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I keep no high salaried men to sell my Jacks and anyone in the market for Jacks who can come to my farm will save commission fees, etc.

If you do not find as good Jacks here as there are in the Northwest or the United States, I will pay expenses of your trip both ways, providing you are a competent judge and know a good Jack when you see it.

Let your wants be known. I solicit your correspondence.

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ANNOUNCEMENT



Owing to a demand for better facilities for handling valuable papers for our customers, and to a recent order from the Comptroller of the Currency regulating documents left in the hands of Banks or any of its officers, we have just received for installation a complete equipment of safety deposit boxes and vault fixtures manufactured expressly for this Bank. They are now being installed by a representative of the manufacturers and the public are cordially invited to call and inspect them.

Safety deposit boxes will be offered for rent to firms and individuals on reasonable terms. Each box is controlled by an individual key.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF HEPPNER

STATE INDUSTRIAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

Albany is still pushing for a cannery.
 Marshfield is to have a new state bank.

Baker is shipping point for the warehouse industry.

Shipping moss is becoming a big industry at Florence.

One firm has shipped 90 carloads of Hood River apples.

Cottage Grove Manufacturing Co. has resumed operations.

Reported contract let for railroad from Salem to Stayton.

Salem is to have a state institution for crippled children.

Bandon spent \$70,000 for sewer and street work in 1914.

Eugene cannery took 2,000,000 lbs. of fruit from growers.

Cougar Valley is to be supplied with telephone service at \$15 per share.

\$20,000 contract for dyking let at mouth of Wilson river, near Tillamook.

J. F. O'Bryant will erect a 60 by 100 public hall and theater at Haines.

The Oregon Mill & Grain Co. at Baker will establish a flouring mill at Haines.

Railroad economies compel cutting out all advertising folders for western states.

It is believed that the legislature will cut out all expensive junketing trips this season.

The Multnomah delegation will ask the legislature for a \$1,000,000 state highway fund.

At Mable the sawmills will begin operation Feb. 1, with prospects for \$2.00 raise in lumber.

The California-Oregon Power Co. plant that burned at Ashland is being rebuilt at a cost of \$10,000.

The Siuslaw Port Commission has authorized the sale of \$100,000 bonds for harbor improvements.

Portland mining men will build a gold quartz mill on the Deschutes near Terrabone to be running by May 1st.

A placer mine a quarter of a mile east of Jacksonville, at a depth of 43 feet is panning great quantities of gold.

Last half of December west Coast points shipped 24,000,000 feet of lumber to San Francisco. Coos Bay sent 9,000,000 feet.

D. M. Taggart has invented a single-tree of ten times ordinary strength and will manufacture same at Ontario.

After being closed down for two months, the three shingle mills operated by the L. B. Menefee Lumber Company in the Columbia River district will start up January 18.

A campaign is being conducted to cut out at least half a million dollars of extravagance in the administration of the state government and another half million dollars wasteful expenditure by the legislature.

Place For Old Books.

"Ask the people of Oregon who have old books or newspapers that would be of value for a newspaper museum to remember the department of journalism of the State University," writes Albert Tozier, of Portland, to the department. Mr. Tozier is a past president of the National Editorial Association.

"If such persons wish to keep their old publications during their lifetime let them remember the department in their wills. There are hundreds and newspaper and book relics the proper place of which is in the department of journalism library, which I am desirous of seeing become a creditable one.

"I should suggest that individuals having copies available for a newspaper museum but wishing to retain them for the present write on them, 'After my death, this copy is to go to the department of journalism, University of Oregon, Eugene, Or.'"

The department of journalism has established such a museum and will be glad to receive relics of the kind mentioned by Mr. Tozier. They will be labeled with the donor's name.

Mrs. N. E. Winnard and son are at the Hot Lake Sanatorium where Mr. Winnard, Jr., is taking treatment. Dr. Winnard returned from Hot Lake after spending some few days there with his son and Mrs. Winnard. A decided improvement is now noticeable in the condition of Norton and every sign of a speedy recovery from the dread rheumatism.

Oliver Philbrick, who has been trapping varnints in the lower Butte Creek country, last Saturday brought in nine bob cat and fourteen coyote pelts to receive the bounty on them. He says he has only been at the job about five weeks, and in addition to the cats and coyotes has caught two skunks and three coons.—Fossil Journal.

C. L. Adams, of Portland, representing the Mergenthaler Linotype Co., made Heppner an official visit last Friday. He departed Saturday for outside points.

MARKETING WORLD'S GREATEST PROBLEM

WE ARE LONG ON PRODUCTION, SHORT ON DISTRIBUTION.

By Peter Radford
 Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

The economic distribution of farm products is today the world's greatest problem and the war, while it has brought its hardships, has clearly emphasized the importance of distribution as a factor in American agriculture and promises to give the farmers the co-operation of the government and the business men the solution of their marketing problem. This result will, in a measure, compensate us for our war losses, for the business interests and government have been in the main assisting almost exclusively on the production side of agriculture. While the department of agriculture has been dumping tons of literature on the farmer telling him how to produce, the farmer has been dumping tons of products in the nation's garbage can for want of a market.

The World Will Never Starve.

At no time since Adam and Eve were driven from the Garden of Eden have the inhabitants of this world suffered from lack of production, but some people have gone hungry from the day of creation to this good hour for the lack of proper distribution. Slight variations in production have forced a change in diet and one locality has felt the pinch of want, while another surfeited, but the world as a whole has ever been a land of plenty. We now have less than one-tenth of the tillable land of the earth's surface under cultivation, and we not only have this surplus area to draw on but it is safe to estimate that in case of dire necessity one-half the earth's population could at the present time knock their living out of the trees of the forest, gather it from wild vines and draw it from streams. No one should become alarmed; the world will never starve.

The consumer has always feared that the producer would not supply him and his fright has found expression on the statute books of our state and nations and the farmer has been urged to produce recklessly and without reference to a market, and regardless of the demands of the consumer.

Back to the Soil.

The city people have been urging each other to move back to the farm, but very few of them have moved. We welcome our city cousins back to the soil and this earth's surface contains 16,092,160,000 acres of tillable land where they can make a living by tilling the earth with a forked stick, but we do not need them so far as increasing production is concerned; we now have all the producers we can use. The city man has very erroneous ideas of agricultural conditions. The commonly accepted theory that we are short on production is all wrong. Our annual increase in production far exceeds that of our increase in population.

The World as a Farm.

Taking the world as one big farm, we find two billion acres of land in cultivation. Of this amount there is approximately 750,000,000 acres on the western and 1,260,000,000 acres on the eastern hemisphere, in cultivation. This estimate, of course, does not include grazing lands, forests, etc., where large quantities of meat are produced.

The world's annual crop approximates fifteen billion bushels of cereals, thirteen billion pounds of fibre and sixty-five million tons of meat.

The average annual world crop for the past five years, compared with the previous five years, is as follows:

	Past Half Decade	Previous Half Decade
Corn (Bu.)	3,934,174,000	3,403,655,000
Wheat (Bu.)	3,522,769,000	3,257,526,000
Oats (Bu.)	4,120,017,000	3,508,315,000
Cotton (Bales)	19,863,800	17,541,200

The world shows an average increase in cereal production of 13 per cent during the past decade, compared with the previous five years, while the world's population shows an increase of only three per cent.

The gain in production far exceeds that of our increase in population, and it is safe to estimate that the farmer can easily increase production 25 per cent if a remunerative market can be found for the products. In textile fibres the world shows an increase during the past half decade in production of 15 per cent against a population increase of three per cent.

The people of this nation should address themselves to the subject of improved facilities for distribution.

Over-production and crop mortgage force the farmers into ruinous competition with each other. The remedy lies in organization and in co-operation in marketing.

HELP WANTED—Girl or woman for housework in small family. Permanent place. Inquire at office of the Gazette-Times.

We have a fine new Bungalow, a good barn and two lots in Lents, Oregon, valued at \$6000 to trade for Morrow county land. If interested come and see us. This property is not over-priced.
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NOTICE.

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I have 980 acres of land near Portland which is surveyed in 20 and 40 acre tracts. The same is being sold at \$40 per acre. I will exchange this for general grain and stock farm at cash value. Write for further particulars to Claud Cole, 4312 46th St., S. E., Portland, Ore.

When you are going past Gilliam & Bisbee's take a look at their store windows; there is something unusual.

WANTED AT ONCE—A wheat ranch. If you have a good first-class wheat ranch anywhere from 500 to 800 acres, well improved, with water on it, to trade for Willamette valley land or income property in Eugene, write to me at once. I can handle something up to \$30,000 or \$40,000. I will not consider any inflated prices as I know land values. If you mean business write me, giving full description, location and prices.
 W. B. SHELLEY,
 774 Willamette St., Eugene, Ore.