tell the Oregon Land Company about it and they will do the rest. 412 Willamette street, Eugene, Or.

THE OWNERS ONLY—Owners desiring to dispose of moderate sized tracts of good quality land, especially may find it to their advantage to address H. & W., care of The Guard.

IF YOU ARE GOING AWAY for the summer who would like some one to take care of their place may call on or phone to Mrs. Frances Griffith, 307 West Fifth street, Phone Red 1752.

NOTICE—Having recovered from my injury I have resumed my business of horseshoeing and general blacksmithing. C. D. Holloway, East Eleventh street, Fairmount, Or.

DON'T fail to see Chasem if you want bargains in real estate. We buy and sell farm and city property, improved and unimproved. Timber and mining stock. H. Chasem, Room 11, Walton Bldg. 4f.

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Wending Branch. No. 81—8:30 a. m., leaves Eugene for Springfield. No. 82—11:19 a. m., arrives Eugene from Springfield. No. 87—1:09 p. m., leaves Eugene for Wending. No. 88—5:49 p. m., arrives Eugene from Wending.

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