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### TODAY'S WEATHER PREDICTION.

Clear today and tomorrow. Warmer.

A rare and salubrious climate—soil of remarkable fertility—beautiful scenery—mountains stored with coal, copper and gold—extensive forests—streams stocked with speckled beauties—game in abundance—a contented, progressive people—such is the Rogue River Valley.

Average mean temperature.....55 degrees  
Average yearly precipitation.....21 inches

### BOIL YOUR WATER.

This is the time of year when typhoid epidemics threaten cities. Medford has in the past been remarkably free from typhoid, not over a score of cases, including a few in existence at the present time, having been reported in the past four years.

In every instance of the fever in Medford investigation has shown that well water was used. Not a single case has been traced to the city water, even when Bear creek water was used, and there is no question but that even open ditch water is safer than well water. It is used without harmful results in many of the cities of southern California.

The best preventative to insure infection from water is to boil it. If boiled the germs are killed. If allowed to stand for a couple of days in a jar with an absorbent cotton cork or cover, the water will regain its flavor.

Full protection should be provided from house flies, which are the greatest spreaders of germs known. A few dollars spent in this way often saves many dollars in doctors' bills and funerals.

### THE OREGON TRUST FIASCO.

After having been in charge of the affairs of the failed Oregon Trust and Savings bank for two years, Receiver T. C. Devlin has just discovered that the directors of the institution were guilty of wildcat financeering and the Portland papers are filled with his accusations.

It is strange that Mr. Devlin did not sooner publish his findings; that he should wait until the German-American bank, which assumed the assets and liabilities of the failed bank, had disposed of all the most valuable assets at a loss and left insufficient funds to settle with the remaining depositors, looks suspicious.

Everyone knows that the Oregon Trust bank was conducted in reckless fashion; everyone knew it as the time of the failure; but what the depositors are more concerned about, is why the assets of the bank have not paid out as was expected.

The German-American bank and Receiver Devlin are responsible for the present tangle, and while investigations are the order of the day, the handling of the bank's assets by them should be thoroughly probed, so that the people may know whether or not, as has been hinted, the reckless financing stopped when the directors stepped out and Receiver Devlin stepped in—whether the German-American has not taken the meat and left the shell for the depositors.

### SUNDAY AT THE CHURCHES

#### Christian Church.

Services next Sunday as follows: Bible school at 9:45; preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; C. E. at 7 p. m. W. Theodore Matlock of Newberg will preach at both the morning and evening services. Morning subject, "The World's Greatest Battle." Evening subject, "The Greatest Institution in the World." All members requested to be present. Everybody welcome.

#### St. Mark's Church.

Archdeacon H. D. Chambers will conduct services at the Episcopal church Sunday. Communion at 8 a. m. Second celebration and sermon at 11 a. m. Sermon at 7:30 p. m.

#### Methodist Episcopal Church.

Next Sabbath will be the last Sab-

math in this conference year for the above church. Did you ever hear a sermon on Hallelujah? That will be the subject next Sabbath at 11 a. m. Text, "Hallelujah for the Lord God omnipotent reigneth"—Rev. six: 6. At night the theme will be "The Conclusion of a Wise Thinker Who Saw the Lights and Shades of Life's Panorama." Forrest Edmeades will have charge of the choir, so you can count on good music morning and evening. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. All are invited.

#### Christian Science.

Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Commercial club room. Subject of the lesson-sermon for September 12, "Substance." All are welcome. Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

Stringer has the White River flour, the best flour on earth. 151

### Comedy Stock Company at Bijou.

Beginning Monday evening, September 13, the Darling Stock company will open with their great comedy playlet in one act, "My Uncle From Japan." It is a roar from start to finish. The company is headed by Richard Darling, a very clever actor, who has gained a good reputation for his fine comedy. The balance of the company are Oric Kleppin, Clarice Ingles, Emily Holzer and Miss Driscoll, all clever people. They will change three times each week. Manager Billy Van has booked this company for the winter season and will give Medford people a clean, enjoyable performance. He has also engaged Mr. Henry Gunnison, the popular tenor singer, for illustrated songs. It is not necessary to go into details regarding Mr. Gunnison, as his voice is well known to the public in Medford. Beginning Monday two performances, 7:45 p. m. and 9 p. m. Also high class moving pictures each evening. 150

### Ludwig Piano.

This famous instrument has been sold all over this country by our former representative, and for information as to the satisfaction it gives, ask your neighbors, then follow their advice and see Sherman, Clay & Co. for terms, etc. Halley block. 152

### Jubilee of Joy at The Savoy.

If laughs are worth a cent apiece, you will get \$100 worth tonight at "The Savoy" tonight. For mirth producers "The Mustard Plaster," "Much Ado About Nothing" and "Pomp's Dream" cannot be beat. They cause one continuous roar to burst forth from the seat of joy. Eruption after eruption will shoot out from the crater of mirth. Tonight's entertainment is a tumult of exultation, replete with giggles, titters, sniggers, chuckles, shouts and peals of laughter. Don't fail to dispel your troubles.

Entire change of program tomorrow night. "The Savoy," the place. One dime.

### Miss Helen Claremont Will Open New Ladies' Gymnasium.

At the Wigwam. Girls from various schools will meet daily from 4:15 to 5:15 p. m. Ladies' class at 10 a. m. daily. Lessons begin Monday, September 13. First week's tuition free. Beginning the following week, that of September 20, a charge of 50c per week for all school girls will be made. Ladies' fee for morning class, \$1 per week. Best method ever taught, as no apparatus is used. Come and try it. You'll like it.

Nash Grill open all the time.

## The Last Word

In Harness, Saddles, Bridles, whips Robes, Wag-on Covers, Tents, Blankets, etc., can be found in stock at

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# Big Sale of Ladies' and Childrens Shoes

Having concluded to deal exclusively in Men's Shoes and Furnishings, we will close out at a Special Sale our entire \$2,000.00 stock of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes.

## Sale begins Today, Saturday, September 11th.

These Ladies and Childrens Shoes must go; they will be sold at lower prices than you have ever bought shoes at before. Come in and see for yourself and get sale prices

### You will save 25 to 50 per cent



Now is the time to get children's Shoes and Oxfords. They won't last long at our closing out prices.

Aside from this closing out Shoe Sale, we call attention to our large new line of men's Lion brand Pants; prices range from \$1.75 to \$3.50 per pair; best pants made for the money. Also our men's woolworsted Pants at \$5.00. Imported English Corduroy Pants at \$5.00, and other grades of Corduroy at \$2.50 the pair.



Among our stock are many patterns of ladies' fine quality Slippers, Oxfords and Shoes in welts and turns, vicci kid, gunmetal and calf qualities, will be closed out at prices from, per pair 90c to \$2.75.

We now have our big line of Weber Bros.' Shoes for men at \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 per pair; also the old reliable Chip-pewa men's Shoes in stock in all sizes.

# THE WARDROBE

The Longley \$3.50 Hat for men is the equal of any \$5.00 hat on the market.