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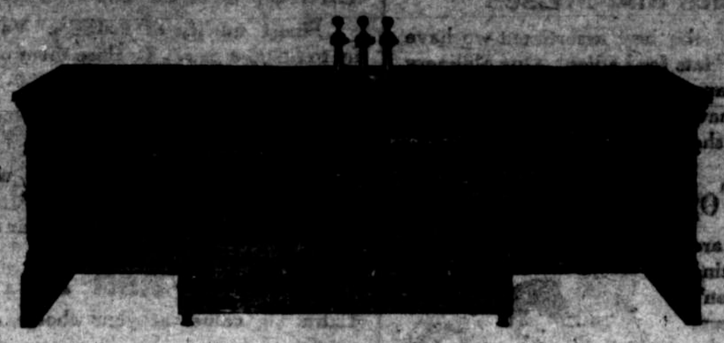
Fresh Strawberry Sundaes



Bulk Ice Cream
Pints, 30c
Quarts, 60c

KRESSE DRUG CO.'S MODERN WALRUS SODA FOUNTAIN ANNOUNCEMENT

Opening of our Sanitary Walrus Soda Fountain Saturday, May 12, 1923

We Serve the famous OREGOLD ICE CREAM

Bulk and Brick Ice Cream of Assorted Flavors. Sodas and Sundaes served in a Modern Sanitary Way.

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY---FLOWERS FOR THE LADIES

FREE—For the Children—Souvenirs with Ice Cream Cones.

KRESSE DRUG CO.

THE DRUG STORE BEAUTIFUL — The Rexall Store — HOOD RIVER OREGON

About Tomatoes!

THE successful growing of Tomatoes in Hood River is to a great extent due to the development of a strain that is acclimated. We recollect (no wonder) that one year, at the time we used to buy our seed, we set out 25,000 tomato plants at our farm and did not get enough tomatoes for our own use. Another time Leroy Childs took a picture of a plot, where we had set tomatoes that were called Wilt Proof in Washington, D. C., and we lost 95% of them here. So finally we came to the conclusion that we would develop a strain of Tomatoes that would thrive right here and by personal selection in the field we have succeeded fairly well.

Oh yes, that offer of $2.50 for the first ripe tomato from our plants stands for this season also. In our relation with the people there is more than mere buying and selling—there is human friendship and confidence.

Set Koberg's Tomato Plants now

Call for Koberg's Asparagus now

THE 20TH CENTURY TRUCK FARM

J. H. KOBERG, Prop.

FERTILIZER

We now have in some EDEN BRAND pulverized sheep manure. If you have not ordered your supply please let us have your order at once as our supply is limited.

BOXES.

This year we will have an extra fine quality heavy pine box. These boxes are worth more than a cent more than the ordinary box but we are selling at special prices while they last. Cash discount or on fall account.

SPRAY MATERIALS.

We will have a full line of spray materials and solicit the business of our growers and other independent shippers. We advise growers to place their order for Arsenate of lead and boxes at once.

DUCKWALL BROS.
CASH BUYERS
Phone 4702 — Odell 229

WRECKED?

A rather large number of Hood River people saw the wrecked Ford about 100 feet down the bank three miles east of town. I left my shop at 1:00 o'clock and drove back into the shop at 1:30 with the wreck in tow. Speed and service count.

Shay's SERVICE Shop
AT THE FASHION GARAGE
Shop 1201 — Res. 3721

When You Build—

At this time of year a good many people are thinking of and longing for a home of their own.

The urge of Spring is a primitive thing. It dates back to our ancestors, who always lived close to the soil.

You have pictured yourself in a cosy little home. You have given considerable thought and talked the matter over during the past few months.

The Home Building Season Has Arrived

Now is the time to become familiar with the unusual building service offered you by this Company. Call and see just what it will do toward simplifying your problems. This service is maintained at no additional cost to you.

EMRY LUMBER & FUEL CO.

"Everything to Build Anything"

HOOD RIVER MACHINE WORKS

GLENN A. LENZ, Prop.

Cylinder Re-boring
General Machine Work and Welding

We carry a full line of Jahn's Pistons, Quality Piston Rings and Mann Precision Wrist Pins.

PHONE 3173

BRIDGE PLANS RESTIMULATED

CAMPAIGN IS RENEWED WITH VIGOR

Formal Technalities Are Ironed Out and Soliciting Committees Are Seeking First Subscriptions

Committees of the Hood River Chamber of Commerce, under auspices of which the sum of $75,000 in preferred stock is being raised here for financing an interstate bridge, spanning the Columbia here and connecting Hood River and White Salmon, Wash., have renewed their solicitations, following a week of inactivity. The sum of $50,000 was pledged by local citizens the first of the week and districts of Klickitat and eastern Skamania counties, Washington, have given the assurance to the local men that they can raise approximately $15,000.

The local chamber will put a seat into the campaign the remainder of this week, and an effort will be made to raise the entire additional $20,000 this week. Portland, where Victor Johnson is acting as agent of the bridge corporation, which will erect the proposed $400,000, has given the assurance that preferred to the extent of $100,000 will be subscribed there.

The pause in the bridge promotion activities resulted while some technical difficulties of participation of preferred stock, common stock and the bond holders in the management of the concern's affairs were threshed out. Leroy Childs, secretary of the local organization promoting the solicitation of stock and president of the Hood River Chamber of Commerce, states that these formalities have been concluded satisfactorily to all concerned, and the campaign is moving off with renewed vigor. A large Seattle bond house has agreed to take $300,000 in bonds, when the $175,000 in preferred stock has been assured. Financing of the bridge plans are being hastened in order that construction work may begin as soon as the annual spring flood recedes this year.

THE DALLES WILL SEND BIG CROWD

More than 75 out of town men of prominence, connected with Pacific Coast electric public utilities, will be here today to participate in the dedication of the new $1,250,000 hydro-electric plant, just completed by the Pacific Power & Light Co. on Hood river. The largest individual delegation will come from The Dalles, the Hiawatha city, of late city having voted to send a delegation of 50 citizens as guests on the jaunt. In The Dalles party will be Ned Baldwin, formerly private secretary of Representative N. J. Sinnott, who recently resigned from the staff of the United States Attorney in Portland. Mr. Baldwin is spending the summer in The Dalles.

The power company has invited the general Hood River public to attend the dedication ceremony. And it is expected that several hundred people will assemble Thursday at the new powerhouse where the formal program, with Lewis A. McArthur, vice president and general manager, as master of ceremonies, will be held. Other speakers will be Guy W. Talbot, president of the company; Judge Fred W. Wilson, of The Dalles, and Capt. Geo. R. Wilbur, of this city. Miss Prudence Talbot, daughter of the president, will press a button that will send the current from the generator out over the distributing lines.

The three-mile pipeline, which is 10 feet in diameter, was completed last Friday, and was allowed slowly to fill with water. A crew of men gave it careful inspection, tightening the one-inch steel stay rods, where leaks appeared.

O.-W. EAST SIDE PHONE CABLE IN

A cable line, extending from the city out into the East Side district and installed at a cost of approximately $3,000, will be completed by the Oregon-Washington Telephone Co. the latter part of this week. The line crosses from east Third street out over the Hood river canyon, a distance of 735 feet, to the east bank of the river gorge.

The placing of the cable line over the gorge, the steel supporting lines rising at a maximum height of 200 feet from the bottom of the river bed, was an interesting problem. First a rope, laid on the ground and gradually drawn into place between the huge poles, which are 2½ feet in diameter and held by a series of large steel guy rods, was strung. Then two 7-18-inch steel cables were swung over the cyrie canyon. Repeated trips across the canyon, in small messenger cars, have been made by J. W. Haviland and William Marshall, of the telephone company.

CITY TO BE TOURIST CENTER, SAYS DURYEA

"Cities are not made by the operation of nature," declared M. J. Duryea, field and organization secretary of the Oregon Chamber of Commerce, here as a guest of the Tuesday Lunch Club at the Hotel Oregon this week, "but by the activities of men."

Mr. Duryea urged Hood River folk to put into practice team work and make the most of their opportunities for enticing tourists. He declared that the city, when roads under construction and the proposed Columbia river interstate bridge here are completed, will offer more inducements to tourists than any other town in the United States.

"But never again," said Mr. Duryea, "must we permit a settler to come here except under conditions that are right, except when he can go ahead and make a success."

Mrs. A. L. Humphreys, demonstrator for Oregon products, who is spending some time in the city, talked to the club members, urging that they standardize to their wives that they buy Oregon made products.

E. W. Hamilton, district manager here establishing a new distributing point for the Shell Oil Co., whose headquarters are in Seattle, was a club guest. The name of Assistant District Manager Livingstone, of the Standard Oil Co., was proposed for membership.

Mrs. Humphreys, who served the club members with a delicious soft drink of fruit juices, announced that she would be in charge of the Oregon products dinner to be given Friday night at the First Baptist church.

MUCH ACTIVITY ON THE LOOP HIGHWAY

Activity is now noted on the valley trunk of the Mount Hood Loop Highway from one end to the other. The Johnson Contract Co. has two crews completing small links of grading on the East Fork of Hood river in the Upper Valley. The R. A. Webster Co., engaged for the county to complete some stretches left by the Van Horn district last fall, is under that apple hauling might not be blocked. A crew is engaged two miles south of town, removing slides brought down by winter freshets.

The Albert Anderson Co., which has the contract for surfacing the road from Odell to the Oregon National Forest boundary, has a rock crusher in operation on Neal creek. Another crew is engaged in preparations for shooting a quarry in Crystal Springs canyon in the Upper Valley. Trucks are already placing crushed rock in the Middle Valley. Hood & Joslin, who have the contract for surfacing the 6.8 miles from the Columbia River Highway south, are setting up a rock crusher on the Barton place just east of the city. They announce that they will be spreading rock by May 15, and that the entire mile will be entirely surfaced by August 1.

C. G. Seeley, of Portland, assistant state highway engineer, declares that the crushed rock surfacing, because of the excellency of the material, will make one of the best mountain highways in the state.

RUNAWAY BOYS ARE APPREHENDED HERE

Bryant Bottemiller, aged 12, and Lawrence Larson, aged 13, running away from their home in Portland, were intercepted in this city Monday afternoon and were returned with relatives who came for them Tuesday. The Larson boy made the trip up over the Columbia River Highway by bicycle, while young Bottemiller gained rides, with his kind departed, motor tourists. The latter told his story to a local motorist. The lad had left Portland with a pocketful of money and on arriving in the city the motorist persuaded the boy to accompany him to the city hall, where Night Marshal Glen Sloat took charge of him.

The officer a short time later greeted the Larson lad as he pedaled into town. Relatives were notified by telephone and they started at once for the penitent runaways. City Marshal Hart gave the lads a kindly talk, and both declared that their first venture from the home nest would teach them a lasting lesson.

Disinfecting Seed Potatoes

(By Gordon G. Brown)

The season for potato planting is at hand and growers should take steps to treat their seed potatoes for scab. The following recommendation for making a corrosive sublimate or mercuric chloride solution for dipping seed potatoes is made. Station Circular 24 suggests as follows: Mercuric chloride used in 1-to-1000 solution. The mercuric chloride solution is prepared and used as follows: Mercuric chloride (corrosive sublimate) four ounces; water, 30 gallons.

Soak the uncut or whole potatoes in this solution from one and one-half to two hours and dry before planting.

Dissolve the mercuric chloride crystals or powder in about a gallon of hot water in glass jars, stone crocks or a wooden bucket before dilution. This formula makes a 1-to-1000 solution. It decreases in strength with use. To correct this, add one-half ounce of chemical for every four bushels of potatoes treated for two hours. If a shorter treatment is used, reduce proportionately the amount of chemical added. For instance, if treated one and one-half hours add 3-8 ounce; if one hour, add 1-4 ounce. Time and convenience are conserved if the chemical added is handled in a stock solution, one ounce dissolved in two quarts of water. Keep the water in the tank up to its original volume. The solution can be utilized as long as it remains clear, usually for not more than seven or eight times. Wetting the potatoes for 12 to 24 hours before treatment helps to remove dirt, softens the sclerotia of Rhizoctonia, and makes the disinfection more effective. In using this mercuric chloride solution it should be borne in mind that this material is very poisonous, and if potatoes are once treated with it they should never be used for human consumption or for feeding to animals.

If the planting is not done immediately after disinfection, the potatoes should be dried thoroughly before being placed in storage again. Care should be taken not to reinfect the potatoes by placing them back in the same bags or storage places unless they too are disinfected. (For disinfection of storage bin see page 19 under "Storage Conditions.") The bags may be disinfected by soaking for one hour in formaldehyde, one pint to 15 gallons of water.

Paint Sprayer Causes Grief

A clogged paint nozzle caused grief and pain at the local headquarters of the Mt. Hood R. R. Co. Monday. A crew of the railroad men is engaged in spraying paint on bridges. The high pressure nozzle was blocked, and Walter Wilson, while trying to pry it open left the power on. The nozzle clogging the nozzle gave way while he was peering into it and he was temporarily blinded.

Later Agent Branson was working with the nozzle when it turned loose a stream of paint on a new suit.

APPLE BLOSSOM BANQUET SUCCESS

THREE HUNDRED IN ATTENDANCE

Principle Speakers Urge the Consecration Thought of Citizens—Dinner Held At Columbia Gorge Hotel

A plea for the return to the fundamentals of religious and civil liberties of the Pilgrim forefathers and a more sober study of the problems of government characterized the addresses of M. J. Duryea, of the Oregon State Chamber of Commerce, and Judge Fred W. Wilson, the chief speakers at the second annual Apple Blossom Banquet of the Hood River Chamber of Commerce, held Monday night at the Columbia Gorge Hotel.

"The Pilgrim Spirit," was Mr. Duryea's subject. He declared that the nation was at the blossom time of her development, if the peoples of the nation's communities would set in unity in the development of civic and governmental problems. Mr. Duryea told the story of the celebration held in 1922 at Plymouth, Mass., in commemoration of the coming of the Mayflower. The speaker, who was in charge of the memorable event, cited that representatives of every phase of American life had journeyed to the little New England town to honor the memory of the little band of Pilgrims, who braved the stormy Atlantic to found new homes where they could live in freedom and worship according to the dictates of their conscience. The citizenry of the country came to Plymouth to honor the action of the Pilgrims and what that action had meant to the whole world.

Mr. Duryea told how last year he had visited Seattle and had beheld the circle beside the Pacific. The point where a monument to the pioneers is proposed, he said, was pointed out to him and he was made to think of the New England coast 3,000 miles away and the ideals of 300 years ago. He recalled the spirit of sacrifice with which the University of Oregon had its beginning; how the farmers of Lane county met the offer of Henry Villard, who proposed a gift for the institution of learning if the county would raise $50,000. He depicted the acts of sacrifice of the rural housewife, who gave one of her two dozen eggs and the farmer who sold one of a pair of calves in order that the county might realize the worthy ambition.

He cited how the church and the school house had been the center of the New England green.

"We must ever keep these two as dominating influences of our nation," he declared. "We must place our worship on a God of righteousness rather than wealth or pleasure if we would not lose our way."

Mr. Duryea painted a picture of entry during the great war. He told of participating at a Jewish community home-gathering in a New England town. As he and a friend walked down Church street, on which the churches of all denominations were erected—Protestant Catholic and Jewish houses of worship, the rays of a searchlight poured forth on a huge board, and on this board appeared the names of some 65 boys who had died for the ideals of the Pilgrims.

"I read those names," he said, "the names of boys who had died for the ideals of their country, who lay in graves beneath little white crosses over there, who had died for you and me. And I saw the names of Jewish boys, of Protestant boys and of Catholic boys. If we could but get and keep that spirit in all of our communities we would see the light ahead."

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SONS AT MRS. STRANAHAN'S BIRTHDAY

Hood River sons of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stranahan and their wives motored to Portland Saturday to join in the 73rd birthday celebration of their mother. The reunion party was held at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Ronald Graham. Mr. and Mrs. Stranahan, pioneer residents of the valley, moved to Clarke county, Washington, several years ago. They took a prominent part in Hood River life for many years. Mr. Stranahan represented Hood River and Wasco counties in the legislature in 1913.

Those attending the reunion party were: Mr. and Mrs. James Stranahan, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stranahan and Mr. and Mrs. George Stranahan, of Hood River. Other guests were Mrs. Alice Stalnaker and Mrs. J. Graham, of Portland.

WASCO PIONEER MEET DRAWS LOCAL FOLK

"The annual reunion of the Old Wasco County Pioneer Association, held at The Dalles Wednesday of last week, was one of the pleasantest meetings I have attended in many years," said S. F. Blythe, pioneer editor of the Hood River Glacier, who with a number of other local men and women participated in the gathering at The Dalles. "I met many pioneer residents of the mid-Columbia section whom I had not seen in many years."

Other local folk at The Dalles reunion were: Henry Howe, Leslie Butler, Mrs. I. D. Parkins, Hans Lage, Mrs. J. H. Koberg, Mrs. M. A. Scobee and Mrs. James Henderson, of Bingen.

Oregon Products Dinner to be Served

The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church Friday (tomorrow) night will give an Oregon products dinner. Every item of the menu will be Oregon grown. Families of the church have been fattening their best chickens, which will form the piece de resistance of the meat meal, which will begin at 6 o'clock.

Hood River apples, prepared in various ways, will be served, and asparagus now growing more perfectly at Koberg's Twentieth Century Farm than at any other season of the year, will form a prominent place on the menu.