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TIGES TELLING CARTOON.

In Friday's Oregonian Tige Reynolds told in cartoon the story of Oregon. He pictured a farmer leaving his family in an automobile while he with two bags of money procured from selling dollar wheat hastened to a bank to deposit it. From the automobile came the admonition to "dad" "Hurry Pa, us for Portland as soon as possible."

And that is correct. Tige again showed his keen grasp of the situation. All Oregon hastens to Portland to spend the money, which is but the natural thing to do.

Every dollar produced in the state must first pay its tithing to transportation, which in turn trickles into Portland, and then the remainder of the dollar, or a large chunk of it reaches Portland in various ways.

Lately Portland, as a city, has been trying to grasp the story that Tige Reynolds told in the Oregonian cartoon, and an effort or several efforts have been talked of to aid in developing the state. It has not been long since Portlanders sat on their throne of wealth and rested in the belief that things would never change; that the money would keep coming and all she had to do was to build buildings and collect enormous rentals.

Well, the money still continues to flow to Portland but it is in a little different shape now. There is a string or two tied to it and Portland is sitting up and rubbing her eyes.

If the Chamber of Commerce will enlarge Tige's cartoon and place it in the main lobby it will have a study in black and white that should be of material interest to the financial kings of the metropolis.—La Grande Observer.

SPOILED HAY COULD BE USED TO GOOD ADVANTAGE.

Owing to the extremely wet weather this year a great deal of hay was spoiled and on Butter creek large quantities of spoiled hay was burned in the field. This strikes us as being a great waste, for a trip down the creek recently revealed some of the worst roads it has been our misfortune to encounter in a long time. The spoiled hay spread on these bad places in the road would have improved their condition wonderfully and saved many dollars in time and trouble. It would have required but little time, comparatively, to have done this work and the results would have more than justified the efforts expended.

In some parts of the county straw has been used on the roads and it has improved them very much, while in other parts sage brush has been utilized in making what has been called "sage-brush macadam" and better roads have resulted. The spoiled hay, being heavier, would work better than either of these.

WHAT MR. HUGHES WOULD DO.

In his Detroit address Mr. Hughes enlarged upon his previous criticism of the Wilson administration and indicted the fundamental principle which would have controlled and directed his actions if he had been president and which will control and direct him if he becomes president. One of these principles is the protection of the American citizen wherever he may go. "If a man is an American citizen," he says, "he goes with his rights and the right to the proper protection of his country under international law wherever he journeys throughout the world." There is nothing new in this declaration. Such rights have been recognized and maintained by every nation worthy of respect for the past century at least. They have been accepted and enforced by every president of the United States since the establishment of our government, with the single exception of the present executive, who, for the first time in our history, has set up the contrary doctrine that an American citizen, unlike the prophet, is without honor save in his own country.

Our imperative duty in our relations with Mexico, as with other countries, begins and ends with the maintenance of our national rights and the individual rights of our citizens. All international law is based upon this basic principle of national protection and the protection of nationals. All treaties of trade and commerce, as well as of comity, are founded upon it. It would have guided, and will guide, the foreign policy of Mr. Hughes. He would have refused to meddle in the international political affairs of Mexico, but would have firmly insisted upon, and compelled if need be, a wholesome respect for

American citizenship. Every step taken by the present administration has been away from rather than toward this end. America has been made a term of contempt in Mexico and American citizenship a thing of no value. Americans have been forced by their own government to abandon their property and leave the country. And all due to the rejection of the fundamental principle of international law. Mr. Hughes proposes to restore this principle and put it into definite and vigorous action. He has been asked what he would have done, and what he would do, in relation to Mexico. This is his answer and it is clear and complete.—St. Louis Globe Democrat.

The Gazette-Times Printery this week delivered to Secretary Smead, of the Morrow County Fair Board the premium list for the 1916 fair. Mr. Smead has had his office force busy the past few days mailing out the books and each family in the county will receive one. It will be noticed that the premiums in one or two unimportant departments have been decreased, while in others of more importance they have been increased.

Some facts, however, which a perusal of the premium list will not show are the added stress to be given this year to educational features; the extraordinary line of free attractions; and the excellence of the agricultural and horticultural exhibits. These last named are expected to excel all former fairs, both in quantity and quality and it is not at all unlikely that their excellence will surprise even those who will be expecting something extra fine.

Now is the time to begin making plans to attend the fair and every person in the county should be here. Even if your attendance will break in on important farm work, the benefits gained both in recreation and knowledge will more than make up for the lost time at home.

The county fair is an institution which must have the support of all the people in the county in order that it shall be the success it ought to be. Lincoln's, "Of the people, by the people and for the people" as aptly applies to the county fair as it does to the nation, and as it is with the nation, so it is with the fair; it must have the united support of the people or it will fall of its purpose.

The fair board are doing a fine work and they should have the appreciation of all. Upon them falls the active management of our fair and they often receive blame which should be placed elsewhere, but with the people of the county, as a whole behind them their job of managing the fair become a pleasure instead of a chore and the results for the good of the county are doubled and trebled.

Let us all boost for the 1916 Morrow County Fair and make it actually "the best county fair in Oregon."

Just four weeks from today and the Fourth Annual Morrow County Fair will be on. Will you be one who can say: "Well I helped to make it a success."

Morrow county wheat commands the highest market prices. This was proven last week when wheat sold here several cents higher than was paid in any of the neighboring counties.

Eighteen hundred pounds of butter was the record made by the Morrow County Creamery last week. Business continues to increase according to Manager Ira Morgan and he predicts another year will show a big growth in the dairy industry of Morrow county.

We would have the bulk of the tourist travel come through Heppner, but what would we do to attract them this way? Are we making any individual effort to make our town more attractive? The suggestion made by one man that we have a public camping ground within our city is a good one that should be followed out with all speed.

The Federated Church.

Regular preaching services at the Federated church next Sunday 11 a. m.

8 p. m. an educational service, addressed by Supt. Notson and others with music, etc.

August 27, is the last Sunday of the year. Subject 11 a. m., "Communion," with communion service following. 8 p. m., last service. Instrumental and vocal music, etc., with closing address by the pastor.

Annual conference, M. E. church, South, will convene at Walla Walla, August 31, Bishop Lambuth presiding. W. B. SMITH.

New York, Pennsylvania, and Massachusetts appear to be responsible for putting the rage in suffrage.—Columbia State.

Greece is like the fellow who prefers being called a coward to having it said to him. "Doesn't he look natural?"—Albany Journal.

If this war keeps on for another year we'll probably find out how far a kilometer is.—New York Evening Sun.

Even though he favors equal suffrage, the president believes that woman's place is in the White House.—Philadelphia North American.

EGG CITY ITEMS

(Continued from page one)

Mrs. C. C. Chick and son Charles departed Sunday for Newport and will spend a few weeks outing at the sea shore.

M. A. Olden is up from his home near Hillsboro on a visit with his sons Herb, John and Grant and daughter, Mrs. A. A. McCabe.

The work of remodeling the front of the lone hotel is going on under the direction of Chas. Allinger, assisted by Clarence Hesselstine.

C. Guy Wakefield and wife from Pendleton have been in Ione during the past week. Mr. Wakefield making some piano sales here.

W. R. Cochran has taken his teams and gone over into the Pendleton country where he expects to engage in wheat hauling for a time.

Bert Johnson enjoyed a visit of a few days this week with his mother and sister from Portland. The ladies departed for their home yesterday.

S. L. Beck has engaged to put down a well on the L. P. Davidson place in the Gooseberry section. He will move his outfit from Ione and begin work at once.

J. M. Baker returned to his home in Portland on Monday after having spent a week visiting with relatives and old-time acquaintances in and around Ione.

H. M. Olden started his combine Tuesday. He will have between 850 and 900 acres to thresh on his own place and he will be kept busy for some time to come.

Dr. Alex Reid was a visitor in Ione during the forepart of the week, coming over from his home at Standfield. The doctor contemplates taking up practice here again.

Luther Jordan and family arrived from Portland on Tuesday to spend a few days visiting relatives and friends of the old home town. They are traveling by auto.

W. F. Palmateer started up his thresher in the Morgan neighborhood today. He is running a steam outfit and recently purchased a new machine. He will have an extensive run.

Mrs. R. F. Wilmot and daughter, Miss Kittie, departed on Monday for their new home in Portland. The very best wishes of the many friends of these excellent people go with them.

Cal D. Robinson and young son of Lone Rock visited Saturday last with Attorney Robinson of this place. Cal is feeling bully over the fine crops in his locality, the range being especially fine this season.

The harvest crew at the Jake Bortzer place went on a strike the last of the week and called for their pay. This left Mr. Bortzer "tied up" for a few days but he got another crew together and is busy again.

Miss Mabry Currin, of Heppner, has been visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilcox, just east of Ione. Miss Currin will teach in one of the departments in the Ione schools this coming year.

Mrs. Haldee Brerly, of Mt. Vernon, Wash., visited during the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Knappenberg, in Ione. She went to Rhea Siding Tuesday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Farnsworth.

W. B. Jenks and wife of Monument stopped over for a couple of days visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Knappenberg this week, on their return from an extensive trip by auto through the Willamette Valley and out to the coast.

Ben Juday is suffering the dislocation of his arm at the elbow joint, the result of a horse falling with him. Dr. Chick put the injured member in proper shape again and Ben is now enjoying himself walking around and trying to forget the pain.

Robert Matthison has arrived from Portland and will remain during harvest. It is his intention to take charge of his place here again as soon as the present crop is off. Mrs. Mattie Brahears has been farming the Matthison place during the past year.

C. E. Kindt, wife and daughter, arrived from Portland Sunday evening, and are spending the week at the farm of Kindt & Jacquat, known as the Bowerman place just over the line in Gilliam county. These people have begun their big harvest which they are gathering in with a combine.

E. M. Shutt is busy at this writing getting up his second crop of alfalfa. The yield is heavy and of extra quality. Other hay farmers along the creek are getting ready for the second cutting if they are not already in the midst of it.

Rev. C. B. Bailey was up from The Dalles over Sunday and held services at the Baptist church in this city. Mr. Bailey is just recovering from a recent very severe operation and is still quite weak. It has been thought possible that he could be engaged to take up the pastorate of the church at this place, but owing to his physical condition he seems somewhat afraid to undertake the work. Rev. Bailey has many warm friends in this county;

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MORROW COUNTY FAIR

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THREE BIG GALA DAYS

Entertaining Educational Amusing

Thursday and Friday Herbert Munter, the aviator, will give an exhibition of interest. He does some of the most thrilling stunts ever dared by any other aviator, such as the "Tommy Trot," Figure Eight," and his "Dive of Death."

THE ELKS' BAND of La Grande

will furnish music for our Fair, and after hearing them we think you will say they are the best that ever came to Morrow County.

Other free attractions of merit will be provided by the Fair Management in the way of concessions. We are going to have a merry-go-round, Ferris Wheel and are promised a Dog and Pony Show, African Jungle and many other good, clean amusements.

THE AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL AND OTHER FEATURES WILL BE UP TO THEIR USUAL STANDARD AND WE BELIEVE, BETTER THAN BEFORE. New sheds will be erected for stock, assuring exhibitors a safe place for their stock. Especial pains will be taken to provide safe stalls for stallions.

Don't Fail to Come

MAKE YOUR PLANS EARLY TO BE HERE AND BRING THE FOLKS ALONG.

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W. W. SMEAD :::: SECRETARY

he was one of the pioneer preachers in these parts.

"What are the duties of an American soldier in Mexico?" "If the press dispatches can be relied on, a day's

work consists of hunting for Villa one hour, hunting for water five hours, and the rest of the time hunting for lost American aviators."—Puck.

"Look, ma, that man's got a black eye!" "S-sh-sh. He might hear

you!" "Doesn't he know about it?"—Life.

The farther the Germans penetrate into prohibition territory, the feebler becomes their attack.—Columbia State.