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HOW TO READ METER

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A SIMPLE PROPOSITION

Anyone Can Read a Meter With the Aid of the Following Instructions—Read Your Own Meter and Be Wise.

As there seems to be but a very small percentage of water and light users that understand the reading of meters and the subsequent figuring of bills The News representative solicited the following information from the local water and light company:

In reading a water meter the dial at the lower left hand side should not be counted as one revolution if the hand registers one cubic foot (7 1/2 gallons) on the dial next to the right. Also when the hand on the next dial makes one full revolution it indicates that there has passed through the meter 10 cubic feet or 75 gallons of water and so on. Therefore if you find the hand between 5 and 6 on the lower dial you should read it five and between one and two on the next dial to the right it would read one and between 8 and 9 on the third dial it would read eight, and between two and three on the next dial read two and between four and five on the last dial read four, the total reading would then be 42815.

Letter List.
The following list of letters remain uncalled for in the Roseburg postoffice: E. O. Anderson, D. C. Blate, Miss Ida Bishop, Mrs. S. Bailey, A. M. Conaty, Attie Ford, Mable Fassler, C. F. Goodall, Harold Graham, Curtis Heaton, Geo. S. Hayes, Mrs. Thomas Harrington, R. E. Jurge, J. H. Knotts, C. W. Miller, Pratt Nelson (2), Mr. Nichols, J. C. Neely, D. H. Preston, E. E. Ravenaugh, Mrs. Thea Stephens, Mrs. Steave, Templeton, Lizzie Tuttle, Nathan Wharton.

Persons calling for any of the foregoing letters will please state the date advertised.

Dated November 8, 1909. C. W. PARKS, P. M.

CALL FOR COUNTY WARRANTS

Notice is hereby given all parties holding county warrants issued by Douglas county, Oregon, and endorsed "not paid for want of funds" prior to and including the 14th day of January, 1909, to present the same to the treasurer of said county at his office for payment as interest will cease thereon after the date of this notice.

Dated at Roseburg, Oregon, this 1st day of November, 1909. J. E. SAWYERS, Treasurer of Douglas County, Ore.

You may sometimes think that mother is a little old fashioned, but after a while you will acknowledge that she is the best advisor you ever had.

Paragraphs on the School Ma'am.

The school ma'am is probably enough "talked about" without anything more being said on the subject, but in view of the recent demand for betterment in the quality of our teachers it may not be out of place to say a few words. The school ma'am is a good subject, anyway, and does not receive as much consideration as she deserves.

School ma'ams are born, not made—and they are usually born about twenty-five years earlier than their given age.

There are two classes of school ma'ams—those who have sufficient funds to enable them to secure the education necessary to at once commence teaching in the higher grades and those who start at the foot of the ladder and work up.

The foot of the ladder is the country school—which, by the way, has turned out some of our best and greatest citizens, due in part, at least to the instruction of the country school teacher, God bless her.

The rural school ma'am is a person of considerable importance within her sphere of action and a new teacher is sufficient warrant for a special meeting of the Ladies' Aid in any rural community.

She is usually a sweet and demure little bunch of dimples and sunshine of eighteen summers—and no winters—who has acquired sufficient knowledge of mathematics to be able to divide the attention of the older boys of the community and add to the admiration of the others, and has passed a graded school examination in the balance of the studies.

For pupils she has from ten to fifty assorted youngsters of all ages and sizes, many of whom their parents and the Sunday school have been unable to discipline—and the little school ma'am is expected to do for them what their parents and God cannot do—and she usually does.

In addition to teaching the young idea how to shoot, while herself dodging cupid's arrows, she must treat each pupil so as to retain the good will of the parents of each, must act as a social pivot for the community at large, be a moral guide and rule to faith, sometimes act as janitor of the school and perform various other and manifold duties, for all of which she receives the

munificent salary of \$20 to \$40 a month, payable to suit the board of directors and contingent upon the condition of the district treasury.

There's nothing more important in our great school system than the school ma'am—the proxy-parent of our children, the mold of character and the bulwark of American liberties, the guiding star of the republic. Another reason there are not more efficient school ma'ams is because about the time a school ma'am gets pretty well up in her work along comes a real live male man and inveigles her into doing his cooking for him. School ma'ams make an excellent quality of wives—especially the country variety, which is usually more tender and edible than those grown in the cities.

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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

U. S. Weather Bureau, local office, Roseburg, Oregon, 24 hours ending 5 a. m., November 8, 1909.

Regulation in inches and tenths:	
Maximum temperature	56
Minimum	49
Precipitation	13
Total precip. since first of month	65
Avg. Precip. for this month for 32 years	4.33
Total Precip. from Sept. 1, 1909, to date	5.43
Avg. Precip. from Sept. 1, 1877, to date	4.81
Total excess deficiency from Sept. 1, 1909	62
Avg. Precip. for 32 wet seasons	33.00

WILLIAM BELL, Observer.

THANKSGIVING.

This is the month in which there is a day set apart for national thanksgiving, though a cheerful heart is thankful every day. It is a good thing, however, for the people to be reminded periodically of the fact that as a nation we have much to be thankful for, or whether we celebrate the day simply or with enough turkey and stuffing to invite indigestion, let us mark it by a resolve to be better farmers and better citizens than ever before. None of us is too humble or obscure to exert a wholesome influence, day by day. If we do nothing more than greet our neighbor with a cheerful face and a kind word we shall shed a benediction over an entire community. Let us therefore give thanks not only upon one day of the year but every day of our lives.

Nothing is too good for the Irish, neither is cement culverts too good for the county. Use the best, as it is the cheapest in the long run. See Pat.

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There's Nothing to Compare with a Little Home all Your Own. Wouldn't you like to make such happiness as this your happiness? Why don't you?

You've got the girl! Of course you have—what young man with thought of a little home all his own has not?
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What's the trouble then—is it simply a question of not having the necessary cash to pay for all the things this little house will need? If that is the trouble don't let it stand in your way another minute—we'll fix up your little house just as you want it—just as cozily and comfortably as you and we together can plan it. You can furnish it complete, parlor to kitchen, with every needed thing—we've got every thing here that you can possibly need—in the latest, approved styles and you can pay a small sum at time of purchase—the balance in little weekly or monthly sums.

We will gladly arrange these payments in amounts to suit your needs. Won't you come in and let us plan this little home happiness for you?

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