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on that which produces the best quality of home made bread and for other necessary baking. It's true economy. It contains nature's richest nourishment. Our flour is absolutely the best value and has long since proven itself to be a family friend.



PORTLAND FLOURING MILLS CO.
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There's a steadily increasing number of members to our Monday Club—they are women who have abolished the blues from "Blue Monday," by sending their laundry to us, and we do the worrying. There's room for one more member—say when—

OREGON CITY LAUNDRY

AUTO REPAIRS

We sell Red Crown Gasoline
FIFTH ST. GARAGE

F. B. SHOENBORN
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 F. B. SHOENBORNS

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Solve the Mystery of the Hidden Check

Twenty-six Checks, Aggregating Fifty-two Dollars have been hidden and will be cashed when presented at Courier Office

EXPLANATION

Read the ads on this page carefully. In some of them are extra words and letters, which, when properly arranged, form a sentence which tells exactly where to find the check. Finder should bring check to Courier for endorsement. No papers will be sold from this office on Thursday during the hidden check contest. Check will not be delivered before Saturday noon. This is done to give the country readers an equal chance with the city readers.

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20 acres in cultivation, 2 acres in pasture. This land all lies level and in a good location. 5-room house, and a barn. Fine spring on the place. 8 1/4 miles from Oregon City; 1/2 mile to electric car line. We will sell this for \$3500.00, only \$500.00 cash. The balance can be paid off on yearly payments of \$300.00.

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Oregon City, Ore. 8th & Main St.

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Our long list of steady and wellpleased customers is good proof that we have come to stay.

To sell you the best and purest of food products is our aim.

THE HUB GROCERY

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Howard Estabrook in
"THE BUTTERFLY"
 with
 BARBARA TENNANT

TUESDAY
 Charlie Chaplin in
"HIS NIGHT OUT"
 (Return Engagement)

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Keep Cool

This Summer

No use to worry and fret in a hot kitchen preparing meals. Summer time, vacation time—so far as the kitchen is concerned. We've anticipated the needs of the housewife this summer with a fine line of prepared foods.

JACK & ALBRIGHT

Quality Grocers, 911-7th
 Phones are:—
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SPECIALS	
Tillamook Cheese, 20c lb., 2 lbs.	35c
Arm & Hammer Soda	5c
50-lb. sack Dairy Salt	50c
50-lb. sack 1/2 ground Salt	35c
5 gals. Coal Oil	65c
3 boxes Matches	10c
25c boxes Pearlina	20c
25c box Naphtha Wash Powder	20c
Corn or Gloss Starch	5c
10c bottle Bluing or Amonia	5c
3 cans Old Dutch Cleanser	25c
3 cans Lye	25c
Vinegar, full quart	10c
Vinegar, gallon	25c
FRUIT JARS AND RINGS	
1 doz. quart Mason Jars	65c
1 doz. pint Mason Jars	55c
1 doz. 1/2 gal. Mason Jars	85c
1 doz. quart Economy Jars	90c
Full line whole and Ground Spices at popular prices.	
1 doz. 1/2 gal. Economy Jars	\$1.25
1 doz. Block Plumb Jar Rubbers	5c
2 doz. Great Dane Jar Rubbers	15c
3 doz. Red Jar Rings	25c
Mason Jar Caps, doz.	20c
Good Broom	25c
SPICES	
All regular 10c size Spices	5c
(except Nutmeg and Cinnamon)	
Bulk Ground Pepper	25c

7th St., Near Depot **Morgan's Cut Rate Store** Home A-133
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We have a few used cars that we wish to dispose of to make room for new ones. They are Exceptional Values, and we guarantee them to be just what we claim. For demonstration see

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Each the Utmost in Value

Dunmire's Highest Grade, per pound, 40c—Dunmire's Standard per pound, 35c—Dunmire's Full Value, per pound, 30c—Dunmire's Staple per pound, 25c. Our Own Special Brands of COFFEE, selected from Choice Berries—roasted in a manner that retains all of the natural flavor until served.

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Buyers will share in profits if we sell at retail 300,000 new Ford cars between August 1914 and 1915.

Runabout \$440; Touring Car \$490; Town Car \$690; Coupelet \$750; Sedan \$975, f. o. b. Detroit with all equipment.

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Pacific Highway Garage

Oregon City, Ore.
 Clackamas County Distributors

THE COURIER FOR FINE PRINTING!

WILSONVILLE

Mrs. O'Hara has just returned home from the hospital, and is still quite ill.

Mrs. Wm. Brobst was a visitor in the rose city the last of the week.

Mrs. Lester Mallory, of Junction City, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Peters, this week.

Mrs. G. Stein had a lady friend from Texas, visiting with her the past week whom she had not seen for a number of years.

Paul Jaeger is on his return trip from the San Francisco exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Young and son, Wallace; Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Young, Mrs. Chas. Ridder and Sherman Seelye autowed to Aurora Saturday to the Moose picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ekin and son, John, and daughter, Elizabeth, of Woodburn, were guests of M. C. Young Sunday.

Mrs. Gustave Jaeger recently underwent a very serious operation at a Portland hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Graham and daughter, Helen, were visiting relatives in Sherwood, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hodgson, of Linn, Indiana, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Young last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker and family attended the Moose picnic at Aurora Saturday.

Mrs. Walter T. Brown entertained the Parents-Teachers' Association Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Ehlen, of Aurora, was visiting Mrs. N. W. Young Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Crissell and son and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Monroe and son were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Crissell, and Mr. and Mrs. Millard Crissell the past Sunday.

The base ball game between Wilsonville and Sweet Brier Sunday resulted in a victory for Wilsonville by a score of 7 to 4.

PARKPLACE

Miss Hazel Delight Brown, aged four years, had a birthday party Friday, the 25th of June. There were nine little folks present, beside Miss Delight Brown. Games were played in the afternoon, and refreshments were served, consisting of pink ice cream and pink and white cakes. The decorations were pink and white sweet peas.

The guests were: Vivian Rauch, Veatrice Rauch, Alvera Himler, Francis Valet, Lucile Brown, Delight Brown, Lawrence Minger Claude Dunmire, Russell Dunmire and Theodore Brown. Theodore Brown was guest of honor as he was visiting cousins. There were several beautiful presents received.

EAGLE CREEK

Mrs. R. B. Gibson called on Mrs. Howlett Sunday afternoon. R. S. Clark was a Portland visitor Sunday.

A. D. McMillan made a trip to Portland the first of the week.

Little Paul Adams is the summer guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Douglass. Jim Rivers is cutting some wood for Dick Gibson.

A dozen of the members of Eagle Creek Grange attended the Damascus Grange Saturday, and spent a very enjoyable day with their brother and sister Grangers.

MULINO

The second business building in Mulino is now being built on the town site just across the county road from the church. It is being built by the Dix brothers of Dix's sawmill. It will be occupied by Albert Erickson with a general merchandise store on the ground floor, and the second floor will contain living rooms, which he will occupy with his family.

George Mallatt of Eastern Oregon, has been visiting relatives at Mulino for a few days. He takes a bride back with him, a young lady from near Clackamas by the name of Rodernal. Single young ladies must be scarce in Eastern Oregon.

Our baseball team went to Mackaburg Saturday, July third, and played a game with their team. The score of 12 to 13 resulted, in favor of Mulino. Mulino now has an express office of the American Express Co. Mr. McConahy has been appointed agent. Two horses have been killed on the railroad within the last week. One, the property of Don Allen, our mail carrier, wandered onto the trestle crossing Milk Creek and fell off, and the other, the property of Mr. White, ran onto the high trestle crossing Bullard canyon and fell off. Some of our citizens are going to

take a vacation at Gladstone attending Chautauqua.

CHERRYVILLE

This Oregon summer weather is finer than silk.

Here's hoping that we may have many happy returns of our country's natal day. No other country like it!

The summer campers are now coming out in force, and you can't blame them for the mountains are now gorgeous. Wild Cat mountain is covered with rhododendron. Elk Grass and Indian Paint Brush are all in full bloom, also the Mt. Hood lily. If no one ever saw the Elk Grass in bloom then they have something coming to them.

Everybody's Magazine says there are 184 wood preserving company names in the U. S., which are figuratively tearing their hair out because they cannot get enough creosote, which they formerly got from Germany. Here all about us, there are millions of potential creosote in these stumps, logs and second growth firs. What do you know about that? And the banks are full of idle money and the streets are full of idle men. There is something criminal about holding millions of acres of land out of use and looking up all the money when hundreds are perishing.

Mrs. Elizabeth Shank, of this place, raised some great lettuce this year which is quite a novelty. The leaves are nearly two feet long and grow upright, resembling, somewhat, horse radish leaves. At the center there is formed an immense head and the entire plant is very tender and crisp and one plant is enough for a family.

Roumania and Bulgaria are now bargaining for better terms, and more territory before entering the war. They are willing to sacrifice the lives of their people if they are paid for it. We have fallen in evil times when we will do anything for gain.

Thomas Eaden, of Viola, was up here recently, and has some idea of locating here. It is to be hoped that he can bring it to pass as he is a very desirable citizen.

Mr. and Mrs. Botkins went to Portland recently, and while there the doctor will attend a grand encampment of the Free Masons.

There are not many red huckleberries this year, but the black ones are good in spots.

Our facilities for printing are of the best.—Courier.

HAZELIA

Most of the Hazelia farmers are very busy planting cabbage and potatoes.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Thomas, of Stafford, are the proud parents of a baby boy, born July first.

Miss Alma Babcock, who has been the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Boutz, left for her home at Molalla Tuesday.

H. Duncan was elected school director. He will serve for the next

ANCIENT WRITING.

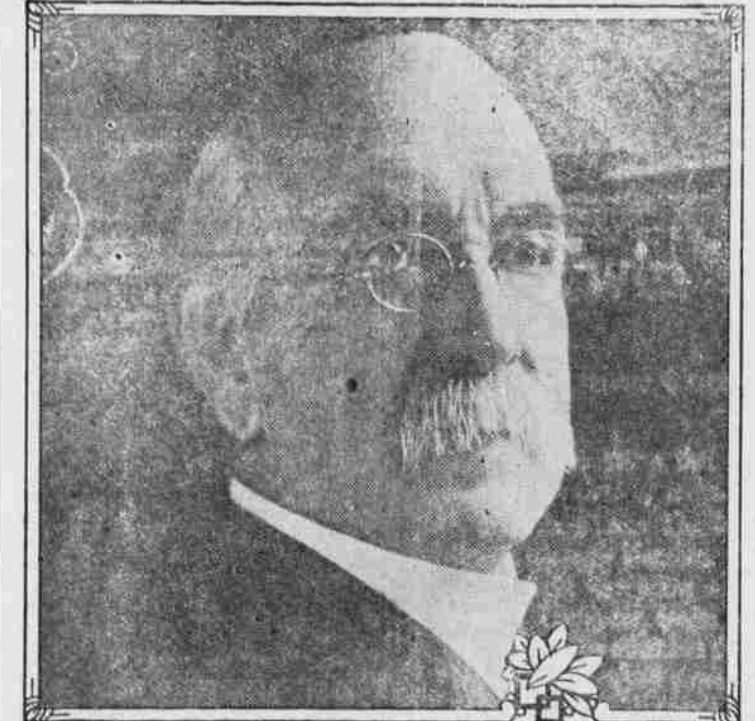
The History of Man Began When an Alphabet Was Devised.

Perhaps the most valuable invention after the making of languages was that of writing, says a writer in "Student's Investigations." Picture writing was the first used by primitive men, such as was and still is used by the Indian tribes of the new world. The characters in this system of writing were pictures of objects very crude in art, as for instance the picture of the eye, to indicate the organ of sight, and then again symbols for ideas were drawn, such as a picture of an arc, representing the sky and wavy lines beneath, thus indicating rain. This system of representing ideas and objects, which is the most natural to man, is known as ideographic, and the signs are called ideograms.

When the picture writer used symbols to represent the sounds of the human voice—that is, words and not objects or ideas—he took a great step in perfecting the system of writing. When symbols are used to represent words the ideogram becomes a phonogram, and the writing is called phonetic or sound writing. The Babylonians and Assyrians used characters to represent syllables instead of words, thus reducing the number of signs used in their writing to a few hundred. When characters or symbols are used to represent syllables they are called syllabic phonograms, and a collection of such signs is called a syllabary.

But still this system was clumsy, and a final step was taken in the making of an alphabet, the symbols being used to represent elementary sounds of the human voice instead of syllables. The symbols then became true letters, a collection of which is called the alphabet, the writing alphabet. When and where the first alphabet was made is not known, but several Semitic tribes were in possession of an alphabet as early as the ninth century B. C. It may truthfully be said that the history of man begins here, for without an alphabet records, dates, names and events could not have been recorded and preserved for us.

Colonel George W. Bain, Noted Lecturer, Coming Here



THIS orator is one of those who can move the most impassioned audience to tears and back to laughter. He amuses and he inspires. He is from the south, claiming Kentucky as his home, and no place loves him more than his own people. Hon. Champ Clark says of him: "I heard Colonel Bain at the Fort Smith (Ark.) Chautauqua, when he swayed his hearers as the storm king sways the forest. In that lecture was one of the most eloquent passages I ever heard pass human lips. The way he played upon the harp strings of the human heart was a revelation to me." Colonel Bain is one of the lecturers to be heard at the Chautauqua here this season.

Chautauqua, Gladstone, July 6-18th

three years. Miss Jewel was hired to teach the school for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Max McMahon were visited by the stork recently. Said stork left them a bouncing baby boy July first. All parties doing nicely, Max included.

Herbert Duncan left for Mikhala, Oregon, July third, where he will help his brother-in-law harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson were calling on Hazelia people Sunday.

Mrs. Wilson was an Oswego visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Lehman was a caller at the F. W. Childs' home Sunday.

Miss Harriet and Genevieve Duncan were callers of Mrs. S. S. Boutz Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Childs is quite ill at this writing.

Mrs. George Nagel attended the International Bible Students' church in Portland Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. McMahon.

Mrs. F. Hultberg was a Portland visitor Saturday.

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We are sorry to note that Mrs. C. C. Borland is ill at this writing.

R. L. Holman and T. P. Randall, Leading Undertakers, Fifth and Main St.; Telephones: Pacific 415-J; Home B-18.

She Knows Her Worth. From his better half Benedicet got this advice early in the course of matrimony, "When in doubt listen to me; when not in doubt listen to me anyway."—Atlanta Journal.

Self Help. Voice—Is this the weather bureau? How about a shower tonight? Prophet—Don't ask me. If you need one take it.—Chaparral.

Knowledge and timber shouldn't be much used until they are seasoned.—Holmes.

WOMAN WOULD NOT GIVE UP

Though Sick and Suffering; At Last Found Help in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Richmond, Pa. — "When I started taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was in a dreadfully rundown state of health, had internal troubles, and was so extremely nervous and prostrated that if I had given in to my feelings I would have been in bed. As it was I had hardly strength at times to be on my feet and what I did do was by a great effort. I could not sleep at night and of course felt very headachy in the morning, and had a steady headache.

"After taking the second bottle I noticed that the headache was not so bad, I rested better, and my nerves were stronger. I continued its use until it made a new woman of me, and now I can hardly realize that I am able to do so much as I do. Whenever I know any woman in need of a good medicine I highly praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. FRANK CLARK, 3146 N. Tulip St., Richmond, Pa.

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