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PORTLAND LETTER

Mr. Albert Phenix, staff correspondent of the Manufacturers' Record, of Baltimore, Maryland, will spend this week in Oregon.

Medford occupied the center of the stages last week with a fruit carnival and the annual meeting of State Horticultural Society. The attendance was large.

The Oregon Development League continues to gain new members. The last organizations to enter the Oregon family group are the Des Chutes Valley Development League, of Redmond, and the Woodburn Commercial Club.

Portland expects to entertain ten thousands visitors from different parts of the State on the occasion of the visit of Secretary Taft September 6th. A rate of a fare and a third from Roseburg and points north, and from Pendleton and points west, has been made for this occasion.

A. Bennett, of Irigon, and Judge Geo. T. Baldwin, of Klamath Falls, Vice Presidents of the Oregon Development League, have agreed upon a special State badge, for all delegates to the National Irrigation Congress at Sacramento, Sept. 2-7. The word Oregon and the beaver are prominent features of the badge. The committee have instructed Tom Richardson, Secretary of the League, to receive

twenty-five cents each from delegates desiring to wear this badge.

People all over the State are hungry for more details of the colonist rates. Letters are arriving from all sections of the State, asking for exact rates from different points throughout the United States, to Oregon. From Kansas City and other Missouri River points, St. Paul, Duluth, and Winnipeg, the rate is \$25., from Oklahoma City and St. Louis \$30., Chicago \$33, Buffalo \$42.50, Cincinnati and Louisville \$38, Des Moines \$29., Boston \$49.90., Indianapolis \$35.85., New York \$50., Pittsburgh \$42., Memphis \$37.50, Birmingham, Alabama, \$44.50. Each ticket is \$2.50 less when bought to points east of Umatilla. The rates given above cover almost the entire country, and are the same proportionately from all smaller stations. Keep in mind that tickets must be bought reading to your station.

Read The Wheatfield and be happy

CHAFF FROM THE STRAW STACK

By The Wind Stacker

If your right eye offend you, go to a specialist.

The other day we heard a girl say that her alarm clock stopped every time she left her room. If she would leave her photo in her room her clock would run out.

Little Milly is a good Sunday school scholar and on that account was invited with two other girls to spend the day at the minister's residence by way of reward. When the dinner came on the good man said such a long grace before meat that Milly yawned and looked hungrily at the covers

"Why are you yawning, Milly?" asked the minister. "Does not your father say grace?"

"Oh, yes", answered Milly promptly, "but it isn't so long as that".

"And what does he say?" pursued



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the clergyman, hoping to obtain a text for a little homily.

"He says different things, but last

time when he sat down he took off the cover and said: "Great snakes! Do you call this a dinner?"—Ex

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I. O. O. F.—Lexington lodge No. 168. Meets every Wednesday evening in Artisan hall. C. W. Christenson Sec. P. M. Christenson R. G.