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The Oregon Blue Book.

The Gazette-Times is in receipt of a copy of the 1917-1918 Oregon Blue Book, just off the press, as a compliment from Secretary of State Ben W. Olcott.

In addition to the matter contained in former editions of this publication, which has been corrected to date, there is included a table showing dates of the creation of the several counties of the state and the derivation of the county names, the Declaration of Independence, the Federal constitution, the several Acts relating to the admission of Oregon to statehood, a synopsis of the Federal Naturalization Laws and a statement of the taxable property in the several counties for the year 1916.

An interesting table showing the approximate registration by sexes under the several political parties is also included.

Especially attention is directed to the Table of Contents and the Foreword, from an examination of which may be obtained a comprehensive idea of the scope of the book.

Copies of the Oregon Blue Book will be forwarded to all residents of the state upon request.

Trying Times for Newspapers.

It is not often that actual figures from the books of a great newspaper in an important city are given to the public as was done in a recent lawsuit in Los Angeles. The big loss suffered last year by the morning Tribune and the evening Express, published by Edwin T. Earl at Los Angeles, amounting to over \$275,000, is significant in that it shows the complete demoralization that recently has taken place in some cities in the newspaper business.

The Los Angeles Express is an old newspaper and was making money up to two years ago. The Los Angeles Tribune is a new paper established four or five years ago. Each suffered a large part of the aggregate loss of \$275,000.

To what extent the rising cost of doing business contributed to this result has not been stated, but it is a fair assumption that the enormous prices exacted by paper manufacturers had a great deal to do with it. That many successful newspapers have been turned into losing enterprises in the last year by the increase in their white paper bill can be readily believed when one considers that the New York Times is required to pay \$750,000 more for its white paper this year than it paid last year. The Chicago News is paying nearly a million dollars more for its paper this year than last.—Spokesman-Review.

Returns From Alaska.

After spending the past fifteen months in Alaska, Marshall Phelps, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Phelps of this city has returned to the states. Mr. Phelps was engaged in mining work on the Copper River, 300 miles inland at Cordova. While good wages are paid in the north country, Mr. Phelps was not impressed with the climate, owing to the extreme cold. However he has now satisfied that desire of seeing Alaska and will now be content to remain in the states for some time to come. He says there is very little excitement in Alaska on account of the war. In that particular section where he was located Mr. Phelps says news came in at long intervals and it was an impossibility to keep up on current events.

Harvest to Start Soon.

Pete Wightman, who was in the city the first of the week states harvest will start there soon. Haying on the creek has been in progress for some time and the Alfalfa Lawn Dairy ranch has produced some fine oats again this year. Oats on that place last year yielded better than 100 bushels per acre, although Mr. Wightman says the yield will not be so great this year owing to the fact that the grain has been grown entirely without irrigation.

Finley Has Big Crop

While in June last Saturday the editor met W. B. Finley, who farms in the northern part of Morrow county. Mr. Finley says harvest is now in progress on his farm where the Wm. Padberg crew is working daily. Wheat sown on summerfallow land is making 15 bushels per acre according to Mr. Finley and he has 800 acres of such grain. The barley has also made a good yield and he expects to clean up \$12,000 on his 1917 crop.

Start on Grain Elevator.

Workmen staked out the ground on Monday for the new grain elevator to be built for the Woolgrowers' Warehouse company. Heavy concrete footings will be put in, and considerable excavation will be necessary for the pit and the dump scales. It will be a week or ten days before work can begin on the superstructure.—Enterprise Record-Chiefstain.

Church of Christ.

Subject of morning sermon Sunday: "Our Call and Walk"; evening, "The Spider as a Teacher of Wisdom."

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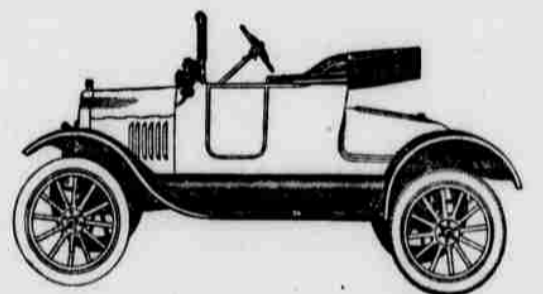
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