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ROSEBURG'S FINANCIAL SITUATION.

Has Roseburg a "miracle man" of finance? If so, let him come forward and present a safe and sane plan to meet the city's financial situation...

Stated briefly in plain terms, the situation is that the city requires \$50,000 a year to meet all items of indebtedness, and the most it can raise under legal limitations on the present assessed valuation of all taxable property is \$40,000.

Nevertheless, to borrow that famous utterance of Grover Cleveland, "it is a fact and not a theory that confronts us." Consider for a moment this one fact alone: For thirty-three years the city has paid \$1,250 interest annually on \$25,000 worth of bonds issued for the construction of the city hall and the original unit of the main sewer system.

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Here are the bald facts to ponder over: Other bonded indebtedness of the city aggregates a total of \$102,000, of which \$75,000 is for street improvements, which will probably have to be renewed on or before the date of maturity.

Do the taxpayers prefer to continue interest payments on these bonds by re-issues, or do they want them paid off when due. New things in the way of improvements are in constant demand, but they cannot be provided until we pay for what we already have, that is without plunging deeper into debt.

Sooner or later the group of obligations must be liquidated. The city cannot hide its head in the sand ostrich-like, so to speak, and the municipality might as well begin now figuring on a plan to extricate itself.

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PRUNE PICKINS

BY BERT G. BATES

GOOD EVENING FOLKS— The thing that Gives us all A pain Is the familiar Sayin' "No game—RAIN."

DUMBBELL DORA THINKS Indoor baseball is played on rainy days.

We suppose the Pittsburgh's team slogan is "Watch our smoke."

He talked to the dice, and he rattled 'em twice. Then spun them across the floor. They lit on seven on rolled eleven Nineteen times, or more! I've seen men buck to a hunk of luck

White dice and dollars flew! But never class that could surpass The shootin' of Dan McGrew!

One of the town boys was bein' given the go-by by a gal and not relishin' the menu he turned around and said, "Don't try to Ritz me, mama, I've seen yo with yer hair down."

Word has been rec'd from the college towns to the effect that a lotta the fellers are takin' down with a new disease, Pretzelitis, which is the shape you get in from dancin' collegiate.

NEVER DOUBT A DOCTOR By Gordon G. Parkerson When Jimmie White, a friend of mine, Had pains come in his gizzard, He galloped off to Dr. Stein, A diagnosis wizard.

Poor Jim turned paler than a ghost And started in to diet. If on the menu he saw "toast" He went right on down by it. He lived on milk and malted straw. On spinach, parsley and cold slaw; That he complied with Doc Stein's law Quite often he would boast.

But two months later, Jimmie White, Who had grown thin and thinner, Said, "Gosh, I think I eat, despite Doc's orders, one good dinner." And so he did. Alas, poor Jim! Fate played that day a trick most grim: A ten-ton truck ran over him! Doc's prophecy was right!

Fresh sea food at Vosburgh and Ward Delicatessen.

CARS SMASHED IN WRECK NEAR COTTAGE GROVE

COTTAGE GROVE, Oct. 9.—A touring car driven by I. Mattia, of Portland, was badly damaged in a wreck which occurred a few miles south of the city on the Pacific highway, Wednesday noon.

C. O. Murphy, of Roseburg, in a light car was driving north, in attempting to pass two cars he did not see a wagon beyond them. Finding he could not cut in without hitting the wagon he swerved out and collided with the Mattia car, coming toward him.

Mr. Mattia attempted to swing out to avoid the crash but the other car struck the front end of his machine tearing off the fender and running board and smashed a wheel.

The light car was almost completely demolished. No one was injured.

"WHAT KIND OF A SHADOW DO YOU CAST?"

You are invited to hear this subject discussed on Sunday evening at the Baptist church by H. L. Caldwell, 7:30. Good music.

Cook with ease.

CASEY JONES BEST FLIER.

(Associated Press Leased Wire.) MITCHELL FIELD, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Casey Jones, of Garden City, N. Y., won the aviation town and country club of Detroit trophy race, the only event run of those scheduled today in the national air races. He flew a Curtiss-Oriole plane at an average speed of 128.42 miles an hour. Despite the steady downpour of rain which forced postponement of the balance of the program until Monday, nine of the eleven planes which started in that event finished the 100-mile course.

You can do a good job of plowing with a McCormick-Deering tractor. It will pull two 14-inch plows and plow deep. Let us show you more about this tractor. Wharton Bros.

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CARD OF THANKS. We take this opportunity of thanking our friends for their kindness during the illness and death of our relative, L. D. Kaufman.

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Thomas Jefferson and Felix Harvey in "Lightnin'" at the Antlers Theatre, Saturday, October 10.

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KITCHEN CUPBOARD

By NELLIE MAXWELL

Ways to Use Honey

THERE are many homes supplied these days with a hive or two of bees. They forage for themselves and with a little care will serve you with enough honey to supply a good-sized family with sweet teeth, and leave many pounds to be sold. The flavor of good honey combines especially well with spices in cookery and it takes the place of molasses and sugar.

Honey Ice Cream.—Take a pint each of milk and cream, the yolks of six eggs and a cupful of strained honey. Heat the milk in a double boiler and cook until it thickens, adding the honey and eggs. Cool and add the cream with such flavoring as one likes and freeze as usual.

Salad Dressing.—Take one tablespoonful of butter, three tablespoonfuls of honey, one-third of a cupful of mild vinegar and two well-beaten egg yolks. Mix the dry ingredients, add the remainder and cook until smooth and thick.

Honey Pudding.—Take one-half cupful honey, one cupful of bread crumbs, one-half cupful of milk, the rind of half a lemon grated, two eggs, two tablespoonfuls of butter and one-half teaspoonful of ginger. Mix the honey, bread crumbs, milk, egg yolks and seasonings. Beat well, add the butter, and the whites of the eggs beaten stiff. Steam two hours in a pudding mold.

Honey Custard.—Take five eggs, one-half cupful of honey, four cupfuls of scalded milk, one-fourth of a teaspoonful of cinnamon, the same of salt. Beat the eggs just enough to unite the yolks and white, add the other ingredients and make in cups. Set the cups in water to cook.

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Advertisement for coats featuring illustrations of women in various styles of coats and the text 'Coats of Value'.

EXTRA - Friday and Saturday - EXTRA

Every Sport Coat - SALE - Every Sport Coat

This is an event deserving of your closest interest for we are offering at unusual "figure" every "Sport Coat", plain or furred in our exclusive stock. You do doubt have been waiting for this very event, perhaps you have already selected your coat in our stock, and you have been waiting patiently for that new price that brings its saving to you. If you have or have not come come early for the prices mean dollars in your pocketbook.

EVERY COAT A BARGAIN!

EXTRA - SALE OF NEW MIDDIES - EXTRA

Just in and just unpacked, an unusual assortment of new school middies in "White Duretta Cloth." Some plain and some braid trimmed. Sizes from 10 years to 20 years. Regular \$1.65 to \$2.00 values, super special for two days at \$1.29 and \$1.59 each. Also New Woolen Gym Bloomers.

OH! MOTHER!

With every One Dollar Purchase Friday or Saturday, Oct. 9th or 10th we will sell up to 6 yards finest "Pequot" Bleached Sheeting at 54c per yard. Regular 69c Value.

245 N. Jackson BELLOWS STORE CO. 245 N. Jackson

XMAS SEAL SALE INSTITUTE HELD

The Christmas seal sale institute held in Roseburg yesterday was a very successful event. There were 28 delegates in attendance, eight from Coos county, three from Jackson county and two from Klamath county, the rest being from Douglas county. O. C. Brown, chairman of the Douglas county health association, presided, the speakers being Dwight S. Anderson, of New York, Sadie Orr Dunbar, and Rowan Wheelton.

The morning program, starting at 10 o'clock, was given over to reports on national, state and local work accomplished during the past year by Mr. Anderson of the National Tuberculosis association, and the state and local report was given by Sadie Orr Dunbar, executive secretary of the Oregon Tuberculosis association.

At noon the ladies of the M. E. church south, where the institute was held, served luncheon in the basement, and during the course of the luncheon talks were made by the various county representatives.

The afternoon was given over to a technical discussion of seal sale matter of personal solicitation, mail sales, oboth sales, school sales and stunts. Mr. Wheelton followed with a discussion of publicity including poster display, newspaper publicity, speakers, and special methods.

The program concluded with a talk by Mr. Anderson, who showed samples of the seal to be used this year.

This was the second of the three institutes to be held in the state. The first was in Portland on October 7, the second here on the 8th, and the third will be in LaGrande on the 10th.

Fresh grape juice at Overland Orchards. Bring containers or leave at Brand's Road Stand. Will deliver when filled.

R. H. S. TEAM IS READY FOR GAME WITH NORTH BEND

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PLAY 'LIGHTNIN' IS BRIMFUL OF FUN AND PATHOS

"Lightnin'", the only play that is loved and eagerly awaited, wherever the English language is spoken, will at last be introduced to the smaller cities on tour. With Mrs. Frank Bacon, Thomas Jefferson, Bessie Bacon, and the most brilliant cast that has yet been assembled for presentation of the famous comedy classic, it will be sent at the Antlers Theatre tomorrow evening, Saturday, October 10th.

Described as a play for all classes of theatregoers, "Lightnin'" is the work of Winchell Smith and the late Frank Bacon, and has won a deserving and lasting place upon the American stage.

Tenderly true in its pathos, forceful in its satire, and gentle yet keen in its wit, it is brimful of delightful entertainment, providing one of those evenings in the theatre that are all too rare.

"Lightnin'" acquires its title from its central character, Lightnin' Bill Jones, Shiftless, good-natured, bragging and admired. Around his vagaries is woven an appealing love story of a young law student, who, by outwitting a couple of land grabbing lawyers, provides the basis of the play. The action of the piece starts in a logging camp in the backwoods of Nevada. The first act is laid in a little hotel run by Lightnin' Bill and his wife, which standing half in California and half in Nevada attracts would-be divorcees from all over the country. The place booms when it is discovered as a resort where one may live on the Nevada side and acquire the necessary six-months' residence for a quick divorce, while hiding from the folks at home their ambitions.

While "Lightnin'" is a happy blend of tears and laughter, its tremendous popularity is really due to the appealing qualities exhibited by its leading character, Lightnin' Bill. He is absolutely worthless, fond of his glass and his story, still lovable, sympathetic and humorous. It is a character that recalls fond memories of the elder Jefferson's Rip Van Winkle, and is destined to live in the hearts of theatregoers long years after most other stage characters have been forgotten.

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DANCE AT WIGWAM TAVERN TONIGHT

The Silver Spray Gardens orchestra of Bandon will give a dance at the Wigwam Tavern tonight and a good crowd will undoubtedly attend. This orchestra is considered one of the best in the business and has a program of brand new hits to present this evening.

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Advertisement for Diet and Health by Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D., featuring a small illustration of a person and text about diet and health.

Diet and Health By Lulu Hunt Peters, M.D.

Rule to Find Ideal Adult Net Weight: Multiply number of inches over five feet in height, without shoes, by 5 1/2. Add 110. If under five feet, multiply number of inches under by 5 1/2 and subtract from 110.

In other words, if you are 5 feet tall you may weigh 110 lbs., and for every inch over, or under, you are allowed 5 1/2 pounds more, or less, respectively.

Are you overweight? I shouldn't wonder, for approximately three-fourths of our adult population are overweight. One-fourth is underweight. The balance is ideal weight.

It seems incredible that all the disorders mentioned yesterday, when I said we would conduct a campaign against them—diabetes, arterio-sclerosis, heart disease, cancer, etc.—could result from obesity, and that the reduction of the fat and prevention of it could in a large measure prevent these diseases.

Diabetes: Joslin, one of the great authorities on that disease, says that 75 per cent of the diabetics are over-fat. Not that the fat in itself causes the trouble, but the same thing which causes the excess fat is one of the chief causes of diabetes, i. e., the over-consumption of starches and sugars. So when you allow yourself to accumulate an excess of fat, you may be heading for diabetes. Therefore, prevent or reduce excess fat and you prevent and reduce cases of diabetes.

Arterio-sclerosis, or hardening of the arteries: Older gives overeating as one of the chief causes of this disorder. Over-eating is one of the chief causes of overweight. Therefore, prevent and reduce fat and prevent and reduce cases of arterio-sclerosis.

Heart disease: Heart disease may result from hardening of the arteries, acute rheumatism, etc., and it may also result from hardening of the arteries, acute rheumatism, etc., and it may also result from being covered too warmly with a blanket of fat. Or the fat may penetrate in between the muscle-fibers of the heart, and later the muscle itself may degenerate into fat. A lump of fat will not function as a heart. Prevent or reduce excess fat and you prevent and reduce cases of heart disease.

Apoplexy: Apoplexy is the result of a rupture of an artery in the brain. It is due usually to arterio-sclerosis, which may be due to overeating for a long enough time to accumulate excess weight. It is not considered a pleasant disease to have or to hold. Prevent or reduce excess fat and you prevent and reduce cases of apoplexy.