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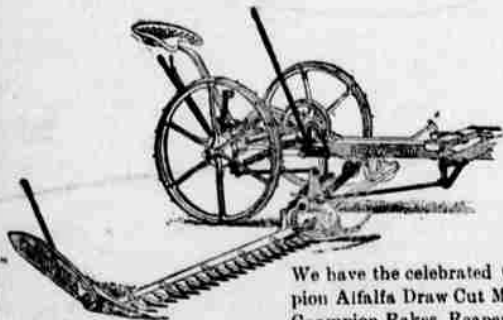
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I do all kind of contracting in brick and cement work. If you are going to build and have not gotten estimates from me on material and work you are making a mistake, and you are making another if you delay longer.

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

—Frank Isaac played his first game for Seattle Tuesday last week, playing in left field. The score showed no hits or runs for "Pug," but Indians, by a figure 1 in the put out column that somebody hit a fly into the left garden.

—Blue prints of township maps showing all vacant land, fifty cents each. For reliable information concerning Government land write to Frank E. Alley, Abstractor Roseburg, Oregon.

—The Portland baseball writers are unanimous in praise of Pernold's pitching in his first game last week, and predict great things for the stocky south paw. He held hard hitting Angels down to three for the five innings. In the sixth three hits were made off him and one run, and McCredie thought he had gone far enough for a youngster in fast company and relieved him. He struck out six of the Los Angeles team, including Carlisle and Bernard the terrors of the coast twirlers. He gets credit for winning the game, as the score was three to one in Portland's favor when he was taken out.

—Twenty-five cents will be given for every button found off of any article laundried by Pell's Laundry, Medford.

—The Southern Pacific realizing the growth and prosperity Southern Oregon is experiencing, and also the unquestionable permanency of the same, has taken another step looking toward the comfort of its many patrons in supplying a Pullman car daily on train No. 16 for this section. Medford will be assigned liberal space in this car and the service will be inaugurated August 1st or a few days later. The railroad company has seen the necessity of this and has been making efforts to bring it about, but large bodies move slowly. Medford is duly grateful for this recognition.

—Fresh bread made daily at Vienna Bakery. Call 'phone 496 and have all your bake stuff delivered promptly.

—Will Humphrey was trying a new gun one day this week and thereby developed the fact that a fellow wouldn't be safe anywhere within a mile or so of the business end of the fire arm unless there was a mountain between—no ordinary tree would fill the bill. The aforesaid gun is the new 40-55 Winchester and the trial was made with a piece of half-inch Norway iron at the receiving end. The bullet from the rifle passed entirely through it, an inch board behind it and tore up sand and dust from the bank like a Kansas cyclone. Other high-power guns used on the same piece of iron failed to penetrate it.

ENDORSED BY THE COUNTRY.

"The most popular remedy in Oregon county," writes Wm. M. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Oregon Journal, Gilbertville, N. W., "is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proved to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds, making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house. I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for Lung and Throat diseases." Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker, by Chas. Strang, druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Impaired. An English clergyman, recently settled in a small town in Perthshire, met a farmer's boy while visiting the members of his congregation. In the course of conversation the boy said his parents had a gun staying with them. The parson, not having much acquaintance with the Scottish language and not quite comprehending what the boy said, asked:

"Then, do I understand that your aunt is on your father's side or on your mother's?"

"To which the young agriculturist replied: "Weel, whiles the aunc an whiles theither, except when father leathers them both!"—Dundee Advertiser.

Man's Precious Rib. A young lady having asked a surgeon why woman was made from the rib of man in preference to another bone, he gave her the following gallant answer: "She was not taken from the head lest she should rule over him, nor from his feet lest he should trample upon her; but she was taken from his side, that she might be his equal, from under his arm, that she might protect him; from near his heart, that he might cherish and love her."—Houston Chronicle.

Poor Colors. "I can't understand Mabel." "Why not?" "She's always trying to get things to match her complexion." "What of it?" "Haven't you ever noticed her complexion?"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

What Changed His Mind. "I had supposed until yesterday, doctor, that the days of the bleeding of patients were past." "And so they are. But what changed your mind?" "The bill you sent me."

Hustle While You Wait. While waiting for your prayer to be answered try to get what you want yourself.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Other Points of View.

Cultivate happiness and the sword will look rosy. Drift into discouragement and despair if you would have a continual gasp out into a barren water.—Albany Herald.

A Harvard professor is at work on a new play to be entitled "When Words Fail." The climax will probably be a baseball scene, in which the rooters begin to throw things at the umpire.

"If I were to believe all that I have heard in various parts of the state of Oregon, I would think that the people of this state think there is no other place but Oregon." Secretary Garfield is quoted as saying. That's the idea exactly.

The proposition of transcontinental railroad lines to raise the rate on lumber shipments to Mississippi river points 15 per cent, is putting an embargo on the Pacific coast lumber industry that will have a greater paralyzing effect upon the business than did the raise in rate to California points, and here is where the interstate commerce commission will have an opportunity to get busy in earnestness.

A notary public cannot take his own acknowledgement nor may he take the acknowledgement of another party to an instrument in which he has a property interest, nor may he witness an instrument in which he has an interest. It is sometimes the case that a party witnesses a last will and testament in which he is given property. In such a case the bequest is void as to the witness.

The appropriation for newspaper reporters—\$300—each—is opposed by the majority of the senate committee in the Connecticut legislature, Senator Luther being one of the majority. But this little piece of pelf dies hard. In the closing hour it usually gets its chance to slip through.—Springfield Republican.

Newspaper reporters in Oregon never thought of such a thing. The fact is, the much maligned Oregon legislature would shirk in comparison with most of the other states. The Connecticut legislature is about to increase the state bond by seven millions. Oregon has no state bonds, nor any other kind of state debt.

Young man, let us give you the benefit of our observations. We have noticed that at least nine-tenths of the young men who have been before the courts for misdemeanors are those who take no interest whatever in education, seldom read a newspaper, and are always ready to make fun of other young men who use correct language and try to be somebody. It comes natural to them to discourage the studious and ambitious young men of their acquaintance. Their minds run toward dirty stories, night spees and bad company. This in a short time means trouble, a sheriff's invitation to attend court, and a fine or term in jail.—Eugene Guard.

Along one line the laws of Oregon and the federal statutes need reinforcement—they should be made to cover the case of the sneaking and conscienceless land shark who baits "eastern suckers" with the promise of a fine timber location, separates him from a roll of \$200, and leaves him to find out at his leisure that he has been assigned a tract that has already been located upon, or a quarter section with a patent mining claim upon it. Repeated reports of such operations are heard in Josephine county, and for some reason beyond our ken there is no process by which such bunko artists can be rounded up.—Mining Journal.

John Lee Jung, a Chinaman, once of Washington, deserves a modest fame, and even more so do John Lee Jung's Chinese relatives. John was a successful merchant in Washington for many years, but finally his health and his business failed at about the same time and he was compelled to retire owing about \$1000. Nearly 10 years ago he went back to China to die, having tried unsuccessfully to pay his creditors. But in China things went better with the old man for a time, and when he died a little while ago, there was found among his effects a list of his creditors in Washington and the exact amount owed to each, and there was also found in Chinese money, saved by hard labor, enough to pay the entire amount. A little note in Chinese hieroglyphics told what the old man wanted done with his savings, and his relatives have now sent the money to be distributed among his creditors, who had forgotten that he ever owed them. The old man who remembered his debts, and the relatives who followed his instructions, instead of grasping the money, are refreshing samples of honesty and offer an explanation why Chinese commercial credit is higher than Japanese.

The effect of malaria lasts a long time. You catch cold easily or become run-down because of the after effects of malaria. Strengthen yourself with Scott's Emulsion. It builds new blood and tones up your nervous system.

ALL DRUGGISTS, 50c. AND \$1.00.

FROM COUNTY EXCHANGES

A case of scarlet fever was reported to the city board of health this week, at 51 Wimer street. Edwin Price, aged 7 years. A quarantine has been established. This is the only case of contagious disease in the city at present.

Harry Cole took whisky, an ounce of laudanum, and a half ounce of carbolic acid in succession on Tuesday morning, which he calculated would cause him to quickly "shut off" this mortal coil. At first it was thought that his plan would be effective, but he responded to the medical aid which was promptly applied to his case, and is now recovering and was able to be removed from a room at the Monterey Hotel to the home of his brother in the southern part of the city. Mr. Cole is a shoemaker by trade and badly crippled. He has lived for a number of years in different towns of this valley. It is reported that the recent loss of a sum of money in northern California made him despondent.

Central Point Herald: During the electric storm at this place last Friday morning Miss Mattie Webb, eldest daughter of F. H. Webb, was rendered unconscious by a bolt of lightning which followed the light wires into the house. Miss Webb was standing directly under the light, the bulb touching her shoulder, when the bolt struck. She was rendered unconscious for a few minutes and was at first apparently partially paralyzed, but after an hour or so showed no bad effects from the undesirable experience.

B. F. Peart, A. Caley and J. Shields went to the Evans creek country last Saturday morning to bag a few deer, but returned Monday night empty handed. The deer are rather scattering up that way and the only one they saw was in such a hurry that it wouldn't stop to give them a shot. Mr. Shields had a close call from being bitten by a big rattler and Mr. Peart had a still closer call from being killed by rocks which Shields hurled at the snake. They finally dispatched his snakebite and found that he wore ten rattlers and a button as an ornament on his caudal appendage. This is not a "snake story."

Central Point was visited by a heavy thunder shower last Friday morning at an early hour which was somewhat out of the ordinary for this climate. A heavy cold, which seemed to gather in the neighborhood of Mount Pitt came this way and before six o'clock the rain was falling in torrents. A heavy electrical disturbance accompanied the storm and for a half hour the display of vivid flashes and heavy thunder was rather lurid. During the storm a bolt of lightning struck the light wires in the east part of town and did some damage to the transformers and fuses. The power transformers at F. H. Hopkins' packing house was burned out and some other damage was done.

Gold Hill News. S. W. McClendon, this week concluded the negotiations that have been pending for some weeks for the sale of his sawmill and timber on Kanos creek to G. W. Fredericks, of Kokomo, Ind. This tract comprises about 240 acres of excellent timber and was commanded a price of \$45,000. It is the intention of the new owner to begin cutting lumber in a short time—and will be marketed from Gold Hill. There is some valuable mining ground included in this tract and this will also be put under development.

What might have been a serious fire was averted yesterday afternoon by the timely interference of Ed. Messner and Tom Robertson. Some one had carelessly thrown a lighted cigar or cigarette into a box of rubbish in the rear of the Miner's Cabin Saloon, and a small breeze soon fanned it into a flame, that was swiftly climbing up the building. Ed. Messner happened to discover it, and with the assistance of Mr. Robertson, he soon had it extinguished. At this season of the year persons cannot be too careful of fire. Although we have a plentiful water supply, yet during this season when the light winds are so prevalent, a small flame is easily fanned into a serious conflagration.

Clyde Davidson, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Davidson, of Jacksonville, and a nephew of our townsman, J. D. Davidson, who for many months past has been the source of much worry to his friends on account of his sudden disappearance, has been heard from in Hanley, England. The young man left his home about nine months ago and went to Kennett, Calif., where he was employed for a while, but later went to San Francisco, and where all trace of him was lost, until last week, when his parents heard from him across the Atlantic. The young man was aboard a French sailing vessel, and for eight months had no opportunity to go ashore. He left the vessel, while in the British water, and at his first opportunity wrote to his parents, telling them of his trip and adventures. He will return home within a short time.

In time of peace, at any rate, the army seems to be more conducive to longevity than the navy. The class that was graduated from the naval academy last spring has lost already seven or eight of its number by reason of accidents in the service.

The man who kills his fellow in defiance of the laws of the land and sets up that it was honorable slaughter because of the inequality of the offense by the slain has but one manly, candid and truthful course open to him. He may go into court and plead guilty, leaving the consequences. He may then beg for the Governor's clemency, but he must not complain if it is refused, for the Governor would not necessarily be unfaithful if he did refuse it. Who takes the law into his own hands should be prepared to pay the price which the laws of the land exact. Ex.

HAD AN AWFUL TIME. But Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Cured Him. It is with pleasure that I give you this unqualified testimonial. About a year ago when I had a severe case of measles I got caught in a hard rain and measles set in. I got stomach and bowels, I had an awful time and had it not been for the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I could not have possibly lived but a few hours longer, but thanks to this remedy I am now strong and well. I have written the above through sincere gratitude and I shall always speak a good word for this remedy.—Sam H. Galt, Concord, Cal. For sale by Chas. Strang.

Market Report	
This list will be changed each week as prices change:	
Wholesale Price	Retail Price
Flour, \$34 per ton	\$2.00 per 100 lbs
Wheat, \$20 per ton	\$1.50 per 100 lbs
Barley, \$27 per ton	\$1.50 per 100 lbs
Hay, \$20 per ton	\$1.50 per 100 lbs
RETAIL PRICE.	
Wheat in bulk	60c
Oats	40c
Barley	\$1.10 per 100 lbs
Potatoes	\$2.50 per 100 lbs
Eggs, per doz	15c
Butter, per lb	22c
Beans, white dry	\$3.50 per 100 lbs
Beans, red dry	34c
Onions	80c per 100 lbs
Bacon, per lb	12c to 15c
Ham, per lb	15c
Shoulders, per lb	12c
Lard, per lb	12c
Hogs, live, per lb	5 to 6c
Beef, live, per lb	24 to 30c
Mutton, per lb	30c
Chickens, spring	\$3.50 to \$4.50 per doz
Chickens, old	30c per lb
Turkeys	13c per lb
Hay baled, grain	10.00



Do they fit? If they're not EXACTLY right, let us make them so. When we fit you, we fit you ACCURATELY. Long experience, every necessary appliance, and the required knowledge, enabling us to correctly use the same, our own complete workshop, with every facility—even the grinding of special lenses—are all at your disposal here, assuring a service not possible with others less fortunately equipped. Lenses—do your glasses FIT, or nearly fit?

Salon transformed to Ducky Beauty. A ducky skin beauty when delicately and intelligently treated with the radiant glow which radiates from a healthy, active skin. Robertine keeps the skin refined in quality, keeps pores free from clogging waste and stimulates the tiny capillaries to send out the color which gives the blonde and brunette alike. Robertine is certain protection against sunburn and freckles if applied before exposure to sun or wind. Sprinkle like an imperceptible shower over the skin surface, forming a shield against drying and preserving a delicate, beautiful, luminous complexion. Delicately, however, use it.

ROBERTINE

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. In matter of the estate of Jesse Evans, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Jesse Evans, deceased, under the will of said decedent, do hereby offer for sale at public auction on the 22nd day of August, 1917, at my office in Jacksonville, Oregon, several parcels of land and the contents of the same, to-wit: the following described real property belonging to the said estate, to-wit: The west half of the north-east quarter, the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter and the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of section four (4) in township thirty-seven (37) south of range one (1) west of the Williams Meridian in Jackson County, Oregon. Dated June 26th, 1917. J. C. NEWBURY, Administrator of the estate of Jesse Evans, deceased.

H. E. MORRISON, M. D. MEDFORD, OREGON. Office:—Room Palm-Weldmeyer Block. Residence:—Corner South C and Ninth streets.

I. D. PHIPPS, D. D. S. DENTIST. Office: in Adkins Block, adjoining Maxine Drug Store.

G. W. STEPHENSON, PHYSICIAN, SURGEON AND OPTICIAN. Office:—Room 6, Adkins' block, calls promptly attended day or night. Phone 383. Medford, Oregon.

Wm. M. COLVIG, Medford. GEO. B. DURHAM, Grants Pass.

COLVIG & DURHAM. Lawyers. Office in Medford National Bank Building—ground floor.

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John White. White-Thomas Bldg. West Side.

New and Second Hand Store. Located in Barnum Block, near bridge. R. M. HARRISON, Proprietor. All kinds of second-hand goods bought and sold.

FOUR ACRE TRACTS. C. H. Pierce & Son have recently platted 40 acres near Medford into 4 acre tracts, at from \$425 to \$600 each. You will find no better acreage for the money. These tracts are just what you want, so don't go to sleep and let the other fellow get his pick and you take what is left at an advanced price.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. In matter of the Interior. Land Office at Medford, Ore., July 2, 1917. Notice is hereby given that Samuel S. Fouts, of Big Butte, Or., has filed notice of his intention to make a five-year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 12359, made Jan. 23rd 1916, on the S. 26th, N. 18th & W. 12th Sections 14, 15 and 16, Township 34, South of Range 8 East, and that said proof will be made before A. S. Bliton, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Medford, Oregon, on Tuesday, September 11, 1917. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land: William K. Lamb, Frank D. Netherland, James E. Patton, Elmer B. Boardman, all of Big Butte, Oregon, Bert H. Harris, Linus L. Jacobs, all of Medford, Oregon. BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Jackson County. In the matter of the estate of Ann Carr, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the estate of Ann Carr, deceased, has been appointed and is now the duly qualified and acting executor of the estate of said decedent. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present the same properly verified to Colvig & Durham, my attorneys, at their office in Medford, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. JAMES CARR, Executor of the estate of Ann Carr, deceased. Colvig & Durham, Attorneys for estate. Dated July 12, 1917.

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