

CHRISTMAS GIFTS THAT ARE USEFUL



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Don't put off your Christmas shopping till the last minute. **COME EARLY!** We have lots of nice things that will please your friends.

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WORLD'S FINEST AT LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION

Portland, Ore. (Special) Dec. 16—The Pacific International Livestock Exposition flung open its portals at the Portland Union Stock Yards for the third time last week in its annual show, with the most brilliant and representative field of entries in all classes, individuals, herds and carload lots that has ever been assembled in this section of the country.

Stock that has never known what it is to have their colors lowered in defeat on this continent or in the United Kingdom, animals that have swept everything in the way of awards at the International Livestock Show at Chicago, the National Dairy at Chicago, at state and district fairs with out number were represented in that magnificent symposium of livestock aristocracy.

Portland was the mecca for all livestock men last week. The eyes of all livestockmen of the west were focused on Portland. Nearly 1900 entries—not single animals but individual herds of varying sizes and on up to carload entries, were listed with the exposition that made the value run well up into millions.

An aggregate of \$15,000 in premiums were awarded. No exposition of its kind has ever attempted to do so much for its community, for the country tributary to it, or for the industry it undertakes to foster. Thousands visited the yards to see the world's finest on exhibition and closed last Saturday where special entertainment had been provided for school children and teachers who witnessed the awarding of the prize cups.

That the Northwest has become the rival of the "corn states" has been demonstrated by the first Corn Show held at Pendleton, a week ago last Friday. The people of Umatilla County had their first view of real Oregon field corn. There was corn of every description: corn on the cob in rows and piles; corn on stalks some of them measuring 13 feet high. There was corn in bulk, yellow corn, white corn, red corn and several shades between. Prizes given by the O. W. R. & N. Co., and others amounted to \$1000. Entries from 200 individual exhibitors were represented.

The exhibit was judged by Professors Scudder, Hyslop and French, of the Oregon Agricultural College, after which the entire exhibit was shipped to Portland and displayed for a whole week by the railroad.

In Portland, thousands were astonished to see the corn exhibited in the shock, on the ears, in the sack in the silo and ground into meal—this being the product of the state of Oregon, where all was spread out in convincing profusion. And now, Oregon comes into the ranks of corn growing states.

NOTICE.

Persons having stock running at large inside and around our premises on Butter and Hinkler creeks and elsewhere are hereby notified to keep them off our land. We need our pastures for our own use.

At. GEO. J. CURRIN & SON

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that my wife Nora Swaggart has left my bed and board, and that I will not be responsible for any debts hereafter contracted by her.

WILBUR SWAGGART.

Dated at Heppner, Oregon, this 1st day of December, 1913. At.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Farmers' Week

December 8 to 13, 1913

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Farmers' co-operation will be the leading topic of a stimulating series of lectures. The week will be crowded with discussions, and demonstrations in everything that makes for the welfare of the farmer and homemaker.

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