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GROWING GRAPE FRUIT & BAMBOO AT ROGUE RIVER

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ROGUE RIVER, May 2.—(Special.)—Grange met at their hall in regular session April 29. Master Callahan in the chair. Only a small crowd was out as the class play was given that night. Hopes are there will be a good attendance this Friday night. A special meeting of the grange was held Tuesday. R. G. Fowler, county agent, was present. A number of candidates were also present.

The science class of the Rogue River high school recently completed a study of the plants growing in the greenhouse belonging to Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hatch. The students were especially interested in the locust tree, which is seldom seen north of California. The tree produces a yellow, pear-shaped fruit. A grapefruit tree and other trees, shrubs and small plants both interested the visitors and taxed their ability to spell the names. Outside the greenhouse were a number of trees and plants unfamiliar to most of the students. A clump of bamboo attracted much attention, last year's canes being 15 feet long.

Mr. and Mrs. James Whipple were recent visitors at Eugene at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Robbins. Mrs. Robbins is the daughter of Mrs. Whipple. Mrs. Effie Birdseye, Mrs. Smack, Mrs. Oscar Shepherd and Mrs. Elsie Griswell were the delegates from the Civic Improvement club to the Southern Oregon Federation of Women's clubs which met at Medford last Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Simpkins of Hillsboro is here visiting her nieces, Myrtle McGregory and Lela Milton, and her many friends.

Paul Freed, who recently sold his barber shop to Fred Horton and went to California, returned home last Friday. The Freed will soon leave for California to stay a while, and later expect to go to Iowa to reside.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson, nee Lucetta Horton, stopped over Friday from their honeymoon trip to Los Angeles to visit Mrs. Nelson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Horton.

Mrs. Alvie Wetherell and daughter, Helen, spent the week-end at the home of her brother, Go. M. Scott. Mrs. Wetherell is finishing a term of school at Astoria.

Leonard Kaup and Floyd Willett spent the week-end at their respective homes at Monmouth and Corvallis. Paul Wright went north with them.

The Rogue River Civic Improvement club won first prize in Kiser's wild flower picture naming contest. It may be seen at the home of the president, Mrs. Elsie Grimmett. Later the picture, which is of Crater Lake, will be hung in the public library.

John Haynes had the misfortune to cut his foot badly while at work in the woods near Waters Creek on Tuesday of this week. Grandma Laws is quite ill at her home. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. Easton, science teacher in the local high school, took his class and a number of other pupils to Battle Mountain Friday. About 25 were in the party. A good time was reported when all returned Saturday.

James M. Whipple has been confined to his bed for the past week with an attack of appendicitis. He is reported some better at this writing.

Mrs. Ira Carter and Mrs. Lelah Shepherd attended a dinner Monday night at Grants Pass given by the auxiliary of the legion.

The Junior class and Miss Gladys Sandry, faculty advisor, entertained the seniors, Mr. Willert, Mr. Kaup, Miss Pratt and Mr. and Mrs. Easton at a banquet on May day. Mrs. H. W. Goodale spent a few days last week with her granddaughter, Mrs. R. E. Richman, at Pleasant Valley farm.

Stewart Hatch, who has spent the past year in Los Angeles and Pasadena, Calif., returned home recently.

Miss Gladys Sandry took her freshman domestic art class to Grants Pass last Friday to examine ready-made children's garments before they take up the problem in class. A picnic lunch was had in the park and all returned for their afternoon classes.

Live Oak grange gave a very good dance at their hall here Saturday night. All present report a fine time. Another dance will be held there May 12. Good music and good eats promised. Everyone come.

Mr. and Mrs. Sutherland had the misfortune to lose their brooder house an about 100 baby chicks by fire Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Kelly were visitors on Williams creek Sunday. Mrs. Reed Carter and a little daughter and Mrs. James Wiley were Medford shoppers one day last week.

The Central Point high school baseball team met the Rogue River high school team on the local field Wednesday. The visitors won the game.

A merry crowd gathered at the grange hall Wednesday night and enjoyed an old-time dance and box social. Boxes all found ready sale and netted a nice little sum to the grange.

7 BABY FOXES BORN AT TABLE ROCK FOX FARM

TABLE ROCK, May 3.—Ray Nordwick, formerly of this place but now living in San Francisco, where he manages one of the Shell Oil company's plants, was a brief visitor here Monday afternoon. Mr. Nordwick is spending his annual two weeks vacation and was on his way to Portland to visit his father and mother. He noticed many changes in this section since he was here last.

Lester Hamilton, the local fox grower, reports an addition of seven baby foxes to his fox pen.

Vern Pendleton was a Medford visitor one day last week where he received medical attention.

W. E. Morris is visiting friends and relatives in southern California, his brother, Robert Morris, looking after the ranch here during his absence.

The seeding of crops is about finished here with the exception of corn, and ground is being prepared for that now.

G. C. Nicewood constructed a porch at the John Nealon home last week.

M. R. Harper reports an excellent hatch from his large incubator last month.

Early garden truck, such as radishes, onions, lettuce, spinach and turnips, is being served as regular rations here from home gardens.

Table Rock school children are practicing during noons and recesses for the annual field meet next Saturday at the fairgrounds and also for the district meet at Antioch on May 2.

C. W. Sage returned last Friday from a few days' visit with relatives at Portland and vicinity.

The Woodridge family, who have been making their home at the Modoc Orchard for some time, moved to Grants Pass one day last week.

Those who have been taking sight-seeing trips around the valley claim that at this time the scenery is the most beautiful they have ever seen.

J. C. Pendleton, deputy assessor, has finished the work here and is now working in the Beagle and Meadows districts.

China rhesus in this section are making nests and otherwise making preparations for their annual hatching and brooding of birds which will be large enough by fall to be good targets for shotguns.

This is a good time to rid your land of the troublesome, dangerous squirrel, as there is no grain ripe enough to satisfy its appetite and he will readily eat the poisoned grain.

George Wright planted a large plot of ground to stock beets this week.

Stanley Vaughn reports the theft of several choiceilly bulbs from his yard last Sunday during the absence of himself and wife.

A large pile of lumber, containing several thousand feet, at the south end of the Bybee bridge, to be used for redecking the main span of the bridge, according to road workmen.

A mill for grinding grain of all kinds, chopping and grinding corn fodder and hay, is being installed at the Dunlap & Hamilton dairy ranch.

Miss Eva Nealon has accepted a position in the advertising department of Olds, Wortman & King at their Portland store.

The first general smudging of the season here occurred Tuesday morning and has been carried on for the two following mornings, with the temperature going a shade lower each morning.

It is said that nearly 100 per

VEGETABLES IN SAMS VALLEY HURT BY FROST

SAMS VALLEY, May 3.—The last three mornings have been cold enough to call for smudging in the orchards. Those who were lucky enough, or maybe we should say unlucky enough, to have potatoes and other vegetables of their tenderness up, found them heavily damaged by the frost, but it is believed little harm has been done in the orchards, even where smudging was not done.

Mrs. L. M. Fisher is a strong believer in advertising and says she hasn't had so much publicity for some time as she got through the note in the Sams Valley items concerning the hound pup, which she had found at her home. The owner of the dog was a Mr. Brown of Laurel street, Medford, and claimed his possession last Sunday. From accounts by Mrs. Fisher of different inquiries and comments on the item concerning the dog, we see that many Mail Tribune readers are interested in Sams Valley news.

Miss Georgiana Gulovsen left this week with Gold Hill friends for a 10 days' visit in San Francisco.

The last meeting of the Ladies' club was with Mrs. F. L. Caton, where a very pleasant afternoon was spent and delightful refreshments enjoyed. The club meets Thursday with Mrs. Dick Straus.

A good delegation of our grange members attended the installation meeting of the Central Point Grange and report a splendid time, with delicious refreshments to add to the other pleasures of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schulz are recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Sunday visitors at the O. T. Wilson ranch were Mr. and Mrs. M. Bodner and little Dorothy of Medford, Miss Doris Richardson of Beal Lane and R. E. Nealon of Table Rock.

The high school play, "The Road to the City," is scheduled for May 11.

Sams Valley Grange meets Saturday and will be visited by the state lecturer, Minnie E. Bond.

The baseball game Tuesday evening between Medford's junior high and our boys on the Medford diamond resulted in our boys' defeat by a score of 6 to 2.

Our boys say they believe one cause of their poor playing was having to wait so late to commence the game and the team was beginning to feel the effects of cold and hunger.

cent of the voters of the Sams Valley precinct are registered, owing to the efforts of the grange here, who put registrars in the field to round up the negligent ones.

The last meeting of the Table Rock Community club proved to be a highly successful affair with a good, snappy program and a large attendance, who liberally patronized the different booths with the result that nearly \$75 was taken in. For numbers contributed by outsiders the club is indebted to Mrs. Strawmiller and Miss Doris Richardson of Beal Lane, Mrs. Howard Grover, Mr. Bowditch of Medford and Mrs. Boles of Central Point.

Lorn Gregory has a crew of men constructing a large barn on his ranch here which when completed will be one of the largest in the district.

Don't fail to see the 10-round boxing contest between "Phil" Bayes and "Pat" Padelford Friday night, May 4, Hilarity arena. 42*

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RUSSELL'S

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Boy Scout
Uniforms

Saturday Morning at 8 o'Clock We Start Our Big Reductions

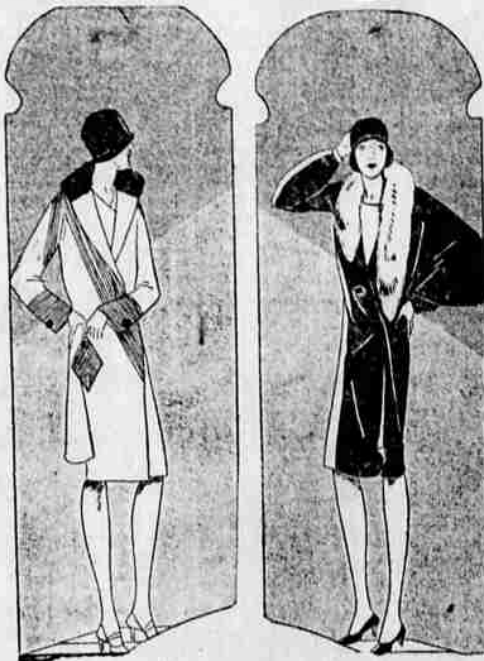
Sale! Smart Spring Coats

Every Dress Coat
Reduced Now
20 Per Cent

No exceptions—they all must go — the backward season finds us with a very heavy stock and we must unload in a hurry. You need coats—we sacrifice profits to clear the decks.

Come Early
for First Selections

You know our policy—no fictitious reductions—all advertising just as we say and your past experience with our unloading sales assures you of real honest to goodness bargains. Our already low prices reduced 20% for quick clearance.



You Can Now Buy
Any Dress Coat
Less 20%

Our beautiful stock of the newest and most approved styles. Beautifully designed garments with gorgeous furs, plain tailored models without furs, new collar details, in fact every fashion edict is represented in our broad stock of Dress Coats.

Out They Go; Nothing Reserved

Just come in and look the stock over, you'll be convinced we're offering real bargains and sacrificing profits early in the season. Extra sales people—extra fitting rooms.

Dance Frocks for School Affairs

\$15.75



Gorgeous affairs for the school miss, for graduation in white, for dances and parties in beautiful pastel shades. Georgettes, chiffons, fluffy girlish type garments that supply every need inexpensively. These are especially good dresses at the price and beautifully made of fine materials in the very latest styles. Sizes 14 to 20.

French Voile Underwear

All
Pastel
Shades

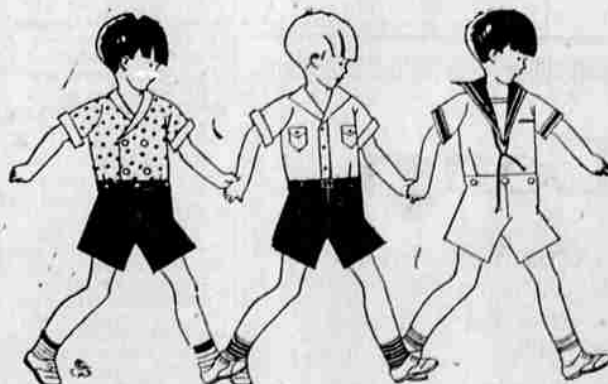
\$1.00

Panties
Gowns
Envelopes

Summer voile underwear of fine imported French voile in pastel shades. Fine quality of laces used in trimming these garments. Of quality materials and workmanship usually found only in garments worth a great deal more than our regular \$1.25 price.

Corsets, Corselettes, Brassieres

Correct foundations for your summer garments can be had from our lines of Royal Worcester Bon Ton and Nemo corsets and corselettes. Two graduate corsetiers to help correctly fit you.



"Kaynee" Boys' Wash Suits

Known everywhere as the best that money can buy. Known by nearly every mother as the suit that fits, wears and washes perfectly. With "Kaynee" wash suits your summer troubles are lessened. All the new fabrics, linens in plain and fancy, linenes, broadcloths and others, all fast color. Clever styles for the little tots of 2 to 8 and in such a wide variety of styles you can make selection for all summer.

\$1.98 to \$4.98

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Wool
Challie

\$5.50

Beautiful
New
Designs



Such gorgeous Japanese designs on heavy all-wool challies that we know they will appeal to those who love pretty robes of the unusual kind. White grounds, black, blue, or rose grounds with the unusual Japanese designs. And best of all these challies are fast color and washable. These garments are in demand now for many uses and very attractive.

Fast Color Japanese Wool Challie

The most beautiful designs we have ever had, all new and unique. The beautiful fabrics are all wool, absolutely fast color and used for robes, kimonos, pajamas and many other ideas.

\$1.50

Priced by the yard

Brocaded Silk Japanese Robes \$16.50

The finest imported silks in brocade effects, with wonderful Japanese hand blocked designs giving a very striking effect in a robe suitable for traveling or for a lounging robe.

\$16.50

Priced Saturday

The Balance of Our Men's Furnishings CLOSED OUT AT JUST HALF

Not much left, but some mighty good bargains in shirts, pajamas, Sox, golf Sox, sweaters, collars, summer underwear, small sizes, 36 and 38; some broken sizes in overalls and pants and painters' and carpenters' overalls and jumpers. Whatever you need men, come in and look over this stock. It will pay you well, if you can find your sizes left.

\$5 For Boys' and
Young Men's Suits
that sold up to \$19.50

We don't want them, we've closed out this department except about 25 boys' and young men's suits. These are going now and they're going quick. Long or short pant suits, sizes from 7 to 20 years and it's just like finding them. Don't wait—come just as the doors open at 8 o'clock Saturday morning.

Boys' and Young
Men's Suits
to \$19.50 Values

\$5

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No Refunds
No Charges

