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### What Ye Hear.

"Take heed what ye hear" as to slanderous reports and insinuations. There is a vast amount of defamation in the world. Perhaps we have all suffered more or less by it, hence one would think we might be prepared to estimate it at its real value. But notwithstanding our own experience in regard to its evils, how prone we are to listen to what evil tongues may say of our neighbors! though jealous enough for our own reputation we seem to have little concern for that of others. We should remember that we have no more right to hear what evil tongues may say, than evil tongues have to say, what they ought not. We could not give the tongue of slander a more pointed and successful rebuke than to refuse to listen to it. If we are watchful of our ears, others would be constrained to bridle their tongues. If all men were deaf and blind there would be no slander, because there would be none to hear or read it, and the unruly member would of necessity be kept in order. But now there are hearers and readers, and hence the tongue and pen must be guarded. Idle word are often the cause of inestimable mischief. A good name is rather to be chosen than riches. But the tongue of slander may rob us of our good name and leave us poor indeed. What havoc has been made of the peace and happiness of individuals, of families, of neighborhoods by an evil tongue! What were but trifles are swelling into importance by repetition, and thus difficulties which a single word might have explained and healed, increase in magnitude and as last become incurable. The tongue will be evil while the heart is wrong, for out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh. The best remedy for an evil tongue is a new heart, but as even the best of us are sanctified in part, we must adopt such a remedy as will meet the evil from whatever source it may come; and this is the remedy: Take heed what ye hear. We must refuse to listen to what the evil tongue says. Listening to slander is so readily related to slander itself that, if we give place to the one, we are likely to be infected with the other. The listener is partaker with the speaker; therefore, at all times, now and ever, take heed what ye hear—don't hear everything, and don't repeat everything you hear.

### AT A BARGAIN

Several 10 acre tracts of the best Bear Creek bottom land at prices from \$50 to \$185 per acre. Jacksonville Real Estate Co., Adolf Schulz, Mgr.

## Governor's Message

Read Tuesday

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placed under one board of regents and their report has been filed with the governor. It will be found that there is a great uniformity in the course of study, and a better system in vogue in these schools, under one board of regents, than was possible under a board of control for each. There is no question but that there is a necessity for training schools for teachers for the public schools of the state, and if these training schools are to be maintained they ought to be placed on a basis of the highest efficiency. A majority of the board of regents have recommended the continuance of the normal schools at Monmouth, Ashland and Weston, and have called attention to their needs if they are to be continued.

I trust the legislature will at once and for all settle the normal school question, and probably the best way to do it is to act upon the recommendations of the regents and make provisions for maintaining three schools in the state.

### INDIAN WAR VETERANS

For more than half a century the state has neglected to pay a just debt due from it to those who risked their lives and gave their property for the protection of the homes of the early settlers of the state. Claims of the survivors of these wars have been paid within the past few years as far as personal services were concerned, but the state has neglected to compensate them for the use of their horses or for those that were disabled or lost. If the obligation for personal service was a just one, the latter is equally as binding upon the state, and the survivors of these early wars ought to be paid by the state the moneys which the state cannot afford to repudiate.

### RAILROAD COMMISSION

The railroad commission has been in existence scarcely two years, but the work it has done has already vindicated the judgement of those who advocated its creation with ample powers and the legislature which passed it. The commission has moved with caution and with extreme conservatism but it has accomplished splendid results, and its members are to be commended. Attention was first given to the betterment of the service, and a comparison of the service today with that of two years ago is invited to prove that its efforts have resulted in an improvement.

The commission has taken up many questions involving rates, and some of these are pending in the courts.

Although no funds were made available for that purpose, the commission has been investigating and making considerable progress in arriving at the valuation of the various railroads in the state, following the Wisconsin and Minnesota plan of having the railroads submit inventories and appraisals carrying the original cost and the cost of reproduction. Testimony has already been taken as to about 800 miles, and the railroads are preparing inventories and appraisals as to about 1100 miles more. This when done, will cover practically all the important lines in the state.

The commission is to be commended for the splendid work it has done, is doing and will do. It has usually been

able to get the railroads to comply with its requirements without litigation and it is probable that much more can be done in the future than has been done in the past.

### OREGON NATIONAL GUARD

The Oregon national guard has never been in a higher state of efficiency than at this time. Larger support is given each year by congress to the state for assisting in the equipment, maintaining and instructing the national guard, because it is better understood now than ever before; that in time of war it is to a well-trained militia that we must look for protection. In the very nature of things the standing army is small, but it serves the purpose of protection in times of peace and is a splendid factor for instruction whenever it becomes necessary to call the militia into service.

### WATER LEGISLATION

A carefully prepared code of water laws was submitted to the last legislature for enactment, but was defeated. The need for such legislation was apparent then; it is more apparent now and as time slips by and more land is brought under irrigation, the difficulties growing out of conflicting claims to the use of water become more difficult of adjustment. It ought to receive the careful consideration of the legislature.

### UNAPPROPRIATED WATER POWER

The appropriated water powers of the state ought to be reserved for the use of the public. Many of the most valuable water powers have been appropriated by corporations and individuals, not for present, and sometimes not even for future use, but for the purpose of speculation. There is some evidence that a deliberate purpose has been formed by persons in other states who understand and know the future uses to which these water powers of mountain and other streams. Some steps ought to be taken to prevent this.

### CONCLUSION

In conclusion, gentlemen, permit me to express the hope that you may approach the duties incumbent on you in a spirit of compromise and patriotism. All legislation is the result of compromise, because men are so constituted by nature as to differ sometimes essentially on questions that vitally affect the public welfare. Upon one thing we are all agreed, we love this magnificent commonwealth and its institutions, and however much we may differ on non-essentials, we are agreed that we only want to do those things which will be productive of the greatest good to the greatest number.

I promise you that I will, with the help of Him who doeth all things well, assist you as best I can in the discharge of our mutual obligations to the people of the state, whose servants we are.

### BORN

EDWARDS—At Hutton Ca', Jan. 8 1909, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards a ten pound boy.

A few toys left at the Boss.

### 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	CHER'CT'R OF DAY
1	45	32	.10	Cloudy
2	45	31	.28	Cloudy
3	45	31		Cloudy
4	50	35		clear
5	48	31		Cloudy
6	49	31		"
7	39	32		"
8	32	32		clear
9	50	32		"
10	42	27		"
11	35	28		Cloudy
12	43	32		"
13	43	32	.10	"
14	39	29		Cloudy
15	39	29		"
16	49	29		"
17	35	21		"
18	36	17	.36	"
19	39	20	.22	Clear
20	40	22		"
21	42	29		"
22	43	33		Cloudy
23	42	35		"
24	38	30		"
25	37	26		"
26	46	34		"
27	45	37		"
28	47	35		Part cloudy
29	44	34	trace	"
30	49	29		"
31	49	33		"

Temperature—mean max. 42.39; mean min. 30.39; mean 36.38. Max. 52 on 2d, min. 17, on 18; greatest range 20.  
Precipitation—Total for month, 1.97 inches. Greatest in 24 hours, .36 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.

When in Medford stop at the Emerick where the finest of meals are served and the most courteous attention given. Try us and see. 11-1f

### ASHLAND COMMERCIAL COLLEGE

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Business and Shortband Training, thorough and practical.  
6 months scholarship.....\$45.00.  
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## Don't Worry

About baking when you can order exactly what you want any day from the Jacksonville Bakery

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For Wedding Cakes or Pastry for your Sunday dinner you can do no better than call on the

## Jacksonville Bakery L. V. Larsen, Prop.

## IS IT CHINA YOU WANT

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## McGLASHAN & JUNKEN JACKSONVILLE.

## THE RECEPTION

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Sole Agents Albany Beer

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NOVELTIES, LEATHER GOODS, RUBBER GOODS, STATIONERY, DAY BOOKS, LEDGERS, WRITING TABLETS, SCHOOL SUPPLIES, MAGAZINES, CUT GLASS WARE, POCKET KNIVES, ETC. The largest supply in the city to select from.

A COMPLETE LINE OF DRUGS

## CITY DRUG STORE

J. W. ROBINSON, Proprietor

## REAL ESTATE

\$5000	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	25 acres, 10 acres in trees balance timber.
4000	12½ 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	23 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.

If you want to buy or sell come and see us. Our prices are right.

## Jacksonville Real Estate Company

ADOLF SCHULZ, Manager

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