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The Blue Mountain Eagle in its issue of October 17th, terms its "sheer foolishness" the appeal of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce for an appropriation by Grant County of \$1000.00, to be used for a campaign fund to advertise Oregon.

The position of the paper as an advertising medium is unquestionable. It has not Grant County its natural resources of timber and minerals; has it not its Magoon lake, one of the natural wonders of Oregon and a necessity for all sportsmen; its Strawberry lake, a beautiful body of water located at the foot of ever snow-capped Strawberry Mountain, one of the highest peaks in Eastern Oregon; its Blue Mountain Hot Springs, one of the most attractive summer resorts; its famous John Day Valley; its rivers with accessible camping places; its beautiful Canyon Creek, the deepest gorge through the Blue Mountains; its splendid fishing in lakes and streams; its mountains with game birds, deer, bear, cougar, foxes, martens, beaver and other animals.—What a paradise for the tourist from the east and middle west. No National Park has anything superior to offer.

Several hundred thousand dollars are now being expended on roads in Grant County leading from centers of population to connect with the incomparable Columbia River Highway. What benefit can be expected therefrom if people of wealth and leisure are not invited to travel over your good roads, fish in your lakes and streams, bathe in your hot springs, revel in your scenic beauty, uncover your mineral wealth and spend their money with your merchants?

GOOD WORDS AND BAD

Often a good reputation is seriously impaired by a careless word or two said in jest and repeated thoughtlessness. It is the same in this community as in all others.

Men and women can not guard too well their tongues in this respect. It is not good that our citizens be constantly exposed to the impairment of their good names because some other person, in a moment of thoughtlessness or in a spirit of vindictiveness, makes questionable allusions to them without the facts to substantiate such derogatory statements.

We are all interested in this town and the surrounding territory. We want to see it grow, and thrive, and blossom with prosperity. We want to see it a model community.

But it will never be other than just what we of the community make it. If we insist on constantly hammering each other, we can only expect a battered wreck as the result.

But if we remember that in all people there is some good, and look to and speak of the best in life rather than the worst, it will have a wonderfully beneficial result.

If each of us will search out his own faults, and correct them, we will be doing quite as much as the Lord expects of us individually.

If a stone must be cast, withhold your arm. Let the constituted officials handle the case. It is better than an indiscriminate shower of missiles, whether they be verbal or otherwise.

This is OUR town. Let us BOOST, and not shove.

THE AUTUMN FLY

Very few houseflies live through the winter. Swarms of them seek warm places as summer wanes, and the toughest and wisest of them crawl into protected nooks and corners and hibernate.

Others buzz about in quarters that mankind considerably heats for them. But in the spring, the few survivors are not lonesome very long.

A fly doesn't know what suicide means. A few hundred holling up in the fall mean thousands by next summer.

At any time, the fly deserves swatting, but just now a swat in time obliterates many generations of 1920.

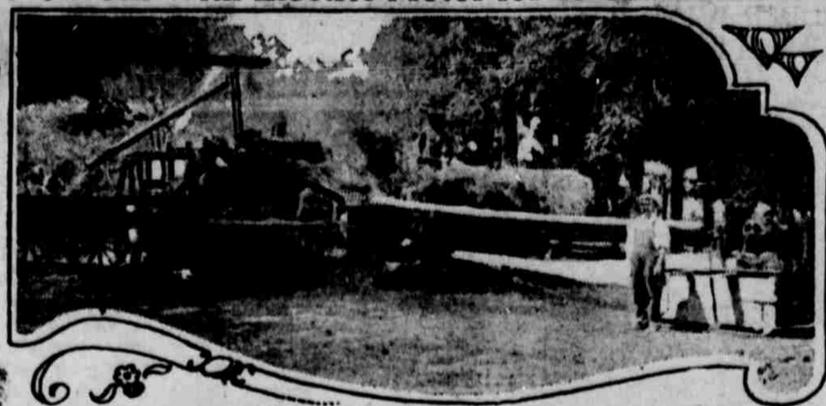
If the few flies of autumn were all destroyed, the fly problem would be solved. SWAT!!

MANY CHILDREN FAULTY

The home demonstration agent of Clackamas county and Mrs. John Gaffney of Oregon City, who kept a child nursery at the county fair, got a nurse from the congress of mothers in Portland, two doctors and a dentist, and conducted a clinic on 27 of the children left in their care. They found more than half the little people suffering from malnutrition, and four surgical cases. A campaign to find and apply remedies for this situation has been planned by the agent of the county child welfare committee of the farm bureau, and Miss Lassie Lane, home demonstration for Oregon at large.

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Thresh With Electric Motor for 10 Cents a Load



Electrified threshing has been added to the list of agricultural feats. On the farm of James P. Allison, near State Center, Ia., the electric motor furnished power to thresh 25 acres of heavy wheat. It took five hours to do the job, at a cost of about 80 cents an hour, or about 10 cents per load of wheat. The motor is fastened on a portable truck and is used to furnish power for thresher, silo filler, feed grinding, etc. The farmers living along electric lines running out from the municipal plant at State Center use the 20 H. P. motor. Allison says it furnishes better power, is cheaper and more convenient.

EX-SERVICE MEN TAKE CHARGE OF A. R. C. DRIVE

Annual Campaign for Members Coming Earlier This Year—Nov. 2 to 11, Dates.

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boards, teachers and even there are instances where a dentist has been taken to the rural schools to give his professional attention to the school children.

There had been a disposition upon the part of some to disband the Chapter and forward the funds on hand to headquarters. With such an opportunity for public good there is no reason why we should send our money elsewhere when we have a field of our own where it can be used to our advantage. Our children should have the benefit of this service. All we need is a good secretary who can and will devote time to looking after such duties and for which pay is provided, a chairman who will devote some time to the necessary details in an executive way—a work for humanity that any man should be willing to give provided he is capable—and we have such men—and an executive committee that will devote an hour or two, once a month or oftener if necessary, to consult with the officers and advise with them.

Harney county has need of such an organization and it should be considered a duty to perform such offices even during peace for the sake of humanity. We did it during war time, we can do it during the time of peace when we stop to consider what we owe our neighbors. We are more fortunate in Harney county in regard to dependent families or orphans, but there is a work here for the Red Cross and as an educational institute it should go far toward aiding in the matter of proper care of children.

The annual membership drive of the Red Cross is dated from Nov. 2 to 11 inclusive this year. It was moved up from the usual Christmas time when it looked necessary to speed up the funds in order to make things meet in Europe. The Red Cross had undertaken a tremendous task over there and the funds were running low. Fortunately, however, the government made some valuable donations to the organization later which made it possible to carry forward the work, one item being a million dollar's worth of surgical supplies.

Nevertheless, after the date of the annual membership drive had been published it was decided to go through with it.

RED CROSS MEETS WEDNESDAY.

The annual meeting of Harney County Chapter, American Red Cross will be held next Wednesday evening, Oct. 23, at the Commercial club rooms for the purpose of hearing reports of committees, to elect a new board of directors and to discuss the future activity of the Chapter. All interested in this important work are urged to be present and take part in the session.

HAS YOUR CLUB SET ITS RED CROSS DAY?

A series of Red Cross "club days" are to be held in all parts of the United States during October. Granges, Church Societies, Business, Commercial, Rotary, Kiwanis, Advertising, Fraternal, Woman's and other clubs, are being invited to set aside a regular meeting or a day for a special luncheon at which plans will be made for aiding the Third Red Cross Roll Call, to be held throughout the country November 2 to 11.

The clubs will call for volunteer workers, including prominent members for speakers, in the interest of enrolling members for the peace-time program of the Red Cross. Many of the speakers on the war-time activities of the Red Cross will be former service men and women who came in contact with the Red Cross on the field of action.

NEW CLUB SECRETARY A COMING.

The Times-Herald is informed a new secretary for the Harney County club is expected here at once to take up active duties in an official capacity. His name is James and he has the recommendation of several prominent men of the state including Governor O'Leary.

ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL FUND COMING IN TOO SLOW.

E. H. Conser, of the First National Bank informs this paper this morning that the funds for the Roosevelt Memorial are not coming in at an encouraging rate. In fact not to exceed one-fifth of the quota has yet reached him and out a short time is left for the drive.

Harney county should raise its quota without fail. It is simply neglected upon the part of citizens who really want to give to this fund. Let us say, you people who know it is the thing to do.

SEARCH FOR "IDEAL BABY'S" KIDNAPERS



The "ideal baby," Billy Dansey of Hamonton, N. J., for whom a \$1000 reward was offered after he disappeared from his home is believed to have been kidnaped. Little Billy was given the title in a government baby test. One theory points to a rejected sailor, who it is said swore revenge at the time of Billy's mother's marriage. Others think the publicity given the child's perfect physical development resulted in the kidnaping. Several such instances have been recorded. When last seen Billy was playing about his home. Later his little footprints were found leading to a nearby road. Two strange men were seen in that territory previously and later, in a deserted house near surrounding swamps, fresh ends of bread were found. A woman claims to have heard a baby's fretful cry come from there. The mother is prostrated.

OREGON'S CHANCE TO RECLAIM LAND HERE

Judge King Says State Can Obtain Quick Action by Co-operating With Government

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of swamp and stump lands with which Oregon is bountifully supplied. There must be about 1,000,000 acres of stump land in Oregon alone.

"In my opinion the guarantee of interest on bonds for the first years will probably give Oregon the first recognition in the use of any of these funds now being considered by congress, because of the provision for co-operation between state and government."

"The Mondell bill is of especial interest to the service men, whereas the Chamberlain-Smith bill gives the soldiers a preference, but does not exclude others. That important reclamation legislation will be enacted by congress is a certainty, but how soon this matter will be taken care of no one knows because of interest being centered in the league of nations, and all other subjects are relegated to secondary position for the time being."

Politics Put Behind

Although at one time Judge King was keenly interested in politics, he says he is now completely out of touch with things of that sort. Judge King was democratic candidate for governor, has sought the democratic nomination for senator, came within an ace of being appointed by President Wilson to a cabinet position; has been the democratic national committeeman for Oregon; was manager for the northwestern end of the country in the first Wilson campaign, was appointed as an associate justice on the Oregon supreme bench; but notwithstanding that record, he declares that political matters no longer occupy his attention. However, when the democratic national committee held a meeting in Chicago several months ago, Judge King was there with a proxy for the Hawaiian islands. In his official capacity, Judge King has an office in the new post office building in Portland, but until yesterday he never saw it.

Judge King is on a business trip and arrived in Portland from Boise, where he was looking after legal matters for the reclamation service in that section. The judge still claims Ontario, Or., as his residence.

Mothers Club Meets at Mrs. B. F. Smith Home

The Mothers club last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. B. F. Smith, with Mrs. G. N. Jameson as joint hostess. Plans were completed for a pumpkin pie supper at the Halloween dance next Saturday night, and arrangements made to accommodate a large crowd.

Further plans for a Christmas sale early in December were discussed. Details of this event will be published later.

The next meeting will be held on October 30th at the home of Mrs. Gus Bardwell.

HOW A CALF CLUB MAY EXTEND ITS USEFULNESS

Why shouldn't a boys' and girls' calf club grow into a men's and women's cow club? Or, more immediately speaking, a larger boys' and girls' calf club—larger boys and girls, that is, not larger club? Or, getting nearer the meat—or the milk—of the thing, why shouldn't the club boy or girl who raises a calf milk that calf when she becomes a cow, watch her development, keep a set of books on her production, and, in a small way, learn the essentials of dairy farming, taking the figures to school and getting them interpreted, and incidentally teaching "the

old man" a new trick or two? That is the question, in one form or another, asked by experts of the Dairy Division of the United States Department of Agriculture. It is a question that farm people and agricultural extension workers might think about. There may be more any on the subject after a while.

In a letter to Mrs. Frances Cla Miss Genevieve Weist informs that she is now teaching history in high school in Butte, Montana. Miss Weist, formerly taught the 8th grade in the Burns public school, will be pleasantly remembered by many local people.

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According to the plans of the Roosevelt Memorial Association, the Roosevelt Memorial Fund of \$5,000,000.00 is to be utilized to erect a National Monument in Washington, D. C.; to acquire and maintain a public park at Oyster Bay, N. Y., and ultimately to include Sagamore Hill, the Roosevelt home, therein, to be preserved like Mount Vernon and Lincoln's home at Springfield; and to endow a National Society to perpetuate the principles and ideals of Theodore Roosevelt.

Each contributor to the fund will receive a certificate of membership in the Roosevelt Memorial Association. A certificate will also be presented to every school contributing to the fund.

The name of every contributor will be placed on the list of names deposited in the National Monument to be erected at Washington, D. C.

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