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An Appreciation

A customer of this Bank who has moved to another and larger city but who still retains a balance with us, called for a new check book the other day and when we handed her our check pad of "Super-Safety-Insured" checks of high grade paper, she remarked something like this:

"Please let me pay for these checks as I do not see how you can afford to give such service for our little account. Where we now live the bank makes a monthly service charge for looking after our little funds and the checks are made of very cheap print paper. During the many years we lived in Hood River we did not appreciate the service and protection furnished by the First National Bank—just took it for granted—but we do now."

That's it: SERVICE AND PROTECTION, two of the cardinal principles, built into the ground-work of this institution.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

HOOD RIVER, ORE.



THANKSGIVING

We know a man who has spent the last ten years in bed and in all that time he has had very few hours in which he has been free from pain.

And yet through it all he has kept his poise and has maintained that genial disposition and attitude which has so enabled him to find the silver lining in the clouds that those who have called to cheer him up have themselves been comforted.

Surely we, whose share of the world's troubles have been less than this man's, will find it easy to spend Thursday, November twenty-sixth, in accordance with the proclamation of President Coolidge, deeply grateful for the many blessings that have been ours during the past year.

BUTLER BANKING COMPANY

Member Federal Reserve System

TRUE-TO-NAME NURSERY

H. S. GALLIGAN, Proprietor

OFFERS TO PLANTERS:

Apple, Pear, Cherry and Peach

Consisting of the leading commercial varieties adapted to this locality.

These trees are grown on virgin soil from buds and scions of my own personal selection and are the finest lot of trees I have grown for 25 years, and are absolutely guaranteed every way. My policy is to sell direct, therefore saving agent's commission.

Phone 4796

HOOD RIVER AUTO WRECKERS ON THE HEIGHTS

Parts for all cars far less than half price
Highest cash price paid for cars to wreck

PHONE DAY OR NIGHT 4582

The Kresse Drug Co. -- Rexall ONE CENT SALE

This Week Thurs., Fri. and Sat., Nov. 19, 20 and 21

Buy One Article at the Regular Price and Get the Second One for One Cent—that's the plan of pricing in this Annual Event which turns the thoughts of thousands of people toward Economy.

This will be the largest Sale of Standard Goods that the United Drug Co. has ever put on, as the sale includes such items as Kleenex Tooth Paste, Symphony Lawn Stationery, Jontee Talcum, Cascade Pound Paper and Envelopes, Hair Nets, Liggett's Chocolates, Aspirin Tablets, Face Powders, Face Creams, Shaving Creams, Hot Water Bottles and hundreds of other Wonderful Bargains.

KRESSE DRUG CO.

The Rexall Store

SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

1923 Star Touring in perfect mechanical condition—good rubber--

\$200.00

SATURDAY ONLY

No trade but our regular terms will apply

TWIN PEAKS AUTO CO.

EVERYTHING FOR THE MOTORIST

PERFUMES AND ATOMIZERS

We have a complete line of Coty's Extracts and a beautiful assortment of Atomizers for our Christmas trade.

Come early before the best are all gone.

HOOD RIVER DRUG CO.

Meals—Fountain Service

Phone 1551

Squibb Quality

MERRY WIDOW DANCE

SILVER LOVING CUP as trophy for Prize Waltz

Nov. 21 Legion Hall—White Salmon \$1.00

Thanksgiving Dinner

Give your wife a treat on next Thursday. Bring her and all the kiddies down to our big dining room for a real Turkey Thanksgiving Dinner with Cranberry Sauce and all the other fixings.

MT. HOOD HOTEL DINING ROOM

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Armstrong, Proprietors

A Stromberg Carlson is the ultimate in Radio. The Radio Shop. Another Pine Grove popular dance Saturday evening. The Gravensteins.

LAKE HIGHWAY IS PROPOSED

NEW ROUTE GETS GENERAL SUPPORT

Road Would Pass from Valley to Rainy and Wabiam Lakes and Thence to Lost Lake

A new highway, proposed by the national forest, which will connect the Oak Grove section of the valley with Rainy and Wabiam lakes and traverse the virgin forest between these two lakes and Lost Lake, is finding general support here. The new road will not connect up with existing county roads at the border of the Mount Hood National Forest, but it will be necessary for the county to construct a short link. The cost of the county work, however, will not exceed \$4,000.

The possibility of the proposed road and the likelihood of its being financed by the forestry service, except for the county portion, brought an agreeable surprise to local folk. Except for county officials the lake road had never been thought of here. The new road will open to the motor tourist an interesting country. The Boy Scout lodge at Wabiam lake, now accessible only by trails up Eagle and Heruan creeks and from Lost Lake, may be reached by car on construction of the new road. The new highway, however, is attracting local attention chiefly because of the fact that it will provide a loop trip in making the Lost Lake country. Heretofore the motorist has found it necessary to backtrack over the lake road.

Local folk learned of the projected road when E. D. Kingsley, president of the West Coast Lumbermen's association and vice president of the North Pacific Regional Advisory board, which functions in cooperation with the American Railway association in distributing cars to shippers of this section, wrote to Truman Butler, telling him of willingness of the forestry service to boost the road, provided Hood River county will construct the connecting link outside the bounds of the national forest. Mr. Butler Monday interviewed various officials and individuals and declared that he was encouraged by a universal support of the proposed road.

Mr. Kingsley has an acreage on which he maintains a country home in the foothills just back of Oak Grove. The county road, which will be extended to the national forest, crosses his property.

EDUCATION WEEK OBSERVED BY CLUB

American Education Week was celebrated Tuesday by the Lunch club, the members of which visited the high school and were served lunch at noon by the cooking class in the science department. The club members characterized the meal, served with a remarkable ease by the girls, as one of the best ever offered them. Following the luncheon the visitors were honor guests at a special assembly program.

Principal Gibson presided at the assembly, which was started with a selection by the high school orchestra under direction of Mrs. O. H. Henney. A yell was led by Kelsy Slocom, and then Miss Joyce Nye sang "The Star Spangled Banner" the audience joining in the chorus. Other numbers were: Orchestra selection; vocal solo, Miss Nye; oration on patriotism by Miss Elsie Lape, and a musical show by young men of the high school.

City School Superintendent Cannon presided at the luncheon, explaining the purpose of Education Week. All patrons of the schools were urged to visit them Friday.

FIREMEN LIMIT ACTIVITY TO BALL

Raffles, carnivals, assorted celebrations and other activities which call on the public for steady contributions will no longer be able to get a favorable ear from the Hood River Volunteer fire department. Through action of the body such activities in the future will be taken. The fire fighters will sponsor but a single activity which calls for public participation throughout the year. Their activities will be limited to the firemen's ball, scheduled for Thanksgiving night.

The fire department, now recognized as one of the most efficient in the state, has been holding balls Thanksgiving night for 20 years. The parties form one of the most social events of the year. The department's personnel of which is made up of the younger business and professional men of the city, has a large waiting list.

H. O. Kresse is general chairman of the committee arranging for the party.

UPPER VALLEY BOYS AND DADS GATHER

Characterized as the most successful party of its kind ever held in this county, the Lads-Dads Round-Up at Parkside Friday night in celebration of Father and Son week drew an attendance of 151. President Lawrence of the Portland Kiwanis club, "Chaplain" Beard, of the Mount Zion Presbyterian church, of Portland, and Clark T. Scheubel, in charge of Boy Scout work in Hood River and Wasco counties, delivered addresses.

A banquet was served the fathers and sons.

COUNTY POULTRY SHOW OPEN TODAY

The annual county poultry show which this year will also include the Mosier orchard section of Wasco county, will far exceed any of the former three shows, according to officials. Entries already in the hands of Edward Thornton, in charge of the event, indi-

cate that more than 800 birds, representing all principal breeds, will be displayed.

The birds will be placed on exhibition today in a lot of specially designed show coops made last year by the Tum-A-Lum Lumber Co. for the show association. C. S. Brewster, poultry expert of Portland, will complete the judging before this evening.

Merchants and business folk of the city have donated merchandise and cash prizes, the value of which aggregates \$250. A special \$5 cash award, given by the employees of the Twentieth Century Grocery Co., will be given for the best bird shown. The donations include everything from a share and a hair cut up to \$5 worth of fine merchandise.

The show is being held in the frame structure on Fourth street, property of the Paris Fair, which is between the old city hall and Hall's Service Station. Drawings for the prizes will occur Saturday night.

FREDERICK STEINWER OF PIONEER STOCK

"Who is this man Steinwer, who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for United States senator from Oregon?" One hears it frequently asked by western Oregon folk these past few days. Mr. Steinwer comes of pioneer stock. His family record is one that has a meaning to pioneers of this state. When comparative newcomers have become more familiar with it and the record of the candidate himself it will mean something to them.

Frederick Steinwer is a native son of Oregon, having been born in Marion county, near Jefferson, in 1883, which makes him now 42 years of age. No doubt some of you have seen as you passed along the highway between Salem and Jefferson, a sign bearing the words, "Steinwer Stock Ranch." Well, that is the old Steinwer homestead on which the senatorial candidate was born. Moreover, on that same farm, which is the old homestead of his grandfather, his father, John F. Steinwer, of Jefferson, still hale and hearty, was also born. Here too was born John's elder brother, uncle of Frederick, the Hon. Winlock W. Steinwer, a formerly well known state senator from the Forest country in eastern Oregon.

Fred's grandfather, Frederick Steinwer, whose honored name the grand son bears, crossed the plains by ox team in 1850. Jesse Looney, his maternal great grandfather, head of the Looney family, crossed the plains by ox team to Marion county in 1843. On his mother's side he is a scion of the widely known missionary family, the Parrishes of Marion county. Fred's maternal grandfather was Samuel May, a former secretary of state of Oregon.

Fred is a graduate of Oregon Agricultural College, and also of the University of Oregon, where he studied law after leaving the Oregon Agricultural College. His law partners are Raley & Raley, of Pendleton, their firm being one of the strongest east of the Cascade mountains. Before going east of the mountains, to practice his profession, he was for a time a member of the law firm of Snow & McCann, of Portland.

Soon after the United States got into the World war, Fred resigned his seat in the Oregon state senate to accept an officer's commission, and served a year at the front in the artillery, in France. This, notwithstanding he was immune from the draft, by reason of his having a wife and two small children, as well as being over the draft age. His wife's maiden name was Freda Roesch, of Pendleton, and she is also of pioneer Oregon stock. Her brother, Lieut. Commander Herbert Roesch, of the United States Navy, was commander of the U.S.S. Washington on both trips when that ship conveyed President Wilson to France.

Fred was elected district attorney for Umatilla and Morrow counties and gave splendid satisfaction in that office until he gave it up for a much more lucrative practice. Recently he was endorsed by the dry leaders of Portland as their choice for the Republican nomination for senator. Reports from his home county and eastern Oregon in general are very flattering and indicate his majority in those counties will be overwhelming. His clients have been chiefly farmers and stockraisers, and he knows the farmer's problems as few lawyers do.

He has always been a strong and active member of the Republican party and it has been his custom to take part as a speaker in every presidential campaign since his graduation.

Maurice Kinsey Honored

Maurice Kinsey, a junior in chemical engineering at the Oregon Agricultural College, has been pledged to Tau Beta Pi, the oldest national honorary engineering fraternity. Selection was based upon character, leadership, and scholarship. Of the 13 men pledged, only three were juniors. Kinsey was chosen because of his having the highest scholastic record in the school of chemical engineering. He is also a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon, social fraternity.

Tau Beta Pi, besides being the oldest engineering honorary fraternity, is recognized as the leading society in its field. It was founded in 1885 at Lehigh University to fill the place that Phi Beta Kappa holds in the cultural colleges. It has 49 chapters.

Grading Contract Awarded

The city council has awarded a contract for grading Sherman avenue between First and Second streets.

The council has initiated an ordinance, which will provide a bond issue for paying the cost of hard surfacing West Cascade avenue. The improvement, recently finished, provides a paved extension of the Columbia River highway through the city.

Robin Reed May Wrestles Here

Robin Reed, who has been enthralling fans in Portland the past several weeks, if plans carry, will be scheduled here in a wrestling bout in the near future. Wrestling has taken a greater hold on local athletic supporters than any sport in years. The credit for the interest centers about "Durable Dane" Mostenson, who started a series of bouts in September and whose only defeat was at the hands of Ted Thyse several weeks ago.

Mostenson and Frankie Burns, of Michigan, met in a bout here last night.

NEW CAFE WILL OPEN

"THE GUIDE" IS NAME ELECTED

Frank Moore and H. R. Fish, owners of New Up to Date Eating Place—Opening Saturday

"The Guide," Hood River new cafe, which will be one of the best appointed eating places in rural Oregon, will be opened for service next Saturday. The owners of the new restaurant, Frank Moore and Herbert R. Field, who chose the name "The Guide," because of the success of The Guide, the city's booster organization, have been working the past six weeks making ready the corner room in the Gross building. The structure has been entirely done over and Hood River folk will be agreeably surprised when they find the new restaurant newly equipped throughout.

Seven booths have been provided downstairs and three tables are being made ready for service. A balcony is being arranged, and 28 can be served there. The furnishings of the new cafe are in Driftwood green birch. The fountain, bar, back and pantries will be mechanically refrigerated with an ammonia system. The new cafe is owned by Mr. Josephine Brandberg, who was at the Homestead the past summer, will be chef at The Guide.

The handsome signs on the windows have been attracting a great deal of attention the past week. The artistic signs were executed by Manser.

CHRISTMAS SEAL CAMPAIGN IS NEAR

Throughout the state of Oregon preliminary work in setting up an organization for the 18th annual sale of Christmas seals, is going on with fine interest and enthusiasm that insures a successful sale. A total of \$50,000 worth of the gay stickers with which to ornament Christmas letters and packages, will go on sale simultaneously in all sections of the state right after Thanksgiving and the sale will continue until Christmas eve. The seal will be sold at a penny apiece and through this means the entire work of the Oregon Tuberculosis association in its fight against tuberculosis, is financed.

Loewen Wheelon, seal sale director; Mrs. Sallie Orr-Dunbar, executive secretary, and other staff members have recently visited the counties of Malheur, Baker, Wallowa, Union, Umatilla, Wasco, Clatsop, Jackson, Klamath, Coos, Clatsop, Columbia, Lane, Lincoln, Clackamas, Yamhill, Marion, Josephine, Lake, Multnomah and Hood River and report better organization than ever before. In the counties where there are public health associations they will be in general charge of seal sale. In others the responsibility has been divided between the special committees, women's organizations and the public schools.

The mail sale of seals is becoming more and more popular and in addition to Portland will be followed in many of the counties in the state. The volunteer workers, of whom there are several hundred each year, will be better trained this year than ever before. More than 100 having attended the institutes held in Portland, Roseburg and LaGrande.

The seal sale chairman for Hood River county is Mrs. Chas. E. Fuller, of the Hood River County Public Health Association.

CALIFORNIA APPLE RATE IS UNCHANGED

News that the Interstate Commerce commission had denied the plea of railroads to increase the rate on apples moving from the northwest to California brought cheer to local shippers, who annually move a heavy tonnage there. The rate is asked for a 104-cent-per-100 pounds increase. With the denial of the commission in force the old rate of 52½ cents per 100 pounds to San Francisco and 58½ to Los Angeles will apply.

The commission visited Portland last August for a hearing of the case, when the position of local shippers was presented by H. H. Dexters of the sales department of the Apple Growers Association.

Jury Awards \$250

A jury in Judge Fred W. Wilson's court Thursday awarded C. D. Nickelson, who had been assigned a claim of \$400 by Peter Berger, plumber, against John Schwinger, Mitchell, Poling, camp man, the amount of \$250. The plumbing was for a bath house for motor tourists. The defendant, who was represented by T. J. Wyers, claimed that the amount was in excess of the value of the articles. It was the first trial case of Mr. Wyers, University of Washington graduate, who formerly resided at White Salmon.

Lost Letters Found

When Archie Eastman mailed endorsed checks to local banks and failed to receive acknowledgment, he began an investigation. The letters were discovered in the post office. Recently mailing slots were transferred, and Mr. Eastman had gone to the location of the old slots where a this note had been left. His letters and several others had been poked through the old slots.

Union Thanksgiving Service

The Union Thanksgiving service will be held at the Riverside church Thursday, November 26, at 10.30 a. m. Rev. Livingston will preach the sermon. We anticipate a large attendance. The offering will go to the Hood River hospital. The program is being prepared and will be announced at the service.

Year's Fire Loss Heavy

The fire loss in Hood River the past year was the heaviest in the history of the town, having reached \$291,000, according to records of Fire Marshal Morgan. Losses for the five previous years were: 1920, \$900; 1921, \$42,074; 1922, \$1,075; 1923, \$175; 1924, \$110.