

Federal Aid Asked To Build Memorial Building

A pamphlet written by Milton A. Miller, for 14 years state senator from Linn county, is being widely circulated throughout Oregon in the interest of the \$125,000 memorial building which the pioneers of the state wish to erect at Champoez, birthplace of organized government in the Pacific northwest.

Mr. Miller, son of pioneer parents, did a great deal of research work in gathering material for the pamphlet. In presenting it to the public he offers conclusive proof that Oregon's request for federal aid in building the memorial is not unusual as congress has appropriated moneys to help numerous states and communities erect statues and memorial buildings. One of the largest appropriations ever made for the purpose of erecting markers and holding celebrations was made by congress a year ago to help Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin observe the anniversary of the acquisition of the Northwest Territory. The government is contributing over \$1,000,000 to that celebration, says Mr. Miller.

New significance is given to the historical importance of Champoez by Mr. Miller. He quotes from numerous authorities to make his point that the creation of the provisional government at Champoez in the spring of 1843 made it possible for the United States to annex the Oregon country without the expenditure of a dollar and without a war. He points out prices paid for Alaska, Texas, California, Arizona, New Mexico, Florida and all of the territory obtained in the Louisiana Purchase.

"In view of the history of our country there can be no doubt that if the Oregon country had been acquired by battles that they would have before now erected a monument to the achievements of our soldiers at arms, and very properly, too."

When Faith Fled

Pa rubbed his back with the baby's stomach medicine in the dark last night and got up feeling fine till he found out what he'd done, and now here he sits with his back aching.—Country Gentleman.

Read The Newspaper

You study history at school, of course, but this history is the record of only those events which have happened years ago, most of them before you were born. History continues, however, every day and the events which take place in your own day and all around you are not yet recorded in your school books. The things that take place today are printed today only in the newspapers; and, since you should know every day of the things that are happening in this rapidly growing world, you should read the newspaper, says the Boston Globe. The boys and girls who read the daily papers are reading history as it happens, and it is just as important and just as interesting as that which you will find in your books at school. Every boy and girl should know of the things that happen in all the world every day. Every boy and girl should read the newspaper.

Human fear of lightning is so ingrained that it is hopeless to seek to dispel it by statistics showing that many more folks are killed by measles or motor cars every day than by lightning stroke in a year. Lichtenberg, the Eighteenth century physicist, sought to draw such a comparison in an article on "Fear of Lightning." At the time of writing, he said, there was dysentery in Gotten-gen, "and twice as many people had died in a few days as lightning had killed in our town in half a century," and yet people remained very concerned about the dangers of thunderstorms and indifferent to the ravages of the malady. How different it would be, reflected Lichtenberg, "if dysentery rose above the horizon in a low black cloud, changing day into night, and, whenever it selected a victim, exploded with a violent thunderclap." But he admitted knowing that he wrote in vain.

Advertising Long Employed

Advertising is of great antiquity. Egyptian advertising over four thousand years old has been discovered. Picture advertisements were used for the most part up to the time of and through the Middle Ages. The earliest newspaper advertisement is said to have been in 1472.

Family Will Like Them If You Fix Them Right

Do you have to thrust vegetables upon your family, insisting that they eat them "because they are good for you" or do you make them so attractive that the family demand them? It's all in the manner of preparation, says the home economics department of Oregon State college.

For instance, it is essential to keep the vegetables whole or in uniform attractive pieces, and to preserve the natural color as much as possible. And cook them the shortest time possible, till they are barely tender. Longer cooking detracts from color and flavor, and injures the vitamin and mineral content so that little Jonnie has to eat twice as much spinach to get the necessary amount of food value.

Allowing many vegetables to stand after cooking before being served also often causes them to become strong in flavor and unattractive in appearance. If all these points are observed, and care is taken to vary both the kind served and the manner of serving them, the family will soon begin to enjoy their vegetables.

Oregon State News

What is believed to be a new record for cash returns from southern Oregon orchards is the \$13,193 received by the Dillon Hill estate from nine acres of Bosc pears near Medford.

The Gold Beach chamber of commerce has adopted resolutions calling upon the state mining commission to include Curry county in its survey of the mineral deposits of the state.

With 40 delegates from Clackamas, Clatsop, Columbia, Marion, Multnomah, Polk, Tillamook, Yamhill and Washington counties in attendance, organization of the third district of the Women's Federation of Clubs of Oregon was perfected at a meeting in Salem recently.

Nearly 70,000 fish in Jackson county creeks were saved to sportsmen during the dry season this summer through the work of the state game commission, according to a report reaching Harold Clifford, state game warden, from W. R. Coleman, superintendent of screens.

The Lane county prune crop will suffer a loss of about 20 per cent, due to the rains which fell there during the past few days, it was estimated. Brown rot resulting from the rain is infesting the fruit. About 50 per cent of the crop had been handed prior to the rainfall.

Secretary of State Hoss has announced the selection of Carl Gabrielson, head of the motor vehicle division of the secretary of state's office, as the state department's representative on a committee authorized by the last legislature to make a study into the placing of accident responsibility on cars operated on the public highways.

Four hundred and sixty predatory animals were killed during September by 28 hunters, according to the report of Stanley Jewett, head of the predatory animal division in Oregon for the U. S. biological survey. In the list were 412 coyotes, 37 bobcats and 118 stock-killing bears. In addition were 22 badgers, 214 porcupines and 51 skunks were destroyed.

Grant N. Berryman, department of commerce representative, has signed papers leasing the Arlington airport, owned by Horatio Weatherford of Arlington, to the government. The department of commerce will erect a 2,000,000 candle power beacon light, and place border lights around the field, but the field in shape and main tain it for a period of 15 years.

The Sunday Hill Mining company at Mormon Basin has just completed 2 1/2 miles of road connecting with the county road at Rye Valley. Pank houses and other buildings are nearing completion. A crew of 25 men is employed at the mine.

Loss, suffered chiefly by the Sweet Timber company in the timber fire which burned the past week near Remote on the Coos Bay-Roseburg highway, was set at between \$200,000 and \$250,000 by officials of the Coos County Fire Patrol association.

Italy Makes Good Use of Vast Water Power

One after another the great waterfalls of the Alps and Apennines have been placed in subjugation by Italy, their water guided into huge, high pressure conduits and forced to turn giant turbines, writes Henry Kitredge Norton in World's Work. Before the World war these turbines were already producing two billion kilowatt hours per year; during the war, because of the shortage of coal and the need for power, this capacity was increased by another billion kilowatts. After the post-war turbulence had settled down into the Fascist regime, a new impetus was given to electrical development, and by the end of 1928 the actual consumption had reached 7,500,000,000 kilowatt hours per annum.

Since then it has continued to mount. More than 7,000 of Italy's 9,000 communes are now supplied with electrical energy. The per capita consumption runs close to 200 kilowatt hours. As was to be expected under the circumstances, by far the greater portion of Italy's electrical energy is used in turning the wheels of her factories. Lighting is a secondary consideration. Sixty per cent of Italy's electrical energy is used for motor power; 15 per cent for light and heat; 14 per cent in the metallurgical and chemical industries, and the remaining 11 per cent for the electrified railways.

Moro School Notes

Attendance
For the second consecutive week Miss Scruggs' seventh and eighth grades have won the attendance banner with an average of 98%. Miss Coles first and second grades were a close second, their average being 97.9%. No high school students were tardy during the past week, and only one grade school pupil arrived after nine o'clock. On Monday and Tuesday of this week the attendance in the grades has been perfect.

Visitors
Mr. Adams of the school board visited the high and grade school Tuesday morning last week. The school faculty is pleased to welcome members of the board to the school that they may secure first hand information of conditions.

County Superintendent Rakes spent Wednesday afternoon at the school visiting and conferring with teachers and students. Superintendent Rakes spoke to the high school assembly on school spirit and true sportsmanship. School spirit is not all that spirit with which we back our athletic teams, but the attitude taken toward our school in all its activities.

Every student in the Moro school must be a booster so that our community will be noted for its true spirit and sportsmanship.

Moro Defeats Goldendale

The Moro eleven defeated Goldendale Saturday with a score of twelve to nothing. The next game will be with Madras at Madras, Saturday, Oct. 18th.

Volley Ball at Rufus

Rufus girls defeated the Moro girls in the first volley ball game of the season at Rufus Friday night. The game was close throughout, and the Moro girls expect a victory on the home floor.

Lineup for Moro: Laura Ruggles, Lois Bryant, Althea Powell, Doris Amidon, Josephine Johnson, Leora Peetz. Subs: Patricia Powell, Marjorie Kunsman, Marjorie NaHoush, Helen Searey, Doris Fortner, Grace Cothran, Eva Miller.

Game with Wasco October 18

The Wasco girls volley ball team will play at Moro Friday night, Oct. 18th, at 7:30. Last year the Wasco girls won the championship, and they have a strong aggregation again this fall. With a good crowd of townspeople present to back them up the Moro team should win from the last years champions.

Interclass Volly Ball

The junior boys were winners over the seniors in the first interclass game by a decisive margin. Boys' class winners will be decided this week. Girls will play their class contest next week.

Basket Ball Games Scheduled

Mr. Hammerley and Mr. Tucker attended a committee meeting of coaches at Wasco Thursday evening to arrange the county basket ball schedule for 1930. Both the boys' and girls' games were scheduled.

Newspaper Staff Selected

The staff of the Moro Optimist, high school newspaper, has organized and begun work for the first issue. Members of the student body will receive the subscription. Those on the staff are: Lois Bryant, editor; Ethelyn Kessinger, assistant editor; Marie Belashe, senior reporter; Viola Hansen, junior reporter; Charles Boardman, sophomore reporter; Doris Fortner, freshman reporter; Roscoe Hansley, boys' athletics reporter; Althea Powell, girls' athletics reporter; Bernard Rice, jokes; David Boardman, printer; Bernard Rice and Lois Bryant, typists.

High School Play Postponed

Because of conflicting dates with the Lyceum course on November 8th, the high school play, "The Arrival of Kitty," has been postponed until November 22. November 15th was discarded because of Homecoming at the University of Oregon on the 16th, which some of the Moro citizens wish to attend. The play will be held in the Legion Hall.

Fifth Grade Honor Roll

The citizenship honor roll of the fifth and sixth grade room for last week is: Lloyd Henrichs, Lois Kenndy, Dorothy Fraser, Evelyn McLachlan, Austin Foss, Melba Thogerson, Doris Morrison, Helen Strong, Louise Barzee.

Good Nuts

For children almonds are the best nuts. Half their weight consists of an easily digestible fat—a perfect substitute for meat fat, which many children won't eat.

The Scriptures

There are no songs comparable to the songs of Zion, no orations equal to those of the prophets, no policies like those the Scriptures teach.—Milton.

Nothing Shocking in Jap's Change of Attire

In the West we have a gentleman's agreement that disrobing should be confined to the bedroom and bathroom, or at any rate to some place behind closed doors. Not so in Japan! One hot day in a train traveling from Kobe to Kyoto I witnessed an incident that showed the Japanese can adopt a really common-sense attitude to clothes, writes Harold Butcher in Camel's Magazine.

It was in a third-class carriage. A few seats ahead of me was a Japanese passenger who was beginning to feel the heat. His silk shirt was wet and clammy. Something must be done about it! One could read his mind.

He had his remedy. He stood up and removed his shirt. Then he found that his undershirt was also soaked. He removed that and dried his naked torso. From his suitcase he produced a clean undershirt and a clean, cool shirt, which he proceeded to don with perfect unconcern and irreproachable modesty. As far as I could judge he changed every stitch of clothing with never a quiver, and finished triumphantly—a re clothed, revived, rejuvenated human being. In this hot train in Japan the whole affair seemed the most natural and sensible thing to do in the circumstances.

When the meek inherit the earth, an airplane for ours.

A profiteer is not without honor except among those he has gouged.

In the old days, a plate of left-over table scraps was chicken feed instead of a salad.

Speaking of the wonders of America, one of the chiefest is the way we put up with faddists.

Selfishness is where a man climbs up the ladder of success and pulls the ladder up after him.

Say what you please about the person who cheats at solitaire, he doesn't fool anybody but himself.

We should say the Azores have enough way-station air traffic now to justify a chain cigar store.

Say what you will against chewing gum, it sometimes keeps a person from saying a lot of foolish things.

The office optimist's reaction to a recent attack of rheumatism is that he was thankful he wasn't a shad.

Always hospitable, Dora found there was an extra player the other afternoon, so dealt five hands for bridge.

It's pathetic the way those who don't like England very well anyhow, are becoming alarmed over her conduct.

The office cynic is back from the summer resort with the word that the weather during his stay was very unusual as usual.

A thing we have learned not to place too much dependence on is our recollection of a telephone number that is "easy to remember."

There is a young man who is known around the neighborhood as postage stamp, not being able to stick to anything for very long.

It's a man with a good memory who can keep track of all the endurance fights and of the names of the "heroes" who make them.

Another claim we have always felt was more or less wildly exaggerated is anything to the effect that this or that will discourage ants.

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