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FRIDAY, MAY 5, 1916.

OREGON WEATHER

+ Tonight and Saturday show-
+ ers; cooler east portion tonight;
+ southerly winds.

THE COMING OF THE GRANGERS.

The official program for the meeting of the state grange in this city from Tuesday to Friday of next week has not been definitely announced. That part which is to be provided by the city of Grants Pass is already determined, however, and the details are now being arranged. Besides caring for the official delegates during their four days in the city, a basket dinner is to be held in the Riverside park Tuesday evening, at about six o'clock, at which all the visiting grangers will be guests of honor. Committees from the Pomona grange, the Ladies' Auxiliary and the Commercial club are in charge of this, and through it an opportunity will be given for the acquaintance of the visitors and the townspeople on the first day of their arrival. Fuller notice of the arrangements for the dinner will be given later.

Thursday afternoon the visitors will be taken on an auto ride through the valley by the citizens of the town.

The business sessions of the grange will commence at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, the hall in the Kerley block having been obtained for this purpose. The Commercial club rooms will be grange headquarters during the four days, and delegates as fast as they arrive will be taken there and assigned to the places where they are to be entertained during their stay in the city.

An official badge has been provided by the local committees in charge, this being a large button bearing the picture of a sugar beet and suitably inscribed for the occasion. It is expected that everyone in the city will wear the sugar beet button during the progress of the convention. Official delegates will have in addition a ribbon attached bearing the word "delegate."

The state grange is coming to Grants Pass upon the invitation of the city. It did not ask for entertainment during the four days of its stay here, but this was offered to offset the added railroad fare which practically all the delegates will have to pay to come to this rather isolated corner of the state. The grangers were glad to come to Grants Pass, and this offer of our business men made their coming possible. It is hoped, therefore, that every resident of the city will feel it not only his duty but his pleasure as well to make the grangers glad they came and anxious to come back another time.

Can you keep track of all the sugar factories, sawmills, planing mills, box factories, and other industries that are being located in Grants Pass?

ENTERTAINMENT FOR THE GRANGERS

The hospitality of Grants Pass may be taxed next week to care for the visitors who come by invitation of the city, but they will find a royal welcome just the same. Committees are now soliciting the homes for accommodations for the 125 official delegates who are expected, and our citizens are responding most liberal-

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ly to the call. Saturday morning the business men will be visited and the wherewithal for the entertainment of the grange will be solicited, there being expenses entailed that the city agreed to bear in order to make it possible for the convention to come this far south for its meeting.

The committee from the Beavers that has charge of the plans for the decoration of the city is active, and Tuesday morning the streets and store fronts will blossom as the rose in pink and green and yellow, the official colors of the grange. Many of the business houses are also making arrangements for special window decorations. Stanton Rowell, chairman of the decoration committee, appeared before the council Thursday night and asked for material assistance toward the decoration fund, the council making an appropriation to aid in the work.

The official list of delegates was published in the Courier of Tuesday, and residents who can entertain some of the people from this list and who have not been solicited are requested to notify the secretary of the Commercial club. The most of the places solicited are supplying room and breakfast, provision to be made for the delegates to get dinner and supper down town.

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TROUBLE FEARED AS TROOPS LEAVE

Namiquipa, Mexico, May 5.—(By Wireless).—News of the contemplated American withdrawal from Mexico mysteriously reached the natives today, causing great uneasiness among Mexicans who have furnished stolen beef supplies to the expedition. A number came to camp and asked whether the reports of a withdrawal were true and whether the Carranzistas or Villistas intended to make reprisals. It is feared that Americans are also doomed to suffer the wrath of both factions for supplying the expedition with provisions. Friendly natives foresee a reign of terror surpassing that of the last five years.

Muscatine, Iowa, May 5.—Twenty houses were carried away, stock drowned and trees uprooted when 20,000 acres were inundated today by the breaking of a levee 12 miles down stream. Residents are fleeing, abandoning everything. The levee from a point three miles below this city to the pumping station is doomed. Hundreds are attempting to save South Muscatine from the floods.

GERMAN NOTE.
(Continued from page 1.)

rules. Several attempts made by the government of the United States to prevail upon the British government to act accordingly, failed because of the flat refusal on the part of the British government. Moreover, Great Britain, ever since, has again and again violated international law, surpassing all bounds and outraging neutral rights. The latest measures adopted by Great Britain declaring German bunker coal contraband and establishing conditions under which English bunker coal alone can be supplied to neutrals, is nothing but an unheard of attempt by way of exaction to force neutral tonnage into service and trade in war.

"The German people know that the government of the United States has the power to confine the war to the armed forces of the belligerent countries in the interest of humanity and the maintenance of international law. The government of the United States would have been certain in attaining this end had it been determined to insist against Great Britain on the incontrovertible rights to the freedom of the seas. (Evidently meaning had it been determined to insist upon Great Britain not interfering with the incontrovertible rights to the freedom of the seas.) But as matters stand, the German people is under the impression that the government of the United States, while demanding that Germany, while struggling for existence, shall restrain the use of an effective weapon, and while making compliance with these demands a condition for the maintenance of relations with Germany, confines itself to protests against the illegal methods adopted by Germany's enemies. Moreover, the German people knows to what a considerable extent their enemies are supplied with all kinds of war material from the United States.

"It will therefore be understood that the appeal made by the government of the United States to the sentiment of humanity and the principles of international law can not, under the circumstances, meet with the same hearty response from the Ger-

man people which such an appeal otherwise is always certain to find here. If the German government, nevertheless, has resolved to go to the utmost limit of concession, it has not alone been guided by friendship connecting two great nations for over a hundred years, but also by the thought of the great doom which threatens the entire civilized world should the cruel and sanguinary war be extended and prolonged.

"The German government, conscious of Germany's strength, twice within the last few months announced before the world its readiness to make peace on a basis safeguarding Germany's vital interests, thus indicating that it is not Germany's fault if peace is still withheld from the nations of Europe. The German government feels all the more justified to declare that responsibility could not be borne in the forum of the history of mankind if, after twenty-one months' duration of the war, the submarine questions under discussion between the German government and the government of the United States were to take a turn seriously threatening the maintenance of peace between the two nations.

"As far as lies within the German government, it wishes to prevent things from taking such a course. The German government, moreover, is prepared to do the utmost to confine the operations of the warfare for the rest of its duration to the fighting forces of the belligerents, thereby also insuring the freedom of the seas, a principle upon which the German government believes itself now, as before, to be in agreement with the government of the United States.

"The German government, guided by this idea, notifies the government of the United States that German naval forces have received the following orders: "In accordance with the general principles of visit, search and destruction of merchant vessels recognized by international law, such vessels, both within and without the area declared to be a naval war zone, shall not be sunk without warning, without saving human lives, unless the ships attempt to escape or offer resistance."

"The neutrals can not expect Germany, forced to fight for existence, shall for the sake of neutral interests secret (evidently this should read "abandon") the use of an effective weapon if the enemy is permitted to continue to apply at will methods of warfare violating the rules of international law. Such demand would be incompatible with the character of neutrality and the German government is convinced that the government of the United States does not think of making such a demand, knowing that the government of the United States repeatedly declares that it is determined to restore the principle of the freedom of the seas from whatever quarter it has been violated. Accordingly, the German government is confident that, in consequence of new orders issued to the naval forces the government of the United States will now also confer (evidently means "see to it") that all impediments are removed which may have been in the way of mutual cooperation towards the restoration of the freedom of the seas during the war as suggested in the note of July 23, 1915, and it does not doubt that the United States will now demand and insist that the British government shall forthwith observe rules of international law universally recognized before the war as laid down

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in the notes presented by the government of the United States to the British government December 26, 1914, and November 5, 1915.

"Should the steps taken by the government of the United States not attain the object it desires—to have the laws of humanity followed by all belligerent nations—the German government would then be facing a new situation, in which it must reserve to itself complete liberty of decision.

"The undersigned avails himself of this opportunity to renew to the American ambassador his assurances of highest consideration.
"(Signed) Jagow."

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NIGHT LETTERGRAM
Denver, Colo., May 4th, 1916.

D. J. Beakey,
District Manager Woodmen of the World,
Grants Pass, Oregon.

The Board of Head Managers has just purchased seven thousand Springfield and fifteen thousand Roseburg bonds.

I. I. BOAK, Head Consul.
7:28 p.m.