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Portland Commercial Club Representatives Carry Urgent Invitation.

In order to arouse interest in the meeting of the Oregon Development League to be held August 19-21 at Klamath Falls and to personally carry a cordial and urgent invitation to the business men and ranchers to attend that convention a party representing the Portland Commercial Club, the railroads and the newspapers is now making an automobile tour of Central Oregon and will devote all of this week and next to a series of meetings for the purpose of securing delegates to the O. D. L. gathering.
The party left Portland last Sunday for Bend, the latter being the real starting point of the tour, being preceded by a letter addressed to every commercial organization in the territory to be covered giving the itinerary in detail. This advance notice will enable each community to make preparations for a large attendance at the meetings to be held on arrival of the party. It is hoped that the excursion will result in securing information which will enable the Oregon Agricultural College and the Portland Commercial Club to help Central Oregon in the development of its resources.

STATE AND FEDERAL AID FOR DAIRYMAN

The United States Division of Dairying in co-operation with the Extension division of the Oregon Agricultural College, will in the future maintain a dairy field man who will assist the farm dairy men of Oregon with many problems of successful dairying. Professor W. A. Barr has been selected for this important work with headquarters at Corvallis. His assistance means a visit to the dairy farms when needed, suggestions on building up more profitable herds, feeding and management, barn, silo and milk house construction, and record of feed and milk weight. The use of the yearly record book for each cow will be shown, whereby the profitable cow may be selected and the unprofitable cow detected and eliminated from the herd.
Professor Barr calls attention to the need of better cows. A profitable herd, he says, can be had within four or five years by using a pure bred sire and making the actual record the guiding factors in selection. Assistance will be given committees in the selection of dairy bulls, the organization of cow testing associations, and in every way possible, without any cost to them.

A few days ago contracts were let at Medford for the construction of a \$40,000 precooling and storage plant, the contract calling for its completion by the 15th of August, in time for the first shipment of pears. The building is to be 80 x 124 feet in size and will have a capacity of 100 carloads.
The time is now ripe for the various communities in the state to become active in the selecting samples of grains, vegetables, fruit etc. for displays to be made at the various Eastern land shows this Fall and Winter. Southerlin reports a fine collection under way, and it is hoped that every section of Oregon will come to the front with a liberal quantity of their best products. No amount of written or printed boasting can be as effective as a well staged display of actual products of Oregon gardens and ranches.

LEXINGTON ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Galey Johnson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stookard.
Not much news in Lexington now for the men folks are all away harvesting and the "widows" are kept busy doing chores.

We notice Art Parker and Chas. Johnson, two of our champion shearers are home again after quite a shearing sojourn in Montana and Idaho.

Miss Abbie Johnson, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Johnson, returned to her home at her grandpa's in Walla Walla the first of the week.

Mrs. Pointer, an elderly lady who has been ill at her home for some time with throat trouble was taken to the hospital where she is being treated by Dr. Allison. We earnestly hope for her speedy recovery.

The sad news reached Lexington Saturday that one of Sylvanus Wright's boys of near Hardman was instantly killed. The family have the sympathy of friends and relatives in this, their hour of trouble.

The fence for the Penland cemetery which has been ordered and shipped for so long a time has at last arrived and will be set up in a short time. It is a nice improvement and all those who contributed either time or money toward it will feel that their donation has been well spent.

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WILL GIVE AID TO TRI-COTNTY FAIR

Oregon Conservation Commission Promises Suitable Prizes For Event.

The Oregon conservation commission will continue this year its policy of support of the Tri-County fair to be held at Condon, probably the first of September. It will offer attractive prizes for the best collective exhibit made by those who excel in the growing of grains and grasses, the canning of fruits and the production of butter and eggs.

The commission offers a series of cash prizes—first, \$100; second, \$50; third, \$25; and to the next five scoring highest, \$10 each—for "the best collective exhibit of farm products, including grains, and grasses in bundles; threshed grain; fruits and vegetables, butter, eggs, canned fruit and vegetables, grown in either Sherman, Gilliam or Morrow counties. Scoring is to be on the following basis:

The greatest variety 40 points; the highest average quality, 30 points; the best general appearance or display, 20 points; the best story of how these products were grown and produced, not exceeding 1000 words, to be judged on practical rather than literary merit, 10 points. Total, 100 points.

There was held at Condon last year, for the three counties, a fair that attracted special trainloads of people from Portland and the districts nearer by. It had been said that these counties were retrogressing, that products were lessening in quality and quantity and population becoming smaller. The gospel of diversified production and intensive cultivation was preached among them by agents of a movement organized by J. N. Teal and others. Instead of growing wheat year after year on the same ground without enrichment, field peas, alfalfa, milo maize, Kaffir corn and other crops are alternating with wheat. Hogs and livestock generally are being produced to the profit of the farmers. Dairying is being found a business that pays. Sherman, Morrow and Gilliam counties have commenced to "come back."

SEEKING A REMEDY.

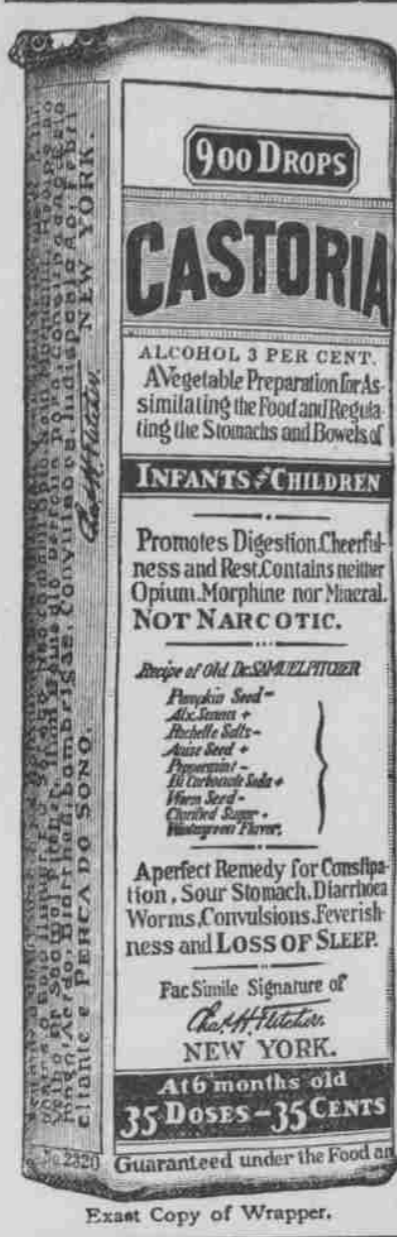
It is pretty generally agreed that the producer gets too little for his commodities and that the ultimate consumer pays too much. The needful thing is to find a remedy. Some suggest that the middleman or middlemen be eliminated. It is complained that too many hands are between its leaving the hand of the producer and reaching that of the consumer, and that each one of them makes too large a profit. Doubtless there is much truth in that assertion, but the middleman cannot be entirely done away with. Every bushel of wheat and corn, every bale of cotton, every head of cattle must necessarily pass through several hands in order to reach the consumer, and each one is entitled to a moderate profit. Still in all likelihood there are too many middlemen and that in many cases they take too large a toll.

Probably there may never be a return to the low prices that prevailed a dozen or more years ago, and yet it is possible to effect a reduction if some things are done. Begin with the producer. It is in order for him to make an acre of land produce far more than it does. It is notorious that with many crops the yield per acre is actually less than it was, a fact which in itself is evidence of wasteful farming. While the average yield in this country has been going down, that of European countries is going up as the result of scientific and intensive farming.

Also the consumer may materially help the solution by greater economy. It is a discreditable fact that in these days of soaring prices when so many families find it hard to make both ends meet there is many a home where enough good food is wasted every day to keep a family well fed if only it was properly utilized. Then, too, it must not be forgotten that the question is not solely one of high cost of living, but that it is also one of high living. The standard of living is higher than it was, which in itself is a good thing, in that it indicates greater comfort, refinement and prosperity. There is not one of us who would be content with the much-vaunted simple life of our forefathers. People now must have as necessities what our ancestors called luxuries, and that means expense.

The conclusion of the whole matter is, that it is hopeless to expect a return absolutely to the low prices of former days, for the simple reason that conditions have changed. But that it is possible to reduce materially the present cost of living is certain if very possible methods are followed.

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