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Real meat men who have devoted their lives to the business and have "Picked Out" Vernonia as the Best Growing City in Oregon to establish a large, First-class Meat Market.

Saturday, June 9, Opening Day, this Saturday

In the New Corner Pringle Building.

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FROM THE POCAHELLO TRIBUNE

"The lobby of the association building was packed to its capacity, the occasion being the appearance of McDonald Birch, high-type magician and entertainer.

"Mr. Birch was introduced and immediately made an impression that grew during the program. The stage in the association lobby was beautifully decorated with the magician's paraphernalia, as he carries one of the largest one-man magical shows now traveling on the road. Elaborate curtains and other decorations made a very attractive setting for the entertainment.

"McDonald Birch is one of the most humorous, clever and scientific magicians that has ever visited the City."

He will be one of the Chautauque entertainers in Vernonia, June 14 to 18.

If a certain author were seeking a title for a book today to harmonize with "Plain Tales from the Hills," he might choose: "Fancy Tales from the Flats," and take his plots from the front pages of our daily newspapers.

The Athletic Association of Vernonia has one of the best grounds, just out of the city limits, that one finds in the majority of towns as large or larger than we are. Some big events and celebrations will be pulled there, and ere many years we expect to see a large athletic building go up, with club rooms, bath, reading room and gym.

Go to church! Few families but what can and should devote at least an hour a week attending church service. Never heard of it harming anyone yet.

A RECORD-BREAKER

From all over the country come reports of unusual building activity and everywhere it is predicted that there are going to be more new homes created in the United States this year than during any year since 1914.

Born, last Friday, June 1, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Corey, a ten-pound baby girl.

1000 YEARS OLD

A real old timer, a pioneer of early days, one of Vernonia's first settlers, was dug up Saturday. Men are excavating on the Lyles' property, formerly the "Tex" Mills' lot, to erect a fireproof building, and after blasting and digging through six feet of dirt and rock, one rock was dug up that contained a perfect clam shell.

One of those large "horseneck" clams one finds on Puget Sound, at Seaside or along any salt water beach. Mr. Clam was as good a shell as one generally finds and what he was doing here is a mystery. Evidently he had hid in the deep grave for thousands of years and Mr. Lyles says look out for larger finds as the work goes on. The shell is now resting on the editor's desk, if you wish to see it.

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What Farmers Need Added to Credit And Good Advice

By WALTER W. HEAD
First Vice President American Bankers Association.

If the farmer is not prosperous there can be no permanent prosperity in other industries, because the farmer's purchasing power, under normal conditions, is one of the most potent influences we have in the United States. When conditions with the farmer are good, and he is receiving the cost of production plus something more for his labor, he is in a position to buy from the manufacturer.

A condition that affects the farmer, cutting off his purchasing power, destroying his belief in himself, in the banker and in everybody else, can only bring about a chaotic condition, which affects every business man and laboring man in the United States, regardless of what job he may have. The farmer had all the credit and

advice he needed during the period of prosperity, but he, with us all, suffered depression. There clearly must have been something lacking to enable him to go on the even tenor of his way. The answer is very plain. It is that some means need to be provided to enable the farmer, after his labor has been expended, when the crops have been harvested, or when his live stock have reached the stage where he must ship it, to liquidate his indebtedness. He must have somebody interested in him sufficiently, not altogether from his own standpoint, but from the standpoint of the banker and business man, so that he can put his products on the market at the time when they will bring him the most.

I do not mean to indorse every imaginable scheme for co-operative marketing, but I do believe the basic idea is worthy of consideration from the banker's standpoint as well as the farmer's standpoint. Bankers are certainly interested in the farmer, by reason of the fact that they cannot be prosperous in their own business unless the farmer also is prosperous. They must interest themselves in the farmer, not only in giving him the business advice he needs and in financing him during the period of construction, but also in helping him place his products on the market at a time when they will bring him the cost of production, plus a reasonable addition for his services and in payment for his labor expended.

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