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ON BUSINESS BASIS.

Until a person looks over the list of Chautauquas that are being held in all parts of the United States this summer, the magnitude of the Chautauqua business is hardly grasped.

The Chautauqua is operated on a strict business basis and unlike many other movements of the present day, the Chautauqua pays its bills and financially is a success.

THE SMOKE NUISANCE.

The smoke nuisance, which has engaged the attention of many scientific minds in nearly every great eastern city, is rapidly becoming one of the characteristics of Portland.

Any day now the observer from Mt. Tabor can see a heavy cloud of smoke overhanging the city of Portland, and when one gets down to the bridges he is often surprised at the heavy banks which obscure the view.

Smoke has long since been condemned as a social nuisance, and there is no lack of engineers who maintain that it is an economic nuisance, yet the smoke hovers over the city like a pall.

DEMAND FOR SKILL.

There is no gainsaying the fact that agriculture is coming to its own. The time approaches when ignorance of its rudiments, at least, will be counted a sad disadvantage to the individual.

The information and experience gained now may constitute a start which shall put many an Oregon boy on the road to brilliant success in agriculture, just as early study and experiment have been the foundation of success in art or mechanics.

The help offered by the Agricultural college extension work is such as could scarcely be obtained elsewhere except at heavy expense and much loss of time and money in fruitless experiments.

A TOUCH OF ROMANCE.

The rule still holds that if you wish for the touch of romance in the incidents of the great war, you can feel it most frequently in the tales that come from the sea.

By turn it's a yarn or a submarine cruise, or of a raid on commerce, in the old privateering fashion, or of dodging mine fields, or of a "lone pirate" capturing a ship single-handed.

We call it a touch of romance although it was a great sea battle. That the world now feels the greatest horror of such an event only proves that the impression made upon us will not be lasting.

Germany is conceded to have been the victor as far as the actual fighting and losses were concerned, but it was a dearly-bought victory, and there is no assurance that it will be permanent in results.

ERNEST J. SIAS.

Ernest J. Sias is the community development expert who captures his audience with the first word he speaks. Then he keeps them keyed up to follow him.

Mr. Sias brings no utopian ideas for your delectation. He adheres strictly to workable demonstrations of business and civic improvement with which he has either personally effected or has thoroughly familiarized himself.

Mr. Sias fills a vital portion of the Chautauqua, the community development phase of Chautauqua being a special impetus to improved conditions in your community.

The inquisitive subscriber at Rockwood wants to know why the Outlook hasn't given the B. V. D. signal yet. We've been waiting for the weather bureau to give us the H. O. T. signal first.

When the delegates at Chicago get through the presidential bee will be swatted effectually for four years. It has been pestering too many and is quite unsanitary for full brain development.

Just of late we have begun to imagine that if there had been automobile horns and things fifty years ago that fine old song, "Kind Words Can Never Die," would never have been written.

A Michigan jury gave a boy six cents for being whipped by his teacher. If that scale had been adopted fifty years ago we might now be riding behind twin sixes.

When a man has passed the three score post he can never understand why he raised such a noise over having his baby teeth pulled when he was ten years old.

Use Gresham pennants and Chautauqua banners on your autos this week. Nothing like advertising your town and its institutions.

Something must be wrong somewhere! We haven't heard anything about the price of gasoline for over a week.

It's a waste of time to talk suffrage to a girl graduate. Preparedness might be worth while, though.

Improvident men lack agility because they are unable to practice the art of dodging their taxes.

The way to keep dandelions off the lawn is to cultivate a taste for dandelion salad.

Sweet girl graduates are more important this week than a national convention.

All of those candidates think there is room at the top—but safety first!

The open sesame—A Want Ad.

THE SENIOR'S FAREWELL.

My spirit wing is hovering now O'er scenes by fancy wrought, And memories cluster o'er a brow Imbued with earnest thought.

I'll think of thee—my schoolday home, And those with whom I dwelt Within thy walls, as now I roam—, Each vanished presence felt.

I'll think of thee with all the throng That filters through the mist; As failing memories all along Recall our farewell tryst.

Yet ever of the closing hour Sweet memories will be mine; And would were here a prophet's power, Where parting friendships twine.

I'll weave in tints like autumn leaves Those memories all my own, Treasured in heart, like garnered sheaves, A wreath with flowers o'er blown.

And yet I'll mourn o'er bygones fled, So blissful, yet so brief, As many a withered hope lies dead With many a forest leaf.

E. L. T.

"GO THOU AND DO LIKEWISE."

No general order for clean-up week or day has been issued by the council but a citizen on Main street, always enterprising, has begun the good work by cleaning up a pile of rubbish which has for a long time seemed to detract from the clean and orderly appearance of one of the main thoroughfares of the town.

A HYPHENATED POLITICIAN.

Theodore Roosevelt in a recent magazine article says: "There can be no divided loyalty in this country. The man who tries to be loyal to this country and also to some other country is certain in the end to put his loyalty to the other country ahead of his loyalty to this. The hyphen is the breeder of moral treason."

NEW RURAL BOXES, AND POSTAL GUIDES

Postmistress McCall has furnished the Outlook with the following information regarding mail boxes and postal guides:

The postal department has designed two sizes of mail boxes for use on rural and star routes after July 1, 1916.

A small size, (No. 1), for letters and ordinary mail.

A large size, (No. 2), for all mail including parcel post.

Patrons may use either size and will not be required to discard boxes in use July 1, while they remain serviceable, but all boxes erected after that date must be of the new type.

Standard boxes as designed are not patentable and there will be no restrictions upon right to manufacture and sell them, after approval, in accordance with Postal Laws and Regulations.

A list of manufacturers of approved boxes, with prices, will be published in the Official Postal Guide and Daily Bulletin.

Postal guides will be sold to the public at reduced prices after July 1. These guides will be furnished complete, cloth bound, for 40 cents; manila paper bound, 30 cents.

A new publication, State List, containing tax matter regarding postal subjects, compiled with special reference to the needs of the public, together with a list of postoffices arranged by states, will also be on sale paper bound for 15 cents. These publications will not be on sale until the latter part of July at this office.

"I guess I will have to write another note to my wife," said an Atchison man Saturday. "Last night she knocked me down with a chair, then danced a jig on my chest, pulled my frozen ear, kicked me in the ribs, fracturing one of them, took my pocketbook and then locked me in the cellar, where the temperature was 17 degrees below. Such a person should be reprimanded, and I will write her a stern note forthwith. I will demand a disavowal. By the gods, no one can run over me like that without receiving a note from me."—Kansas City Star.

There are in existence today two important herds of fur seals, one in the Commander islands, belonging to Russia; the other in the Pribilof islands, belonging to the United States government. The latter is much the larger and is by far the most valuable herd of fur seals in the world.

The government of New Zealand is building a five-mile tunnel at a cost of nearly \$5,000,000 to give close connection between the east and west coasts of South island.

Around the central tube of a new antiseptic telephone mouthpiece is a container for disinfectants that give off fumes in such a way as to kill all germs that enter the device.

Special for One Week

To Introduce our Flour

Fisher's Snowfall, we sell this week, at sk. \$1.30

This is a high grade family Flour, a Hard Wheat, and we know if you will only try one sack we have a steady customer as there is no better Flour made.

Your money back if not satisfied.

J. A. FRAKES

Phone 831 Gresham, Ore.

HOW McCORMICK WAS BEATEN AT PRIMARY

Some developments made subsequent to the primary election, show how an eleventh-hour canard may be made to defeat a candidate who would probably have been nominated but for such methods.

"The Ticket entitled 'Friends of the Masses Not Dominated by Big Business' is probably fathered by the Jitney Drivers Association.

"That ticket endorses McCormick X 131 for County School Superintendent of Schools.

"Vote for W. C. Alderson X 130 and swat McCormick.

"C. H. Leadbetter, 407 Oregon Building, Portland, Oregon."

Thousands of them were scattered broadcast through the city of Portland and hundreds were distributed to the street car men at the four car barns.

It is reported that the tellers at two of the barns handed them out to the men. At the other two barns they were laid in piles near the teller's windows where the men could not overlook them.

The officials of the car company emphatically deny any responsibility for the issuance or distribution of the fake.

Evidently some one, probably Leadbetter, paid the tellers at the barns for their dirty work.

In reference to the canard itself it is only necessary to state that there is no such thing as a "Jitney Drivers' association," and that Mr. McCormick is not nor never has been in any shape or form connected with or under obligations to any single man or set of men in the county.

The trick deceived the street car men and lost Mr. McCormick a thousand or more votes. Mr. Alderson is the beneficiary and the rural schools will no doubt pay the penalty.

SPECIAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the town of Gresham, Oregon, and to the qualified electors of the territory herein proposed to be included within the corporate limits of the town of Gresham, that a special election will be held in the town of Gresham, on Saturday, the 17th day of June, 1916, for the purpose of determining whether or not the corporate limits of the town of Gresham shall be extended to include the following described territory:

"Beginning at the South-east corner of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 3 E. of W. M. Thence west 120 rods, thence north 80 rods, thence east to the north-west corner of the present town limits, thence south tracing west line of town limits 117 feet, thence east to east line of above described tract, thence south to point of beginning."

The polls will be open from 1 p. m. until 7 p. m. in the town of Gresham, at the Town Hall, D. W. Metzger, R. H. Todd, Sr., and Mrs. O. A. Eastman have been appointed as judges of said election, and Roy Kern and Inez Lusted have been appointed as clerks of said election.

All qualified electors are hereby invited to vote on said question of annexation by placing upon the ballot the words "For Annexation" or "Against Annexation."

Date of first publication of this notice the 16th day of May, 1916, and of last publication the 13th day of June, 1916.

This notice is given by the Common Council of the town of Gresham, Oregon. GEO. W. STAPLETON, Mayor. D. M. ROBERTS, Recorder.

S. C. White Leghorns

My birds at the Multnomah county fair 1914, won 1st and 2d cockerels; 1st and 2d pullets; 1st pen; special, best solid colored bird in show; in 1915 I lost the seconds but got 1st cockerel; 1st pullet; 1st pen; special, best solid colored bird in show and second cock.

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WANTS

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LIVESTOCK

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COWS

FINE BLACK Jersey cow and calf for sale. C. M. Oilphant. Phone 328. tf

MILK COWS FOR SALE, also 3 1/2 Bain Wide Tread wagon; No. 9 Simplex separator; set heavy harness; and ten-hoe Superior grain drill. B. F. Hoover, R. 4, Gresham, at Hoover station on Cazadero car line. tf

FOR SALE—Fresh cows and some coming fresh. Any one taking them all can have them at a bargain. Phone 35x1. tf

BEEF CATTLE WANTED. Cows 4 1/2-6c; live hogs \$8.90. Enquire T. R. Howitt. Phone 516.

FOR SALE—A bunch of sheep, about 60 ewes and lambs, part thoroughbred Hampshire. J. A. Berney, Springdale, Troutdale R. 2. Phone Corbett 1110. *30

POULTRY

Trapped White Leghorns, bred to lay. Baby chicks or eggs for hatching will solve your winter egg problem. Get our prices. Crystal Springs Poultry Farm, Gresham, Oregon. Phone 30x2.

MISCELLANEOUS

LOOSE HAY for sale. F. A. Welch. Phone 77x. 29

FOR SALE—Burbank and Pride of Multnomah Seed Potatoes. Call W. R. Knight, Knight's corner. Phone Corbett 162. 29

STRAWBERRIES WANTED any variety. Home Packing company, Gresham. Phone 148. 31

STRAWBERRIES WANTED, any variety. Enquire of Geo. W. Page, O. W. P. depot, Gresham. 27

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Office: First State Bank Building GRESHAM, OREGON

DR. H. H. OTT DENTIST

Howitt Building Gresham, Ore. Phone 113

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Through experiments with seaweeds in Nova Scotia it is found that they are rich in potash and possess a considerable quantity of nitrogen and phosphoric acid. Seaweeds in their natural state have long been used by farmers of Nova Scotia for manurial purposes, and the fact that they readily decompose when spread upon the ground seems to enhance their value as a possible commercial fertilizer. The government is now seeking means to dry and grind the weed.