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Some Reasons Why We Pay More Than Linn County.

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It may seem to you when you will need glasses for your eyes, but that is the mistake many make when they need help to the sight right now. It doesn't cost anything to come in and have us test your eyes—it may save you from further annoyance if you have properly adjusted glasses fitted in time. We will do it at a reasonable cost all kinds of lenses duplicated when broken.

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REPERT OPTICIAN
208 COMMERCIAL ST.

WEATHER REPORT.

Today and tonight occasional showers.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

WILLAMETTE.
C. E. Moulton, Tacoma; H. A. Cudding, Rochester, N. Y.; W. E. Frazier, J. M. Long, J. W. Hill, Mrs. J. A. Brown, E. E. Robinson, F. H. Page, Wm. McLane, Portland; Harry Bailey, Lakewood; Charles S. Dixon, San Francisco; B. B. Broomell, Tacoma; Frank J. Chapman, Dallas, W. J. Ford, Moore-Roberts Co.; R. B. Eakin, Eugene; J. J. Carlson, Junction, N. Y.; D. H. James, Albany; A. C. Chapman, Ovid, Mich.

COTTAGE.
M. A. Shirley, J. S. King, Henry E. Dosh, T. S. Townsend, J. W. Bailey, M. D. Wisdom, John Montag, Portland; Frank Miller, Butteville; G. L. Rees, Albany; J. H. Seltman, Woodburn; D. H. Leonard, Jefferson; W. H. Voth, Lang, Hillsboro; Frank Brown, North Yamhill; Wilbur K. Newell, Dilly, Or.; Jasper Wilkins, Coburg.

Another Citizen.
John F. Farrar, a native of England was admitted to citizenship today.

Three thousand members of the building trades union are out on a strike in Chicago, and its growing proportions threaten to tie up all building operations.

ROTH & GRABER,

Successors to H. C. ...

COFFEES

We carry one of the largest lines of coffees in the city, from the cheapest to the best. For a delicious cup of coffee try our Yale No. 7, its excellence of flavor cannot be excelled, put up in one and two lb. cans.

We carry a full line of Schillings Best. In Coffees, Teas and Baking Powders etc. etc.

Try us on fruits and vegetables.

OUR PRICES ARE RIGHT.

Goods sold as cheap as any place in Oregon.

123 State Street.

FARMERS ADJOURN

Organization Will Be Completed in Portland March Seventh

The Meeting a Great Success in Every Thing But Attendance.

The first session of the Farmers' Congress, Wednesday afternoon saw the senate chamber, in which it was held well filled.

Many men prominently before the public in relation to agricultural interests, were out of 500 people present there were at least 300 men who are actually engaged in getting their living from the land.

Among those seen were the following: Arthur Edwards, Henry J. Workman, Ben. Windsor, I. M. Wagner, John Knight, Lloyd Reynolds, Wm. H. Savage, C. A. Beckett, M. L. Jones, Henry Fletcher Chas. Long, Chas. Watt, David Looney, Al. McCann, C. N. Potter, R. P. Boice, James Coleman, Nod Looney, Geo. Croisen, Jerry Graham, Harrison Homphrey, E. E. McKinney, W. H. H. Darby, A. M. Reed, Alfred Keller, J. B. Early, Thomas Edwards, W. L. Simmeral, A. C. Goodrich, W. H. Smith.

The meeting was called to order at 2:15 by W. H. Wehrung, president of the state board of agriculture. Mayor C. P. Bishop, Geo. B. Gray, president of the chamber of commerce, and W. H. Wehrung, president of the state board, occupied seats on the platform.

An address of welcome was very appropriately delivered by H. B. Thielsen, secretary of Salem chamber of commerce.

Governor T. T. Geer responded for the state agricultural and horticultural societies and gave a very interesting talk.

On motion of Hon. H. B. Miller, of Eugene, a committee of six was named to act with the chair in formulating plans for permanent organization of the Farmers' Congress and the holding of an annual convention. President Wehrung announced the committee as follows: H. B. Miller, of Eugene; Dr. James Withycombe, of Corvallis; Henry B. Thielsen, Salem; M. L. Jones, Brooks; Thos. Paulsen, Garden Home, and H. M. Williamson, Portland.

"Future Outlook for Dairying in Oregon," was the subject of an address by Thos. Paulsen, president of the state dairy association. The speaker said that the dairy industry depended largely upon the dairymen themselves. He goes into the details of dairying, speaking of the best food stuffs and the great care in the selection of cows. He says the outlook for dairying in Oregon is good, provided the dairymen do their duty to themselves and the public, and last, but not least, the public insist upon such laws and their enforcement as will prevent the sale of adulterated food.

"Soiling and its advantages in dairying was an able address given by Geo. W. Weeks and contained many interesting points. Mr. Weeks gives his experience in the different methods of dairying and feeding. He finds Vetches the most profitable food used in feeding and says the outlook for dairying in this state is good.

Goat breeding by Hon. J. B. Early of Salem, was a very interesting address. Mr. Early explained the science of goat breeding, and the experience found in the different breeds of goats and the quantity of goat hair raised by different breeds of goats.

Horticulture in Oregon and markets for Oregon fruits. Hon. H. E. Dosh, Secretary of the State Board of Horticulture. Mr. Dosh said that horticulture was no longer an experiment in Oregon, but the industry had reached the era of scientific management. He concludes that there is only one solution to the problem and that is foreign marketing. He says that Willamette Valley apples bring a better price in foreign countries than the eastern apples.

The paper sent by Hon. Peter J. Shields, secretary of the California State Agricultural Society, was read by Henry B. Thielsen.

The subject was "Fair Circuits and the Benefits Thereof," and it was a discussion of the advantages to be derived by farmers from good agricultural fairs. The following excerpts will indicate the scope of the paper.

"It is of the first importance to a community, to a state or to a nation that the tillers of the soil should be men of original thought, highly trained and progressive. Our chief wealth is produced by these people, and any influence which works for their advancement or elevation adds to our common wealth. The wealth of a state can be more directly affected through its farmers than through all of its mines and manufacturing combined. The wheat crop of California for 1899 was nearly equal to her gold product.

"In California our dairy industries are undeveloped, and our average dairy cow yields less than 150 pounds. Yet our 1899 dairy product was \$12,000,000. * * *

"Who can count the wealth which a new seed, new method of cultivation or the introduction of a new industry will bring to a community? * * *

"I am to emphasize by these illustrations the advantages of knowledge, education, the adoption of modern manners of the mingling of the peoples, and the practice by each of the best methods of the other. * * * One of the most valuable mediums for practical instruction and improvement, is the properly conducted agricultural exhibition. * * *

* * * Men will come to a fair who will go nowhere else, and who could not be reached in any other manner. * * *

There is presented to their view the

The Capital Relief Corps is requested to meet at the residence of Mrs. Z. F. Moody tomorrow, (Friday) at 2 p. m. By order of the President.

The Waters' Profit-Sharing Association

Each cash purchase entitles you to a coupon, Each coupon has a stub attached with a duplicate number. The stub you detach and place in the coupon-box, retaining the other as it MUST be produced in the event the stub has drawn a prize. On March 3rd, when the first drawing will take place, 35 presents will be given away free. Thirty-five coupons will be drawn from the coupon-box and those holding and presenting the duplicate numbers will be entitled to the prizes, viz: The first coupon drawn out wins prize No. 1; the second drawn out wins No. 2, and so on until the entire number is drawn out. All coupons are void at the expiration of 30 days. The presents are on exhibition at our store and we shall be glad to have you look at them.

Buy Your Cigars and Tobacco of Geo. E. Waters

highest types of development in the various departments of industry. * * * No man can go home from them and not be dissatisfied with his inferior animals or primitive methods.

"To our State Fair we can directly trace, as an incalculably valuable influence in the development of our agricultural industries. * * * Through our annual exhibitions our wealthy men were excited to a laudable rivalry to show the best, and they hunted the earth over for the most famous horses and cattle, the best sheep and swine and poultry, and these animals and their descendants are here today aiding in the supremacy and adding to the wealth of California.

"I believe that the people of Oregon would derive great benefit by a visit to California during her State Fair. * * * I am equally certain that at your annual exhibition our people could learn valuable lessons from a people whose rapid progress has already achieved a distinguished statehood. If we can satisfactorily arrange our dates and arrange for transportation, I believe our people would exhibit extensively at Salem and would expect to see Oregon well represented at Sacramento.

"Let us not abate this movement which I regard as in aid of the most valuable public education.

In no department of industry will wealth follow instruction so rapidly and so substantially as in agriculture."

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The attendance was less than in the afternoon and not over 250 people were present, including quite a number of ladies.

The real horny-handed sons of toil were not there in great force, but still quite a number of the more progressive farmers, dairymen, stock raisers and fruit men were present.

It is to be regretted that the farmers of Marion county neglected the opportunity to hear the last evening's address, for they would have been well repaid for their time and trouble. The talks were short, practical and without exception.

The program opened with a vocal solo by Miss Stella Hurst, with violin obligato by Miss Nellie Brown and accompaniment on the piano by Miss Carrie Hurst. This was very sweetly rendered and brought an encore, to which the young lady gracefully responded.

Hon. W. H. Wehrung, president of the State Board of Agriculture, spoke on "The state fair and its relation to agriculture," emphasizing the importance of the annual exhibition to the agricultural interests of the state.

C. H. Markham G. P. A. of the Southern Pacific spoke briefly on the subject of transportation, and his remarks were much to the point. He gave Oregon farmers a side view by reminding them of the fact that such goods as butter, cheese, eggs and bacon are shipped in here from as far east as Iowa. The Willamette valley does not furnish traffic in proportion to her population. The farmers are too much given to put-

ting all their eggs in one basket. More diversification of industries is required. Creameries, cheese factories, etc., are needed, and the railroad will do all in its power for the encouragement of such enterprises.

George Weeks asked Mr. Markham if the difference of 10 cents per bushel in the price of wheat in Portland and at Salem all went to the railroad. Mr. Markham replied that the freight rate is 5.4 cents per bushel, so there must be a nigger in the fence somewhere. Mr. Weeks asked, "Can you give us the nigger?" and there was some good-natured chaffing.

H. B. Miller made the most lengthy address of the evening, on "Organization of Producers." His most striking assertion was that prunes can be profitably raised here at 1 1/2 cents per pound for the dried product.

Dr. Jas. Withycombe, vice director of the state agricultural college, spoke on the advantages of animal husbandry in connection with farming.

His remarks were intensely practical and to the point. He gave explanations and figures to show just why continued wheat cropping is ruinous to the land and the farmer alike unless the price is high enough to justify the purchase of fertilizers to renew the elements extracted from the soil by the production of 20 bushels of wheat is over \$4; and continued cropping makes it necessary to buy these fertilizers. A ton of wheat takes \$7.47 worth of phosphoric acid and nitrogen. To produce a ton of butter worth \$500 takes just about 30 cents worth of fertilizer on the soil.

The most telling address of the evening was probably that of Prof. Emery G. Smith, of Palo Alto, on "Co-operative Industry." Professor Smith wasted little time in oratorical flights, but got right down to business at once. He said "the heart of economic wisdom is common sense." He reviewed the course by which the California fruit growers have redeemed themselves from ruin. He brought out one fact of universal experience; that lack of confidence in each other has always stood in the way of the farmers in their attempts to co-operate. He also mentioned another drawback: the difficulty of finding successful leaders in these movements, among the ranks of the producers themselves. The money spent in even unsuccessful attempts at organization is an investment and is not thrown away. \$6000 was spent in one year for advertising by the California fruit men, and the result was an increase in the demand for dried fruit by 1400 carloads. At the conclusion of Prof. Smith's address he was tendered a vote of thanks on motion of Mr. Paulsen.

Geo. L. Rees, of Albany, gave a short practical talk on "The Creamery as a Factor in Agricultural Prosperity."

Mr. Montag of the Manufacturers Association, talked a few minutes, showing that the best interests of the farmers

Thursday Morning Beginning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday my Tribune man came along and I closed with him for the line again, and have ordered an immediate shipment of both chain and chainless models at \$40, \$50, and \$75. They will soon be along.

Closing Out at Cost To Quit

My Plans:

About the first of next month I expect to close my deal with Mr. Will, the piano, organ and sewing machine dealer, and take possession of the business. I must get rid of my present stock by that time. That is why we are making things hum these days. I am selling lots of goods. True, sizes are getting bigger in some lines but we can nearly always fit most anyone that comes yet.

Special Offer to Men on Thursday

In order to rush off certain lines all in a bunch I am going to offer them at 5 per cent less than cost if you'll come at the times specified. We will then be rid of these and can turn our attention to other things.

White shirts, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. The price will be 5 per cent less than wholesale cost to us. Here are the lines and sizes.

White shirts costing 37 to 70c. 4-14, 2-14 1/2, 6-16, 22-16 1/2, 8-17. All at 5 per cent off.

Unlaundered white shirts costing 37 and 45c. 2-14, 11-16 1/2, 11-17. All at 5 per cent off.

Colored girl shirts good grades costing 62 to 74c. 3-14 1/2, 3-15, 8-15 1/2, 8-16, 6-16 1/2, 4-17. All at 5 per cent off.

Colored girl shirts costing 37 to 41c. 1-14, 2-14 1/2, 4-15, 11-16, 8-16 1/2, 3-17. All at 5 per cent off.

Percale shirts, stiff bosom costing 78c. 3-14 1/2, 3-15, 1-15 1/2, 6-16, 4-16 1/2, 3-17. All at 5 per cent off.

Stiff bosom costing 33 and 37c. 3-14 1/2, 1-15, 3-15 1/2, 6-16, 11-16 1/2, 10-17. All at 5 per cent off.

Besides these are a few soft negligee shirts in good grades all which go on today only at 5 per cent off the original cost price. Its to induce the men to buy them all out. Pick out your size and save money.

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THE IVER JOHNSON BICYCLE

Highest Grade \$35.00. Not Controlled by the Trust.

When the Great A. B. C. was formed last season that took in about 2/3 of all the good wheels, including my Tribune line and the Stearns, together with nearly every line that's been represented in Salem, the Iver Johnson company with a good many other first-class reputable makes refused to go into it, and the Iver Johnson threw down the gauntlet by reducing their price from \$50 to \$35, in the face of the "American Bicycle Co." one of the biggest trusts that's ever been floated. So now they have their 1900 wheel out in the way—at \$35. It's the best wheel they build, made with drop forged joints throughout, drop forged crown, cranks, sprockets, and the entire head also a heavy drop forging, machined out to a beautiful finish. Hubs and all bearings turned from the solid steel, no stampings or built up sheet metal joints in any part of the wheel and, yet the grade wheels. No one—not even a dealer, will question the strength or durability of a drop forging, but when it comes to the sheet metal joints, some of them stand, some do not.

As Iver Johnson very tersely puts it "an ounce of drop forging is worth a ton of guarantee." It's the most expensive kind of construction known, but Iver Johnson puts it out at \$35.

Come and see these wheels, when you put your hard money into a wheel be sure you know what your getting.

Name plates are sometimes good to go by, but ask how the wheel is made.

Wiggin's Bazaar, 307 Com. St.,

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The fine dry goods and shoe stock formerly Willis Bros'.

Auction Sales Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, at 2 p. m., also Saturday evening.

In the meantime, we are selling goods at private sale. Lots of nice new goods, especially shoes, for less than Willis Bros paid for them.

Fine lines of dress goods, silks, velvets, ribbons, laces, gloves, underwear etc.

Ladies' and misses jackets and capes, shoes to fit everyone for less than cost.

Isadore Greenbaum

1st Door South of the Post Office. S. Friedman Auctioneer.

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A searchlight will not reveal what is truly out of sight. If you come to our store for

GOOD GOODS

You will need no searchlight to find them, nor will they cost any more, but often less than elsewhere for the same goods.

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MOCK TURTLE

WE ARE NOT LIVING ON THE GALLIPOLI ISLANDS BUT WE DO SERVE OUR PATRONS WITH RICH SOUP.

As the first course at any regular dinners. Meals at all hours at which the luxuries of the season can be had at

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PERFECTION GOLDEN CROWN

Made from Highland Hard Wheat, equal to the best in the market. Every sack guaranteed. Ask your grocer for it. Wholesale only.

J. G. Wright & Co

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DOTY

FISH AND GAME MARKET

The undersigned is now the proprietor of the Doty fish and poultry department. Those having poultry for sale will find it to their advantage to call before selling.

J. A. TAYLOR
114 Court Street.

PERSONALS

A. G. Perkins of Brooks is in the city. Mrs. Libbie Sayre came home from Portland this morning.

Earl Race was a passenger south this morning to Harrisburg on business.

McKinley Mitchell, came up from Gervais this morning, to attend the Farmers Congress.

Miss Laura E. Jones, the brilliant Drain editor, is the guest of Miss Gertrude Potter, on East State street.

W. C. Miles who has been in the city on business, returned to his home in Fairwood, Linn county, this morning.

Mrs. Hattie Shortelle came up from Portland this morning and will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal. D. Patton.

Mrs. Ellen Wilcox who has been in the city visiting her brother John Wilcox, returned to her home in Eugene this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Curran of Corvallis, who have been in the city visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Meyers, returned home today.

What Was Their Relationship?

In the case of a marriage license recently issued by the Marion county clerk, the groom's grandfather and the bride's father were half brothers. Clerk Hall covered two sheets of foolscap trying to figure out whether or not this case came under the law which forbids the issuance of a license to a couple bearing a relationship nearer than second cousins. He finally gave it up, but issued the license for luck.

WANTS TO SEE YOU!

If you have a harness that is not all right, or if you need any new work in that line, it will surely pay you to call on

F. E. SHAFER, SALEM, OREGON

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LOOK!

2,600 extra large and long Cedar Posts and 20,000 feet Drain Tile just received and for sale by

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Four Nights

Commencing Monday

February

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SUPPORTED BY THE EMINENT YOUNG AUSTRALIAN ACTRESS

B. R. ROBERTS

Monday—Mrs. Quinn's Twins.
Tuesday—A Prodigal Father.
Wednesday—David Garrick.
Thursday—Silence of Dean Maitland.

PRICES:

Wheat—58 pounds and over, 42c.
Wool, 16c, Mohair, 30c.
Hops—9 to 10c.
Barley—35 to 40c.
Oats—28 to 30c.
Hay—Baled, chest, 85; timothy, 90c @ \$1.00.
Eggs—12 1/2 cash 15c trade.
Flour—in wholesale lots, \$2.50; retail, \$3.00.
Millstuffs—Bran, \$1.15; shorts, \$1.15.
Hoes—Dressed, 5 1/2c.
Live cattle—Steers, 3 1/2; cows, 2 1/2 to 3c.
Sheep—42.50 @ 63c.
Dressed Veal—6 1/2c.
Butter—Dairy, 15c; creamery, 25c.
Poultry—Chickens, 7 to 8; turkeys, 10 to 12 1/2c.
Potatoes—25c to 35c.

LAND BUYERS ATTENTION

A rare chance to buy one of the best good stock or dairy farms in Polk county, miles from Salem, nearly 400 acres, to be sold March 7th, by order of court. Call and examine. Zena, Polk Co. J. R. Strubbe, Eugene.

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WANTED TO TRADE

40 acres near Woodburn, Oregon, for a good thing near Eugene, or a better road corner city limits.

2-8-17