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DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



PRISONERS AID SOCIETY SECRETARY SPEAKS AT ELGIN

ELGIN, Dec. 1. (Special.)—A lecture was given at the City Hall last Tuesday evening on the new "Penology in Practice," by T. J. Hazelton, field secretary of the Oregon Prisoners Aid Society. He spoke of the value of education and its in-

fluence upon society and its value to the young people. He told the pitiful story of "The Family That is and Was," and of the hard steep road in going wrong and getting right. Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rice and Mrs. George Flagg of Prairie City arrived in Elgin Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with friends and relatives. Mr. Rice was connected with the Elgin public schools for several years and his former pupils were more than glad to see him. Mrs. Flagg reports Mr. Flagg's health as much better. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Benschneider spent Thanksgiving in Elgin with

Mrs. Benschneider's parents. Edwin Kirtley, Merrill Knight and Clarence Smith, Elgin high school boys attended the football game in La Grande between La Grande and the Franklin high school team of Portland Thanksgiving day. Miss Claudine Graham is spending the week-end with her parents at Palmer Camp. Miss Edna Holmes left Wednesday for Enterprise where she will visit with relatives the week-end. W. A. Hackett, a furniture dealer in Elgin, has sold his store to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Reiber, who will take charge the first of the year. The Elgin Grocery opened with a big sale this morning. The sale is under the direction of Mr. Schiller of Portland. Mrs. C. E. Mays made a business trip to La Grande last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Clay Reinhart visited with J. H. Masterson in Elgin last Sunday. Mr. Reinhart is employed in the Putnam Drug Store in La Grande. A Thanksgiving service was held in the M. E. church Thursday evening. Rev. F. L. Smith conducted the service.

MARKET NEWS

FRUIT—Bananas, 35¢@40¢ per doz.; grapes, 15¢ per lb., 2 lbs. for 25¢; apples, per lb., 4¢; lemons, 45¢ per doz.; oranges, 25¢@30¢ per doz.; pears, \$1.25 per box.

VEGETABLES—Beans, white, 15¢; beans, colored, 15¢; dry onions, 5¢ per lb.; celery (California), 15¢, 2 for 25¢; cabbage, 4¢ per lb.; cucumbers (hot-house), 15¢; fresh tomatoes, 15¢ per lb.; parsnips, 4 cts per pound; lettuce, 10 cts; potatoes, \$1.75, 2 cts per lb.; turnips, 3¢ per lb.; beets and carrots, 4¢ per lb.; sweet potatoes, 4 lbs. for 25¢; green peppers, 20¢ per lb.; squash, 3¢@2-1-2¢ per lb.; pumpkins, 3¢@2-1-2¢ per lb.; rutabaga, 4¢ per lb.

BUTTER—Fancy creamery, 60¢, \$1.15; ranch butter, 55¢, \$1.05.

EGGS—65¢ per doz.; storage, 60¢ per doz.

HONEY—20¢.

FLOUR AND FEED—Best of the Best (patent), \$2.89; Jersey Cream, \$2.90; Bluestem flour, \$2.85; Royal Patent, \$2.80; Invinible, \$2.90; Snowdrift, \$3.00; Upper Crust, \$3.00; None-to-Equal, \$2.85; Sea Foam, \$2.75; Best of the Best (straight grade), \$2.75; yellow corn meal, 70¢; rye, 80¢; 10-lb. oats, 75¢.

FLOUR IN 10-LB. SACKS—Germans, erabham, whole wheat and Royal Patent, 75¢.

CHICKENS AND FOWLS—Spring chickens 14¢ per lb.; ducks, live 10¢ @ 12¢; turkeys, live 20¢ @ 24¢; geese, live 10¢ @ 12¢; hens, live, 14¢.

CATTLE—Best heavy beef cattle, \$8.00@7.00; ordinary to good cows, \$4.00@6.00; bull, \$4.00@5.00; best light beef steers, \$6.00@7.00; best beef cows, \$5.00@6.00; stock feeder steers, \$5.00@5.50; calves, \$5.00@4.00; beef heifers, \$5.00@6.00; stocker feeder cows, \$4.00@5.00.

HOGS—Heavy and choice packing, \$14.20; best light, \$14.30; rough hams, \$13.30; stockers, \$12.00.

SHEEP—Best lambs, \$9.00@10.00; wethers, \$7.00@7.50; ewes, \$3.00@6.00; goats, \$3.25@3.50; spring lambs, \$11.00.

The Observer's Classified Ads.

WANTED—Miscellaneous.
WANTED—Seattle property. Must have good value. Might offer you a good trade in 20 acre tract. Box 259 La Grande, Ore. 12-1-Sat-Mon-Wed-ff.

HELP WANTED—Female.
WANTED—Girl to do general housework and cooking. Apply Wallowa Hospital, Wallowa Ore. 12-1-31.

FOR SALE—Poultry.
FOR SALE—Fat Chickens; Pyers, 20c lb. Phone Black 3961. C. S. Shultz, 1904 E. N. ave. 12-1-2nd

FOR SALE—Miscellaneous.
FOR SALE—Horsepower drag saw. Phone Black 1642. 11-30-31.

FOR SALE—Farm.
FOR SALE—200-acre stock ranch, 140 acres in alfalfa. Best water right in the valley. Next to Dr. Richardson ranch. Price \$16,000. J. H. B. Harrington, Lower Powder Aply Farm, Keating, Oregon. 11-26-91 pd.

FOR RENT—Rooms.
FOR RENT—2 nice rooms for light housekeeping. 1512 Adams. Phone Black 2901.

Glendale—New court house and jail planned here.

Contract for building 2,500 cars for Russia secured in Portland.

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Business Directory

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Hard Wheat

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North Bend—Buehner Lumber Co. to build dry kilns at plant here.

Roseburg—New paving to be started soon.

Gold Hill—New dairy herd is started here.

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
George R. Vehrs, M. D. Special attention to women and children's diseases. Phone, office Main 2; Residence, Main 32. 10-27 ff.

VETERINARY
DR. H. W. RILEY—Graduate Veterinarian Hospital, 1409 Madison Ave. State Stallion Inspector and Inspector of stock for shipment. Home Independent Phone, Black 41. Farmers Co-operative Phone, Main 112.

COMING EVENTS

Dec. 3-8.—Home Products Week. December 7, 8, 9.—"Older Boys" Conference for Eastern Oregon at La Grande.

Dec. 17-25.—Red Cross Membership Campaign.

Dec. 25—Christmas.

Jan. 5—Third officers' training camps open at various cantonments.

AMUSEMENTS

Arcade Theatre—Motion pictures. Star Theatre—Motion Pictures and Vaudeville.

Notice to Water Users.
Water users will be charged for all water going through meters. If meters are not read each month they will be read in the early spring and if more than the minimum has been used during the time since last reading the excess will be charged for and collected. Those using water must therefore expect to pay for all water passing through the meter during the winter where meters are not read each month. The minimum charge will be collected each month but not as in full, but only subject to later meter reading.

I. M. HOYT,
11-27-ff. Water Superintendent.

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Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets arouse the liver in a soothing, healing way. When the liver and bowels are performing their natural functions, away goes indigestion and stomach troubles.

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LEGAL NOTICE

Charter No. 20. Report of the Condition of THE COVE STATE BANK, at Cove, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, Nov 26, 1917.

| RESOURCES | |
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| Loans and discounts | \$72,761.55 |
| Bonds and warrants | 176.94 |
| Stocks, securities, judgments, etc. | 35.00 |
| Banking house | 3,700.00 |
| Furniture and fixtures | 1,400.00 |
| Due from approved reserve banks | 17,942.80 |
| Cash on hand | 3,850.89 |
| Other resources | 59.99 |
| Total | \$99,016.19 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Capital stock paid in | \$15,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | 1,809.99 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 272.48 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 59,756.77 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 63.50 |
| Time and Savings Deposits | 22,123.44 |
| Total | \$99,016.19 |

State of Oregon, County of Union, ss. I, Hugh McCall, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HUGH McCALL, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of Nov. 1917.

JOHN DEAN, Notary Public.
My commission expires Nov. 26, 1920.

CORRECT—Attest:—
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E. C. REES,
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