

# The Aurora Observer

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**EDITORIAL**  
Opinions of the  
Observer

The Oregon City Banner-Courier says if Fatty Arbuckle is acquitted, then it is for the Ku Klux Klan. Can't blame em.

E. G. Robinson suggests that it isn't too early for Aurora to plan a magnificent flower float to enter the parade at Portland's next Rose Show.

The Woodburn Independent has taken in a parader. It's McGill & Son now; and the Independent will probably improve. Don't mean to insinuate the paper needs so much improving, as McGill, Sr. is an editor of rare ability and his paper has always been a worthy one.

"To neglect advertising is like resolving never to travel by steam or communicate by telegraph. It is to close one's eyes to the light and live in perpetual darkness."—John Wanamaker.

We are glad that Julius L. Meier, President of the 1925 Fair Board, has come out with a statement similar to that advocated by the Observer a month ago. Mention it as "Oregon 1925" instead of "Portland 1925". As we stated in a previous issue, if it is an Oregon Fair, backed financially by Oregon and boosted by Oregon people, and Oregon is to benefit thereby, then it is selfish in Portland to claim it. Change your banners—it's Oregon 1925.

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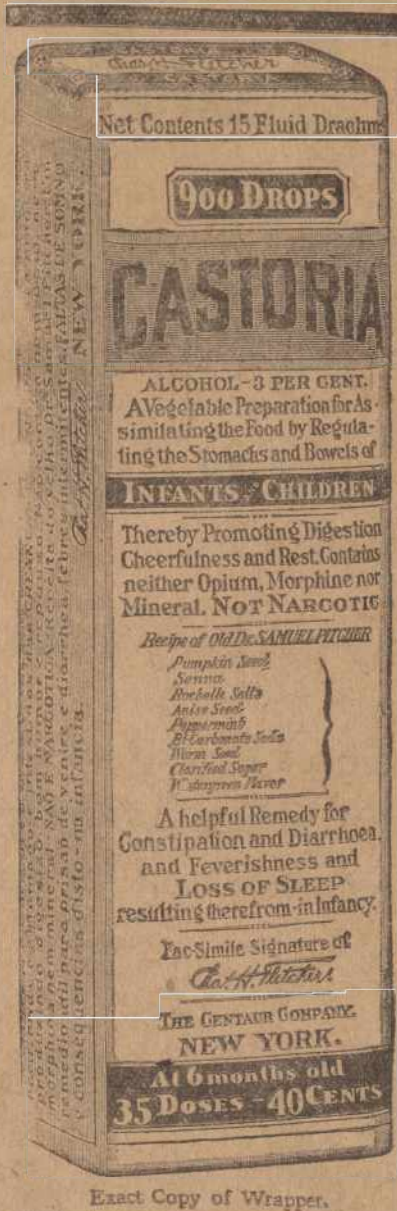
Both Phones  
Office at Residence Aurora, Or.

We heard a rumor last year that the Non-Partisan League would buy Oregon newspapers. We haven't heard of the Banner-Courier being sold lately, but—

Another movie actor's party in Los Angeles last Saturday. Booze and another death. Let 'er buck. When they are all dead more screen heroes will do likewise.

## OREGON NEXT?

The "organizers" of the Non-Partisan League are busy in Oregon. They are in that game merely for the \$18 membership fee which they collect from each man who is induced to join. That is all the thing will amount to in Oregon; meal tickets for a lot of organizers. The men induced to pay the \$18 a throw will, for the most part, become disgusted after a time and consider themselves skinned, which is all it will amount to. Some others will no doubt remain, and, like the fox in the



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fable that had his tail cut off in the trap and then tried to make all the other foxes believe that it was fashionable to go without tails, they will join in and boost the game of organizers, helping them to extract \$18 a head from other victims. But no great headway will be attained in this socialist skin game in Oregon and, after a while, the whole thing will blow up. Then these organizers, at \$18 a shot, will have to turn to some other game. They will never get down to honest work. It is easier and more profitable for them to work the workers.—The Jefferson Review.

The Molalla Pioneer and the Canby News, editors of both papers, seem to have a sore spot, probably justified, over their respective towns, or town officials. Among other interesting reading the Molalla editor says:—

"So far as the writer is concerned this air of condescension in dealing with him is going to stop. Our hat is in the ring and if any of the few who have lost an opportunity to rub it in and put salt on the sore, because they thought we did not have sense enough to know what they were doing, want to take the matter up will go to the mat and Molalla will be about the most interesting place in the state for the next few months.

Instead of growling about what we have published some ought to thank God for what we have not published. We have never been a muckraking publication and do not intend to be one but there is a limit to everything. That limit, has been reached. Some mighty interesting stuff awaits publication. They can have it if they want it."

And then the Canby editor gets restless and says:—

"There is nothing as hard to please as a small town council—the members are the "toughest" beings possible unless you are occasionally boosting them. Attempt to criticize them and they can't do mean enough backbiting acts to do injury to business or character of the newspaper and its publishers, or underhanded tricks that even a dirty blackguard would not be guilty of."

Tut! Tut! Gentlemen, don't get so peeved—it will never get you anywhere.



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Somebody suggested that it was time for the newspapers of the country to adopt a week in which their own business should be given precedent, and the Observer thoroughly endorses the idea.

The date set is the second week in November, from the 7th to the 12th, including that great world event, Armistice Day.

The official title for the week will be "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week.

Thousands of papers will join in this event, and our readers will hear more about it as time goes on.

Ever ready to help in any cause that is in the interests of a better community, better living conditions, and better government, we now ask the readers and advertisers of the Observer to turn in and lend a hand, during "Subscribe for Your Home Town Paper Week," and boost for us.

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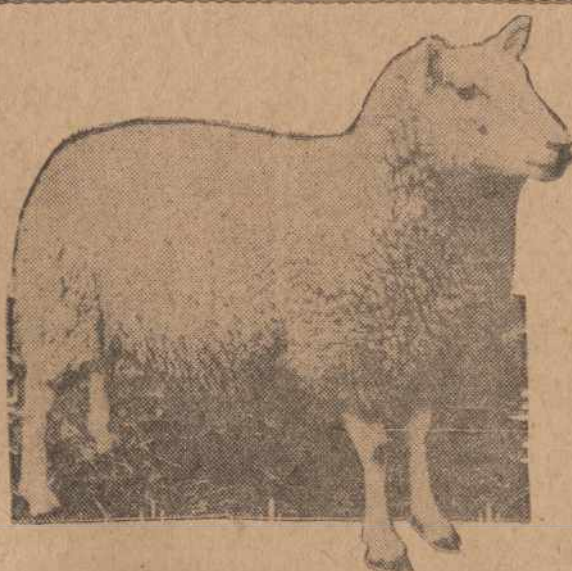
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The Pacific International Live Stock Exposition which will be held at North Portland this year, November 5-12, will probably contain the largest sheep show in its history. Manager O. M. Plummer believes that there may be 1000 head. In view of the fact that all the fairs and shows in the Northwest this year are showing greatly increased sheep exhibits, his prophecy is apt to come true.

The animal shown above is "Oregon Lassie," the champion yearling ewe in the Cheviot breeds, owned by R. A. Templeton of Halsey, Oregon.

Western Oregon has long been famous for its middle wool sheep, and already this year notable winnings have been made by exhibits from this section at fairs and expositions throughout Canada and the eastern part of the United States.

Perhaps it was not altogether a fable about Jason adventuring his life in search of the golden fleece. While the wool growers of the Northwest have had a hard time since the war, the ultimate future of wool and mutton production is certain to be financially profitable. The day will come when no farm will be considered fully stocked without a small flock of sheep.

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"The man who does not advertise because it costs money, should quit paying rent for the same reason.

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"The man who doesn't advertise because he doesn't know how himself ought to stop eating because he can't cook.

"The man who does not advertise because somebody said it did not pay, ought not to believe that the world is round because the ancients said it was flat."

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No. 18 (stop)..... 3:02 p.m.

No. 24 (stop)..... 7:16 p.m.

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