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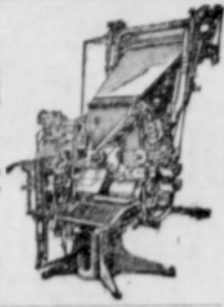
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**THE COUNTY AGENT.**

Nearly two years ago the county commissioners offered to appoint a county agriculturist provided the granges of this county would ask for the appointment. The suggestion was voted down by several of the subordinate granges and by Pomona grange but those of us who were already persuaded that the co-operation among farmers, which is the sine qua non of true agricultural progress and welfare, had arrived with the introduction of the county agent system are bound to be confirmed in that opinion and in a strong belief that the grange made a mistake when it listened to the advice of the members who live in the city, and refused to accept the offer of the county commissioners.

There are several of these agents in Oregon, in more enlightened communities, where the farmer strength prevails, and each one of them is backed by a county organization of farmers. It is the agent's duty, in brief, to look after the interests of the farmers in his county—or what amount to virtually the same thing, to aid those farmers in doing so. With these facts in mind one can hardly fail to realize that Multnomah should have such an official, backed by the Agricultural college and the United States department of agriculture.

Their prescribed duties indicate that the agents are ready to do their part and are doing it wherever they are appointed; it only remains for the farmers to manifest a spirit of co-operation among themselves—to proceed in mutual confidence and neighborliness to help themselves and one another as the county agents and the states college and the federal government are striving to help them all.

Practically every other industry in the country is effectually organized and reaping material reward accordingly. The steel business, the banking business, the railroad interests—these and almost all others have, respectively, at least a working agreement to their mutual advantage. Agriculture, in the final analysis the most important industry of all, is also the most unorganized in the genuine sense of the term.

Mere organization, such as the grange has, is not enough. It helps at the start, but something more is necessary to substantial benefit and success. Therefore it should be apparent to the grange members that they have been in a false position, and that they should apply at the next session of Pomona for what they once refused to accept.

**THE LARGEST CITY.**

It was easily realized that San Francisco is the largest city on the Pacific coast, and it is generally agreed that Los Angeles is second in size, but there the admissions end because of the rivalry yet existing between Portland and Seattle.

Mere bigness does not constitute greatness, and until one or the other of the two last named is sure of its place it belittles itself in its attempt to maintain its superiority in numbers. Perhaps the next census will settle the matter.

For many years Portland and Seattle have glared at each other, statistically speaking. One of the favorite editorials in the leading paper of both cities deals with population figures every dull month, and it would be a real treat to be sure that one city or the other is really the largest.

But when it comes to greatness the Outlook believes there can be no comparison. At any rate it is going to lift its hat to Portland and keep out of any controversy while awaiting the figures of the 1920 census. In the meantime the Northwest will enjoy reading population editorials for another five years in the Oregonian and P-I.

It was entirely proper that a holiday came during Dress-up week.

This is Columbus Day. A notion crossed Columbus and he crossed an ocean.

Decreased postoffice receipts in September may indicate that much delayed correspondence will be attended to in October.

The lure of the sea struck in the hardest at Indianapolis and Omaha last month. The navy reports the September recruiting record largest from the two great inland cities.

Those rambunctious Europeans and vagabond Mexicans couldn't prevent President Wilson from finding a pretty second wife, nor from attending the second game of the world's series in her company.

After seeing the "Dress-up Week" preparations you surely can never be so careless again in your daily make up. But isn't it a blow at our liberties to compel us to wear our suspenders over both shoulders, pin up our socks and keep our coats on?

**INDIAN SUMMER.**

About this time of the year some youngish or forgetful persons begin to talk about "Indian summer." It is a time when the sun shines out in the lean hours between a cool morning and a cooler evening with more than usual warmth for the time of year, a sort of thermal sandwich.

But at this uninformed precocity regarding times and seasons the more ripened and thoughtful elderly citizenship can but mourn. Having received their weather diplomas from the fine old school of observation, coupled with their recollections and experience, they well know that Indian summer, the genuine aboriginal article that was here ahead of Columbus, does not come, at the earliest, before the harvest moon and may be delayed until the first week in November.

This year the harvest moon will shine down upon us on Friday, October 22d, so that if we experience the freakish little season we call "squaw winter," with its frost and some bites of a northwest wind just before that date, the Indian summer will follow at once. We are sure to have our squaw winter first.

The sylvan decorations that mark the Indian summer, with its days of haze and mist of glory, will be seen when the woodland is gleaming in purple and gold and the rich colorings of the vine maple and other foliage.

There is not in Oregon during our lovely Indian summer, a hillside or forest that does not stir the feelings that William Herbert Carruth has put us all in his debt for his exquisite description of the season.

A haze on the far horizon,  
The infinite, tender sky,  
The ripe, rich tint of the cornfields,  
And the wild geese sailing high—  
And all over upland and lowland  
The charm of the golden-rod—  
Some of us call it autumn,  
And others call it God.

It will be pleasurable news to read that the Bank of Gresham was completely exonerated from any part in the alleged conspiracy engineered by others connected with the late Co-operative Supply House. That a few individuals may have to restore the money collected on the notes, does not reflect upon the bank, which will retain the confidence it's friends have reposed in it from the beginning.

Talking up a town is well, but it is important that there should be something to talk up before the talking begins. Advertising is the oil that lubricates the wheels of business, like the business man who advertises, but the community that advertises, must be in a position to "show the goods."

That campaign against "cruelty to the English language" might make a good beginning boy starting in on the losing fans just after the close of the world series. There won't be enough adjectives in the dictionary to characterize the unfortunate club that goes down to defeat.

Codfish have been dyed red and sold in Boston as Alaska salmon. But then Boston's epicurean culture never advanced beyond baked beans. A taste of Columbia river chinook would be an advance in their education.

Our vox Populi editor is digging into statistics to prove the new pan-talettes, which have appeared on the streets of New York, are westward ho-ing and will arrive here with the first glad warm days of spring. Let 'em come, we're ready.

Wood bills, taxes and the winter tramp wave have all seen the "Welcome" on the doormat in this salubrious climate, where the climate make the man wish he was amphibious several months in the year.

District Attorney Evans has issued a Don't booklet for perusal about the first of January. It's what to "Do" that will bother a big percentage of the population after that date.

Once there was a small town citizen who owned right up that he did not know any more about running the village newspaper that the editor himself. He's alive yet but won't admit it.

You take a little ball and an umbrella handle, and you hit the ball as hard as you can. If anybody finds it the same day he wins the game. That's golf.

Bulgaria is evidently not a bit superstitious about being the thirteenth nation to get into the war game.

As we dress up, so let us cheer up, for October is showing signs of trying to live up to its brilliant reputation.

The only things some people buy at home is an occasional money order or bank draft on New York or Chicago.

**Highest Market Price**

Paid for Butter, Eggs and Chickens and any other Marketable Produce.

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PHONE 831 **J. A. FRAKES** PHONE 831  
GRESHAM, OREGON

**List of Letters.**

Remaining letters uncalled for is the Gresham postoffice for week ending October 10, 1915:

Letters — Dr. Ralph Sheppard, Mrs. Kate Bauman.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office on October 24, 1915, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say 'advertised', giving date of list.

I. McCOLL, P. M.

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GRESHAM CHAPTER, O. E. S., No. 117.—Meets first and third Tuesdays each month in Odd Fellows' hall. Worthy Matron, Anna Brown; Secretary, Rose L. Dair.

GRESHAM LODGE, NO. 125, I. O. O. F.—N. G. J. E. Metzger; secretary, R. H. Todd. Meets every Saturday evening.

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**LIVESTOCK**

**COWS**

LOST—Holstein heifer, Brand B. B., mark earring. Finder drop card to Brawand, Bohren, Boring, Oregon. 65

GOOD COW FOR SALE at very reasonable price. Address S. B. Crissey, Bull Run, Oregon, or telephone Farmers 343.

FRESH COW for sale. Nearly new rubber-tired buggy or exchange for work. S. S. Thompson. Phone 61. tf

**PIGS**

FOR SALE—One Chester White sow and five pigs, \$14. One Chester White sow and five pigs 8 weeks old, \$18. Edw. W. Grievish, Troutdale. Phone 843. tf

WEANLING PIGS for sale.—W. H. Cleveland. Phone 471. tf

PIGS FOR SALE by E. L. Bourgeois, Springdale. Corbett phone 5191. 66

NINE NICE PIGS will sell or exchange for grain. Clarence Cathey. Phone 97.

FOR SALE—30 Angora goats, 12 registered, Duroc Jersey hogs. Would consider good young draft horse or young cattle in trade. C. E. Cleveland, Gresham. Phone 301

EXTRA FINE PIGS for sale. Seven weeks old. \$2.50 each. Columbia View Farm. Phone Corbett 62. tf

**HORSES**

FOR SALE—Mare, 13 years old, colt 16 months; colt 2 years old. Will sell or trade for good milk cows. Also 4-horse Fresno scraper. G. A. Noreen, R. 4, Gresham. 67

FOR SALE—Four-year-old mare, well broken, gentle; 1 good work mare; single and double harness like new; 6 tons good mixed hay; cheap for cash. See S. C. Brasswell, 1 mile south Linnemann station. tf

HORSE FOR SALE—Three years old, well broke. Will consider trade on young stock. H. W. Cooley, Troutdale. Phone 434.

TWO YEAR OLD STALLION, for sale cheap. Standard and registered. Can see same at Hal B. Stock Farm. tf

**POULTRY**

FOR SALE—Three hundred White Leghorn pullets, Tancred breed. One 3-inch heavy Bain wagon, nearly new. One 14-inch steel plow, nearly new. One 3-year old Holstein cow giving milk. A. E. DeHaven. Phone 453. 69

WANTED SPRING CHICKENS from 1 1/2 to 3 pounds. Market prices paid. Regal's cottage, Jenne station. Phone 12x.

**REAL ESTATE, RENTALS**

**RENTALS**

FOR RENT—Ten acres, set to berries, with small house and barn. Also a modern cottage with three lots. Chas. Cleveland. Phone 471. 66

**FARM PROPERTY**

**To Trade for Farm.**

Modern house in Portland, clear, worth \$4500 and \$2000 cash, for good farm land near Pleasant Home. Not over \$6500. Apply Jas. Elkington, Gresham. Also 5-room house and lot in Portland, clear, to trade for farm land, near Gresham. Apply Jas. Elkington, Gresham. tf

**MISCELLANEOUS**

LOST in Gresham on Sunday, a round gold locket. Has the monogram H. G. K. Finder notify Phone 504.

FOR SALE—Two sets second hand harness. Will trade for wood. S. E. Palmquist, Gresham Harness shop. tf

FOR SALE—Several second-hand ranges at Sterling & Kidder Hdw. Co.

PLEASANT HOME BAPTIST Church—Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m. Preaching every Sunday at 3 p. m. at Cottrell. Rev. E. A. Leonard, Pastor.

BORING M. E. CHURCH—Sunday services: Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching 1st and 3d Sundays, 8 p. m., 2d and 4th Sundays 11 a. m.; Epworth League 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p. m. O. W. Boring, Sunday School Supt. Claude F. Cross, Epworth League Pres. Rev. David Wolfe, prayer meeting leader. Rev. L. F. Smith, pastor.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES—L. O. O. F. hall, Gresham. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11; testimony meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock

