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**TERREBONNE'S GOOD WORD.**

(Terrebonne Oregonian.)  
The Redmond Spokesman of July 18, devotes a half page of its paper in taking to task an article booming Bend, Oregon, our industrious neighbor 22 miles to the south. The position the Spokesman takes is in a manner justifiable as the article in question is manifestly an overstatement of the facts, and it is entirely unnecessary to enlarge upon actual conditions in advertising the greater portion of Central Oregon. Yet, as far as the Redmond publication is concerned, reading between the lines, it is a case of "sour grapes." Bend is forging ahead, is doing more building than any other town in Central Oregon, has a bunch of united boosters that are compelled to take his hat off to, even though he is convinced in his own mind that they are exceeding the speed limit. The people of Bend are doubtless conscientious in the belief that the advertising matter they put out can be verified and if others do not agree it is merely a difference in the point of view. It is a very poor plan for any town to knock her sister. There is no benefit derived and it usually acts as a boomerang and rebounds to the discredit of the wielder of the hammer. The better policy to pursue would be for the various towns of Central Oregon to unite on a consistent plan of civic and rural development, confining their energy to truthful representations. This plan systematically followed up will do more towards the development of each locality than a carload of so-called wild-cat advertising with its resultant criticism. There is an old adage which says that "those who live in glass houses should not throw stones." Boost, don't knock!

The Bulletin appreciates the sound remarks of the Terrebonne paper, and, as before stated, entirely agrees that so-called "wildcat advertising" is to be discouraged heartily. It only adds here, as it before stated, that the advertising objected to in no wise emanated from the people of Bend, and that all advertising that has its responsible authorship here can pass rigid inspection on its own merits. The Bulletin will continue to stick to the truth about Bend, and The Bulletin will continue its policy of saying nothing about its neighbors unless that something is good, or, at worst, kindly criticism for the mutual good.

**COUNTRY JOURNALISM.**

A study of Oregon weekly papers from 1901 to the present time has been made by a University of Oregon student, and an article written which is of interest both to the members of the newspaper profession and to the layman also.

Miss Edna C. McKnight of Albany is the writer, who devoted much time to the study. She says that the country weekly in Oregon has developed during the past decade into a powerful organ for improving farm life. We quote from the article:

"There is an awakened interest in the country weekly newspaper which is an outgrowth of a new attitude which we are beginning to have toward the problems of country life. Within the last few years there has been a growing realization as to the importance of developing and maintaining a high level of rural living.

"The value of the country editor's service was first brought to the attention of the American public by the report of the commission on country life, which mentioned him as being one of the possible regenerative agencies of rural life. Today, there are distinct signs of an interest in rural journalism which promises good results.

"The fact that the country subscribers constitutes from 50 to 75 per cent of the subscription list, suggests the question: Do the interests of this 50 or 75 per cent receive as careful consideration as do the remaining 25 per cent of town subscribers?"

Examination of the newspapers of Oregon during the first part of the last decade reveals the printing of but little news to warrant support from the farmer. Beyond occasional mention of his visit to town, and now and then a write-up of some local enterprise, the papers had little of immediate personal interest to the farm. With the material exploitation of the state, however, the newspaper necessarily began to pay more attention to its outside constituents.

"Among the many hopeful signs of advance is the effort to have an efficient local correspondence service. An interesting fact of note in this connection is the recent action of The Bend Bulletin in offering to pay \$1 per column to country correspondents. This publication establishes a precedent in this respect. The significant result of such a policy is the placing of rural interest on a more nearly equal footing with the interests of the town. Other points in favor of the rural constituency are the change in the character of ready-print material and the attention to country government."

The forthcoming political struggle assumes even more complications than beset its initial stages. The Republican machine nominated Taft not because it had any regard for Taft but because there was no one to nominate but him, and because, by his nomination, and that alone, could Roosevelt be dethroned so far as "regular" convention indorsement was concerned. On the other hand, Democracy is in about as muddled a condition. The Democratic party lacks definite shape and form; it is, as a party, smacks unhealthily of the Ryan-Belmont-Tammamy combinations. The party commands little respect and thoughtful allegiance. The reason that The Bulletin and thousands of other Republicans will vote the Democratic ticket in November is because it believes in Wilson—not in the Democratic party plus its unsavory adjuncts—and because it does not believe in Taft and the unholy machine affiliations of the tottering Republican party. In other words, on the side of Democracy there stands a meritorious man, and on the side of Republicanism the chaotic remains of the machine-ridden G. O. P. after the late lamented trip of the steam roller. As to Roosevelt, doubtless he was the choice of the majority of Republican voters. But he was worsted at Chicago by the very mechanism which he himself employed and perfected and with Wilson in opposition to him he has small claim upon the voting public.

"Point out the staunchest of the able staunch Republican newspapers." Anyone familiar with American journalism would unhesitatingly turn to the Springfield Republican, in answer to such a request. And yet read these extracts from a recent editorial in the great conservative and admirably well-balanced oracle of the Nutmeg State; read them, and consider what is left of the Republican party, and whence Taft and Roosevelt may hope to draw influential support; read them, and wonder less that so many regard Wilson as the man of the hour:

The nomination of Woodrow Wilson for the presidency by the democratic party is one of the most encouraging and inspiring events brought about in American politics for many years. Under the party system, "the swing of the pendulum" inevitably decrees that parties shall have their periods of supremacy in government and also their periods of decline in the favor and confidence of the people. There is every indication that the modern period of republican rule, which has lasted with no very serious interruptions since 1860, is virtually ended.

It is of vital importance that whether this party or that party rules us, the party of government shall be led by its ablest, its noblest, its best. And that is why the nomination of Gov. Wilson deserves the full-throated applause of a nation.

Abraham Lincoln plead that a "government of the people, for the people and by the people" be not allowed to perish. Theodore Roosevelt pleads that a "party of Roosevelt, for Roosevelt and by Roosevelt" be permitted to place Roosevelt at the head of that government. Yes, there are a few differences between the great War President and The Colonel—the latter to the contrary notwithstanding.

The blood of our fathers was shed to insure franchise in the United States "without regard to race, creed or color." And now Roosevelt declares a "illy white" platform, and bars colored men from participation in the immaculate conception of his private third party? Shades of Abraham Lincoln!

In his own estimation at least, Colonel Roosevelt certainly is the "national hymn," spelled with "y" or "i" at pleasure.

**BE COMFORTABLE**

BE WELL DRESSED. How? By getting your clothes where they sell good things that look well and wear well and cost little. A full line of the famous

**Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothing**

and everything you will want for the summer in Suits, Hats, Shirts, Underclothing, Shoes, etc.

**R. M. SMITH CLOTHING CO.**  
WALL STREET.

**DISEASE UNSETTLES MIND.**

A sad tragedy culminated Sunday when Mrs. J. Roy Harvey, wife of the well known chief of the local government forestry office, was removed to Salem, suffering from a severe attack of diabetic mania. Kidney trouble was one of the contributing causes that resulted in the unsettlement of Mrs. Harvey's mind. About ten days ago the malady came to a head. The two Harvey children aged five and twelve years, were taken to La Pine by their grandmother, Mrs. Pengra.

**MUCH LAND ENTERED.**

The activity of homesteaders in Central Oregon this summer is evidenced by the amount of land which has been filed on in the Lakeview land district, in Crook, Lake and Klamath counties. Figures for July furnished by the Lakeview land office are as follows:  
Crook—entered, 1320; relinquished, 1920. Lake—entered, 13,286; relinquished, 4498. Klamath—entered, 1720; relinquished, 320.

**SOCIAL IS ENJOYABLE.**

The social given by the Knights of Pythias last Wednesday evening was well attended and quite an enjoyable affair. The game of "hearts" was played, after which ice cream and cake were served. Following this there was dancing. Excellent music was furnished by Fred Lucas, piano; Miss Iva West, violin; C. H. Hunter, and A. L. French, trombones.

**PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES.**

Preaching at the Star Theatre at 11 a. m., Sunday school at the same place at 10, conducted by the pastor. Subject of morning service, "The Greatest Thing in the World." Vesper services at lawn in front of Mountain View Hotel at 7 p. m. sharp. Subject, "Mountain Scenes of the Bible."



Aug. 7, 1912.

Dear Friend:  
I think oatmeal is a fine thing for breakfast, I get a big bowl full of it. I sprinkle some sugar over it and pour some nice rich cream over it, and I have a good breakfast, and it doesn't give me heartburning, and it makes me fat. Oatmeal will make you fat if you are skinny. Violet is the kind we use, 12 1/2 cts. a package.  
Your friend,  
Jacob.  
P. S. We get our oatmeal and all the groceries we buy from

**McCUISTON'S GROCERY**

**"FAST" MAIL SERVICE.**

The postal service between Bend and Laidlaw is very "quick." For instance, a letter mailed at Laidlaw at 7 a. m. was delivered in Bend at 7 a. m. August 3, just four days after it was postmarked at the originating point.

**WHY I BUY AT HOME.**

"Because this is the place where I make money and this is the place to spend it."  
"Because my interests are here."  
"Because I believe in transacting business with friends."  
"Because the community that is good enough for me to live in is good enough to buy in."  
"Because I want to get what I pay for."

**Currants and Gooseberries.**

Can be had for the picking at 25 cts a gallon for currants and 30 cts a gallon for gooseberries, at L. D. Wiest's.

Get your application for hunting license at The Bulletin office.

**CLASSIFIED COLUMN**

RATES: Five cents a line for first insertion in this column, four cents a line for each subsequent insertion. Cash in advance unless you have an account with The Bulletin. Count six words to the line, including the address.

**For Rent.**

FOR RENT—Two room bungalow. Enquire of John H. Bittner. 22  
FOR RENT—Good pasture one mile east of Bend, newly fenced. Mrs. Harriet Barnes, Bend. 20-3p  
FOR RENT—4-room painted house Deschutes addition with water \$12 per month. Inquire Bulletin.  
FOR RENT—10-room flat, nicely finished; heart of city; cheap. Oregon Land & Immigration Co. 20tf  
FOR RENT—Rooms over postoffice in Triplett building. Also part of store room next to postoffice. See F. O. Minor. 19tf  
FOR RENT—Four room house. Inquire at Postoffice. 21tf

**Wanted.**

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Small family. Apply Mrs. H. E. Allen. 19tf  
WANTED—Two or more furnished or partly furnished rooms, cashier at depot. 22p  
WANTED—Rags. Will give in exchange old newspapers. The Bulletin.  
WANTED—Crew manager and 5 collectors at once. The best of wages paid. Address Circulation Department, Pacific Homestead, Salem, Oregon. 18-23  
LOCAL Representatives, both lady and gentleman in every town and village. Salary and commission. Address Superintendent of Agencies, Room 9, New Breyman Block, Salem, Oregon. 18-23  
DISTRICT MANAGER—For state of Washington. Must be live, up-to-date newspaper man and be able to handle crew and crew managers. Only live wire need apply. Address Circulation Manager, Room 9, New Breyman Block, Salem, Ore. 18-23  
WANTED—To buy or rent a sheep ranch. Parties interested write C. O. Tronson & Son, Glenham, S. D. 19-22  
WANTED—Steady employment in Bend by married, sober man of 39. Experienced clerk in dry goods or groceries. Good references. Steady job wanted. Address H. Box B, Camas, Wash. 21-22p

**For Sale.**

WE SHIP alfalfa hay and fruit to consumers' clubs. P. B. Smith, Kennewick, Wash. 22-23p  
FOR SALE—Span of horses, 5 & 7 yrs. old, wt. 2400. N. E. Gilbert, Park addition. 20tf  
FOR SALE—Fine lot for a song and small amount of cash. John H. Bittner, Park Add. 22  
FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, will be ready in about a month. Orders must be placed now. Mrs. Henry Linster. 21-24p  
FOR SALE—40 acres 4 miles from Bend, on county road; unencumber-

ed; water right; \$40 an acre cash, \$45 on terms. Address 801 East 37th street, Portland, Ore. 21-23p  
FOR SALE—New four-room cottage and lot 50x100 feet, about four blocks north of depot. House painted and papered, water in it; furnished ready for housekeeping. Will take \$700 cash or on the installment plan. See owner at Evergreen rooming house. H. D. Brown. 22-23p  
FOR SALE—3 cows, 4 Jersey heifers, 3 Jersey calves, one disc seeder, drag, plow, mowed plow, steel scraper, hay rake, shovel, Junior planter, log chain, maul and wedges, grind-

stone, crosscut saw, top buggy, De Laval separator, churn; also poultry and furniture. Inquire at Wilkinson ranch 2 miles east of Bend. 22-4p  
FOR SALE—Typewriter, in good condition, cash or easy terms. Apply Bulletin office. 21tf

**In order to clean up the odds and ends on all low cut shoes I will make the following prices**

All \$4.00 oxfords, now..... \$2.70  
All \$4.50 oxfords, now..... \$3.15  
All \$5.00 oxfords, now..... \$3.70

**30 per cent discount on all summer suits**

**They wont last long at these low prices**

**A. L. FRENCH**  
Oregon Street

**We Have Taken Over the Entire Stock of**

**LUMBER**

of the Pine Forest Lumber Co., and are in a position to fill orders of any size. In addition we carry a full line of

**Building Material**  
Lime, Cement, Plaster  
Brick and Fire Clay.

Also COAL and LAND PLASTER.

**Overturf-Davis-Miller Co.**  
Bend, Oregon.



**McCORMICK MOWER**

Wears longer than any other and gives better service.  
For Sale by  
**Bend Hardware Co.**  
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