

DOUGLAS COUNTY'S FRUIT, 50 CARLOADS

OAKLAND, Or., Aug. 26.—Last year the Douglas County Fruit Growers' Association, with which 50 growers were affiliated, shipped from Roseburg 1367 boxes of peaches, 3390 boxes of pears and 5742 boxes of apples, besides a considerable amount of cherries and small fruits and berries. The secretary estimates that the association handles about one-third of the fruit shipped from this county. Multiplying that number by three would give, in the absence of accurate figures, as near a correct estimate of the amount shipped as it would be possible to arrive at, or 4100 boxes of peaches, 10,170 boxes of pears and 17,236 boxes of apples, which would equal almost three carloads of peaches, 21 carloads of pears and almost 27 carloads of apples, which figures are regarded as approximately correct.

WENATCHEE VOTES DRY AT LOCAL OPTION ELECTION

WENATCHEE, Wash., Aug. 26.—The result of the first local option election in Wenatchee is a sweeping victory for the "drys," who won by a majority of 106. The count showed that the "drys" polled 451 of a total of 840 registered voters.

A QUEER PARROT.

The Old Lady Had Reason For Surprise When the Bird Spoke.

A young ventriloquist, being out of an engagement, decided to pay his widowed mother a visit for a few weeks. On arriving he found she was not at home. A few days after his arrival she appeared, bringing with her a parrot and cage which had been given her by a relative. The bird not being able to talk, mother and son spent many tedious hours trying to instruct they gave the job up in despair.

Then a happy idea occurred to the son. Bringing his ventriloquial powers into requisition, gently at first, he made it appear to his mother that the bird had really begun to talk. The mother not knowing the nature of his avocation, he was successful in deceiving her. He had an engagement to fulfill which necessitated his departure.

Coming back after the termination of his contract, he was heartily received by his mother and made very welcome. Soon after his arrival home he commenced and carried on a conversation, as before, with the parrot. Noticing the look of consternation on the countenance of his mother, he inquired what was the matter. Imagine his surprise when she replied:

"Why, the parrot died while you were away, and I had it stuffed and put back in the cage."—Pearson's Weekly.

Diarrhoea.

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EXPERIMENTING WITH NEW ROAD PROCESS

THE DALLES, Or., Aug. 26.—The city authorities are experimenting with street improvements, having started work on a block on Third street between Federal and Laughlin. They are treating the street with oil, first having rounded it up to an even grade and pulverized the earth so that the oil readily penetrates it. The oil is put on hot, and is mixed with the earth by harrowing. After it has been thoroughly mixed it will be packed to a hard surface by rolling it with a 20-ton road roller. When thus finished it is claimed the street will be as solid as if covered with asphalt surface, and will be quite as durable. If it proves what is claimed for this class of improvement, it will be generally adopted here for surfacing the streets, since the cost will be very much less than bitulite or Hassam paving.

Take It Out in Trade.

The proprietor of a certain Turkish bath establishment, seeing a strong looking young man working in a butcher's shop and being impressed by his magnificent muscles, told him to resign and take a rubber's position with him.

"I'll give you more than you are getting now," he said.

The young butcher, resigning in good faith, turned up the next morning at the bath house.

"Well," said the proprietor to him, "I'll put you on at once. What did you get at the butcher's?"

"Six dollars and my week's meat," returned the young man.

"What did that amount to?"

"About \$3."

"Well," said the proprietor, "I offered you more to come here, didn't I?"

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SECOND CREAMERY AT KLAMATH FALLS

KLAMATH FALLS, Or., Aug. 26.—E. Quillitch will have his creamery ready for business next week. A new building has been erected on Oak street and the most modern butter making machinery is being installed. In connection with the creamery a milk route will be operated in this city, giving the public an opportunity to get pasteurized milk, guaranteed to be pure.

The dairying industry is rapidly developing in this section. But a few years have passed since it was believed that a creamery could not be operated at a profit in Klamath county. The creamery at Bonanza soon demonstrated that this was a mistaken idea. Later the one established in this city again demonstrated that a creamery is a paying proposition.

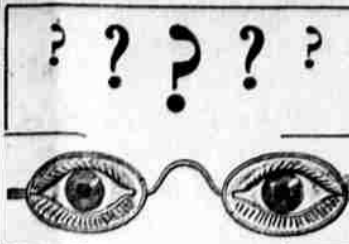
CHASED BEAR WITH BIG AUTOMOBILE

PENDLETON, Or., Aug. 26.—A race occurred yesterday on the road to Meham when Colonel J. H. Raley encountered a big black bear while he was driving his automobile. Bruin was alarmed at the colonel's machine and proceeded down the road closely followed by the honking wagon. The sprint continued for some hundred yards when the shaggy beast leaped off the beaten path into his native element.

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