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ADVERTISING RATES

Professional Cards per month \$ 4
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One Column per month 10.00

Business locals will be charged at 5 cents per line for each insertion.

Legal advertisements will in all cases be charged to the party ordering them, at legal rates, and paid for before affidavits are furnished.

What Time Is It?

Everyone asks this question many times daily. Our lives are regulated by our watches. You are beginning a New Year. Begin right by having your watch thoroughly cleaned and adjusted.

W. F. Laraway, Jeweler and Optician EXPERT SWISS WATCH REPAIRING



A present for Pa, Ma, Sister or Sweet-heart can be bought at reasonable price at Arthur Clarke, Jeweler 815 East Second Street The Dalles, Oregon

AND NOW:

Just before old Father Time blows out the candle in Room No. 1915, we have a few words to say.

We made mistakes this year—and we're not going to offer any "explanations"—our friends won't need them and other people won't believe them anyhow.

We've had lots to be grateful for—and some things happened that perhaps were blessings in disguise—and mighty thoroughly disguised at that.

We intend in the future, as in the past:— To deserve a reputation for fair dealing; To give customers better than they bargained for; To be content with a reasonable profit; To treat everyone with courtesy; To keep our promises.

We also believe that this holiday season will be but the first of a long series of continuously happier ones, and we extend to each and everyone of our townpeople—to man, woman and child—our heartfelt greetings and our most sincere wishes for a Happy New Year.

Tum-A-Lum Lumber Company J. S. Anderson, Manager

Thanking our patrons of the past, and soliciting your patronage for the coming year, with best wishes we extend greetings for a Happy New Year.

MOSIER HOTEL, JOHN ELDER, Proprietor.

Better Equipped than ever in our new location for High Class Portraits. Open Evenings

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The Dalles Oregon



A Popular Confectionery Store where the most delicious candies can be prepared, is always a source of attraction to the girl with a sweet tooth, which is the reason for the demand upon us at all times.

S. E. Francisco Proprietor "THE OAKS"

A Happy New Year filled with prosperity to all our customers, thanking you for your past favors and soliciting your continued patronage.

—Arthur Pharmacy.

PROCEEDINGS O. A. C. FARMERS' WEEK

In order to bring together the greatest number of interesting and helpful things offered by Farmers' Week at the Oregon Agricultural College, January, 3 to 8, the work of subjects most closely related has been collected into one or more days, so that those who are unable to attend during the entire week may receive the maximum of advantages by attendance on those days in which their specialties will be considered.

On Monday the leading subjects will be horticulture, road building and drainage. The work in horticulture will be chiefly instructional through lectures, demonstrations and inspection, that of road building by conferences, and that of drainage by conference and by sessions of the state drainage association.

On Wednesday the State Dairymen's association will hold its annual meeting, and the work of the drainage association will be brought to a close. County fair officials will meet to consider methods of most profitably conducting county and district fairs.

On Thursday the State Dairymen's association will continue in session and there will be a conference of Oregon Butter and Cheese Makers.

On Friday the work of the State Dairymen's association will be closed and also that of the Oregon Butter and Cheese Makers.

On Saturday the Boys' and Girls' judging contest will be concluded, a special program will be presented for boys and girls, marketing legislation will be discussed, and there will be a land clearing demonstration.

Out of this list of useful activities those contemplating attendance during all or part of the time will doubtless be able to map out a satisfactory program of attendance.

BOOKS ADDED TO MOSIER LIBRARY

The following books have been received this month at the Mosier library:

- Domestic Economy Daniels—Furnishing of a Modest Home. Literature Mabie—William Shakespeare. Fiction Erskine—Girl of the Blue Ridge. Knibbs—Sundown Slim. Knipe—Peg o' the Ring. Van Vorst—Big Treason. Webster—Dear Enemy. Juvenile Burgess—Tommy and the Wishing Stone. Potter—Tale of Peter Rabbit. Potter—Tale of Squirrel Nutkin.

Distributors' Fruit Released

The North Pacific Fruit Distributors association received a welcome Christmas present last Thursday in the form of the release of its huge consignment of fruits, seized by British warships while on the way to Scandinavian countries.

With the exception of a consignment of apples to Denmark, for which an undertaking had been given, the fruit was released unconditionally. The majority of the shipments were on board Norwegian steamers. The steamer Hellig Olav served as a test case for the various seizures. Among the released consignment were 6000 cases of apples.

TAX LEVY IS 1-2 MILL. LESS THAN LAST YEAR

The county court levied a 10.5 mill county and state tax and a three-mill road tax at a special meeting which was held Monday for the purpose of approving the county budget and levying the tax. The total of 13.5 mills for all county, state and road purposes is half a mill less than the last levy, says The Dalles Chronicle.

For county and state purposes, \$185,029.15 will be collected from the taxpayers of the county. This figure is \$7986.34 less than was collected for the same purpose last year.

The assessed valuation for the entire county is \$17,622,776.35, or \$75,003.93 more than the valuation for 1914. The tax levies of various districts in the county range from 13 1/4 mills in districts where no school tax was voted, to 2 3/4 mills. The levy of 2 3/4 mills is for school district number 40, Tygh Valley, where a 15-mill special school tax was voted.

Taxpayers of The Dalles will have half a mill less taxes to pay this year as compared with last. The following table gives the levies for 1914 and 1915:

Table with 2 columns: Category (County and state, City, Special school) and Amount (1914, 1915).

W. F. LARAWAY DOES FINE ENGRAVING

When it comes to beauty and utility combined one can scarcely find the combination better displayed than in any of the many articles of handsomely engraved silver ware being put out by W. F. Laraway, of Hood River. And Mr. Laraway has brought engraving down to a fine art. In no metropolitan jewelry store can more artistic work be found than he is doing.

There is a distinctiveness to every piece of engraving that leaves the Laraway store. No flaws or careless workmanship is ever allowed to leave. Everything must be perfect, not only as a means of keeping up the well earned reputation of the establishment, but as a matter of personal pride with Mr. Laraway.

People are beginning to appreciate Mr. Laraway's work and he states that this year he has done more of this sort of work than during any previous year of his business in the Apple Valley. "Why," says Mr. Laraway, "they have come from all around. They have even brought me their silver and their jewelry which they have purchased in other cities. Yes, we do engraving, and it's real engraving, too."

Love That is Late

The following clipping from the American Home Weekly, of Minneapolis, Minn., was submitted to the Glacier by G. H. Barton:

Mrs. W. E. Moshier, whose mysterious disappearance and return have been the subject of much comment throughout the northwest, is quoted as saying: "Your family never misses you until you go away."

Quite aside from the Moshier case, there is a world of truth in that observation. The point is that one's relatives and friends so rarely show appreciation of one until a vacant chair in the family circle tells of love missing, or duties undone, or a helping hand that is gone.

How many days, Mr. Husband, and how many weeks and months, have you let slip by without telling your wife that you appreciate her worth and her efforts, and show her that you love her and want her love? To be sure, you do feel all that, but you seldom let her know it. Little good it would be to "miss her so much" tomorrow if you were to lose her today!

Do you, Mr. Father, or you, Mrs. Mother, ever wave the youngsters aside when they want you to read to them or join in their evening's game? Do you call them nuisances when they romp in play? You'll miss these little "nuisances" and their "Come daddy, play with me," after they have gone away or grown up. But your missing them won't bring any smiles to tiny faces that are gone.

So it often is between friends. They, too, carry concealed in their breasts their feelings of affection and appreciation. When it is too late they unburden themselves—and pile heaps of flowers upon the grave.

It was a wise man who said, "Give me your flowers now, don't wait until death has closed my eyes to their beauty, and my ears to your words of praise."

PORTLAND-YAKIMA ROAD FINDS FAVOR

A representative group of Portland business men last week at the Chamber of Commerce, listened to J. A. Harader, secretary of the North Yakima Commercial club, explain his plans for connecting North Yakima and Portland with an all-year-around highway that shall include the Columbia river highway between Hood River and Portland as one unit of the route.

Mr. Harader's utterances were received enthusiastically and he was unanimously endorsed. The Portland people promised to cooperate with the North Yakima interests in obtaining federal aid for the construction of the necessary link through the Yakima Indian reservation.

The proposed road passes within about two and a half miles of old Fort Simcoe. The old fort was built from lumber shipped from Maine by way of the Horn in the early '60s. It was then located to The Dalles and packed across to the fort. This spot will be one of the scenic beauties of the proposed road.

"We pass within 10 miles of Mount Adams, and a beautiful side trip would be from Glenwood to the mountain. It is proposed that the new side road, which will be about 12 miles in length, and finished this year, will enable tourists to go very near the snowline with autos.

"About 75 miles of this new road lie through the timber country. Another attraction of this road will be Trout Lake.

"There is no part of the road that will be expensive to build. From White Swan to Glenwood the soil is of a nature that will make good dirt roads. Some portions of the road it will be necessary to gravel on account of volcanic ash.

"Another point of interest is the plant of the Northwestern Electric Company, a most beautiful spot about three miles from the confluence of the White Salmon and Columbia rivers. This road will go within a quarter of a mile of the plant.

Members of Hood River Commercial club are looking with interest on the proposed plans of the new route between Portland and North Yakima by way of this city.

"We hope that the Washington congressional delegation will be able to secure legislation that will make possible the short connecting link of road through the forest reserve," says E. O. Blanchard. "I have traveled over the scenic country at the foot of Mount Adams, and know that the claims as to the wonders of its beauty have not been exaggerated."

The people of the Trout Lake and Camas Prairie districts of northwestern Klickitat county, spurred on by the completion of the Columbia river highway to this city, have made plans to push a road up the base of Mount Adams as far as the snowline next year.

With this road completed and that proposed by the granges of Hood River county to lead to the snowline of Mount Hood, it will be possible next summer for Portland motorists to visit the two snow peaks and neighboring points of attraction, among them the Devil's Funch Bowl on the Hood river and the ice and lava caves near Trout Lake.

DEATHS FROM INFECTED PORK

(From Oregon Merchants Magazine) As a result of eating small quantities of "fresh from the farm" pork sausage or pork chops four Portland men have gone to their long rest, three more were at death's door at last reports and nearly a score were stricken down with trichinosis—a deadly disease contracted from eating meat from cholera infected hogs.

The meat that spread the dread disease in Portland has been traced to farms in Clackamas county. A shipment of 1100 pounds of the infected carriage was sent to a large market keeper in the city which was detected before being placed on sale. Had this meat been distributed it is more than likely that a thousand deaths would have resulted from the disease.

This amply illustrates the necessity of U. S. government inspection of meats. It doubly accentuates the danger of the Carroll public market. Had this cargo of cholera infected pork been placed on sale in the public market it would doubtless have reached the family tables of Portland and done a great deal toward populating our cemeteries. And who recurses would the widows and orphans have had? Well, the city judge could have fined the murderers, but even then the city and not the orphans would have the money.

As a result of the numerous cases and the wide publicity given them the sale of hog products has fallen off enormously and, of course, there is a chorus of howls from the farmers because they can't get a fair price for their slop fed hogs.

APPLE NOTES

Apple exports for the week ending Saturday, December 18, were 22,280 barrels, against 70,590 barrels the same week a year ago. Apple exports for the entire season up to Saturday of last week were 800,215 barrels against 1,493,904 barrels for the same period a year ago. Boxes are figured in the above, three to the barrel.

Wishing You All A Happy and Prosperous New Year

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Porcelain Crowns - 86.50
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Dr. Wm. M. Post

Office Hours 9 to 12, 1 to 5. Phone 2401. Rooms 18-19 Heilbronner Bldg. Hood River, Oregon

Happy New Year

The Mosier Valley Bank wishes to thank all its customers and friends for past favors, and to wish all A Happy New Year. Let's all work together and make 1916 the best year ever known in Mosier. This will be the aim of the officers and director of this bank

Dalles, Portland & Astoria Navigation Company

Steamer "Dalles City" and "Stranger"

Leaves Portland 7 a. m., arrives The Dalles 6:30 p. m., Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, (not Friday) and Saturday. Arrives up at Mosier about 5 p. m. Leaves The Dalles 7 a. m., arrives Portland 6:30 p. m., Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, (not Saturday). Arrives down at Mosier about 8:15 a. m. Wednesday of each week is set aside as "Stock Yard Day" and then the steamer "Dalles City" will take live stock for delivery to Portland Union Stock Yard. This service will permit the individual to ship as few animals as desired and get the benefit of low freight rates. For further information telephone number 521.

J. O. BELDIN, Agent Phone 321

To All A Happy and Prosperous New Year

The Mosier Book Store Watch for Reduced Prices Next Week

Happy New Year

For your loyal support in the past we thank you, and solicit your patronage in the future. We wish each and every one of you a Happy New Year abounding in prosperity and achievement.

Sincerely yours,

Pacific Power & Light Co.

"ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE"

STEAMER TAHOMA

PEOPLE'S NAVIGATION COMPANY CHARLES NELSON, MANAGER.

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Mosier Dock in charge of J. W. Huskey, who will meet all boats and attend to transfer. Phone No. 85.