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CITY ELECTION

That the city election is drawing near it is the duty of the taxpayers to select men for the council who are not afraid to see the town grow, men who will not wait for someone else to act and then pout because this someone else has advocated a good measure and defeat the proposition.

The charter must be changed. Has anything been done in this direction? We must have water. Has anything been done in this direction? We need sidewalks. Has anything been done in this direction? We need the streets fixed. Has anything been done in this direction? The railroad company should be compelled to fix the street along the tracks. What has the council done in this direction? Think it over.

How Build or Not Build up a Town.

When Cain had killed off one-fourth of the people on the earth—leaving only three, then went into the land of Nod and builded a city, it is evident that he did not sit around like a lump on a log, and growl about the Nod real estate and people. He was not himself, perhaps, the most exemplary of men, and if he had some reason to emigrate from the land of his birth, he did not mope and whine, but got hold of a piece of ground and went to work to do something. The man who could build up a city under such auspices is the kind of material we want in this town; and we will not inquire too minutely into his antecedents, so that he takes hold like a man and be good at last.

But what is more, Cain did not advise his son to "go west, and get out of the old dead town." He named the city after him, believed in it, worked for it, bought his goods there and kept his money at home. Does anybody suppose that when strangers came to Enoch, (name of the city) with any notion of going into business there, Cain told them it was a "dead old town," that it was established by a murderer, that the water was bad; its merchants all sharks, and its mechanics botches—that the town was not healthy and would "never amount to anything no how." Does anybody suppose that when he wanted to invest a few dollars in dry goods he hustled off to the city, or that he only went to the merchants of "Enoch" when he wanted a favor—wanted "a little time?"

Do you think he ever went away from home to get lumber that could be had at better rates in "Enoch"

than elsewhere, or to Cincinnati for cheap buggies when the "home manufacturer" could meet every demand with more stylish and substantial rigs?

Do you suppose he went moping around about taxes being too high in Enoch and no one there knowing anything about business? No, sir. He evidently was not built that way. If taxes were high, he got up and hustled to increase the value of property, so that there would be greater values to tax. He built houses and encouraged others to do so. If city lots got too low he bought up a dozen or two, scattered here and there, for the double purpose of personal profit and strengthening values. On these he put up plenty of houses at reasonable figures, good ones, too, so that when any one came to Enoch he did not have to move into an old tumble-down shanty or move on. He improved and beautified every lot, kept the weeds down and set out trees on the lots and in front of them, even where he did not build, thus adding to the value of each lot and adjoining property as well. He found that it did not take so much money to run a colony, well kept town as it did a dilapidated, God-forsaken one, and there were four times the values on which to raise the required money. That's the way he lowered taxation, not by sitting on a stump and howling about it. If a man wanted to run a factory, or some other enterprise, he was not afraid the fellow wanted to make some money, but told him to "sail in and I'll help you all I can. A business that does not make money is no good. We want every legitimate business in Enoch to make money, and piles of it."

A MAN SAID

A man of some prominence with a business standing in this county made a remark to a friend while standing on the little worn out platform of the R. V. R. R. business office a few days ago that might interest the people of Jacksonville. He said: "It is a shame that the people of Jacksonville should allow such poor accommodations for the traveling public to exist. Look at the filthy condition of the railroad yards right here in the heart of the city. If the people don't do something they should lose the court house, and this is bound to come if the railroad company don't give better service and put in a comfortable waiting room. It is the duty of the city council to pass laws and enforce them, it is their duty to see that this nuisance does not exist."

The visitor was told that the Jacksonville Post had exposed the company's business methods and advocated a change through the paper.

The visitor replied that "the paper is alright in advocating a change but can do nothing unless the council will push the matter. The paper can stir up public opinion but it costs money for an individual to undertake a matter of this kind while it would cost the city nothing to pass an ordinance."

This man is a reader of the Post now although the editor has never seen the man he wrote a very kind letter, and spoke the truth. We got the quotations second hand but the party said that it was as near the words he spoke as he could remember.

RICH ROGUE RIVER VALLEY

That the Rogue Valley is rapidly becoming a fruit center can be no better demonstrated than by a trip through the valley.

Large and small tracts of land is being prepared for the young trees on all sides.

The Rogue River Courier say that 14,000 acres are being prepared for fruit and 50,000 trees and 255,000 grape vines have been ordered.

With this vast amount of stock ordered and the season is not over it is only reasonable to presume that these figures will fall short.

The tokay grape, grown in the valley, is one of the best crops and an acknowledged money maker. This grape thrives to perfection along the foothills of Jacksonville and there yet remains thousands of acres of the best grape soil to be found anywhere within a reasonable walking distance from Jacksonville.

The best prices cannot be had for our fruit on account of the small quantity grown, but when this valley is one vast orchard and vineyard we can expect better prices, our fruit will be better known and the consumer will ask for Rogue River fruit.

PIONEERS DIE

William Klahn, one of the oldest settlers of Coos Bay died Friday, December 25, 1908, at his home in Empire, aged 65 years. The deceased settled at Coos Bay in 1866.

John B. Dalley, a pioneer of 1854, died at Coquille, Oregon, Monday, December 28, 1908. The deceased was at the time of his death treasurer of Coos county and has represented his county in the legislature in early days.

SPECIAL OFFER

To the readers of the the Telegram: We ask your co-operation during the coming year to help push The Telegram. We ask this with a good deal of confidence for the reason that every reader knows we have stood for nothing but what was the best for the State and the people. We have tried to make The Telegram something more than an independent newspaper. It has been that, it has been outspoken and plainspoken as well, but it has likewise been peculiarly the representative of the best thought and aspiration of the people. No paper in the state has taken such advanced moral grounds and none has fought so consistently for what was right and decent.

It is on the principle that we have done something to deserve it that we ask you not only to take advantage of the proposition we have to make you, but to be kind enough to pass it along to a friend or two with a recommendation to them to do likewise.

Once again we propose a special Mail Order Day, for February 1, 1909. FOR THIS DAY ONLY you can secure The Telegram daily by Mail Order Day Rates, as follows:

The Daily Telegram (under this offer, one day only) by mail, one year,

will cost you \$3.75. Saturday Telegram only, one year, will cost you \$1.25. Subscriptions mailed on February 1, OR ANY DAY PRIOR, will be acceptable under this offer. Hoping to receive a prompt reply, and that you will influence your neighbor to follow your example, we beg to remain

Yours very truly,
THE EVENING TELEGRAM
JOAN F. CARROLL,
Manager.

The Pure Food Law.

Secretary Wilson says: "One of the objects of the law is to inform the consumer of the presence of certain harmful drugs in medicines." The law requires that the amount of chloroform, opium, morphine and other habit forming drugs be stated on the label of each bottle. The manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have always claimed that their remedy did not contain any of these drugs, and the truth of this claim is now fully proven, as no mention of them is made on the label. This remedy is not only one of the safest, but one of the best in use for coughs and colds. Its value has been proven beyond question during the many years it has been in general use. For sale by City Drug Store.

The Weather.

Following is the report of U. S. Volunteer Cooperative Observer, E. Britt; for Jacksonville, for month of December Latitude 42 deg. 18. min. north; longitude 123 deg. 5 min. west.

DATE	MAXIMUM	MINIMUM	PRECIPITATION	CH. CT. OF DAY
1	45	32	.10	Cloudy
2	46	36	.28	Cloudy
3	45	31		Cloudy
4	50	36		clear
5	45	31		Cloudy
6	40	31		Cloudy
7	39	32		Cloudy
8	32	32		Cloudy
9	50	35		clear
10	42	27		Cloudy
11	35	25		Cloudy
12	43	25		Cloudy
13	43	32	.10	Cloudy
14	39	29		Cloudy
15	35	29		Cloudy
16	43	29		Cloudy
17	35	21	.86	Clear
18	36	17	.22	Clear
19	39	20		Cloudy
20	40	22		Cloudy
21	42	29		Cloudy
22	43	33		Cloudy
23	42	35		Cloudy
24	35	30		Cloudy
25	27	26		Cloudy
26	46	34		Cloudy
27	45	37		Cloudy
28	47	36		Part cloudy
29	44	31	trace	Cloudy
30	45	29		Cloudy
31	49	36		Cloudy

Temperature—mean max. 42.39; mean min. 30.39; mean 35.38. Max. 52 on 8d, min. 17, on 18; greatest range 20. Precipitation—Total for month, 1.97 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, .86 inches on 22nd.

Change in Southern Pacific Time Table.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.
No. 15.....10.35 A. M.
No. 13.....3.20 P. M.
No. 225 (coach for Ashland) 10.15 P. M.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.
No. 14.....9.49 A. M.
No. 16.....5.24 P. M.

Note carefully that No. 16 North bound leaves 15 minutes earlier than heretofore.
No. 13 arriving at 3.20 P. M. will have the Portland dailies of that morning's issue.

These changes effective May 17, 1908.

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Jacksonville Bakery L. V. Larsen, Prop.

IS IT CHINA YOU WANT

THE new China Store has on exhibition a beautiful showing of Christmas goods. All the latest designs in China and Dinnerware. Nice line of dolls.

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JACKSONVILLE.

THE RECEPTION

LUY & KEEGAN, Props.

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Holiday Presents

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CITY DRUG STORE

J. W. ROBINSON, Proprietor

REAL ESTATE

\$6000	55 acres, fruit, alfalfa, grain, near town.
5000	30 acres, 10 acres grapes, balance esily cleared.
1500	80 acres, 15 acres cleared balance timber.
3750	120 acres, 35 acres meadow, good ditch, stock ranch.
2750	25 acres, alfalfa, good ditch.
8000	40 acres, in orchard, near growing town.
3000	60 acres, best of orchard land, good location.
2750	26 acres, 10 acres in trees balance timber.
4000	12 1/2 acres, orchard and alfalfa, an ideal home.
3250	160 acres, good fruit land, good location.
10,500	35 acres, orchard and alfalfa, good improvements.
1650	13 acres, orchard land on good road, near town.
4500	28 acres, alfalfa or fruit land, fine locality.
5500	20 acres, alfalfa land with improvements, near town.
2500	10 acres, in alfalfa best of land near town.
3000	5 acres, in alfalfa and fruit, good 8 room house, other out buildings, near town.

We have a large list of other property not herein specified. Improved and unimproved at reasonable prices. Stock ranches, farming and fruit land in the best location. A crop failure in the vicinity is unknown.

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