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OREGON WEATHER

Weather for the Week

Pacific Coast States: Generally fair; normal temperature.

Tonight and Sunday fair, cooler in the east portion. Moderate westerly winds.

LAND VALUES AND LAND PRICES

A trip through the Willamette valley just at this time is an object lesson in the influence which diversified farming has upon general conditions. There land values have been rapidly mounting upward. The ascending scale has been touched not by the boom of the real estate promoter, but because the producing value is there to justify the raise. The taking of a thousand dollars an acre from the loganberry fields; of even much higher figures from prune orchards or from the strawberry field or from the various other crops that are now produced under the intelligent farming direction that is controlling present-day methods, is a matter of common report. The prosperous community is the community that sets out for the solution of its own problems. The Willamette was a long time breaking through the crust of conservatism and mossbackism that surrounded its agricultural effort, but once through, the valley has shown a wonderful development and a rapid advance in prosperity. Lands sell at high prices because they will pay returns upon a high value. Acreage is being cut up and hundreds of new families come to enjoy life in Oregon and to participate in the new prosperity.

The same story will be told of Southern Oregon when the cannery and the evaporating plant and the fruit juice bottling works and kindred industries make the market for the things the lands will produce. There must be a revolution with the coming of irrigation, and while al-

Last Call

BUY IT THIS EVENING

STORE CLOSED

From 9 p. m. Saturday to 7:30 a. m. Tuesday

Take PRETZELS with you

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Alfalfa is a staple that will do to tie it, it will be the small crops that will make possible the small home place where climate and beautiful surroundings can be enjoyed while prosperity comes through soil tillage. The day will come when five acres in the Rogue valley adjacent to Grants Pass will be a competence. And whether the thought of the new-comer is toward the large acreage and alfalfa and dairying, or to the few acres with more intensified farming, the time to prepare is now. Land prices are exceptionally reasonable. No other district in the west offers such inducement to the land hungry as this.

GET RID OF VILLA PEST!

If the new government in Mexico

sincerely desires to pacify the country, restore order and peace and earn the respect of the United States, it will settle the problem of Villa by bringing all its force to bear to eliminate him as a factor in Mexican affairs.

The new government cannot afford to receive Villa, in any official capacity, for to do so would only give him an opportunity to organize for more mischief in the future. And it cannot allow him to continue roving about the country as a free lance bandit.

Periodically, stories appear in the press from those who profess to have interviewed Villa, painting him in radiant colors as a patriot, but Villa's activities reveal the absurdity of such a claim. For the last sev-

eral years he has confined himself to terrorizing and robbing defenseless communities, holding up trains, killing passengers and crews and conducting a steady campaign of murder, pillage and rapine under the most revolting circumstances. This is not the work of a patriot seeking to free his country of tyrants, but it is the work of a semi-savage bandit of the type that has plagued Mexico for generations.

The United States has a standing order for Villa for his part in the murderous raid on Columbus. This government has never issued him a pardon.

If the new government in Mexico is really desirous of the friendship and assistance of the United States, and of insuring order in the republic, let it deliver up Villa as one of the first evidences of its sincerity and ability to rule.—Houston Post.

The Chamber of Commerce is doing much for the city in the way of advertising and building up its industries. Why not do your duty and join while the drive is under way?

The First National Bank is to be commended for its public spirit in donating the new band stand to the city. That's the spirit that wins.

June almost lost out on the marriages this year. July apparently is getting the better of the sister month.

MODELED ON HUMAN FRAME

Efficiency Experts Have Taken That as Copy for the Rules They Advocate.

The human frame is 100 per cent efficient, according to the latest dictum of efficiency experts promulgated before the American Society of Industrial Engineers in Philadelphia, says the New York Evening Sun. Some of the lalty have been suspecting that for years, but the promoters of new methods of top speed plant production are so sure of it now that they are modeling organization plans with physicians as their advisers.

Most of the layouts prepared for the industrial organizations look formidable to the average man. What with their pendant brackets and connecting curves the structure of a thousand man plants gives pause even to the modern executive.

It is shown that the schemes which have worked the best are after all as old as the human race, for they are simply arrangements such as may be seen in every man's makeup.

The brain, for instance, as explained by C. E. Kneoppel, who has the chair of factory management at New York university, in his address to his fellow industrial experts, is the same as the executive head or the director of a plant or corporation. The five senses which keep mankind in his bearings correspond to the control of the factory, that is to superintendents and foremen.

The medulla oblongata corresponds to labor, and the small brain or cerebellum which looks after the automatic functions of the body and keeps the arms and legs and trunk active, is translated in terms of production. The relations of the chart for the manufactory and those of the perfectly interacting machinery of the heart and brain and muscles are regarded as virtually the same.

Ermine Fur.

The ermine fur, with which we are all familiar, is furnished by the stoat, a small animal of the weasel tribe.

GOOD HELP

is almost impossible to obtain and my Watch Repairing has grown to such proportion that I am compelled to discontinue certain lines of repairing.

AFTER JULY 1ST

I will not be in a position to accept for repairs any Jewelry or small work, but will make a specialty of Fine Watch Repairing and Diamond Setting.

BARNES, The Jeweler



Save yourself many needless steps.

Make a list and send one of the children for the groceries, fruits and vegetables you need.

A child can buy in our store as cheaply as a grown person. We put HONEST PRICES on HONEST GROCERIES, and guarantee that everything we sell is not TAINTED with any impurity.

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Chevrolet Four Ninety
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5:30 to 8:00 O'clock

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of prosperous depositors by starting an account with the Josephine County Bank.

What you save now will provide comforts for the coming years.

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JOSEPHINE COUNTY BANK
GRANTS PASS, OREGON



Production of "Back to God's Country," by James Oliver Curwood, which will be shown at the Oregon theater, commencing tomorrow matinee for a three-day run, was accomplished after two months of extreme hardship suffered by a company of sixteen principles.

The setting for the picture is laid

in the Arctic regions and the great majority of the scenes were taken while the temperature hovered about the 52-degree below zero mark. Camera men suffered frost bitten hands the moment they took off their fur gloves. It was necessary to keep the cameras in action all the time in order to keep the emulsion on the

film from freezing. It was necessary for all supplies for the company to be transported over barren lands of ice by dog teams.

Mr. Curwood, author of the story, was on location for three weeks. Fearing an attack of pneumonia, his friends forced him to leave against his wishes.

15,000 SQUARE FEET

Our new 100x150-foot fire-proof building on the corner of Sixth and K streets will be completed about August 1st. This entire space of 15,000 square feet will be devoted to Ford and Fordson Service.

It is our desire to go 100 per cent Ford Service so that you, as a Ford Owner, may enjoy real Ford Service.

We will install modern machinery to take care of all Ford Service, that it may be done in the quickest possible time.

A man who knows your Ford will have charge so that when your car needs mending and is run through this Ford Service Station, it comes out 100 per cent Ford.

C. A. WINETROUT