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Yes, it true there is lots of rain in Oregon, but look at the crops produced.

The man who lives in any community without working for its interest is riding someone else's horse.

The completion of the fruit cannery should be but a step in the development of the industrial possibilities of Forest Grove.

A good way to increase the proportion of farm taxes in Washington county is to decrease the value of store property in the towns.

How many of the Washington county farmers and fruit growers are going to enter exhibits at the Portland Land Products show?

The man who invests money in farm improvements in Washington county does not merely get interest on the money; he increases the principal.

Lots of wet leaves scattered on the sidewalks, to the detriment of pedestrians. Just a few minutes work with a broom would improve walking.

Now that the National sparing match is over, the politicians of Forest Grove are turning their attention to the city election, which is due directly after the first of the year.

"MADE IN OREGON DAY."

The idea of patronizing our neighbor will be brought to the fore on November 21, which has been proclaimed "Made in Oregon Day" by Governor West, and officially decreed a holiday. The Oregon Manufacturers' association will meet in Portland on that date, and Portland business houses will decorate and arrange window displays for the proper exposition of "made in Oregon" goods and "grown in Oregon" products. The idea is to bring before the people of the state the necessity of patronizing themselves, and to pre-empt upon them to use "made in Oregon" goods and eat "Oregon grown" foods.

SUCCESSFUL COOPERATION

Saturday, in Forest Grove, the first session of the Washington County Teachers' association, for the present school period, was held in the Central school building. The work undertaken was of such a nature as to materially assist the county teachers in the performance of their duties, and the furtherance of education throughout the county. At these gatherings, which are of untold benefit, both to teacher and pupil, ideas are exchanged, programs mapped out, and the general work of teaching the young gone into in a thorough and practical manner. The meetings of the association should be attended by every teacher in the county, and the ideas secured put to practical use in the everyday work. This county has always had an association, but the present organization is expected to excel in every way the efforts of the past, and to leave behind

it, at the close of the school year, a record for advancement and development in things educational which will set a standard for those to come.

NOW FOR PROGRESS.

"Single Tax" the bugaboo of the investor and the man who "does things" has been overwhelmingly defeated and relegated to the archives of ancient history, so far as Oregon is concerned. The development of the state as a whole should now proceed unchecked and unhampered. The upbuilding of great industrial enterprises will be but a matter of time, and limited time at that. The eyes of the capitalists have long been turned toward Oregon, as the one state on the Pacific slope wherein opportunity awaits, and that these capitalists propose to pour wealth into the state, and

assist in its rise to commercial and industrial supremacy, is a fact acknowledged without reservation by all who are familiar with existing conditions.

SELF-DEVELOPMENT.

A town is in some ways like a person. If it amounts to anything it must be largely self-made. The town that drifts, like the person that drifts, or the ship that drifts, is not likely to come to the right harbor. If prosperity is the haven desired, it will not be reached without determination and self-guidance. This truism has been applied to human conduct so often as to become commonplace, and would not be repeated here except to emphasize the fact that it applies to communities quite as much as to individuals.

A town is a problem like a child. It should not be left to

grow up by itself. Its destiny should be guided by the wisdom of its elders. There is no lack of elders in any town who have opinions as to what is wrong with it. They are to be found at the grocery stores, the cigar stores and every common meeting place. If these wiseacres would exercise their perspicacity in figuring out what would be good for the town, and then would all pull together in trying to bring that good about, the result would be such a matter of local pride that nobody would want to talk about anything else. The destiny of a community, like that of an individual, can be controlled; the possibilities of development and improvement are almost unlimited; and it is not only wisdom but money in the pocket for the citizens to take their town in hand and try to make it amount to something.

**Clipped
and Pasted**Democrats should tender "Teddy" a congratulatory message for his aid in the presidential victory. — *Hood River Glacier*.Joe Cannon's old auto has been sold in Portland for \$600. All his machines seem to have gone to the bad. — *Eugene Daily Guard*.Farmers do not look like they used to, nor do they talk like they used to, but then neither do they farm like they used to. — *Farm and Home*.It is pretty hard to make a case of the Salem boiler explosion, with both McNamaras in prison and the rest at Indianapolis. — *Oregonian*.If the American balloon entered in the Berlin races had been inflated with some of our pre-election gas it might have stayed up longer. — *Eugene Register*.A Baltimore surgeon says that many baseball players "move almost of themselves, with little direction from the brain." Yep, we've seen some of that kind. — *Rainier Review*.And in the midst of a most overwhelming political defeat President Taft had to come to the front officially with a Thanksgiving proclamation sent forth yesterday! Can you beat it? — *Evening Telegram*.Governor Wilson showed mighty good confidence in himself Tuesday night, or he has a splendid nerve. He went to bed at nine o'clock and let the morning papers tell him he had been elected president. — *Oregon City Courier*.The elephant may be alright for the show ring, but the donkey does the real work every day. Just where the bull moose comes in is not yet determined. So far he hasn't come in very much—and probably won't. — *Roseburg Review*.**EVENING BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED AT HOME OF MRS. THORNBURG**

The full membership of the Evening Bridge club were guests of Mrs. J. A. Thornburg last Saturday evening at her charming home in this city. Five hundred was indulged in and at the conclusion of play a delightful light luncheon was served. High Prize went to Mrs. W. W. McEldowney and Dr. C. E. Walker and the consolation was awarded to Mrs. W. B. Haines and W. W. McEldowney. Several very enjoyable hours were passed.

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