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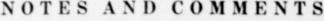
Every meal, and he believes Entered as second-class matter Jan. 12, 1916, at the postoffice at Forest Grove, Oregon, under the Act of March 3, 1879 He should say just what he thinks, Spite of mother's nudge and winks.

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"I am sorry that you do not wear a flag every day and I can only ask you if you lose the physical emblem to be sure that you wear it IN YOUR HEART: the heart of America shall interpret the heart of the world."-President Wilson.



"Hats off" I cry, To Addam Pfaff, Who has a si-Lent phonograph. -Cincinnati Enquirer.

PASS IT ON

And bow ye low To Willie Wesson, Who's given up His fiddling lessons. -Macon Telegraph.

We make so bold To hail Miss Hannah, She's gone and sold That there piano. -Columbia State.

But come-shake hands With William Bailey, Who's went and hocked His ukelele. -Portland Journal.

I'm as happy, boys, As type can tell; My neighbor's cow Has lost her bell!

some peddler of court plaster be- need a town crier to awaken the ing arrested on suspicion of sleepers. Don't let Forest Grove spreading disease. Probably not become that kind of a town. one plaster in a thousand is diseased, but you may get the thousandth plaster. Turn them all down, if you want to be safe.

That news from the government abuses and by their votes helped as deserving of honor and credit crop experts that the corn crop in perpetuate the iniquitous practice as men or women who fill public the United States now in prospect of paying salaries to clerks and offices .-- Western Farmer. is the greatest in the history of janitors for committees that never the country brings the smile of meet, some of the salaries being cheer to every patriotic son and duplications of those already daughter of the republic. If we drawn by congressmen for their must feed the world, there is noth- private secretaries. in more "fillin" or "fattenin" than Congressman Hawley was regood old corn, served in any style. | corded as "not voting" on the test roll call .- Oregon Voter. Thanks to the prompt and ef-The Portland Chamber of Commerce law and order committee should keep its collective eye on these congressmen, who exhibit I. W. W. tendencies.

get chesty about your enlistments, neighbor; many of the recruits credited to Portland came to that burg from Forest Grove, Gaston. Banks, Buxton, Hillsboro, Beaverton and Scappoose to enlist. The old "spinster" was saved from the draft because of the patiliotism of the country-bred boys.

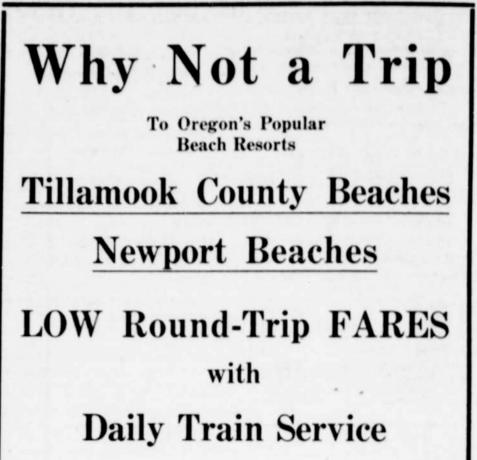
Unless you are trying to make this a better town, you are not a very patriotic citizen. There are many ways in which you can help without spending a cent. One excellent way to help Forest Grove is to increase the enrollment of Pacific University. Many of you have young friends in the west who are going to enter college in September. Why not recommend P. U. to them? In that way you will have your friend near you, you will benefit your friend, the college and the town. Wake up! If Opportunity should come stalk-Almost every day we read of ing through some towns she would

WITH THE SPOILERS

girls to be useful members of society, and finds time for intellectual improvement.'

The beauty of this is that it isn't confined to the singular number. No, there are many such women. And isn't it consoling that these stay-at home, busy women are appreciated and really counted as among the truly great. Note all of the things which are included; she is in moderate circumstances, so doesn't have every convenience and must plan and manage to make ends meet.

She is capable of doing all kinds of housework and has the strength to accomplish them. The bringing up of children to be neither drones nor culprits, but useful members of society, is no small task in itself, and yet she has time for self-improvement to keep pace Congressmen McArthur and with the advancement of the day Sinnott of Oregon voted against Women who prove themselves the resolution to reform clerk hire so capab'e in private life are fully Elsewhere in this issue is a intendent of schools which shows that the cost of educating pupils is less in the Forest Grove high school than in any other high school in the county. This statement is referred, without com- away from It. ment, to those taxpayers who have been complaining about the expense of conducting the local high school.



For information and booklets, call on your local agent or write

> John M. Scott, General Passenger Agent Portland, Ore

Southern Pacific Lines

ROAD DRAG RULES.

The Colorado Experiment Station Issues Some Good Advice.

Use a light drag. Haul it over the road at an angle so that a small amount of earth is pushed to the center of the road. Drive the team at a walk, Ride on the drag; do not walk. Begin at one side of the road, returning up the opposite side. Drag the road as soon after every

rain as possible, but not when the mud is in such a condition as to stick to the drag. Do not drag a dry road.

Drag whenever possible at all seasons of the year.

The width of traveled way to be maintained by the drag should be from eighteen to twenty feet. First drag a little more than the width of a single wheel track, then gradually increase

until desired width is obtained.

Washington County Transfers

The following real estate transfers were recorded with the register of deeds at Hillsboro during the past week:

H. E. Lee et ux to B. L. Phillips, et ux, tract south of NE cor. W half of SW quar. sec 15, 2N4, \$10.

Jesse W. Phillips et ux to H. E. Lee et ux, 16 acres south of NE cor. of W. half of SW quar. sec. 15, 2N4, \$10. S. A. Safford et ux to John H. How-

ell, two acres W of NE cor. of sec. 36, 2N4, \$10,

J. E. Reeves et ux to C. J. Ross, lot 14, Spring Hill Farm, with buildings, \$2,000.

A. C. Bancroft et al to C. C. Caples, lot 22, Hillsboro Acres, \$143.67.

W. W. McEldowney et ux to H. C. Atwell, tract E of SW cor. block 3, Walker's add, to Forest Grove \$1



You can always hear him chew; Drinks out of his saucer, too, And he doesn't mind a bit When you call him down for it. Takes old-fashioned remedy For what ails him. Says that he Can't see much in this new "thought" Tho, of course, he ought.

DAD

Has no manners of the court.

Likes to eat in his shirt-sleeves

He is not well versed in Greek:

Plain old Yankee does he speak.

They have not been published yet.

And his rules of etiquette-

Dad's not very long on style, And he wears no fine silk tile; Interest in art, to him, Is naught but a silly whim.

He's more taken up with cooks Than with music or with books; Polish is not in his line, But I'll tell you, friend of mine, When I'm looking for a V, Dad looks mighty good to me. -Brooklyn Eagle.

ficient work of Water Commissioner P. W. Watkins and his assistants, Forest Grove escaped a water famine, the obstruction to the supply pipe having been removed Saturday, the reservoir THE GREATEST scrubbed clean and refilled to the overflowing point by Monday wet down their lawns and gardens, price

Portland papers are boasting

WOMAN

Two hundred school teachers morning. Residents may now were asked the question, "Who was or is the greatest woman in if they are willing to pay the all history?" and the answer which was conceded to be the best was as follows:

"The wife of the farmer of modthat, because so many men from erate means who does her own that city enlisted, no one was cooking, washing, ironing, sewing, drafted from Portland. Don't brings up a family of boys and



The fight being waged in congress by the profit-mongers who want to get rich out of the war is a disgrace to America, mother of democracies. A few first-class Express office. lynchings might improve the morality and patriotism of America's ' house of lords."

Another Vote of Thanks

Following is another testimonial to the fact that the people of Forest Grove did their full duty by their guest during the recent G. A. R. encampment:

Portland, July 17, 1917. Messrs. Hollis & Graham,

Forest Grove, Ore. Dear Sirs: The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic send a unanimous vote of thanks and appreciation to you, to the citizens of Forest Grove, to the Commercial club and Forest Grove Woman's club for the many courtesies and entertainments given us; to those who so kindly tendered us the use of their autos, and the Knights of Pythias for the use of their hall;also to the Boy Scouts for the willing service rendered us. Will you kindly convey the substance of this communication to those named herein. Again thanking you, we remain,

> Respectfully yours, LADIES OF THE G. A. R.

> Mary B. Robinson, Dep't. Sec'y.

The latest in straw hats for men and boys at John Anderson's.

Always drag a little earth toward the center of the road until it is raised statement from the county super- from ten to twelve inches above the edges of the traveled way

If the drag cuts too much shorten the hitch.

The amount of earth that the drag will carry along can be very considerably controlled by the driver, according as he stands near the cutting end or

When the roads are first dragged after a muddy spell the wagons should drive if possible to one side until the roadway has a chance to freeze or partially dry out.

The best results from dragging are obtained only by repeated application. Remember that constant attention is necessary to maintain an earth road in Its best condition.

Public sale bills printed at the

Phone 821

Wm Smith et ux to J. C. Smith, 36.477 acres S of NW cor. of NW quar. of sec. 18, 1N3, \$1.

J. C. Smith et ux to Wm Smith et ux same property as above, \$1.

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In comparison with street dresses some of the city ladies wear, the 1917 bathing suits are almost painfully modest.

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Come in and let us talk it over.

The EXPRESS

Forest Grove, Ore