



A Recipe

JUST HOW TO COOK A ROAST QUITE WELL,
THAT'S WHAT ALL DO NOT KNOW.
THE FIRST THING IS TO GET YOUR MEAT,
AND THEN THE FIRE MUST GLOW.
DONT SPOIL THE MEAT AND WASTE THE FIRE
BUT HAVE A WIRE GAUZE DOOR
PUT ON YOUR RANGE AND ROASTS WILL TASTE
BETTER THAN E'ER BEFORE!

IF YOU WANT THE BEST,
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WIRE GAUZE OVEN DOORS.
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Salt Mackerel
" Salmon
" Herring
" Codfish
Smoked Halibut
" Salmon
" Herring

Canned Fish

...OF ALL KINDS

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The Grocer.

MACKSBURG.

And naught but grief is felt.
The mourning trees around the door,
The empty house cries she's no more.

Then to the silent grove
With anxious steps I flee,
But, oh, thou cruel earth
To keep my love from me;
To keep her from this aching breast
When with grief my soul's oppress'd.

Then to the house of God,
With haste I quick repair,
But though the house is full,
Her seat is empty there;
Her lovely voice no more I hear
No more her music charmingly.

O, Lord, be thou my aid,
Reassign me to thy will,
Teach me to walk in truth,
My duty to fulfill;
That when I die my soul shall rise,
To dwell with her above the skies.

February 3d. SHORTY.

with Mrs. Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mulvey, of Salem, who have been spending a few days visiting his father's, have returned home.

C. T. Howard went to Portland Tuesday to attend the meeting of the republican clubs.

Mr. James Carrin of Ely is hauling flour for the mill.

There will be another spelling school at the school house Friday night, and all are cordially invited, but hereafter all the young men and boys are expected to spend the time in spelling.

February 5th. CITIZEN.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of Oregon City vs Clackamas county regarding the use of the road fund on the streets of the city was decided by Judge McBride in circuit court yesterday against the city. The main point upon which the case was decided was the unconstitutionality of that part of the city charter which assumed to take control of the county road fund and use it in the city. Geo. C. Brownell appeared for the county and raised the point that the charter was unconstitutional.

Last week the COURIER said that the grand jury sat 18 days, longer than any previous one. Some seem to think it means "18 days longer" which is not so. It sat 18 days, 8 days longer, which includes the two sittings—November and January. The grand jury has probably saved some money by disposing of cases that would have otherwise gone over until the April term, the prisoners being fed by the county.

From the experts report we find that \$38,500 was spent on the road of the county last year.

Geo. Foreman vs. county, judgment for \$30.

C Harrington vs S M Miller, testimony ordered taken.

J C Moreland vs Geo O Rineason, judgment for \$110.63 and costs.

Petition of R J Shockley for road, judgment for appellant, D. Mayers.

K. L. Sabin vs H J Harding, judgment for \$307.83 and costs.

John Foster vs R Guntenbein, sale confirmed.

Chas Riskey vs W T Burney et als, debt allowed until next term to answer.

A G White vs Oregon City, plaintiff allowed 15 days to amend.

O O T Williams vs C W Stratton et als sale confirmed.

M. Hooford vs Chas Schmidt, jury verdict for defendant.

Thos Duffy et al vs S L Fout et al, dismissed.

State vs H Koehler, plead guilty and sentence suspended.

State vs Jas Bell for rape, trial set for April 28th.

T L Charman vs A W Schwan and A L Sindow, until March 1st allowed for filing bill of exception.

P F M Coyes H J Harding, judgment for \$189.75.

Charman & Son vs B E Hawley, confession of judgment for \$308.20 and costs.

Following court expenses were allowed:

Chas E Runyon, reporter.....\$40 00
W N Barrett, dist attorney.....100 00
T W Fouts, bailiff.....39 00
Thos M Miller, bailiff.....45 00
Max Schulpfus, grand jury bailiff. 18 00

Dallemand & Co vs R F Davis, judgment for \$123.85 and costs.

Jos Hedges vs Libbia A Bates, thrown out for defect in proceedings.

H O Stevens vs Henry Peckover et al, judgment for \$439 75 and costs.

Thos Charman vs P A Surface et al, new execution ordered.

E H Monk vs Ed Dupuis et al, judgment for \$431.70 and costs.

Assignment of H Wilbern, correction of deed ordered.

A B Marquam, appointed assignee of E M Hartman, an insolvent debtor, J. T Drake resigned.

COLTON.

The sun at this writing is just above the horizon and it is beautiful, clear morning. The snow on the mountains and the clear sun light just above it almost dazzles the eyes.

School in district No. 74 was out yesterday. The closing exercises consisted of declamations. The Colton school holds some very good spellers and some that are pretty fair in history. Miss Besse Hubbard is the most advanced scholar in arithmetic and Miss Grace Gorbett is the next. There were quite a number of visitors present.

We are having a very easy winter and stock looks well, though a good many losses have died this winter. P. Bonney has a very sick horse and it's very probable it will die. Mr. Gorbett lost his second cow, she getting hurt in some way.

The Milk Creek sawmill is turning out as fine lumber, rough and dressed, as you can get any where, and a good lot of it since the new machinery has been put in. Mr. Gorbett has put up some sheds to shelter the lumber and is going to put up some more.

There was a gathering of young folks at the Widow Gottberg's last night, they must have enjoyed themselves as some of them did not get in till 5 o'clock this morning.

On the 10th of this month there is to be preaching at the Colton school house by the Free Methodist.

Two of the Dix brothers are logging for Gorbett's saw mill and putting in some fine logs.

Mr. C. Hunter had a house raising yesterday—another ranch on the foot hill.

Mr. Robeson rolled logs a couple of days this week; so the work of improvement goes on.

February 12. PIXV.

MOOD VIEW.

Mr. George Bailey is quite sick.

Miss Maud Seely who has been confined to her bed for the last ten weeks with rheumatism, is able to sit up.

Mr. Fred Geer, one of Butteville's oldest pioneers, is quite sick.

Master Paul Headrick is no better at last accounts.

The gentleman who recently purchased the Wilson farm has lost two horses and still has another one sick. He has purchased W. W. Graham's fine team of grays. Mr. Swartz has a sick horse, also Mr. Geo. Daily, b. sides there are a number of others who have them with a slight touch of staggers or something similar.

Miss Nettie Wood has gone to Portland for a few weeks' stay.

Miss Martha Boeberg, Miss Emma Harms and Miss Augusta Schlickeisere were in Portland this week.

Mr. W. W. Graham spent the greater part of this week in Salem, Newberg and Albany.

The I. A. S. Club will give a grand masquerade ball in Saas brothers' hall Friday evening, February 21st. All are invited; good music and supper.

February 11th. SARA.

RURAL DELL.

We are having having beautiful weather now. The farmers will go to plowing in a few days if the weather continues good.

Mr. Warnock has been on the sick list for a few days but is better.

Mr. Soles and son have been making rails for J. J. Bigelow the past week.

The Free Methodists have been holding meetings at the Rural Dell school house during the past week.

There is a singing school going on at the Symurnia church.

Mrs. Douglas has been having the mumps but is about well now.

Milo Foutz has finished one term of school and is liked very well. He has three months yet to teach.

Mary and Emma Eyman have gone to Portland to work.

February 8. DEW DROR.

MULINO.

Mr. Duffy the mail-carrier on the Meadowbrook route has built a small cottage in which to batch. Some of "Uncle Sam's servants," at least, are not getting rich.

There was preaching at the grange hall last Sunday at 3 p. m. by the M. E. minister, Rev. McClacklin.

Miss Elsie Taylor, teacher in the Stipp district, spent Saturday and Sunday

CARUS.

The Evangelical church is all enclosed and the roof on. The neighbors are lending a helping hand on the building.

R. Fanton is logging for O'Conner's sawmill with Cahill's oxen.

A prize will be given the two most conical costumes at the masked ball at the grange hall February 22d.

The south Carus literary society completed its organization last Friday evening by adopting a constitution and by-laws and the election of P. Adams as president and E. H. Cooper secretary and treasurer. A good program was rendered to a full house, but owing to the work of organization the debate was postponed until next meeting. The question is, "Resolved, That a spend-thrift is a bigger nuisance than a miser." The leaders are T. Flynn and J. Thomas.

School district No. 295 agitating the division question.

P. Adams horses are getting better.

E. B. Stark had the bad luck to have his partly built barn blown down a short time ago.

B. J. Helrey is on the sick list.

February 11. GRANGER.

REDLAND.

W. Sprague and family were visiting F. Sellman Sunday.

There was a surprise party given Miss Ernestina Spees on last Saturday evening. An enjoyable time was reported.

D. Catto, J. W. Linn, B. Franklin and Miss Cora Leek and John Potter attended the dance at Jones' mill Saturday night. All returned home in the rain but had a good time just the same.

F. Sagar of Highland was visiting at Linn's mill Sunday.

Miss Ida Young was visiting S. C. Linn a few days last week.

Mrs. Lewis of California is visiting her brother, F. Sellman.

E. Wallis of Highland was in Redland Sunday.

February 10. "ENGINEER."

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