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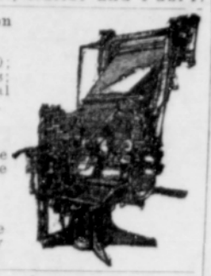

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WHAT IT WILL MEAN.

Yesterday's convention of the advisers of County Agriculturist S. B. Hall, marked the beginning of an organization that should do more toward building up the real agricultural interests of this county than all the other organizations have been able to do in the years that have passed since this section was developed.

The meeting was eminently successful from the standpoint of enthusiasm, and there is cause to believe that the work will go forward so as to be of benefit from now on.

The county agent idea was not taken kindly to three years ago, even many prominent farmers opposing the movement of Rockwood grange, but they are now seeing things differently—and it must be remembered that the leading farmers of Eastern Multnomah are among the leading farmers of Oregon.

Better methods, which Mr. Hall and his associates will develope, will mean a whole lot to Multnomah county, as they have already meant a whole lot to other counties in this and other states. These methods will have the agricultural interests organized and in a position to avail themselves, collectively as well as individually, of the advantages afforded by the state college extension work.

But the benefits are by no means limited to county boundaries, since all this county organization work makes for statewide efficiency and progress along agricultural lines.

The Outlook looks forward hopefully to a time when every county in the state will be organized agriculturally, under the county agent system, and inter-county co-operation will have been simplified and intensified at the same time, to the mutual advantage of all Oregon farmers and to the corresponding advancement of Oregon agriculture.

IS IT CAMPAIGN STUFF?

The United States will soon come into possession of a brand new canal route across the isthmus of Darien. The long-pending Nicaraguan treaty has finally been settled and approved by the senate, and without doubt Nicaragua, whose politicians' itching palms have long awaited impatiently the three millions of Uncle Sam's good gold, will promptly gratify the agreement.

Of course the United States has about as much use for a new canal route across the isthmus as a poor man has for fifty dogs, but such purely mercenary and commercial considerations should not enter into the affair. This government once negotiated with Nicaragua for a canal route, Uncle Sam then assuming indecision as to whether the proposed isthmian canal should be constructed via Panama or Nicaragua. It was largely jockeying, the Nicaraguan project being chiefly useful as an aid in driving a good bargain with the French Panama Canal Company, and Columbia, which at that time was in political control of the isthmus.

It will be remembered that Roosevelt was president then, and some will recall the insinuations that he had browbeaten the republic of Columbia into ceding the isthmian strip needed for the Panama canal.

Well, it is known that Roosevelt has been down there since the democratic administration began, and now, more than likely, he is the power that has brought about the present purchase, for we observe a very considerable number of republicans voted for the treaty.

We wonder to what extent their action was influenced by a disposition to let the democrats vote as much money out of an empty treasury as they wanted to, feeling confidence that when the accounting time came, the greater the deficit the greater the volume of popular condemnation.

If we are becoming a charitable old party, dealing out gratuities to any group of Central American politicians who are needing the money, then this treaty is commendable. But if we have a genuine need for all the money in the treasury to meet acute domestic needs, then this Nicaraguan affair is a **scandal and offense.**

LIGHT VOTE FEARED.

Oregon's new registration law is bringing out some disagreeable facts and there is a prospect that the vote this year will be lighter than it was two years ago. Many who voted before and believed themselves voters now find that they "ain't." Many persons of foreign birth cannot find their "papers," others who were born in the United States before their fathers were naturalized cannot register.

There is a remarkable slowness in registering this year, even among those who know that they are voters. This applies to all parties. It is not so easy to register this year as it has been heretofore, owing to the fact that the registration officer must be a deputy county clerk instead of a notary public. With only one such officer in eastern Multnomah it is easy to see that many will not take the trouble to register. They will be disappointed on election day, if they attempt to vote, as there is no provision made to "swear in" with the use of "Blank A," and every voter must be registered.

It would seem that more permanent residents would see the importance of registering early as this is the last time it will be required if they vote regularly and don't change precincts.

The Evening Telegram should have a reporter who is a member of the grange. It reported Monday that Pomona grange would send delegates to the state grange, which, of course, was incorrect. Pomona has no representation at any time, as its membership is composed of the members of the subordinate granges in the county.

A railroad strike at this time in the United States would tie up munition shipments to such an extent that the warring nations of Europe would have to postpone fighting. Perhaps a strike is being staged here to stop the war on that account; also, perhaps, in favor of a certain nation.

The Republic of Columbia has recently acquired facilities for coining and will set about making its own money, for which her mines produce abundant silver; also if the national congress is so inclined, emeralds enough to set a gem in the cravat of every hero decorating a half dollar.

Perhaps the European belligerents will note that the outlook for our wheat crop is not very promising this year and will amend their diet so as to take less bread; it would also be well not to take too many liberties with the wheat-laden ships.

That Villa man hunt, in which this nation is to be the principal hunter, is likely to bring about some peculiar complications. If Villa holds out long enough he will become a hero in Mexico and gain thousands of followers.

Watchful waiting in the Mexican case seems to have gravitated toward buying a slice of that country for $300,000,000. But what a price!

Those Burnside street "gamblers" should aspire to the bridge whist class if they want immunity under the law.

At any rate, if we owned half of Mexico we could easily whip those greasers on our own soil.

We are watchfully waiting now to see the first report of sunstroke from back east.

A Royal Ad Writer.

At a recent banquet of advertising folk in London one of the banqueters recalled that at least one English king had done something in advertising writing and really had done it well. He named as this royal member of the publicity profession Charles II, who wrote and inserted in the Mercurius Politicus—strange names were given to papers 250 years ago—of June 28, 1660, this ad:

A smooth black dog, less than a greyhound, with white under his breast, belonging to the King's Majesty, was taken from Whitehall on the 18th of this instant June, or thereabouts. If any one can give notice to John Elies, one of his Majesty's Servants or to his Majesty's Back Stairs, he shall be rewarded for his labor.

Evidently this ad did not bring back the appropriated pup. So his majesty tried once more:

We must call upon you again for a black dog, between a greyhound and a spaniel, no white about him, only a streak on his breast, and tail a little bobbed. It was his Majesty's own dog, and doubtless was stolen, for the dog was not born nor bred in England and would never forsake his master. Whoever finds him may acquaint any at Whitehall, for the dog is better known at court than those who stole him. Will they never leave robbing his Majesty? Must he not keep a dog? This dog's place—though better than some imagine—is the only place which nobody offers to beg.

It is not of record that this second ad returned the dog to his majesty.

MARCH SPECIALS

Small White Beans, 4 lbs for	.25
Red Mexican Beans, 4 lbs for	.25
Lima Beans, 4 lbs for	.25
Royal Baking Powder, 1 lb cans	.40
Royal Baking Powder, ½ lb cans	.20
Schillings Baking Powder, 1 lb cans	.40
Schillings Baking Powder, ½ lb cans	.20
6 Cans Sardines for	.25
3 Cans Corn for	.25
3 Cans Tomatoes for	.25
7 Bars Golden Star Soap for	.25
4 Cans Old Dutch Cleaner for	.25
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BOOSTER MEETING BEGINS CAMPAIGN

Saturday evening's gatherng in Metzger's hall was held in the interest of E. S. McCormick, candidate for the nomination for the office of county school superintendent.

While the gathering was not a whole house full, owing to many other attractions, it was unanimous in favor of Mr. McCormick. Besides the home people there were eight prominent men from Portland, among them W. M. Davis, lawyer; Richard Diech, deputy district attorney, A. W. Orton, candidate for state senator; Gilbert Allen, chairman of the membership committee of the Oregon Republican club, J. Y. Richardson, secretary of the club, and F. D. Moore, principal of the Sylvan school. All are enthusiastic boosters for Mr. McCormick.

Mr. Moore acted as chairman and outlined the purposes of the effort to increase the efficiency of the rural schools. He said that the office of superintendent had heretofore been acquired by political operators and urged the organizing of a club to boost for Mr. McCormick by doing systematic work. He suggested a rural teachers' club and assured his hearers that Mr. McCormick is the strongest man in the race.

All the other gentlemen mentioned above made short talks. H. L. St. Clair suggested a slogan, "McCormick's My Man." On motion of Mr. St. Clair the following were elected as a committee to plan booster methods: O. I. Neal, N. O. Fuller, Mrs. J. N. Clanahan, Mrs. H. M. Wilkinson and Miss Elsie Metzger.

Mr. Orton suggested the organization of a Gresham branch of the Oregon Republican club, so as to get the benefit of public speakers, and a committee on organization was named. It consisted of George W. Stapleton, J. N. Clanahan, Alfred Hammar and H. L. St. Clair.

Gilbert Allen took the chair as presiding officer, in his capacity as organizer and the following officers were elected for the Gresham branch: president, George W. Stapleton; vice president, Mrs. Charles Cleveland; secretary, H. L. St. Clair; treasurer, K. A. Miller.

These officers will hold a meeting, organize the club more fully with a set of by-laws and name an executive committee of four members. Plans will be made to encourage a full registration of all voters before the 19th of next month, when the registration books will close until after the primaries.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah County.
In the matter of the Estate of Hillas H. Gentry, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Alta M. Gentry, administratrix of the estate of Hillas H. Gentry, deceased, has filed her final accounting in said estate, and that the above entitled Court has set the 18th day of April, 1916, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock a.m. at the Court House in Portland, Oregon, said county and state, as the time and place for the hearing of any objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

ALTA M. GENTRY,
Administratrix.

GEORGE J. CAMERON,
Attorney for Adiministratrix.
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Range and Poultry.

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CAPTAIN C. P. STAYTON

Captain C. P Stayton has announced himself as a candidate for the position of county commissioner at the Republican primaries to be held on May 19.

In his appeal to the voters of Multnomah county he states that he will conduct a clear cut campaign, and offers his standing and ability for investigation. Lower taxes, good roads for the farmers in the rural districts and will work for the interest of all the people. He stands firm for the labor organizations and unions and will do all he can justly to encourage them. He is a working man and feels it no discredit to having built houses and steamboats. A number of his business associates, who have had years of personal acquaintance with him, are rallying to his support and by them rated as absolutely honest, trustworthy and square in all dealings, besides being liberal and broad minded.

Captain Stayton is a fine mechanic, architect and builder, having knowledge of railroading and steamboating, and being a practical man with excellent judgment is well qualified to fill the position with credit and honor.—Paid Adv.

Rank Foolishness.

You occasionally see it stated that colds do not result from cold weather. That is rank foolishness. Were it true colds would be as prevalent in midsummer as in midwinter. The microbe that causes colds flourishes in damp, cold weather. To get rid of a cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is effectual and is highly recommended by people who have used it for many years as occasion required, and know its real value. Obtainable at Gresham Drug Store.

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FOR SALE—Fresh cow. John Palmquist, Gresham. Phone 429. 4

FOR SALE—Fresh cows. J. E. Meyer, R. 1, Fairview. Mile north of Rockwood. Phone 237.

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RENTALS

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WANTED—One hundred cedar posts. Joe Andregg, Fairview, Oregon.

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