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WEAK ARGUMENT.

The weakness of a Weston publication's argument for the retention of the normal school at that point was quickly recognized by the Oregonian, and cleverly turned against the champion of the Weston normal.

It is a noticeable fact that students attending the state university, for example, come, for the most part, from families abundantly able to care for their education.

Sometimes this view may be taken of the question. There is a prevailing illusion that the state treasury is an immense reservoir filled with gold to be drawn on to satisfy the whims and fancies of men sent to the legislature.

COUNTRY JOURNALISM.

The Roseburg Plaindealer announces a change of ownership. Roseburg is fortunate in the enjoyment of two wide-awake up-to-date newspapers and her well-wishers will hope to see no deterioration in this respect because of the Plaindealer's change of management.

Readers expect a paper to have life, to keep up with the times, to grow. Each succeeding year should reveal its improved features. They are entitled to expect in it individuality.

Many Oregon newspaper men seem to make no effort to get out a readable paper. It will add to the prestige of the Oregon press if every publisher of a country weekly will strive to make his paper wide-awake, newsy and progressive.

SLUSH AND ROT.

The Silvertonian Appeal devotes the editorial page of its last issue to an eulogistic nominating speech of Walter L. Tooze for congress.

"It has been definitely announced that Marion county has a candidate for congressional nomination from the First congressional district in the person of Hon. Walter L. Tooze," etc., runs the opening clause of the article.

"Mr. Tooze was congressional chairman last campaign" (suggesting, we presume, that we have him to thank for the election of the honorable, highly-esteemed and generally-revered Binger Hermann), "and has so conspicuously and generally filled other positions of trust and honor" (their name and nature not being definitely set out in this article).

No doubt they will fall over each other in their mad rush to cast a ballot for the great, the notorious, the wonderful—well, what?

SCHOOLHOUSE AT KESLO BURNS.

Fire Near Sandy Also Destroys Canning's Barn and Grain.

Entailing a loss of several hundred dollars, the schoolhouse at Kelso, near Sandy, was burned to the ground last Friday evening and not a vestige of the building remains.

Superintendent of County Schools J. C. Zinser received a brief account of the fire from T. G. Jonsrud, justice of the peace at Sandy. The origin of the fire was not stated.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS.

Do Not Endanger Your Life and Health When a Cure is So Easy.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint—backache, urinary disorders, lameness and stiffness in the back, and allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is afforded them? Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

Mrs. Conradina Arnold, of 400 East First St., Albany, Or., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills did me a deal of good. I used them for rheumatic pains across the small of my back and down through the sides which were very severe when I stopped to lift anything or sat in one position for any length of time.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Sale of Fairclough Brothers store on the corner of Main and Tenth street to J. C. Zinser, county superintendent of schools, was consummated Monday, and the purchaser took immediate possession of the establishment.

"I find Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets more beneficial than any other remedy I ever used for stomach trouble," says J. P. Klote, of Edma, Mo. For any disorder of the stomach, biliousness or constipation, these tablets are without a peer.

Carl Nehren, who drives the delivery wagon for the Cascade Laundry, was the victim of an attempted hold-up Saturday night while driving from Canemah to Oregon City. Near the Portland Flouring Mill Company a man sprang in front of the horse and demanded that he halt, but Nehren applied the whip to his horse and escaped.

MOLALLA GRANGE FAIR.

Market Place Is to Be Established for the Benefit of Farmers.

Molalla Grange, No. 310, held a very profitable and enjoyable meeting last Saturday, September 2, work being done in the four degrees. Visitors were present from Illinois, also from a neighboring Grange.

Topics discussed: "When is the proper time to gather apples and the best mode of marketing the same?" There is to be established at this coming Fair a market place, where all kinds of farm products and stock may be sold for a small per cent of the selling. Our contest is still doing good work for our organization.

Resolved, That this Grange has lost an honored member, his son a loving father and the community a respected citizen; and be it further

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for a period of 30 days and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his son at Seattle and also to each of the county papers.

No need to fear sudden attacks of cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea, summer complaint of any sort if you have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the medicine chest.

The wedding of Miss Louise Steiner, of Beaver Creek, to Rev. W. F. Essig, of Chicago, was solemnized at the Beaver Creek Congregational church, Tuesday, August 31.

The bride wore a very beautiful dress of white lansdown silk, trimmed with lace. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. Essig, of Beaver Creek, assisted by Rev. J. Hopp, of Portland. After the ceremony that made the happy couple man and wife, the guests all returned to the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Steiner, where they sat down to a sumptuous wedding supper, after which games were played until a late hour, when all departed.

Sick headache absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures Constipation and Indigestion. Makes you eat, sleep, work and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. 25c and 50c. Huntley Bros Co.

German Society Formed. Open charter of the recently formed German Society of Oregon City has been extended until October 8, the second Sunday in that month, when it will positively be closed.

Knows enough to carry an umbrella when it rains, but the wise one is who carries one when it is only clouding over. Doan's Kidney Pills are the best medicine for kidney complaint.



Not only the Oriental but the Occident has long known the medicinal value of the Opuntia, or cholla cactus. It is a native medicinal plant. With the use of chemically pure glycerine, of proper strength and at a proper sustained temperature, Dr. Pierce extracts from Golden Seal root, Queen's root, Stone root, Black Chertroot, Bloodroot and Mandrake root, medicinal principles, which, when combined in just the right proportions, constitute his widely famed "Golden Medical Discovery."

All medical authorities, of whatever school, agree that Hydrastis, or Golden Seal—one of the essential parts in the make-up of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery—is of very great value as a pure tonic, and as an alternative—valuable in chronic affections of the stomach, in listlessness and indigestion.

THOUSANDS OF FAIR WOMEN HERALD PRAISES OF PE-RU-NA.

Catarrh and Catarrhal Diseases Make Invalids of More Women Than All Other Ailments Combined.



Suffered Long With Catarrh.

Miss Clara Case, 715 9th street, N. W., Washington, D. C., writes: "I can think of no event in my life that fills me with more gratitude and at the same time a sense of future security, as a cure after long suffering from catarrh, brought about by using Peruna as directed. It has completely cured me."—Clara Case.

Entire System Toned by Pe-ru-na.

Miss Mary Bennett, 1619 Addison Ave., Chicago, Ill., writes: "A few months ago I contracted a cold by getting my feet wet, and although I used the usual remedies I could not shake it off. I finally took Peruna. In a week I was better. After several weeks I succeeded in ridding myself of any trace of a cold, and besides the medicine had toned up my system so that I felt splendid."—Mary Bennett.

Physicians Had Given Up the Case—Now Entirely Well.

Miss Gertrude Linford, Vice President Parkside Whist Club and teacher of Whist, 221 Niagara street, Buffalo, N. Y., writes: "Peruna has effectually cured me after physicians had practically given up my case. For a long time I suffered with catarrh of the kidneys, had a weakness and pain in the back, lost flesh rapidly, my feet were swollen, my face was puffed under the eyes and I had a waxy sallowness of the skin. I took Peruna for some time and am entirely well. I cannot endorse Peruna too strongly."—Gertrude Linford.

Miss Nalley's Story—Short, But Interesting to Every Woman.

Miss Addie Nalley, 137 D street, S. E., Washington, D. C., writes: "A cough, the grip, catarrh of the meanest kind—all sorts of remedies, home, patent and prescribed by doctors, and no relief—that tells my story, a story of suffering and distress that lasted four years. Then—three bottles of Peruna—catarrh gone, appetite and strength returned—a happy woman, and none more grateful for the blessing of health—that is what Peruna has done for me."—Addie Nalley. A reward of \$10,000 has been deposited in the Market Exchange Bank, Columbus, Ohio, as a guarantee that the above testimonials are genuine; that we hold in our possession, authentic letters certifying to the same. During many years' advertising we have never used a single spurious testimonial.

If you suffer from catarrh in any form, do not delay. Take Peruna at once. Delays are dangerous.

Mohawk Bldg. Third and Morrison Sts. ROBERTS BROS. GIVERS OF THE BEST VALUES Portland's Fastest Growing Store

Headquarters For New Fall Dress Goods YOU WANT HAVE TO GO SHOPPING around town for what you need if you come here first to our Dress Goods Department. There is the largest variety of worthy goods, the products of the world's famous looms. The prices are a revelation of the saving effected by modern storekeeping methods. Here are a few of them, temptingly low.

Our First Fall Showing, New Shoes at \$3 and \$3.50 You can never build something up by tearing something down. We could never have made this department the great success it now is by giving you inferior goods. No matter what the price was the value was in the shoes. We have never had to face the unpleasantness of complaints. We do not intend you shall be dissatisfied in the future. We are now showing the new Fall styles in women's Footwear. They are right in style and wearing qualities, with prices on the Roberts Bros.' basis that means \$1.00 to \$2.00 saved on every pair. We haven't missed buying all the new leathers and styles—the prices are \$3 00 and \$3.50, according to quality. A few Hundred Pairs of the Famous Burte Hand-made Shoes Left at \$2.23

Special Ribbon Items Handsome assortment of new Ribbons for Fall. 5-inch Persian Novelty Stripe Ribbon, shading from Light to dark—Special, yard . . . . . 30c 5-inch wide Messaline Taffeta Ribbon, in all colors—yard . . . . . 15c Fine Assortment Embroideries Special purchase of 25,000 yards Embroidery from two of the foremost New York importers. They were overstocked and wanted to unload; after the season's selling offered them to us at exactly manufacturer's cost. It will pay you to lay in a supply of these dainty embroideries for the coming season. 20c and 25c embroideries for—yard . . . . . 10c 50c and 75c Corset-Cover Embroideries for—Yard . . . . . 25c Women's Neckwear Embroidered Turnover Top Collars, embroidery on Swiss and linen; 10c values for . . . . . 5c Wash Collars with tabs; regular 25c—special, each . . . . . 15c Lace Collars, some of the prettiest neck pieces you ever saw on 19c