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This education forms the common mind:
Just as the twig is bent, the tree's
inclined.

SOIL SURVEYS

Detailed soil surveys covering about one third of the tillable land of the state and one half of the farms have been completed, thus providing farmers in these sections with an inventory of their soil. Maps and reports of these surveys will soon be available for free distribution from the experiment station.

IN THE FOREST

There are sixty species of oak in the United States. Only 14 of these are of commercial importance as furniture woods.

Where there is no vision
the forests perish—and the people

CASCO BAY

By John Greenleaf Whittier

Nowhere fairer, sweeter, rarer,
Does the golden locked fruit-
bearer
Through his painted woodlands
stray,
Than where hillside oaks and
beaches
Overlook the long blue reaches,
Silver coves and pebbled beaches
And green isles of Casco Bay;
Nowhere day, for delay,
With a tenderer look beseeches,
"Let me with my charmed earth
stay."
On the grainlands of the main-
lands
Stands the serried corn like
trainbands,
Plume and pennon rustling gay;
Out at sea, the islands wooded,

Silver birches, golden hooded,
Set with maples, crimson
blooded,
White sea-foam and sand hills
gray,
Stretch away, far away,
Dim and dreamy, overbrooded
By the hazy autumn day.
Gayly chattering to the clatter
ing,
Of the brown nuts downward
pattering,
Leap the squirrels, red and gray.
On the grassland, on the fallow,
Drop the apples, red and yellow;
Drop the red pears and mellow
Drop the red leaves all the day
And away, swift away,
Sun and cloud o'er hill and
hollow
Chasing, weave their web of
play.

HOOCH, HUGGING, HASTE

These Three Cause 75 Per Cent
of Motor Accidents.

Safety first slogans have been adopted by the highway department of the state of Ohio in an effort to reduce the number of motor accidents. The three "H's" hooch, hugging, haste, cause 75 per cent of motor accidents. Some of the slogans are:

1. Don't try to scare a locomotive with your horn.
2. A road hog roots up macadam with his nose.
3. Our roads are wide and smooth—don't bdrn them up.
4. Death is so permanent—take a minute or two at those dangerous railroad crossings.
5. Tragedy in seven words: Speed increases, breath ceases, rest in pieces.
6. Horse sense as well as horse power should enter into the operation of motor vehicles.
7. Live to ride another day by obeying signs; they mean what they say.
8. Drive with care; you may meet a fool.
9. A reckless driver is a criminal.
10. Keep your hands on the wheel; let your girl hug herself.

Early Cradle Formed From Hollowed Log

Cradles, in their earliest form, were merely logs, scooped out to form more or less comfortable resting places for babies. They were without rockers, since the natural shape of the logs made their use unnecessary. Cradles have varied with different modes of living and reflect in their diversity of form and adornment the progress of the cabinetmaker's art. The Romans are said to have used cradles of considerable refinement, but after the decline of the empire, accompanied as it was with the decay of living, the cradle, with other furniture forms, assumed a crude and humble aspect. One of the early forms of the cradle was the oaken chest without a lid. Baskets of osiers were sometimes used, in which the child, wrapped in swaddling clothes, was placed. The American cradle of oak in the Metropolitan museum in New York dates from the early Seventeenth century. Fabulous wealth and the skill of the greatest craftsmen have been lavished on the cradles of royal children throughout history. These important beds have been gilded and carved, intricately inlaid with gold and gems, upholstered in the choicest silks and fitted with the most sumptuous coverings of velvet and fur.—Dorothy Kent, in Art and Decoration.

Proper Honor Paid by Shah to Fellow Poet

In his "Memories of Eighty Years," Chauncey M. Depew tells the following story:
Browning, the poet, was present at a great dinner given for the shah of Persia at Stafford house, the home of the duke of Sutherland, and the finest palace in London. Every guest was asked, in order to impress the shah, to come in all the decorations to which they were entitled. The result was that the peers came in their robes which they otherwise would not have thought of wearing on such an occasion. Browning said he had received a degree at Oxford and that entitled him to a scarlet cloak. He was so out-ranked that he sat at the foot of the table. The shah said to his host:
"Who is that distinguished gentleman in the scarlet cloak at the other end of the table?" The host answered: "That is one of our greatest poets."
"That is no place for a poet," remarked the shah; "bring him up here and let him sit next to me." So at the royal command the poet took the seat of honor. The shah said to Browning: "I am mighty glad to have you near me, for I am a poet myself."

Good Reason Why He Didn't Put on Brakes

It does give one a feeling of security when autoing if the car has one of those "brakes tested" disks on it. To be sure, the brakes may get out of order the day after the disk is pasted on, but if one doesn't know it there is no worry. Besides, it furnishes a fine alibi if one's car is in a collision. Just point to the blue disk and tell the other fellow he must be to blame.
But what is going to happen to those drivers who play the debeat in the matter of brakes? A defective brake means less to them than a buzzing mosquito. It reminds one of a Springfield man who was noted for the reckless way in which he slid down hills. Coming whizz bang down a particularly steep incline, a man riding with him protested, "Why didn't you put on your brakes, for gosh sake?" he asked.
"Because I haven't any," calmly answered the reckless driver, and proceeded to coast down hill at top speed.—Springfield Union.

Girls Shun Architecture

One has to read this twice to believe it.
Out of something over 5,000 United States college students who answered a questionnaire as to their life ambitions, not a single girl wanted to be an architect. Although they wanted to be everything else on earth—everything except soldiers and architects.
It would seem that one of the greatest jobs any woman could undertake would be architecture. Especially of private residences. After all, the designing of a residence is just putting a wall around a house-keeping job. And the architect who makes the plans usually has women to deal with as cash customers. All that a man ever does with a new house is to explain how he would like to have the den and then finds out there isn't going to be any den.—Los Angeles Times.

Electric Company Gives New Rate Schedules

The Sherman Electric Company announces the appended schedules as effective after the new power line reaches Heppner. It is thought this will be in from 30 to 60 days. Poles for the new line are now in as far as Eight Mile on the way to Ione from Olex.

SCHEDULE B-1—COMMERCIAL SERVICE

Availability of Schedule: Service under this schedule is available in all territory served by Sherman Electric Company except within the corporate limits of Arlington, Oregon.
Character of Service: This schedule applies to commercial, professional, mercantile, industrial, fraternal, educational, and other similar institutions for the service of lighting and small incidental single phase appliances and power devices.
Rate:
First 30 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 15c per KWH
Next 30 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 10c per KWH
Next 140 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 5c per KWH
Next 400 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 5c per KWH
Next 400 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 5c per KWH
Next 1000 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 4c per KWH
Excess over 1000 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 3c per KWH
Minimum Monthly Charge: \$1.50 per meter per month within the corporate limits of cities and towns.
\$2.50 per meter per month in all other territory.

SCHEDULE E—GENERAL POWER

Net Rate:
First 35 Kilowatt hours used per month, per horse power of maximum demand 7c per KWH
Next 65 Kilowatt hours used per month per horsepower of maximum demand 2c per KWH
Excess over 1000 Kilowatt hours used per month 1 1/2c per KWH
Minimum monthly charge: \$1.50 per horsepower of maximum demand.

SCHEDULE K—COMMERCIAL COOKING, METER RATE

Character of Service: This schedule applies to service furnished for the operation of cooking and baking equipment in commercial establishments such as restaurants, hotels, bakeries, hospitals, schools, etc. The service is unlimited except that where the installation includes heavy duty equipment a daily peak load period of four hours during which such equipment shall not be operated by the customer.
Rate:
First 100 Kilowatt hours used per month 4c per KWH
Next 200 Kilowatt hours used per month 3c per KWH
Next 700 Kilowatt hours used per month 2c per KWH
Excess over 1000 Kilowatt hours used per month 1 1/2c per KWH
Minimum Charge: \$1.50 per month per kilowatt of maximum demand.
Maximum Demand: The maximum demand is considered to be the maximum load that may be connected at any time during normal operations and shall be taken as the manufacturer's name plate rating, or at the company's option may be determined by suitable test or inspection.
Discount: None.
Term of Contract: Not less than one year.

SCHEDULE A-1—RESIDENTIAL SERVICE

Service under this schedule is available in all territory served by Sherman Electric Company except within the corporate limits of Arlington, Oregon.
Character of Service: This schedule is applicable to electric service furnished through one meter for lighting, cooking, and small single phase power and heating equipment in private residences, individual flats, and individual apartments. It is not applicable to clubs, rooming houses, hotels or to apartment houses served under one contract.
Rate:
First 15 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 15c per KWH
Next 15 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 10c per KWH
Excess over 30 Kilowatt hours per meter per month 5c per KWH
Minimum Monthly Charge: \$1.50 per meter per month within the corporate limits of cities and towns.
\$2.50 per meter per month in all other territory.
Discount: None.
Water Heating Service: Any customer using an electric tank water heater in conjunction with an electric range, or other heavy duty cooking appliance having a capacity of 2 kilowatts or more, will be furnished service for such water heater at the flat rates quoted below, providing the water heater and the cooking equipment are served through one service and so connected by means of a double throw switch or limiting device that is impossible for a load greater than the normal cooking load to be thrown on the service at any time.
No water heating service will be furnished unless tanks are equipped with an approved insulating cover and with a thermostatic device for limiting the water temperature to a practical maximum.
Flat Rates for Water Heating:
600 Watt Heater \$2.75 per month
750 Watt heater \$2.75 per month
1000 Watt heater or larger \$3.25 per month per KW

Calories

A calory is the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of one gram of water one degree centigrade. In dietetics a calory is a unit to indicate heat or energy producing value of food.

Lodge Directory

Morrow County Pomona Grange
Master, Chas. Weikander
Secy.

Next meeting

ONE LODGE No. 129, A. F. & A. M.
Meets every first and third Wednesday of each month. W. M. Jason Bid-
dle; Secy., W. E. Bulard

Locust Chapter No. 119, O. E.
Meets the second and fourth Tues-
day of each month. W. M. Mrs. W. E.
Bullpap, Secy., Mrs. Ruth Mason.

IOE LODGE No. 135, I. O. O. F.
Meets every Friday evening. N. G. T. C. Troge; Secy., Lee Howell.

BUNCH GRASS REBEKAH No. 91,
I. O. O. F. Meets first and third
Thursday of each month. N. G. Mrs.
Bulpap; Secy. Mrs.

Church News

Notes of Interest to All
Local Denominations.

A not infrequent visitor at Ione has been Rev. M. B. Parotnagian, field worker for the Near East Relief. Mr. Parotnagian has been greatly depressed for years over the suffering of his people but now writes to the Independent of his hope that there may be some aid for the refugees through the League of Nations. It seems that for years, Dr. Nansen, the great Arctic explorer, has been the Commissioner of the League of Nations to study the refugee problem and if possible find a solution. A few days ago at Geneva, Dr. Nansen served notice on the League that unless they meant to do something he would resign. He was urged to stay on by some influential men with the promise that the whole subject would be studied afresh.
"When Dr. Nansen went into Armenia to study the governmental situation with reference to bringing in several thousand refugees, he went with Berclay Acheron, formerly of Portland, now Director General of the over seas operation of the Near East Relief. The Armenian Government would gladly have welcomed the refugees but all available tillable land was taken.

Old Wall Paper Restored
The quaint wall paper which has been on the walls of the old historic Moffatt-Ladd house at Portsmouth, N. H., home of the Colonial Dames of New Hampshire, has been completely renovated by Edward A. Halburn of Dorchester. The paper was carefully removed from the walls and taken to Boston, where it was cleaned and re-linced. It was then taken back to Portsmouth and placed in its original position. Skilled scenery painters re-touched the parts that were faded.

CHICKEN DINNER

Chicken dinner will be served cafeteria style at the Christian Church parlors, Friday evening, Sept. 30. Dinner will be ready at 6:00, P. M.

Church Directory

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting, Thur., 7:30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. W. W. HEAD, Pastor
Services
11:00 A. M.; C. E. at 6:45, P. M.
Prayer Meeting, Wed., 7:30

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
Prayer Meeting Thurs. Evening
Services
C. E.: 6:30; Preaching Service,
at 7:30 P. M.

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Lunch Counter

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Trained Nurse Assistant
Heppner - Oregon

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