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OREGON WEATHER

Weather for the Week
Pacific Coast States: Quite frequent rains north and central portions; generally fair south portion; nearly normal temperatures.
Tonight and Saturday fair, except probably rain near coast.
Moderate easterly winds will prevail.

LOCAL DEVELOPMENT

There is a spirit of progress and of improvement in the Southern Oregon atmosphere. In Grants Pass the old is giving way to the new. Structures that have had their day and outlived their usefulness are being supplanted by more modern structures. The better system of highways that has been inaugurated in the entire country is reflected in this move. Modern garages that look largely to the traveler for their patronage are principally the present development, but locally there is the new theater building. This also finds much of its reason in the better highway, for the patronage is no longer confined to the immediate vicinity. Good attractions will draw from miles around. The pressing need in Grants Pass that must force itself upon attention, is the demand for homes. Scores of residents have had to protect themselves through purchase of properties they had formerly rented, and it is said that upon one of the principal residence streets in the city there is now only one home that is not owned by its occupant. The housing

10 a. m. Today

Received Shipment
New Plaids
More Voiles—More Crepes

KINNEY & TRUAX

DRY GOODS DEPT.

problem must be met, and a plan for the building of houses will have to be outlined if Grants Pass is to care for the new comers who will want to rent or purchase when they come. The suburban home, built on acreage under the new irrigation project, will go a considerable way in this, but more houses in the city is a present need.

THE BALANCE AGAINST THE HORSE

The influence of the automobile upon the number and value of the horse in Oregon, and in the United States as a whole, is well demonstrated in recent figures compiled by the department of agriculture. In 1917 there were 300,000 horses in Oregon, and their value was \$98 each, big, little, blind or lame. On the first of January, 1920, the number had decreased to 282,000, and the values had slumped to \$85 each. In the nation the number had fallen off 100,000 and the values had fallen in the four-year period from \$104 each to \$94. This decrease in the number and value of the horse tribe is made more noticeable when compared with the statistics in regard to other live stock. Dairy cattle had increased a million in numbers and from \$59.63 in average value to \$85.13. Other cattle had increased more than 5,000,000 in numbers and \$10 per head in value.

Josephine county has kept pace with the general trend in the fall of Dobbin and the rise of old Bos. We are credited with only 1756 horses, while the figures show 2465 dairy cattle and 5487 cattle of other classes.

The automobile is responsible in a

very large measure for both the rise and the fall. It has supplanted the horse on the road and in the field. It has made dairying more popular in the outlying districts, for the delivery of milk and cream is no longer a problem determined by a few miles more or less of transportation. But at that the finish of the horse is not yet in sight. He has a place to fill that gasoline can not take from him, and gasoline seems to be keeping pace with hay and oats in skyrocketing prices. But the tractor and the motor car do not burn gas when they are standing idle, and that is the chief reason why the scale has turned against the horse for use in the field.

FRUITDALE

Do not forget to come to grange Saturday.
Mrs. P. Slattery is spending the week in Medford.
Mr. Green is moving onto the place he recently purchased from Mr. Accord.
And now it is Alonzo Jones who thinks the best is none too good. He has purchased a pure bred Duroc brood sow.
Charles Tethinger, of Seattle, who was on his way to Southern California in search of health, stopped off here and spent the week end with the G. A. Hamilton family. Mr. Tethinger's mother died in Fruitdale about nine years ago.

The Neilson orchestra have their calendar full of engagements again.
County Agent Miller and Miss Corbett, home demonstration agent, met with the people of the neighborhood last Tuesday at the Brietmayer home and perfected the organization of the Farm Bureau. Mr. and Mrs. Brietmayer, true to their hospitable nature, entertained the crowd at a good dinner.
Mr. and Mrs. Droulette have pur-

chased the property on the river which belonged to Worth and Gail Hamilton and now have a block of 20 acres which they are improving rapidly.

Sherman Conine, an old schoolmate of Mr. G. A. Hamilton, who has been visiting in Columbus, Ohio, stopped off for a few days' visit with the Hamiltons on the way to his home in Roseburg.

HELIUM GAS PLANT IS NEAR COMPLETION

Fort Worth, Texas, Mar. 19.—A great helium plant from which the United States government hopes to obtain non-inflammable gas in sufficient quantities to supply its military balloons is near completion here. Installation of machinery has begun and it is expected the plant will be in operation by August 1, unless congress should fail to further support the undertaking. Helium is extracted from natural gas by a secret process.

Construction of the plant, the only one of its kind in the world and at a cost of approximately \$5,000,000, was started during the world war following a series of experiments conducted by army and navy experts here and at Petrolia, Texas. Beyond the fact that a non-inflammable, non-explosive gas had been developed, the results of the experiments have remained a secret. The helium plant since its construction started, has been under military guard. A naval lieutenant is in command.

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