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AN IMMIGRATION BUREAU

PORTLAND CITIZENS STRONGLY FAVOR THE PROJECT.

Results of Advertising Experiment of the Chamber of Commerce Prove Effectiveness of the Plan.

"The best thing that ever happened," say many citizens about the project of creating an Immigration Bureau.

"Push it along," cry others. "Portland takes hold," declared a member of the committee which is fostering the enterprise.

"I am surprised by the interest people take in the subject," exclaimed another member.

"Many people have visited my office to see me about it and voluntarily to offer donations of money said a third.

The committee will begin a general canvass of the city early next week. Several large subscriptions have been received already. Of the \$25,000 which the committee will raise, \$15,000 will be expended for a permanent exhibit and information bureau, and \$10,000 for advertising in Eastern newspapers.

Remarkable results have come from experimental advertising which the chamber of commerce has carried on in a Minneapolis newspaper. Last September the chamber of commerce expended \$1600 in full-page advertisements describing Oregon resources and industries. The advertisements were in the form of pure reading matter written as "special correspondent" the articles were accompanied by handsome half-tone photographs.

Agricultural lands, farming, wheat raising, woolgrowing, live-stock industry, fruit culture, available government land, opportunities for securing improved farm land, dairying and many other subjects were treated in a comprehensive manner. The articles were composed by Henry E. Reed, who for many years wrote for the Oregonian on industrial subjects.

These advertisements have attracted the attention of thousands of farmers in Minnesota and Wisconsin. They were directed to the Harriman Immigration Bureau at Chicago for further information. G. M. McKinney, agent of the bureau, has written to the chamber that inquiries have been pouring in by the thousands. In order to meet the many demands for information, Mr. McKinney published a pamphlet on Oregon. He wrote about 10 days ago that the edition numbered 50,000 copies, and that he was sending them out at the rate of 5000 a day.

All this interest was stirred up by the advertisements in a single Minneapolis newspaper. "The \$1,000 thus spent," declared a prominent member of the chamber "will do more for Oregon than \$16,000 spent in any other way."

It is now proposed to advertise in Middle Western newspapers in a more extensive manner. If \$10,000 shall be expended in this part of the immigration work, the results will be far ahead of those that could be achieved otherwise. Newspaper advertisements in such states as Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota, where live the most thrifty farmers in the world, would reach an unlimited number of people.

A. L. Craig, general passenger agent of the O. R. & N. recommends newspaper advertising strongly. He said at a meeting of citizens several days ago that should the Harriman Bureau extend its immigration work to other lines of activity, newspaper advertising would be the direction its efforts would take.

The booklet on Oregon published by the commercial bodies of Portland is just out. The issue is intended for the use of the Harriman Bureau. The number of copies is 150,000. The booklets will be forwarded to Chicago at once. The cost of the edition is about \$2200.—Oregonian.

A TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Last Sunday evening, in the town of Prairie city, occurred a dreadful accident in which R. H. J. Comer, an old time resident of Grant county, and a young son of W. W. Reese, of that city, was dreadfully injured. Mr. Comer, who had been drinking, was carelessly handling a box of dynamite caps near the residence of Mr. Reese and in some manner the caps were exploded, blowing off both hands of Mr. Comer and otherwise terribly injuring him and mauling in a shocking manner the 12-year-old son of Mr. Reese, who was standing near Mr. Comer.

Physicians were at once summoned and everything possible was done for the injured man and boy, but Mr. Comer could not withstand the injuries received and expired the following morning. His funeral occurred on Tuesday at Prairie City under the auspices of the Masonic order. He was 69 years of age.

The brave hearted little boy, who lost both his eyes and whose chest was torn open by the cruel caps, is yet alive, but the physicians have but faint hopes of his recovery.

It will never be positively known what caused the explosion, but the statement of the boy is that Mr. Comer, who was smoking a pipe, let some fire fall from the pipe into the box of caps. This statement is generally believed by those having knowledge of the circumstances as Mr. Comer was told to go out of a saloon a few minutes before the accident on account of carelessly handling the caps while smoking.—Canyon Eagle.

Religious Services.

Services at Christian Science Hall every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Service Wednesday evenings at 8. Subject for Sunday, Nov 9 "Mortals and Immortals."

Rev. A. J. Irwin will preach at Harney the 2nd Sunday of each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school every sabbath at 2 p. m.

Sunday school at Harney the first Sunday of each month at 10 o'clock a. m. On the second, third and fourth Sunday of each month at 3 o'clock p. m. Preaching service every second Sunday at 8 p. m.

At the Presbyterian church Burns, Rev. A. J. Irwin pastor Divine services the third and fourth Sundays of each month at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. every Sabbath morning.

Preaching services at the Baptist church every 1st and 2nd Sundays, morning and evening Sunday school every Sunday at 11 a. m. prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

FOR SALE—Two lots front on Main St and First St. with cottage on each, one barn. Four lots with orchard of pear, apple and cherry, currents & gooseberries bearing, two room house on it, access to an irrigating ditch. Also one lot with seven-room building, good location. Terms: One third cash with two years for balance in equal yearly payments at 8 per cent. For particulars call at this office.

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IRRIGATION WORKS IN UTAH

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS OF CAPITALS ARE INVESTED.

Some Points Worth Considering By Those Interested in Irrigation in Oregon --Not Waiting for Government.

Those interested in irrigation in Oregon will find some points worth considering in the following from the Bangor Exchange:

"Utah has irrigation works of every class and size, from the little ditch one sees along the railroad, carrying water enough for an acre or two of bottom land, to the vast undertakings covering hundred of thousands and costing millions of dollars. Most of these completed have taken out the smaller streams, built by co-operative labor and owned by the farmers themselves. The larger ones, constructed in recent years, have been built largely by foreign capital, and some of them suffered very severely through the long period of financial depression, not because they were not justified by the opportunities, but because the conditions for getting them have been unfavorable, and interest charges have involved them in trouble before the settlers could be found for the lands under them. Gradually they are coming into full use, and the districts watered by them are growing rapidly in population and wealth.

"While they are talking about reservoir building in other states—and waiting for the government to build them—the people of Utah are securing every available site and are already at work constructing. Ten separate canal companies in Sevier county, on the San Pete branch road, secured authority from the legislature some years ago to take stock in a reservoir company and since that time they have expended \$74,000, principally in the labor of their members, in constructing the Otto Creek reservoir. It will have 40,000 acre feet capacity, and will insure an ample supply of water for all lands now in cultivation, as well as several acres of higher land.

"In the next county north San Pete, in addition to the large number of original ditches taken from the mountain streams, which for 40 years have supported one of the densest populations in the state, farmers are actively at work building reservoirs to store surplus water and will soon have double the present supply available.

"In Utah county there is a great reservoir at Mount Nebo; a system of four reservoirs in Payson Canyon; at Springville a small one, and Utah Lake serves for storage and is filled to an average level for the benefit of Salt Lake county canals. In Weber, impounding the water of Weber River has induced a much larger undertaking. The Utah Light & Power Company has located five sites on the branches of the Ogden River, with a view of increasing the power supply of their great plant, and incidentally to store water for irrigating many additional thousands of acres of choice lands.

"In streams that are controllable, a diverting dam turns the water into main canals, and the flow is controlled by headgates. From the main lateral's run to the different districts, and these, again, are tapped by the farm ditches. Then there are two principal systems of distributing it over the fields, the flooding and furrow systems. In the one the land is checked off so as to flow evenly over the surface until it is sufficiently soaked, generally requiring enough to cover the whole surface three or four inches deep. In the furrow system, the field is furrowed by implements made for the purpose, and the water is turned through in small streams, successively, until the soil is completely saturated."

A liberal reward will be paid for the return of a light brown dog with white neck, face and feet. He is rather tall and looks something like a shepherd. M. I. Lewis.

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