

Sufficient Reason.
 "Why do you wish to get a divorce?"
 "I am so fond of strawberry shortcake."
 "What's that got to do with your married life?"
 "Please, your honor, my wife insists on giving me prune pie every day in the strawberry season."
 "Granted! That is cruel and unusual punishment."



LOCAL BRIEFS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caufield, who are now in the East, and were in Washington to witness the inauguration of President Wilson sent a telegram to their son, Raymond, Wednesday morning in which they state that Congressman Hawley secured good seats for them in the grandstand and that they were able to see the entire ceremony, both the parade and the President taking his oath of office. They left Washington Wednesday for Philadelphia and New York.

The pupils of the Carus school under the direction of their teacher, Miss Oswald, are planning on giving an interesting play in that place the end of the week for the benefit of the school. The play will be "Box and Cox" and will be played by Harry Shilburn, Harvey Schubel and Elsie Shilburn. A banquet social will follow the entertainment. Music will also be a feature of the evening.

The Busch wall and sidewalk on Main Street have been completed. The contractors were delayed quite a while on account of frosty weather. The cluster lights will be installed by Mr. Busch as soon as the cement has hardened.

The home being built for Dr. C. H. Messner on Washington Street, between Ninth and Tenth is nearly completed and the doctor expects to move into it some time next week. It is one of the first residences to be completed in this city this spring and will be one of the finest in the city.

Howard Brownell has returned to this city where he will make his future home. He has been deputy district attorney in Astoria for a number of years. He has gone into partnership with B. N. Hicks. At present he is making his home with his father, George C. Brownell, at Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Avison have left for Portland where they will make their future home. They will live in the Woodstock district. Their son, Bothwell, will still reside in this city and will make his home with his sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Meisner.

Males die folk's well faster than any other remedy. Brings strength, health and happiness to the whole family. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea deserves a thorough trial. 35c. Tea or Tablets. Jones Drug Co.

William Schatz, of Stafford, has returned to this part of the country after a trip to the East. While he was in Oregon City Wednesday he stated that there is no place like Oregon for him.

Misses Bertha and Ceila Goldsmith have returned to this city after a sojourn in San Francisco and Sacramento where they transacted business and visited their sister, Miss Lena, and brother, Charles.

Old married couples, young us too. With no little ones to bill and coo. Should not pine their lives away in wishing.
 Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a wonderful blessing.
 Jones Drug Company.

Mrs. Anna Holden has returned from a trip to Mount Vernon, Wash., where she was visiting friends and is now stopping in this city with her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Greenman.

The Pacific Highway Garage has received a fine Studebaker 25 from the factory and the car is now on demonstration. It is a five-passenger machine and presents a fine appearance.

A. K. Landers, of Butte, Mont., is in this city for a few days looking over the city and county while on a trip up and down the Pacific Coast.

J. O. Kruse, of Stafford, was in this city Wednesday attending to business matters. He was formerly a member of the Legislature from this county.

The Aurora Commercial Club will hold an interesting meeting in the near future at which Judge Dimick will be the principal speaker of the evening.

Born to the wife of S. B. Shady March 4, a girl. The little one has been named Virginia Martin Shady. Both mother and child are doing well.

W. A. Heylman, of Estacada, was a business visitor to this city Wednesday. He was formerly mayor of that thriving town.

Adolph Ahcoff, a prominent farmer and hotel keeper of Marmot, Or., was in this city Wednesday attending to court matters.

W. A. Rogers, road supervisor of Union precinct No. 9, was in this city Wednesday attending to business.

L. W. Robbins, of Molalla, has returned to his home in that place after several days spent in this city.

S. N. Strubhar, a prominent farmer of Aurora, was transacting business in this city Wednesday.

Lydia Ludlam, of Portland, is in

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Heart of Gladstone. Easy terms. Also two corner River Lots across bridge from Gladstone. Still cheaper. Same terms. All Phones.

JOHN W. LODER, Owner.
 Stevens Bldg., Oregon City.

this city for a few days visiting friends.

A surprise was given in honor of Miss Ruby Ross on her fifteenth birthday at her home in Willamette, March 1st. The girls enjoyed themselves with both indoor and outdoor sports. They were served with a very nice lunch by Mrs. Ross. Those present were Marie Britton, Anna Isenogh, Ethel Gordon, Erma DeBok, Pearl Ross, Nellie Capen, Ruth Wright Opal Ross, Crystal Ross and Ruby Ross.

Norma, the little daughter of George Griffith, who was operated upon in Portland Tuesday for a disease of her right ear, is improving rapidly. There is every indication that a permanent cure will be effected.

Fred Heft, of Beaver Creek, announces that his pacer, "Billy Sunday" is showing fine form. He expects to win first prize with the animal throughout the fair circuit the coming season.

The county court Wednesday considered applications for the building of several county roads.

Fred Schaffer, the sawmill man of Molalla, was in the city Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Van Norden have gone to Eureka, Cal. to live.

J. T. Sampson of Portland has been in this city for several days attending to business matters.

C. L. Crator of Hood River, has been in this city for several days and registered at the Electric Hotel.

J. P. Lewiston of Seattle, is in this city for several days attending to business matters.

J. S. Calvin has gone to Molalla for a few days where he will attend to school business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Vonderhage were guests of friends in this city Wednesday.

Tyra Warren, of Concord, was in this city Wednesday.

Miss Clara Fields was a visitor in this city Wednesday.

Fine Line of Pianos at Electric Hotel Building.

Dr. Van Brakle, Osteopath, Masonic Building, Phone Main 399.

CORRESPONDENCE

MULINO

Mr. Berdine has a crew of men hauling gravel on the roads. We expect to have better roads another winter as Mr. Berdine is a rustler.

Bert Wallace bought a cow from Mr. Fredericks and thinks he has a bargain.

Mr. Christensen of Willamette, was an over Sunday visitor in this burg last Sunday.

Mrs. Berdine and daughter, Ida, spent Saturday and Sunday in Willamette.

Mr. Jones who has been in the hospital for sometime, returned home Tuesday. He is quite weak yet and it is hoped that he will soon be able to resume his school duties.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davis were called to the bedside of Mr. Cleister last Friday who died the same afternoon and was buried at Eagle Creek Sunday.

Mr. Evans moved to Liberal last week where he has been employed to haul ties for the railroad.

A Cure For Eczema.

Eczema in any form, whether acute or chronic, is easily and rapidly overcome by the use of Meriol Eczema Remedy. Gives positive relief when all others fail, and we heartily recommend it to any sufferer.

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MEADOWBROOK

Mr. and Mrs. Ramb and two children of Highland, spent Sunday at J. F. Chase's.

We are glad to hear that George Hofmeister, Jr., who underwent a serious operation for appendicitis, at Portland, is improving rapidly.

R. L. Oren is laid up with a lame back which he hurt while working on a ditch.

Glenn Larkins called on Ruben Chindgren Sunday.

A number of parents and friends attended the program and debate given at the school house last Friday.

Mrs. Batey and Mrs. Bonacier called on Mrs. Shephard Friday afternoon.

MARQUAM

Roy Nilsson while splitting wood last Monday with an ax cut his left thumb off at the second joint with the exception of a small piece of skin.

Dr. R. E. Kleinsorger of Silverton, dressed the hand. At latest report he was resting as well as could be expected.

F. J. Ridings was in town Monday buying wire preparatory to building a wire fence on his farm two miles west of town.

Mrs. Catherine Jones is a great deal better. They have let the nurse return to Salem.

Guy C. Larkins and wife of Stafford, were calling on relatives and friends here last week.

Lee Roberts went to Portland last week.

Lee Roberts left for Eastern Oregon to remain there until fall.

Miss Echo Larkins was home from Oregon City Saturday and Sunday where she has been attending high school.

The hop men are quite busy plowing and putting in poles and wires for there was a large acreage planted last spring near here.

Mr. Hoag of Idaho, is here visiting his old friends. He lived here several years ago.

Alfred Olson went to Portland Monday on business.

KELSO

Mr. Schimmel who had his leg broken recently by a tie falling on it is steadily improving.

Thursday evening, March 8th, was the closing meeting of the Kelso debating society. Instead of a debate an excellent program was rendered.

SPRING SALE OF HOUSEWARE

Every man and woman should visit the various sections of our store and learn there of the savings possible through the selections here where the stocks are complete and prices are the lowest.



"Wear-Ever" Aluminum Utensils

always, if one such utensil is placed in your home—the manufacturers believe. That is why they sacrifice their profit and we cut ours in two on this one-quart Saucepan, which is yours **30c** at the Special Price.

Replace utensils that wear out with utensils that "Wear-Ever"



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17 Quart **19 Cents**

All lines of tinware Greatly Reduced



WALL PAPER

Per Double Roll 5 Cents

TEA KETTLES

Substantially made, heavily nickel plated, full 8 quart size. On sale now at the extremely low price of only, **99c** for cash

10 Cent DUST PANS

6 Cents

7-inch handle, securely riveted in back, Japaned, on sale at **6c**

65c Galvanized Wash Tub

Full size, full weight wired top, malleable iron handle

on sale at the low price of only **49c**

40c White Wash Brush

Brass bound, good stock bristle cas ng, 7-inch block **25c**

Garden Tools

75c Long Handle Shovels **49c**

75c Garden Rakes **59c**

30c Garden Rakes **23c**

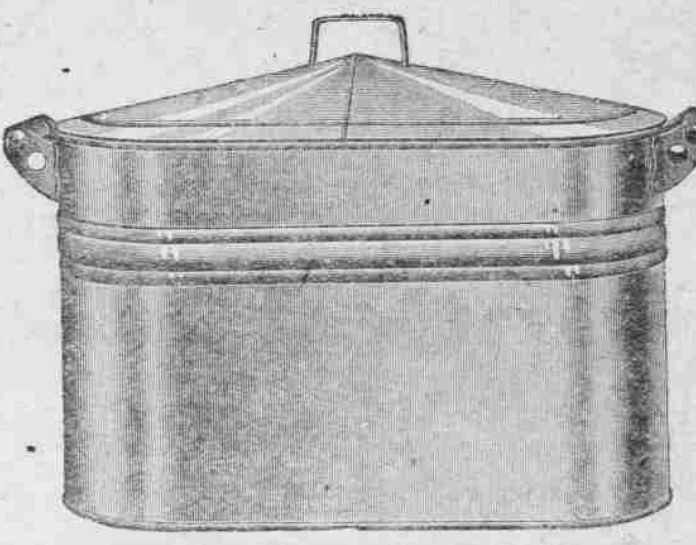
25c Garden Hoes **19c**

30c Pruning Shears **24c**

10c Garden Trowels **7c**



85c Hunt's Cru... a finer tool is not made, forged from one piece of tool steel, tempered, hardened head, finely ground bit, excellent white hickory handle securely wedged. For Hard practical use. On sale at **59c**



\$1.50 WASH BOILERS

Extra heavy tin, heavy copper gauge bottom, No. 8 size, on special sale **\$1.15**

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Hardware, Crockery, Stoves, Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Etc. Doors, Windows, Oils, Paints, Glass, and Builders' Material

A large attendance was present. In the near future a parents-teacher meeting will be held at the school house with the object of arousing interest and furthering plans for the juvenile fair next fall.

CHEAP AS DIRT
 Four Willamette Lots. On car line. Level. 50 x 100 feet, \$100 each. Terms. All Phones

WILLAMETTE
 Rev. E. A. Smith will preach at Willamette Wednesday evening at 7:30. He will call at homes Wednesday evening. Sunday he will preach at Logan in the morning and in the evening.

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The ladies of Logan will in the near future, give a basket social to help to defray the expenses of replastering the church.

The Redland Lodge band continues to practice and Mr. Smith often visits and helps out once in awhile with his cornet.

TWILIGHT
 A very pleasant dinner party was participated in by Mr. and Mrs. Schmeidecke, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Harvey and B. L. Harvey at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelland last Saturday evening.

Mr. Jack, who has purchased the farm of Charles Schmeidecke, will make extensive and immediate improvements on the place, among which will be a new garage, electric light generating plant, alterations to the barn and house and all of the buildings on the place will be thoroughly repainted. Such improvements will not only benefit Mr. Jack's farm but will be a stimulus to the entire community towards better buildings and improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Billings, of Salem, are visiting with the former's parents in this neighborhood.

George Lazelle and M. J. Lazelle were among those who attended the Commercial Club smoker in Oregon City last Tuesday evening. They report a most enjoyable time.

Among those from Twilight who have joined the Farmers' Society of Equity, are A. H. Harvey, J. C. M. Dobbis and the Laclede Dairy Co. The organization of the farmers is certainly in line in the right direction and is much needed by this class of people, who are giving their support to a worthy cause even if they cannot have a local in their own community.

George Schreiner is much improved in health.

George Schreiner made a business trip to Portland one day last week.

That the dairy industry is making rapid headway in this neighborhood is quite evident. Several more silos will be built this summer and be in readiness to be filled with corn the last of September. Among those to be built will be L. E. Bentley, Mr. Reed, Lazelle Dairy Co. and J. M. C. Dobb. Quite a number of cows have been purchased and all of the farmers are raising their heifer calves. The improvement of the stock in this community is largely due to the interest of W. J. McCord, the veteran Jersey breeder, who has brought some very nice class cattle into the neighborhood. With the organization of the Lazelle Dairy Co. and the moving of their herd of registered Jersey cattle into this district to increase their herd to fifty cows of the very best producing strain, Twilight will grow clover, kale and corn to perfection. Why not have a hundred dollar cream check at least.

Some time ago the county papers presumably made mention of a common thief in a common way and in fact gave the name of one of our most

respected citizens, Thomas Kelland, in bold print who had been arrested for stealing wood. Mr. Kelland sold some wood to some certain people in Canemah by the name of Lamb, who would not pay for same. Mr. Kelland informed them that he would take back his property which he did and later was arrested on the complaint of such people for stealing wood. Of course the judge dismissed the case but not until after our neighbor was at considerable expense for attorney fees while the other parties were at no expense as the case was instituted by the district attorney. This does not seem like justice but it only proves that honest labor is fined on every hand.

Mr. Erickson has sold his place to Chester Elliott, of Oregon City, who will move onto the place in the near future. Mr. Elliott will retain his garage business in Oregon City and will make the distance to his work each day in a Buick 40 over the famous Pacific Highway.

Twilight is sowing grain between showers and doing well considering the weather and now has platted several hundred acres.

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Dandruff is Maddening. Swissco stops dandruff quickly, grows new hair and restores gray or faded hair to its natural youthful color.

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Watt	Candle Power	Price, Clear	Price, frosted Base
15	12	35c	40c
20	16	35c	40c
25	20	35c	40c
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150	120	\$1.25	\$1.35
250	200	\$1.90	\$1.60 Special

We carry in stock at Portland prices everything in the electrical line to lighten labor in the household

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Miss Eleanor Brodie, of Portland, who was formerly a teacher in the Twilight school, called on Mrs. Lazelle last Monday.

Schmeidecke, with their families called on Wallace Johnson, of Canemah last Sunday.

Miss Alta Ramsby, teacher of the Twilight school, is much improved in health and has resumed her duties. Among those clearing land are Curtis Dodd, L. E. Bentley, J. F. Spigler and A. H. Harvey. More good land at Twilight means more good crops.

White Ribbon Remedy

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This remedy is **ODORLESS, COLORLESS, TASTELESS**

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