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WHAT DEFEAT WOULD MEAN

APPROPRIATION SHOULD BE VOTED.
The great state of Oregon cannot use its public funds to better advantage than enlarging, equipping and endowing the university at Eugene. The \$125,000 asked for—practically but a slight advance—is a most reasonable sum.

David H. Moore, Bishop of Oregon, Methodist Episcopal Church.

DETRIMENTAL TO THE STATE.
It is sufficient to my own mind that the defeat of the University of Oregon appropriation bill would be detrimental, not only to many of the individuals who desire to avail themselves of the advantages of the university, but to the state as a whole. The quality of its population through the degree of excellence shown in its educational institutions, and the most desirable class of immigration, which efforts are being made to attract here, cannot be brought to Oregon without such institutions are liberally maintained.

Theo. B. Wilcox, Portland, Oregon.

A COLLOSSAL BLUNDER.
Oregon has made one colossal blunder in her educational affairs—let us hope that she may not make another. The paucity of our public school fund is due to poor judgment in the disposal of our school lands; to defeat the university appropriation would be an equally grievous blunder, equally disastrous to the educational interests of our state.

James Withycombe, Director Oregon Experiment Station, Corvallis, Oregon.

MISFORTUNE TO THE STATE.
I think that an adverse vote on the University of Oregon appropriation would be about the worst misfortune that could possibly happen to the state.

E. E. Hagg, School Supt. Union County.

A GRAVE MISTAKE.
Considering the many inquiries we have at this office as to the educational facilities in this state, and also considering how far west we are, and the consequent feeling out of the lack of educational facilities here, I beg to say that the failure to uphold the University of Oregon would be a grave mistake.

Ed. C. Giltner, Secretary Portland Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Oregon.

CALAMITY TO THE STATE.
I believe that an adverse vote upon the University of Oregon appropriation bill would be a real calamity to the state. There is no greater work to be done by the state than to educate properly the young men and young women. Better neglect some material things than to neglect the proper development of the mind and character of the future citizens of Oregon.

After a careful personal investigation of the situation at Eugene I am

most heartily in favor of the appropriation. Personally, I believe everyone that is thoroughly interested in the future of Oregon will vote in favor of the appropriation.

J. Whitcomb, Hrongher, Pastor First Baptist Church, Portland, Oregon.

UNJUSTIFIABLE PARSIMONY.
In my opinion, the defeat of the University of Oregon appropriation bill would do more to negate our claim to being a progressive state than any other step in public policy now before the people; that in years to come it would be looked upon as a backward step and an act of parsimony absolutely unjustifiable.

J. S. Van Winkle, Albany, Oregon.

MOSIER.

Mrs. Floyd Arlington and son returned home from Kelson, Wash., after a ten days' visit with relatives.

Mattie Hudson visited Hood River Wednesday to get her eyes treated.

Miss Evelyn Hayes closed a very successful eight months term of school Wednesday in district No. 8.

Lee Evans, Jr., was a Hood River visitor the first of the week.

Ora Hodge visited Hood River Wednesday.

Mr. Day, of New York, and Ed. Kurtz, of The Dalles, came down from The Dalles in an automobile Friday and met with the Agriculture Society here. Mr. Day is seeing about buying fruit.

Dr. Templeton, of Portland, came up Friday to look after his farm.

Hood River visitors from here Saturday were: Mrs. Amanda Marsh, Mrs. Wm. Marsh and daughter, Beadie, Mrs. Bert Middlewert and daughter, Clarissa and Reta, Mrs. R. D. Evans and daughter, Mabel and Blanche, Miss Carrie Brown and George Chamberlain.

Mrs. Frank Taylor and son came down from The Dalles to spend a few days with Dr. and Mrs. Robison.

Rev. Bailey, of The Dalles, came down Saturday and preached several good sermons. Mr. Bailey expects to hold meetings here soon.

J. N. Mosier and daughter, Alice, went down to Collins, Wash., Saturday to visit Mrs. Mosier a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll left for Portland Saturday. From there they expect to go to Eugene to visit the state grange. While in Portland they will visit Mrs. Carroll's daughter, Mrs. Yarnell. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

A. P. Bateham shipped two crates of strawberries Sunday. This is the first berry shipment out of Mosier, but they expect to commence working in a week or ten days.

Grace Coyle and Gordie Graham visited Hood River Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kruger came down from The Dalles Sunday to get their baby, who has been here for almost a month while Mrs. Kruger was under the care of a physician. They returned home Sunday evening with the baby and also accompanied by their niece, Carrie Olson.

Mr. Angle, of Portland, spent Sunday at the Davenport home.

Lost, two weeks ago, mid-lid joint

of fishing rod, on Fisher road. Finder please leave at Stewart's store and receive reward.

CRAPPER.

Rev. J. J. Handaker delivered a very interesting discourse at the school house on last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Hartong, former civil engineer for the ditch company, has severed his connection with the company and gone to Portland to accept a more satisfactory position at that place.

Mr. Aldridge's new house is nearly completed.

Henry Hackett has accepted the position of civil engineer for the ditch company.

K. D. Martin writes from Orland, Calif., that everything is lovely in that country except the climate. He says that the weather is too warm there to be comfortable. He will probably be wanting to see Mount Hood again in the near future.

Mrs. Pregar is making preparations for building a new house opposite P. H. Martin's gate.

Carl Janzen's horse was severely hurt a few days ago by contact with a barbed wire.

Work on Mr. Andrew's house is progressing rapidly.

Fatally Hurt by Barkeeper.

Marshfield, Or., May 10.—Mrs. Bertha Etta Gordon, notorious in Portland and San Francisco, and with police records in both cities, was shot here last night by H. Anderson, a bartender. A bullet from a 44-caliber revolver penetrated her kidneys. She was taken to the hospital here, where an operation was performed, but the physicians have no hopes for her recovery.

The tragedy occurred at an early hour this morning on the gasoline launch North Bend, while the boat was tied at the Marshfield docks.

Mrs. Gordon has enjoyed the career of an adventuress on the Pacific Coast since 1905. In February, 1906, she was arrested by the Portland police on suspicion of being connected with a gang of counterfeiters. Some months later she gained considerable notoriety by claiming to be the legitimate wife of Edward Sam Gordon, a wealthy Coos Bay lumberman, whom she afterwards married.

PORTLAND MARKETS.

Portland, Ore., May 13.

Wheat—Track prices: Club 89c; red Russian, 86 1/2c; bluestem, 91c; Valley, 89c.

Barley—Feed, \$24; rolled, \$27 @ 28; brewing, \$26.

Oats—No. 1 white, \$27.50 @ 28; gray, \$27.

Hay—Timothy, Willamette Valley, fancy, \$17; do, ordinary, \$15; Eastern Oregon, \$12.50; mixed, \$16; clover, \$14; alfalfa, \$12.

Butter—Extras, 22 1/2c; fancy, 21c; choice, 20c; store, 16c.

Eggs—Loss and commission off, 19 @ 18 1/2c.

Hops—1907 crop, 4 @ 5c pound.

Wool—Valley, 11 @ 11 1/2c lb; Eastern Oregon, 8 @ 13c, as to shrinkage.

Mohair—Choice, 17 @ 18c lb.

SEATTLE MARKETS.

Seattle, Wash., May 13.

Wheat—Bluestem, 91c.

Oats—Puget Sound, \$28 @ 29 per ton; Eastern Washington, \$26 @ 27 per ton.

Barley—\$24 @ 25 per ton.

Hay—Eastern Washington timothy, \$16 @ 17 per ton; Puget Sound hay, \$10 @ 11 per ton; wheat hay, \$12.50 per ton; alfalfa, \$10 @ 11 per ton.

Butter—Washington creamery, 24c per lb; ranch, 19 @ 20c per lb, Oregon, 24c per lb.

Eggs—Selected local, 20 @ 21c per doz; Eastern and Oregon, 19c per doz.

Commercial Club Gets Busy.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Commercial Club Monday evening and several matters of importance were brought up.

Mrs. DeFoye, who was here in the interest of exploiting the resources of the Pacific Northwest by means of an exhibition car to travel through the eastern states, appeared before the meeting and made an argument in favor of Hood River being represented in the advertising car. The lady expects to be in charge of the car. The matter was referred to a committee composed of A. W. Oubank, J. A. Wilson and A. M. Abbott.

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SEE OUR WINDOW



VOGT BROTHERS

The question of doing campaign work for Hood River county was discussed and it was voted to get 20,000 more folders containing the argument for the new county and mail them to the voters throughout the state. H. M. Abbott, J. H. Osborne, D. McDonald and A. A. Jayne were appointed a committee to look after the interests of Hood River county.

Store the Energy.
One of our Sherman county subscribers living in Denmark is doing a land office business in windmills through an experience acquired during his residence here. Denmark is a low country, lying between two seas, and has plenty of wind which it is utilizing on a scale never before equaled. Wind mills have been in use from time immemorial, for pumping water and grinding grain, but by storing power the burlesque's surplus energy is doing duty in days of calm by converting wind power into electricity and equalizing its use through the storage battery, a trick that even Sherman county might adopt with profit. It is stated that a wind of fifteen miles an hour will produce an eight horse power and a 20-mile

gale will develop eighteen horse power. As the power of many wind mills can be concentrated and made to serve a single plant, there is infinite possibility in this resource in any section blessed with frequent winds of considerable force.—More Over.

It Pays to be First.
The first California cherries shipped east this year went six days ahead of last year. The box sold in Chicago for \$20. The first ripe cherries of the season to arrive on the Los Angeles market was a tiny box containing nine cherries, which were put up and sold at \$9. or \$1 per cherry. It always pays to be first.

Merry Widow Hats.
Take one bicycle wheel, fasten one deep granite sauce pan onto the hub; attach on cover of wine colored velvet from your season before last's coat suit; put on three inch binding of canary colored tulle silk from your great grandmother's party dress; rip nineteen yard's box ruffling off your shirt waist box and wind around the crown. A soap ladle and a joint will give a jaunty effect if used as hat pins.

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STRAWBERRIES

Everybody knows that the Hood River Fruit Growers Unions are the oldest and most successful ones in the business. They stand as models—hundreds of visitors from other fruit districts come here to see how our unions are run, and dozens of districts have sent for our constitution and by-laws. Nearly all the unions and fruit associations are modeled after Hood River. Hood River stands alone at the top as the peer of all fruit sections for its fancy fruit, its superb climate and its splendid unions.

But why are our unions successful. Because they are well run; because they belong to the grower; because they get the highest prices for fruit and the union deducts no profit, only charging the grower the actual expense of doing the business.

The phenomenal success of the Hood River fruit Unions in addition to our soil and climate has been the most important factor in our midst in filling our valley with prosperous people and building beautiful homes. The fame of our unions and the prices they realized have added 50% to the value of orchard lands. Do you want to get and continue to get high prices? Do you want to see our famous Hood River Valley continue to progress in the future with the same rapid strides she has in the past? If you do ship your Strawberries with

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