

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATION.

Notice is hereby given that the county school superintendent of Douglas county, Oregon, will cause an eighth grade examination to be held in all school districts of the county, wishing the same, upon proper notice of the number of applicants is made to his office. Said examination to be held on Thursday and Friday, January 19 and 20, 1911.

Following is the program of said examination:

Thursday, January 19.—Physiology, writing, history, civil government.

Friday, January 20.—Grammar, arithmetic, geography, spelling.

The grades in reading are to be sent in by the teacher in charge.

Sources of Questions.

Arithmetic—Smith's Practical.

Civil Government—U. S. Constitution.

Geography—State text and state course of study outline.

History—State text and outline given in the state course of study; also current events.

Grammar—Buehler's grammar, no diagraming.

Physiology—Krohn's graded lessons.

Spelling—Reed's Word Lessons.

Writing—Specimens of penmanship of men on grammar.

Respectfully submitted,

Thurman Chaney,
County Superintendent.

Note—W. E. Clingmeyer, a prominent jeweler of Roseburg, who is interested in educational progress, has kindly offered to give a valuable gold medal to the eighth grade pupil in the county who makes the highest average in the eighth grade examination during the school year.

ROSEBURG MARKET REPORT.

Wheat—Club, \$5c per bushel; bluestem, \$7c; valley, \$4c.

Oats—No. 1, white feed, 45c bushel; gray, firm at 38c.

Barley—Feed, \$25; brewing, \$24; rolled, \$28.

Hay—Eastern timothy, \$20 per ton.

Vegetables—Cabbage, 2c per pound; celery, 50c and 90c; pumpkins, 1 1/2c per pound; squash, 2c per pound; turnips, 2c per pound; carrots, 2c per pound; beets, 2c per pound.

Onions—Oregon Yellow Danvers, \$2 to \$2.50 per sack.

Potatoes—Oregon fancy, \$1.50 per sack. Common, no market.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 85c per roll. Country 75c per roll.

Eggs—Oregon ranch, 38c per dozen.

Poultry—Average old hens, 13c per pound; young roosters, 12c; dressed chickens, 15c; turkeys, 18c; geese 10c; ducks, 12 1/2c.

Wool—Eastern Oregon average best, 13c per pound, lower grades range downward according to quality.

Beef—cows, 3c; country steers, 4c.

Venison—Dressed, 7 1/2c.

Mutton—Dressed fancy, 8c; ordinary lambs, 5c and 6c.

Pork—Dressed 10c per pound.

LOCAL NEWS.

For real live news, read The News.

A lady or gentleman wanted for an extra good proposition. Apply at 320 Cass street. dj10

Jack Pelton left for Portland this morning where he will spend a few days looking after business matters.

"Diamond Quality" vegetable seeds are the best. Sold in bulk by S. K. Sykes. dswif

Miss Jennie Johnson left for her home at Portland this morning after a brief visit at the home of her parents, near Brockway.

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Miss Anna Wharton, a well known Roseburg young lady, left for Portland, Albany and San Francisco this morning where she will spend several weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

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Harry Stapleton and wife, the former employed in the First National Bank, left for Los Angeles this morning where they will spend several weeks enjoying the delightful climate of that locality.

To whom it may concern: If you are dissatisfied with the quality of the brand of coffee you are using at present, you can do no better than to give the White House a trial. Positively the best. The Rochdale, exclusive agents. dsw-j12

The publicity committee of the Roseburg Commercial Club met in special session last evening, at which time several matters of importance were considered. Publicity Manager Schlosser, who has been at the helm of the publicity work during the past year was retained for another twelve months, much to the satisfaction of the local citizens. When Mr. Schlosser accepted his present position the club was in debt about \$1800, and this sum has been virtually wiped out through his efforts and management. Mr. Schlosser as well as the members of the publicity committee anticipate even greater results during the year 1911, than during the previous twelve months.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

F. B. Butherford and H. H. Rutherford to M. A. Belknap, certain land in Douglas county. Consideration \$10.

Arthur Thiel to O. F. Thiel, lots Nos. 9 and 10, in block 3, in Yoncalla. Consideration \$10.

Mrs. Thos. Jennings to Myrtle E. Kent, 1700 acres of land, in the Clover Creek district, all in Douglas county. Consideration \$10.

A Few Exceptions.

There was no love lost between Rufus and his teacher. Rufus thought the teacher was a severe and occasionally unjust person who had never known what it was to be young and full of fun, while the teacher considered the little dandy both stupid and mischievous.

"You are not attending to what I say, Rufus," said the teacher one day in the midst of an address to her class.

"Yes, teacher, truly I is," said Rufus, with the reversion to the speech he had learned at home which often accompanied great earnestness.

"You should never say 'I is'" commanded the teacher. "I have told you that a hundred times. You know the correct form. There are no exceptions to its use. Give me two examples at once."

"Yas'm," said Rufus meekly. "I am one of de letters of de alphabet. I am a pronoun."—Youth's Companion.

His Way of Showing His Love.

"You wrong him, papa. He does not love me for my money. He scoffs at the world's sordid eagerness for wealth."

"What proof have you, child?"

"Why, only last night he told me he didn't care if he never was able to make a penny in his life if he only had me!"

History.

History is made by one set of men and written by another.

The character of the written history depends upon the politics of the historian.

Most histories are written many years after the history was made. In these circumstances no one can step forward and dispute the historian.

History is studied at school and forgotten at home.

We are told to judge the future by the past, and after we read the histories we are as badly muddled as ever.

Some statesmen make history, but most of them make speeches.—Judge.

Patronizing.

"That man Pufferton has a very supercilious manner."

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "He can't even say 'it's a pleasant day' without seeming to patronize the climate."—Washington Star.

Just a Bluff.

"How is it that the quail on your bill of fare is always struck off?"

"That's just a fancy touch," explained the beany waiter. "We never had a quail in the joint."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Had His Hands Full.

Judge—Why didn't you seize the thief when you found him?"

Policeman—How could I? I had my club in one hand and my revolver in the other!—Fleegende Blatter.

The Next Question.

"Dora's invited to a swell party," said the mother.

"How much will the gown cost?" asked the father, who knew what was coming.—Detroit Free Press.

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Stock Inspector for
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