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DECEMBER 14, 1908. STATE ROAD OPPOSED.

Linn County, However, Proposes a Change in Present Road Law.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 12.—The convention of the Linn County Good Roads League, which came to a close last evening, went on record against the creation of a state road commission and opposed the matter of a public highway extending through the state southward.

Providing for an annual road meeting in each district, with power to determine what roads shall be built and improved; giving districts the power to make special levy to carry on additional improvements; giving the road districts the power to elect the road supervisor; providing for the combining of large districts where timber lands predominate and to divide the funds derived from these sources to the various districts of the county.

A recommendation was adopted, as follows: An annual meeting shall be held in each road district, which shall have the power to determine what roads shall be improved, and to determine the character and extent of the improvement. At the meeting a special tax may be levied sufficient to carry on the proposed road work and the process of levying this tax shall be made as simple as possible.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that the county court of Linn county should levy not more than 1 mill for special road purposes under the present road law; but that the said county court should levy a 2-mill tax in addition to that necessary for general county purposes, and that the same and whole thereof should be expended on the roads of the county under the direction of the county court.

BLACK SPOTS ON PORK.

(O. A. C. Bulletin.) During the butchering season of the year the Experiment Station frequently receives specimens of pork that present an unmarketable appearance. The rind, or skin, taken from the abdominal region and inside of the legs, is found to be dotted with black wart-like growths of various sizes ranging from that of a pin-head to a hazelnut.

These blackened spots, although unsightly, do not injure the meat for food, and they may be completely removed with the skin.

E. F. PERNOT.

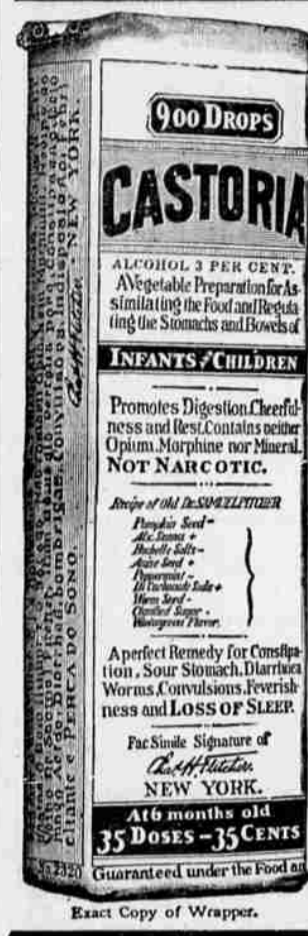
Women Who Wear Well.

It is astonishing how great a change a few years of married life often make in the appearance and disposition of many women. The freshness, the charm, the brilliance vanish like the bloom from a peach which is rudely handled.

As surely as the general health suffers when there is derangement of the health of the delicate woman's organs, so surely when these organs are established in health the face and body reflect the fact in renewed comeliness. Nearly a million women have found health and happiness in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

Dr. Pierce may be consulted by letter free of charge. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

Never sacrifice quality for price. See a Bush and Lane and the Victor piano.



CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. H. Fletcher In Use For Over Thirty Years CASTORIA

Atty. George Neuner went to Drain today on business. He will remain to attend the big W. O. W. logrolling there tomorrow night.

Mary M. says she is going to get her sweetheart one of those beautiful Locket Signet Rings at Clingenpeel's for a Xmas present.

OLD SANTA CLAUS



Has been working overtime at our store lately. He has been favoring us with a good share of his business. The fact is that ever since we opened our first Christmas stock in Roseburg two years ago the old man has come to us when he wanted something real nice for his good friends.

HUEY

Jeweler - Optician

Ever have a "low-down" pain in the back? In the "small" right over the hip? That's the home of backache. It's caused by sick kidneys. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.

Roseburg Abstract Co.

Are furnishing Abstracts, Filing Papers, Etc., at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Lists of the VACANT LANDS in the Roseburg Land Opening January 20, 1909, at \$1.00 each.

Shoes We Are Proud to Show

In every respect our new shoes for women possess merit. Finest leathers—built for all occasions. Light soles for bright and dry days. Heavy soles intended for sleet and snow.

The Right KIND at the Right PRICE

The SQUARE DEAL Farm and Poultry FENCE. Stock Fence 27 - 39 - 47 inches. Poultry Fence 3 - 4 - 5 - Feet. Strongest Wire Fencing Made. J. F. BARKER & Co.

BAN ON CERTAIN MEDICINES.

Lane County Extends Local Option Law to Drug Stores.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 13.—Acting under the local option law in Lane county, District Attorney E. R. Bryson has just notified the druggists of Eugene that they must not sell certain kinds of bitters, which, it is alleged, have been sold regularly since the local option law went into effect to a large number of persons for beverages, on account of the great amount of alcohol said to be contained in them.

Notice has been served not only upon the druggists of Eugene, but those in every town in Lane county, as well as in Benton and Lincoln counties, which comprise Bryson's district. This order has created consternation among the local druggists, as they have always done a big business in the sale of these medicines, both before and since the local option law went into effect.

ROSEBURG CASE DECIDED.

Applicant for Timber Need Not Visit Claim Beforehand. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—It is held by the Supreme court of the District of Columbia that the Interior Department cannot require that entrymen under the timber and stone act shall personally go upon the land sought before making their initiative entry. This decision was rendered in the case of Mary S. Ness, whose timber entry of a tract in the Roseburg, Or., land office had been cancelled because she had not visited the land before filing. The court holds that the department was without authority in cancelling this entry merely on the ground "that the applicant discovered the character of the land from having had an expert examine it."

EVER HAVE IT?

If You Have, the Statement of This Roseburg Citizen Will Interest.

Ever have a "low-down" pain in the back? In the "small" right over the hip? That's the home of backache. It's caused by sick kidneys. That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it. Roseburg people endorse this. Read a case of it: L. Mathews, 1213 Short St., Roseburg, Or., says: "I was troubled by kidney complaint and though I had used many remedies I could get no positive relief. Being attracted by statements recommending Doan's Kidney Pills I decided to try them and got a box at Marsters & Co's. drug store. The benefit I found from the use of the first box led me to continue taking them. Since then my kidneys have been acting in a normal manner and I have felt much better. I can state that Doan's Kidney Pills are the best kidney remedy I know of."

RUEF'S LAWYER ACQUITTED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 12.—A not-guilty verdict was returned by the jury at midnight in the case of Frank J. Ruef, one of the attorneys for Ruef charged with complicity in the alleged attempt to bribe John M. Kelly, one of the veniremen drawn upon the jury in Ruef's recent trial. Nine ballots were taken. It is said that the first ballot stood nine for acquittal and three for conviction. They were out exactly 12 hours.

Marked for Death.

"Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave and cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Bac, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored. This medicine holds the world's healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at A. C. Marsters & Co's. drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

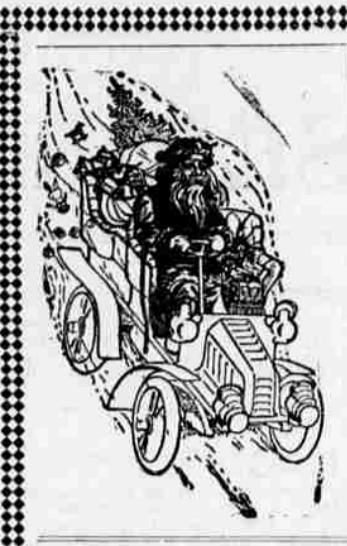
SHIELDS WINS RIFLE.

Ben Shields has sustained his reputation as a fine shot by winning the Winchester rifle given as a prize for the best five-shot score last week at the new Indoor Rifle Range. The competition for the honor of winning was keen, the nearest competitor to Mr. Shields being Walter Brubaker, who gave him at hot chase, scoring 27 to Shields' 28. The range is offering two prizes this week, one for high score and one for 2nd high score. No doubt there will be even more interest than in last week's contest.

This is Worth Reading.

Leo F. Zellinski, of 88 Gibson St., Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I cured the most annoying cold sore I ever had, with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. I applied this salve once a day for two days, when every trace of the sore was gone." Heals all sores. Sold under guarantee at A. C. Marsters & Co's. drug store. 25c.

Douglas County Creamery butter only 5c a two-pound square. Ask your grocer for it. Patronize home industry.



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—HAS ARRIVED AT— AGEE'S BOOK & STATIONERY STORE

And we are now loaded to the doors with the finest and largest line of HOLIDAY GOODS we have ever carried. Don't forget to remember your friends with one of more of our beautiful gifts, and try and call early before the lines are broken—we have something for everybody and are sure to please you.

BOOKS - BOOKS

As usual our line is complete, we have everything from the 5-cent line juvenile up. Boys' Books, Girls' Books, Dainty Gift Books in profusion, for both old and young. All the late copyrights, \$1.25 each. Reprints 75c each, Bible and Testaments, 25 cents to \$5 each. We also have Catholic Prayer Books. We can supply anything on earth in the book line. If we don't have it in stock we will get it for you.

STATIONERY

Fine Stationery in beautiful Christmas Boxes from 50 cents to \$2.00 a box.

DOLLS - DOLLS

We have the largest line ever shown in Roseburg. Everything imaginable from \$1.00 to \$5.50 each. China Dolls, Bisque Dolls, Kid Body Dolls, dressed Dolls and undressed Dolls, Baby Dolls and Rag Dolls. Dolls heads in China, Bisque and Metal—with hair or without. All sizes and kinds, 50 cents to \$2.50 each.

LOWNEYS CANDIES

The greatest values and most beautiful Holiday packages put up in America. No other goods can take the place of Lowney's, and your sweetheart knows it. All prices, from 50c to \$5.50 each.

CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENTS, CANDLES AND HOLDERS, SANTA CLAUS MASKS, XMAS CARDS, POST CARD ALBUMS, PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, AUTOGRAPH ALBUMS, PICTURES, BOTH FRAMED AND UNFRAMED, TOYS, MAGIC LANTERNS, BANKS, HORNS, TOPS, CHILDREN'S BLOCKS, ETC. ALL WE HAVE FOR GOTTEN TO TELL YOU ABOUT WE WILL SHOW YOU WHEN YOU CALL. DON'T FORGET—WE WILL TAKE YOUR CHECKS AND ARE OPEN EVENINGS.

FANCY GOODS

Our line is so large that we can only enumerate a very small portion. It is the most complete and most beautiful we have ever carried. Toilet Cases, Traveling Cases, Writing Cases, Collar and Cuffs, Manicure Sets, Brush and Comb Sets, Cigar Jars, Smoker's Sets, Beautiful Vases, all high in quality and cheap in price. Mirrors, Baby Sets, Military Brushes, Shaving Sets, Ink Wells, Japanese Goods, Ornaments and Other Fancy Goods too numerous to mention in this space.

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Gentlemen's Purses and Letter Cases of all grades, Ladies' Purses, Hand Bags, and Satchels, Music Rolls, Travelling Cases, etc., an up-to-date line of new styles, 50 cents to \$14.50.

FOUNTAIN PENS

In both plain holders and the gold and silver mounted are most suitable gifts for either lady or gentleman. The mounted pens range from \$2 to \$10 each and we guarantee every pen—don't forget that point.

Our Christmas sale will be something out of the ordinary. Come at once and avoid the rush.

Agee's Book & Stationery Store

Headquarters For Holiday Goods. MAIL ORDERS GIVEN PROMPT ATTENTION. PHONE 903.

OREGON NEWS.

Albany citizens have subscribed \$24,000 worth of stock toward a milk condenser, which will begin operations in that city next spring.

Two Oregon murder cases, in each of which the defendant's name was Johnson, were decided by juries last Saturday. At Hillsboro, Walter M.

Johnson was found guilty of murder in the first degree in having slain Elmer Perdue in a lonely cabin in Washington County last July. At Portland, Matt Johnson, who killed Fred J. Holock during a bar-room brawl, was found guilty in the second degree, while his 22-year-old son, who ran several blocks to get the murderous revolver for his father, was acquitted.

The Secretary of the Treasury has recommended an appropriation for Crater Lake National park of \$21,745. Out of this amount \$14,000 is to be expended in the construction of roads and trails.

Now is the time to make your purchases for Xmas. The early shoppers have the best to pick from. Our store never was so full of good things. Something for every member of the family. Drop in and look us over. RICE & RICE.

Bradley, J. V.; Burkett, Mr.; Britton, Mrs. Chas.; Cuppor, T. P.; Collins, W. J.; Foster, Bert.; Box 20; Howe, G. E.; Leas, E. E.; Lythrope, Mrs. Frank; Miller, Clyde; Stanley, Geo. W.; Siren, John; Wilson, Frank. C. W. PARKS, P. M.

Engineer S. K. Willott returned Sunday from a three-months sojourn in San Francisco. Mrs. Willott returned a few days earlier from a trip to Kansas City, Mo., where she visited with relatives.

Rough Dry Price List.

IRONED. Counterpanes, 10c, fringed . . . 15 Sheets . . . 3 Pillow Slips . . . 3 Pillow Bolsters . . . 4 Tablecloths . . . 5 Towels, large or hem-stitched . . . 10 Towels, bath . . . 2 Towel roller . . . 2 Napkins . . . 1 Cloths . . . 1 Flour sacks . . . 1 Dollies . . . 1 Handkerchiefs . . . 1 Handkerchiefs, silk . . . 2 Staindoovers, plain . . . 2 NOT IRONED. Overshirts . . . 5 Undershirts . . . 5 Underdrawers . . . 5 Nightshirts . . . 5 Combination . . . 5 Pajamas, pair . . . 10 Under vest . . . 1 Hose, pair . . . 1 Neckties . . . 1

STARCHED.

Skirts . . . 5 Nightdresses . . . 5 Drawers . . . 3 Chemise . . . 3 Corset covers . . . 5 Waists . . . 5 Waists, boy's . . . 5 Kimonos . . . 5 Wrappers . . . 5 Aprons . . . 5 Child's Pieces . . . 2 Shams, pair . . . 10 Sash curtains . . . 2 Pillow Covers . . . 2 Bonnets . . . 2 Sleeves, pair . . . 2 Belts . . . 1

EXTRAS.

Blankets, wool, pr. . . 50 Blankets, cotton, pr. . . 25 Quilts . . . 25 Bedticks . . . 10c up Sweaters . . . 15 No Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Vests, Lace Curtains, Overalls or Jumpers done in this department except at regular prices. A list of articles must accompany each bundle, or our count accepted as correct. We starch all articles that require it. No bundle for less than 25 cents. ROSEBURG STEAM LAUNDRY.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Remaining unclaimed for in the Roseburg postoffice on Dec. 14, 1908, are the following letters, which will

Solid Gold Watches Scarf Pins and Brooches. Gold Filled Watches. Shirt Waist Sets. Nickel and Gun Metal Watches. Belt Pins and Buckles. An immense line of Fobs for Ladies and Gents. A complete line of Optical Goods, Collar Pins, Combs, Hat Pins, etc. The finest and best line of Umbrellas in the city. DIAMOND RINGS from \$1.50 to \$1,000.00. Ear Screws, Patent Loops, Stone and Pearl Sets. The finest line of Silverware in Southern Oregon, in both plate and sterling. Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets, Napkin Rings, Trays, Cloth and Hat Brushes, Gent's Smoking Sets, Ladies' Opera Glasses, Cut Glass, Clocks, Jewel Boxes, Solid Gold, Gold Filled and Silver Thimbles. J. T. BRYAN, The Watchmaker ROSEBURG, OREGON

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Special Sale on Fixtures, Including Towel Racks, Soap Dishes, Tumbler Holders, Sponge Racks, Etc. Let me make an estimate on your work. Steam and Hot Water a Specialty. Repair Work Neatly Done. Foot of Jackson St.