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Jewell Hardware Co.
GRANTS PASS, OREGON.

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Grants Pass Has 70 Members

ADVERTISING VALUE OF GOOD ROADS

Have Great Effect on Summer Visitors, Home-seekers and All Others.

Advertising has become one of the most important branches of business. It may be termed the dynamo of commerce. It gives publicity to what one has to sell and is intended to attract purchasers. From the newsboy who yells "Special Extra" in the streets, to the broker who offers "Gilt Edged" securities in the financial columns of the morning paper, every one attempting to do business advertises, with the possible exception of the farmer.

Municipal advertising is a recognized division of the profession, and there are bureaus which make a specialty of giving publicity to the advantages offered by this or that city in the way of business opportunity, health, culture, recreation, etc.; to induce people to their particular localities is one of the chief offices of boards of trade.

At a recent meeting of the White Mountain, (N. H.) Board of Trade the question of good roads was discussed from several standpoints. Among other speakers was C. E. Farnsworth, advertising manager of the Boston and Maine Railroad, who took his specialty as the subject of his remarks and spoke of the benefits of advertising for a community or section. Some of his suggestions are worthy of earnest consideration by the dwellers of the country districts:

"I think you will all agree," said the speaker, "that the public do not go to the Adirondacks or the White Mountains because of the mere fact that the railroads operate to those points." Hotels, it was declared, are necessary to induce guests, while it is equally true guests are essential to the support of the hotels.

"It has now become a necessity to steadily create the desire among the public to travel, to see, to visit, to obtain recreation, rest and enter-

tainment, which are all within the vacation idea, which is no longer a fad, but is firmly established as one of the necessities among all classes," Mr. Farnsworth asserted. The patrons and guests of the hotels must not be confined, however, to piazzas and door yards when seeking recreation in the country.

The very best advertisement—especially in this motor age—that can be put forward to induce summer visitors or permanent residents is a system of good roads.—Good Roads Magazine.

We are making a big reduction in price on many articles of silver-ware. Let us show you. Hair-Riddle Hardware Co.

HUNDREDS HERE WILL WELCOME THE ADVICE

Save Home-Made Mixture is Easily Prepared, and Cures Weak Kidneys and Bladder.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement that it will relieve almost any case of kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night, painful and discolored urination are readily overcome. Here is the recipe. Try it:

Fluid extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bed time.

A well known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire kidney and urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the rheumatism by forcing the kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul decomposed waste matter which causes these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

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ROUND TRIP CHEAPER THAN SINGLE FARE

Believing that 1909 will see an unprecedented traffic in colonists and home-seekers in the Northwest the railroads have arranged on account of the Seattle exposition the remarkably low rate of \$62 for round trip from Chicago and \$59 from Missouri river common points, according to William McMurray, general passenger agent of the Harriman lines in Oregon, says the Pendleton paper. He believes that as a result of this special low rate thousands will find homes in Oregon during the coming summer season.

The special fair rate is lower than the regular one-way rate, and is the result of a special effort of the railroads in the Northwest to attract prospective investors into this country. Coupled with it the roads will allow a six-months' return limit on the tickets and stopovers wherever desired in the towns of the Northwest.

Everybody's Magazine

CHRISTMAS NUMBER

Read REX BEACH'S bear-hunt. There's art and fun and wet feet all mixed up together.

One of our best doctors says that good reading keeps more young folk out of mischief than any other one thing.

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CANNOT BE HEARD BEFORE FEBRUARY

Asking for a speedy trial of the Oregon-California railroad land grant cases, the attorneys for the railroad and the Union Trust Company, trustee of the mortgage bonds, as well as for the intervenors in suit, some of whom claim to be actual settlers on the land, recently appeared before Judge Wolverton in the United States Circuit Court at Portland.

Senator Gearin appeared for the Trust Company, Attorneys Lafferty and Murphy for the intervenors and Fenton for the railroad company. The latter will file a demurrer to the Government's charges, but on account of the crowded docket in the Federal Court, it is improbable that the case will come up for hearing before February. The docket now is filled with jury cases until February 1, and it will be impossible to hold a hearing before then. Three different bills of intervention were filed some time ago on behalf of applicants for the land, who were refused the sale by the railroad people.

The case was instituted by the Government to condemn the land given to the Oregon-California Railroad in a grant of 1868 for alleged breaking of the grant's provisions. The Government's stipulation was that the land was to be sold to actual settlers only, in areas not larger than 160 acres to each one and at not over \$2.50 an acre. The Government alleges that the railroad company has broken every one of these provisions, and on this account is attempting to forfeit this land to the Government. There are about 100 settlers on the land in whose behalf Attorney Lafferty is appearing. Attorney Dan Murphy and Leavergood of Roseburg, filed long bills of intervention a short time ago on behalf of over 4000 clients who are said to have applied to the railroad company for the land, agreeing to pay \$2.50 an acre for same.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE COMMISSION

At a meeting of the agricultural faculty of the Oregon Agricultural College on November 30, the request of President Roosevelt's Country Life Commission for suggestions that might aid the commission in making its report was discussed and the following statement prepared:

If federal appropriations are to be made for improving social and economic conditions in rural communities, it is recommended, first, that they be made to existing high and normal schools for the purpose of maintaining courses of instruction in agricultural and domestic arts, and including business methods and home sanitation, so that all public school teachers may have the training necessary for teaching those subjects in the public schools.

Second, that in order to secure the full efficiency of the agricultural colleges and experiment stations, the government should co-operate with the states in agricultural extension work, this work to be under the direct supervision of the agricultural colleges. With an adequate appropriation a comprehensive system of traveling agricultural schools, farmers' institutes and free circulating libraries could be maintained, and publications issued for free distribution so that all important discoveries of the experiment stations could be given to every farmer of every state.

Automatic Auction in the south window of the Hair-Riddle Hardware Co.

SUCCESSFUL FRUIT WRAPPING MACHINE

A fruit wrapping machine has been put in operation in California which requires practically no attention and automatically wraps the fruit. The fruit rolls down a slight incline to the operator, turning slowly over as it approaches him, and giving him an opportunity to remove defective specimens. The fruit is lifted and placed stem up in rubber cups, which carry it to a mechanism operating much as the human hands. It is carried to the paper being cut and printed from a roll. A twist of the paper is made over the stem ends, thus cushioning them to protect against injury. If the machine becomes clogged it is stopped by a clutch operated by electricity. A counting attachment registers the number wrapped.

The Courier 4 months for 50c.

Folger's Golden Gate Coffee

The kind that makes the brew fast—real Coffee through and through—always the same.

Your grocer will grind it better if ground at home—too fine.

NEW FISH AND GAME LAW WANT

Officers of the Oregon Fish and Game Association will propose extensive amendments to the existing game laws of the state at the session of the legislature. A committee is revising the various provisions of the code with reference to the protection of fish and game. The purpose of the committee is to amplify the state's statutes on this subject so that the average citizen reading the law will be able to get an intelligent construction on provisions.

In response to a general demand like from the hunters and the trappers, the committee will recommend a law establishing a closed season at least two years for the protection of the Chinese muskrat. A law will be suggested prohibiting the killing of elk for a period of six years.

The legislature will also be asked to provide for a bounty fund on crows, wolves and cougars. Between crows and the animals it is asserted that more birds and other game are killed annually by the sportsmen. It is for that reason the committee believes the state should make provision for the protection. Under the present law the county courts are empowered, if deemed expedient, to provide such a bounty fund, but the members of the committee feel that expense should be borne by the state directly rather than by any county or group of counties. The benefits following such a plan are state-wide and not confined to the community in which such a tax is levied.—Oregonian.

WHY SUFFER?

Breathe Hyomei and Kill Loathsome Catarrh Germs.

Just as long as you have catarrh your nose will itch, your breath will be foul, you will hawk and spit, you will do other disgusting things because you cannot help yourself. The germs of catarrh have got into their power; they are continually and persistently digging and irritating the mucous membrane of your nose and throat. They are now making your life miserable in time they will sap your entire system of its energy, its vigor and vitality.

If you do not kill the loathsome germs of catarrh, their desperate assaults will in time undermine your reason, rob your brain of its lucidity and activity, and leave you not only a physical, but a mental wreck.

This picture is not overdrawn. The writer has seen thousands of such cases. He has personally experienced the demoralizing results that come from the ravishing attacks of the horrible catarrh germs, the greatest pest of civilization.

But there is one remedy that kills the germs and cures catarrh, that is Hyomei the Australian drug treatment. There may be other remedies but they are not guaranteed as Demaray, the drug maker, will guarantee Hyomei to cure catarrh or money back. Don't take this pleasant antiseptic treatment every day you allow these germs to exist in your system brings you nearer to complete demoralization. Demaray will sell you a complete Hyomei outfit for only \$1.00. He will guarantee it. It is also guaranteed to cure bronchitis, asthma, colds and hay fever. 12-15-08

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Most Popular Because it is the Best.

"I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for the past eight years and find it one of the best selling medicines on the market. For babies and young children it is nothing better in the line of cough remedies. It not only cures the cough, cold, croup so common among young children, but is pleasant and safe for them to take. I am M. Clemens."