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of at the Grants Pass, Ore-

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************* OREGON WEATHER

Tonight and Tuesday rain st, rain or anow east poron: warmer: southerly winds. +

MOTORING ALL THE YEAR

"Oregonians motor all the year" is the slogan the automobilists of Portland are going to use in attracting attention to Oregon as a district available for winter touring. That sounds good, and smells of budding leaf and bursting bloom.

Yes, Oregonians motor all the year. Here at Grants Pass there is no seaen the auto is put away in cold storage. The same holds good in many other localities of the state. But to start out on a pleasure jaunt that will carry one through the snow drifts of eastern Oregon or in the mud of portions of western Oregon "all the year" might be a bit unusual. To the eastern reader Oregon means simply Oregon.

Oregoniana also swim all the year. If you do not believe it look at the lovely forms depicted in the Portland dailies of fair damsels and manly youths just from a "Xmas day plunge in the Willamette." When you start your friends out on that pleasare trip by auto around Mount Hood, have them also take their one-piece bathing suit along, for "Oregonians go swimming all the year." And then they may be interested in a New Year swim in Crater lake after having tried the Willamette on Xmas day and come up smiling as sweetly as the ladies pictured in the Sunday

THE NEWSPAPER BUSINESS

Prof. Bric W. Allen used to make a good living in the newspaper bus-The adjective shows where trying to make a "journalist" of any young Oregonian who thinks he would like to court fame and the possibility of an early and violent taking off, the state paying Mr. Allen a round salary as head of the department at the university at Eugene. So Prof. Allen has viewed the business from both sides of the paling, once when it was necessary to produce a livelihood, and now when be can allow his hobbies to have full play. As a result, the opinions which Mr. Allen expresses upon the business of making a newspaper are unique and valuable and mostly true. The following is one of the thoughts which he expressed when speaking before a convention at Missoula, Mont., last week:

"Journalism has the highest ethics and the hardest to live up to of any of the professions. The newspaper man trying to do right gets little sympathy and no understanding outside of his own profession. The other powers that make for righteousness are often found with perfectly clear consciences but imperfect knowledge urging him to do what he alone knows would be wrong. 'Pitiless publicity' is more popular in theory than in practice. I dare say that there is scarcely a prominent clergyman, educator, or political reformer in the land who has not at some time tried to divert some newspaper from that even-handed justice which is our ideal. And the paper is then excoriated for 'attacking' the church, the college, or the reform movement.

"The newspaper of the future, the newspaper we are working toward. will be financially strong, paying good wages and high salaries, and maintaining its independence; strong in its news, telling the truth without fear or favor; strong in its leadership, working for the economic and spiritual welfare of the common man and boldly standing up against the forces that would demoralize his mind or exploit the products of his



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7.00 High-cut Shoes	5.75
3.75 Work Shoes	3.18
4.25 Work Shoes	3.69
5.00 Work Shoes	4.18
3,00 Dress Shoes	2.49
3.50 Dress Shoes	2.98
4.60 Dress Shoes	3.49



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