

RAILROADS ISSUE
B. P. O. E. BOOKLET

With its pages crowded with descriptive matter of the wonderful vicinity of Portland and of that thriving city itself, the railroads of the Northwest have issued a handsomely illustrated booklet, announcing the Grand Lodge convention of Elks to be held in Portland during the first part of July.

The group of figures on the cover page of the booklet stand as a monument in City park, Portland, to those intrepid explorers, Lewis and Clark, who reconnoitered the Northwest for the white race. Two Indians stand facing the east, a young and an old Red Skin. The countenance of the older Indian as he beheld the intruding white man, bespoke despondency and defiance. That of the younger Red Skin bore a look of fear with which was combined a degree of anxious hope. A palm leaf is held aloft as a sign of peace.

The handsome engravings of the booklet display the buildings and street scenes of Portland and the wonderful scenic locations within a short radius of the city.

Goldsbury Visits Many Cities

John Goldsbury, president of the Upper Valley Progressive Association, returned Monday from an extended tour of the large eastern and middlewestern cities. The Upper Valley man left here the first of January for Minneapolis; from there he went to Buffalo, and thence to New York, Boston, Princeton, N. J., Washington, D. C., and Baltimore.

"While many of the middle western farmers are coming with a definite idea of settling in the west," says Mr. Goldsbury, "I find that further east the citizens who are thinking of coming have planned to make the first trip more of a visit than anything else. During his travels Mr. Goldsbury worked in the insurance business.

HEIGHTS NEWS

By the first of next month Smith & Imbler, who purchased last fall from Geo. P. Christie the "Handy Corner Grocery" on the Heights, will remove their place of business to the Blue Ribbon Bakery building. The firm will increase its stock of groceries and will add a line of grain feeds and prepared chicken feeds. Willis Bradley and son, who will discontinue their bakery business, will devote their entire time to the concrete building block and drain tile manufacturing business.

An interesting debate was held last Friday evening at the Holman hall between the members of the Heights Literary society and the Improvement club. The question was, "Resolved, That Oregon would benefit by an adoption of the Single Tax. Messrs. Morrison and McLucas upheld the affirmative and Prof. Gibson and Rev. Hargreaves opposed them. The judges rendered a decision favorable to the negative. W. S. Uren, of Oregon City, will deliver an address on Single Tax at the Heights Baptist church next Tuesday evening.

W. S. Barford, of Corvallis, was the guest of Rev. J. R. Hargreaves one night last week.

F. T. Anderson is recovering from injuries received to his right hand while working on the East Side grade recently.

SIGNALMAN WIL
GIVE FIRE WARNING

"The city council having agreed to place a phone in his bedroom at the Model Bakery, George Erlin will be the Volunteer Fire Department's signalman," says Chief William Gangster. The proper ringing of the fire bell will warn the firemen as to the exact location in the city as to where the fire is started.

The council has also taken action to protect the members of the fire department in case of accident and injury happening during fighting fire. The city authorities have made arrangements with the Cottage hospital, which provides free medical and surgical attention, in addition to use of the hospital for the firemen. The fire department is composed of business men of the city, and plans are under way to establish a well equipped club room for the use of the members.

NORTHWEST'S APPLES
CREATE INTEREST

In December, President L. W. Hill, of the Great Northern Railway had established in Great Northern Railway city ticket offices located in seventeen of the most prominent cities of the west, a tempting display of a large number of varieties of Northwestern commercial apples, grown along its lines in Washington, Oregon, Montana and British Columbia. Many of these exhibits are still on display and enthusiastic reports of the Great Northern Railway local representatives in each of these cities indicate the great hold the Northwestern commercial apple, with its honest and effective pack, is making on eastern people.

W. C. T. U. Notes

The contest held in the Baptist church, on the Heights, was in every way a success. The young men taking part gave every evidence of having made earnest preparation, and did great credit to themselves. The contest was very close, as only one-twelfth of a point divided the contestants. The medal was won by Mr. Struck. The judges were Mrs. MacDonald, Prof. J. O. McLaughlin and Rev. Hargreaves. The contest work of the W. C. T. U. is one of the links that hold our young people to the cause of temperance and keep awake the interest of the public.

The new study class in scientific temperance started under very favorable auspices and with a goodly number taking part. These studies are very interesting and it is hoped that many will take advantage of them. The White Ribboners are making every effort to secure the ballot, and thus have another chance to strike the "rum power." Why do not more women in Hood River take an interest in the cause of temperance?—Contributed.

Sheppard Buys Interest in Factory
Geo. Sheppard, of Central Vale, has purchased from Mark Cameron a half interest in his box factory located at Odell. The new firm will install, among other additional machinery, a fast feed planer, which will enable them to double their capacity.

EASTERN OREGON IS
STRONG FOR SELLING

Candidate Has Many Friends
East of Mountains.

Newspapers of That Section Advise
the People to Support
Selling.

Positive in the belief that a change is needed for the best interests of Oregon in the United States senate, many newspapers in Eastern Oregon have openly declared themselves for Ben Selling to succeed Senator Jonathan Bourne.

In a recent issue the La Grande Evening Observer editorially remarked:

"The announcement that Ben Selling will make the race for the senate against Jonathan Bourne is received with considerable satisfaction, for all know that Selling is a thoroughly progressive citizen and stands for all the measures that are dear to the people, having been one of the legislators who not only helped inaugurate the new form of government in this state, but also has been one of those who has constantly stood on guard to prevent repeal of any of the measures.

"Mr. Bourne is practically a non-resident of this state and is scarcely a taxpayer. He spends his entire time in the east and seldom visits the state that has honored him. By the way, Mr. Voter, have you ever seen Jonathan Bourne? What do you know about him other than to receive a paid stenographer and signed with a rubber stamp? Can you point to anything of importance that he has done for Oregon? You know of course that he voted with Aldrich and the rich men of the east on tariff issues. You know he owns a large cotton goods manufacturing plant on the Atlantic seaboard and that he is reputed to be worth \$15,000,000. You know also that his interests in Oregon are so meager that his tax is exactly \$2.44 according to the Portland Journal of Sunday, Mar. 3rd.

"All of these things being true, don't you think it is time to replace him with a citizen of the state—a man who has lived over half a century in Oregon—who has property nowhere else and who stands his share of taxes and works every day in the year to build up his state?"

"Is it not time for Oregon to be for Oregon, as Bill Hanley says, and to desist from sending a rich aristocrat whose interests lie in eastern states to assist in making laws for Oregon?"

"The people have a splendid opportunity to elect a man who will represent Oregon and the Oregon system, for Ben Selling aided materially in outlining and passing every law that gives the power of government directly to the people in this state."

"OUTLOOK" FOR SELLING

Editor H. L. St. Clair Comes Out
Strong and Predicts Success.

The Gresham Outlook, edited by H. L. St. Clair, one of the strong country papers of the state, has endorsed the candidacy of Ben Selling for United States senator in no unambiguous language. Here is what the Outlook editorially has to say:

"The candidacy of Ben Selling for the nomination as United States senator, to take the place occupied by Jonathan Bourne, Jr., is formally announced. Mr. Selling has been getting ready for this announcement for some time and he has been encouraged by thousands of friends. Mr. Selling is a man of practical affairs, not theories. He is a good clean Republican, not a politician. He is a thorough Oregonian and stands for the best in the Oregon system. We look for him to make a sweeping campaign and not only secure the nomination on April 19, but the election in the fall.

"Mr. Selling tells in his declaration what he will stand for and try to accomplish if elected: "If I am nominated and elected, I will, during my term of office, uphold the Oregon system; support tariff revision with justice to labor, producer and consumer; larger appropriations under continuing contracts for Oregon's rivers and harbors; local Federal land courts for speedily determining settlers' rights; administration of forest reserves in the interest of our people; return of Oregon's reclamation fund; immediate development of Alaska's resources under government control; pensions for deserving veterans; federal regulation of corporations; an elastic monetary system; free trade from Wall street influence; graduated income tax; presidential primaries; direct election president, vice president and United States senators; free canal for American ships; parcels post; oppose special interests; ship subsidies."

MOST ANYTHING
TO KILL TIME

In a town like Hood River, the plain people have many advantages and enjoyments that they don't properly appreciate unless their attention is called to them. In Hood River each house usually has a nice stretch of lawn, and room for a small garden and generally a few trees in the yard where the proprietor can rub his back when it itches and there's no one around to scratch

Seasonable Suggestions

FROM

Franz's Furniture and Rug Department

It's time to look around just to kind of locate oneself. You see there has been an entire readjustment of the furniture and rug situation in Hood River. Why? Bless you! here's a regular Portland or Seattle stock---No! even better; a Chicago or Minneapolis---right at home. Those who have looked them over need not be told but there is a fine surprise in store for all who have been unable to come.

Spring is "mighty nigh" here. There'll surely be something needed about the home along about housecleaning time and that "something" is here at Franz's in highest quality, latest design and lowest possible price.

A Regular Linoleum
Sensation

A carload of "Cooks" just opened. Think of a HEAVY INLAID at \$1.00 per yard. You've been paying \$1.50 to \$1.75 for no better. Don't you think it will pay to look around?

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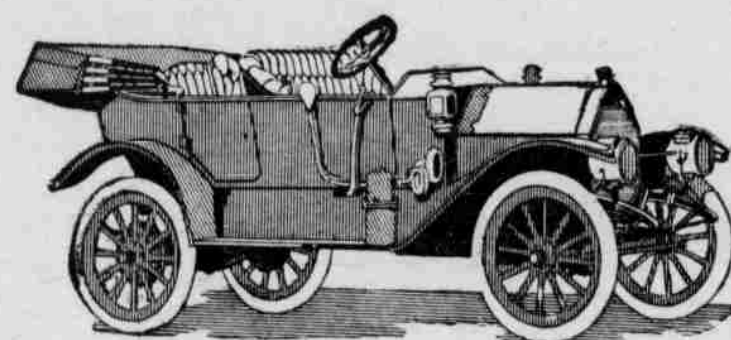
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C. P. McCan, Manager

Wagon Load of Hogs Bought

In Hood River, where the hogs may be numbered by the score, it is an unusual thing to hear of the sale of a wagon load of the porkers. The largest number sold here in one bunch recently were eight disposed of last week by H. E. Caldwell to E. M. Holman.

Job Printing at the Glacier office.