

NOTES OF INTEREST.

New goods at Caro Bros.
Gilvin's soap at Gillett's.
Now is the time to subscribe.
Orders at the Kandy Kitchen.
Caro Bros. are the boss merchants.
School books at Marsters' drug store.
Go to the Roseleaf for the best cigar.
Wood taken on subscription at this office.

Pure fresh candies, fruits and nuts at the Roseleaf.
Flows.—Go to Hunter & Hume for your plows and harrows.

For Sale.—Old papers, at this office, at 25 cents per hundred.

Just Received at J. T. Bryan's, Roger's first-grade silver-plated ware.

Smoked eye glasses at J. T. Bryan's from 10 cents to 75 cents a pair.

A cottage to rent. Inquire at this office or of owner at 405 Washington street.

Remember that cheap watch work is very expensive. Salzman does good watch work at lowest prices.

For a good hat, stylish and cheap, call on Wollenberg & Abraham, whose stock embraces all grades of head gear.

Call and examine the new goods at the Variety store, one block east of the depot, corner of Fine and Lane Streets.

Subscribe for the Daily PLAINDEALER. It is the only live paper in Southern Oregon. It furnishes the latest news up to date.

Bring your job work to the PLAINDEALER office. We are prepared to do the cheapest and best work south of Portland.

E. Du Gas, Physician and Surgeon, office in Marsters' building. Calls in town and country promptly answered night or day.

What is nicer for a Xmas present than a year's subscription to some good magazine. Call at the City News Stand and look them over.

Dr. F. W. Haynes, the dentist, does all kinds of dental work in a most scientific manner. His work speaks for itself. Dental parlors in Mark's building.

Parties wishing to have boots or shoes made or mended will please call on L. M. Stubbfield opposite the depot. Good work guaranteed and at best rock prices.

Subscribe for the Scientific American and learn how to invent and secure patents. It is well worth the money, \$3.00 a year, published by Munn & Co., New York.

Some of the latest novels by Dumas, Dickens, Lever, Stevenson, The Ducies, Cooper, Doyle, Jerome, and a hundred other authors for only 10 cents per copy at the City News Stand.

Good pasturage for stock at reasonable rates by the month. All stock taken absolutely and without any owner's risk in every particular. For particulars enquire of C. A. Blackman, Roberts creek.

BOYS MAY BE HAD (and sometimes girls) for—(1) ordinary service at wages; (2) upon indenture, to work, attend school, and be brought up somewhat as your own; and—(3) children may be had for legal adoption. Address, W. T. GARDNER, Supt. Oregon Boys' and Girls' Aid Society, Portland, Oregon.

LITTLE LOCALS.

For a good 5-cent cigar call on Mrs. N. Boyd.

Go to A. C. Marsters & Co. for school books.

Clarke seedling strawberry plants for sale at McCall's farm.

D. S. West does insurance. Office opposite the post office.

A new invoice of dry goods just received at the Ross store.

Hunter & Hume, at the depot, keep the best plows and harrows.

Spectacles and eye glasses in gold, nickel and steel toes at J. T. Bryan's.

H. M. Martin will pay cash for grain delivered at his warehouse in Roseburg.

If you have daily mail service, try the daily PLAINDEALER for a month. It will cost only 25 cents.

On and after November 25th a merchants' lunch will be served at the Beer Hall Saloon between the hours of 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

Extracts of all kinds; sugar, 16, 17 and 18 pounds for \$1.00; lard, 10 pounds for 90 cts.; orange and lemon peel and citron at H. Euston's.

Dr. Strange, the dentist, has removed his office to the Taylor & Wilson building. Call and see him in his new quarters if you want first-class dental work.

N. Rice, one of our enterprising furniture dealers has now on sale a fine lot of furniture of the latest style and finish. Give him a call before purchasing elsewhere.

We want our good friends from the country to participate in the Firemen's grand mask ball Christmas night, as the best country caller will assist on that occasion.

Keep your eye on the popular hotel, the McCallen House, on the corner of Main and Douglas streets, Roseburg. Free 'bus to and from the trains. Charges reasonable.

Geo. Langenberg has as large a stock of Xmas magazines as there is in Oregon. With each magazine he gives you one of those fine large pictures. Call and see them.

Mrs. J. W. Saary-Mullen has returned from Portland and has opened her dress-making rooms at 429 Stephens street, where she is prepared to do first-class dressmaking.

If your teeth ache or are decayed, or if you want an artificial set go to Dr. Strange in the Taylor & Wilson block. The best of work, the lowest price and fully warranted.

Cosmopolitan, Munsey, McClure, Peterson's, Godey's, Strand, and numbers of other magazines for only \$1.00 per year, or 10 cents per copy, at the City News Stand.

A. C. Hoxie is selling 16 lbs. of granulated sugar for \$1.00, flour at 75 cents a sack, and 10 pounds of lard for 90 cents. People should take advantage of these prices and give him their patronage.

For Sale or Rent.

The Palmer sawmill. For particulars address, E. C. PALMER, Drain, Or.

THE CHICAGO OF 1825

A VILLAGE WHICH PRESENTED NO "THRILLING PROSPECTS."

The Country Thereabout Offered Few Features, and There Was Nothing Worthy of Eulogy—A Report That Failed Completely as a Prophecy.

The Chicago of nearly 75 years ago did not present an inviting appearance. The party of Keating and Lang left Port Wayne in May to discover the source of the St. Peter's river. The approach to Chicago is thus described in the account published in 1825:

"We were near the southern extremity of the lake. The view toward the north was boundless, the eye meeting nothing but the vast expanse of water which spread like a sea, its surface at that time as calm and unruffled as though it were a sheet of ice."

"Our path lay over the scene of the bloody massacre which occurred in 1812, when the garrison of Chicago was destroyed by the Pottawatomies. No traces are now to be seen of the massacre."

"On the afternoon of June 6 we reached Fort Dearborn (Chicago). Fort Dearborn is on the south bank, near the mouth of the Chicago river. The post at Chicago was abandoned a few months after the party visited it. Its establishment had been found necessary to intimidate the powerful tribes of Indians, which still inhabit this part of the country."

"We were much disappointed at the appearance of Chicago and its vicinity. We found in it nothing to justify the great enthusiasm lavished upon it by Mr. Schoolcraft, a late traveler."

"The best comment upon his description of the climate and the soil is the fact that, with the most active vigilance on the part of the officers, it was impossible for the garrison, consisting of 70 to 90 men, to resist on the grain raised in the country."

"The appearance of the country near Chicago offers but few features. There is too much uniformity in the scenery. The extensive water prospect is a vast unbroken expanse of water, scarcely equal to the Indians, from whom they are descended. Their log or bark houses are low, filthy and disgusting, displaying not the least trace of comfort."

"Chicago is perhaps one of the oldest settlements in the Indian country. Its name, derived from the Pottawatomie language, signifies either 'skunk' or 'wild onion.' Mention is made of the place as having been visited in 1671 by Pexis, who found 'Chicago' to be the residence of a powerful chief of the Miami."

"As a place of business it offers no inducement to the settler, for the whole annual amount of trade on the lake did not exceed the cargoes of five schooners, even when the garrison received its supplies from Mackinaw."

"It is not impossible that at some distant day, when the banks of the Illinois shall have been covered with a dense population and when the low prairies which extend between that river and Port Wayne shall have acquired a population proportionate to the produce which they can yield, Chicago may become one of the points in direct communication between the northern lakes and the Mississippi."

"The Indians were chiefly Pottawatomies, but intermixed with Ottawas and Chippewas. Among many charges against these Indians there is no more horrible than the charge of cannibalism. This has been denied, but it has been acknowledged by the Indians themselves, and it has been uniformly admitted by the interpreters and traders who have long resided with them."

"It is a common superstition with them that he that tastes of the body of a brave man acquires a part of his valor, and if he can eat of his heart, which by them is considered as the seat of all courage, the share of bravery which arrives from it is still greater."

"Captain Wells is still mentioned as the bravest white man with whom they ever met. He had almost become one of their number and had united himself to a descendant of Little Turtle."

"At the commencement of hostilities between the British and Americans he sided with his own countrymen, while the Indians of this vicinity all passed to the British service. Wells was killed. After the action his body was divided, and his heart was shared, as being the most certain spell for courage, and part of it was sent to the various tribes in alliance with the Pottawatomies, while they themselves feasted upon the rest."

—Chicago Times-Herald.

Sufficiently Rewarded.

The latest joke at the expense of the French Society for the Protection of Animals is to the following effect: A countryman, armed with an immense club, presents himself before the president of the society and claims the first prize. He is asked to describe the act of humanity on which he founded the claim: "I saved the life of a wolf," replies the countryman. "I might easily have killed him with this bludgeon," and he swings his weapon in the air, to the immense discomfort of the president.

"But where was this wolf?" inquires the latter. "What had he done to you?" "He had just devoured my wife," was the reply.

The president reflects an instant and then says, "My friend, I am of opinion that you have been sufficiently rewarded."

—New York Post.

Hair.

The hair grows better in light than in darkness, because of the stimulating effect of light and sunshine. It has been often noticed in the case of men who sit in offices with one side always turned toward the light that the mustache or beard of that side grows longer than that on the other.

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The Square Deal Store.

The Square Deal store is now receiving a full and complete stock of fall and winter goods, consisting in part of clothing, hats and caps, ladies' and gents' underwear, a fine assortment of misses' and children's shoes, gents' boots and shoes in endless variety, dry goods, fancy goods and dress goods, all of which are offered at extremely low prices. They are determined not to be undersold by any mercantile house in Southern Oregon. Give them a call.

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