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SACRIFICE SALE!

We are determined to close out our large stock of Dry Goods, Clothing Hats, Boots, Shoes, Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Blankets, Quilts, Laces, Embroideries, Trunks, Valises, ect., etc.

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NO HUMBUG.

Our late arrivals are all the best and most fashionable goods in the city, and are direct from the Factory.

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CARO BROS BOSS STORE.



The Uniform

quality of the workmanship in our clothing is one of its strong points. Each garment is as carefully cut and tailored throughout as though made to order. See our new Fall Suits.



MENS FINE SHOES

are the only kind we wish to sell. They are the only kind we do sell, and with each pair we sell we make a new friend. They are not only stylish but good clear through. See our Shoe line.

JOSEPHSON'S.

Get ready for the District Fair. J. F. Wright left yesterday for the Mole creek mines.

Embroidery silks 3 skeins for 10 cents, at the Novelty Store.

Black Ball Pon Pons, 10 cents per dozen mail sold, at the Novelty Store.

Mr. S. E. Fisher of Mouthport is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Beckley at Elkton.

Today we open our military stock of trimmed hats, etc. Call for bargains, all at cost. Novelty Store.

Miss Edith Cowan has returned to Drain, where she will enter the senior class of the Drain normal school.

Mr. M. D. Thompson, of Scottsburg, attended the county convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in this city, last week, remaining over Sunday.

Miss Luana Fisher will begin the fall term of school at Galesville, commencing Sept. 19th. The patrons of the school are to be congratulated on securing her services.

Between the dates, Wednesday, Sept. 21st, and Wednesday, Oct. 19th, but on Wednesdays only, tickets will be sold to Portland and return at the rate of \$11.10.

The report of the adjutant general, Thomas J. Stuart, contained the following figures as to the membership.

The members in good standing June 30, 1897, numbered 319,456. The gain during the year was by members 19,940; transfer, 1275; reinstatement, 12,707; from delinquent reports, 4551; total, 32,433. The losses were:

By death, 783; honorable discharge, 1199; transfer, 4171; suspension, 25,933; dishonorable discharge, 165; by delinquent reports, 7071; by surrender of charter, 1025; total, 40,300. So the members in good standing June 30, 1898, numbered 335,935. The number of members remaining suspended at that date was 35,968.

The report of the quarter-master-general, A. G. Birnack, showed that the receipts during the year were \$17,195, and the expenditures \$14,694 the balance on hand being \$9602.

The national encampment of Woman's Relief Corps opened this morning at the Scottish Rite cathedral, with an address by Miss Lax, while the ladies of the G. A. R. renewed their sessions at Odd Fellows' temple. Efforts to unite these two orders have not been successful so far.

Farmers' Attention!
The Southern Pacific have decided to make the extremely low rate of one fare for the round trip to the Oregon State Fair September 22 to 30, 1898, from any point in Oregon on their lines. There were hundreds of campers last year. Take your vacation and camp at the fair and see a grand exhibit of what Oregon can raise. One fare going and returning home.

Closing Out Sale.
We start today to close out our entire stock of general merchandise and fixtures. Everything must be sold by January 1st. Our stock of goods is the cleanest and best selected in town; you cannot make a mistake, but will save money if you buy now.
ROSEBURG NOVELTY CASH STORE.

W. C. T. U. CONVENTION

Proceedings of the Fourth Annual Session.

The fourth annual convention of the Douglas county Woman's Christian Temperance Union, met at the Methodist Episcopal church in Roseburg, September 21st, at 10 a. m. Delegates from Gardiner, Roseburg, and Edenbower being present.

The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. Jewett, county president.

The following committees were appointed: On credentials, Mesdames Marsters, Ferguson, Faulkner, and North, for the press, Keyview, Mrs. Armistage, Flansburg, Mrs. Richards, The West, Mrs. Lucas, White Ribbon, Mrs. Ferguson, committee on courtesies, Mrs. Richards and Comstock.

Under the head of conference of workers, the following ladies took part: Mesdames Marsters, Ferguson, Comstock, Armistage, and Richards.

Report of county president, Mrs. M. H. Jewett, of Gardiner, was read, same approved.

Song, My Faith Looks up to Thee. Discussion of I. L. L. work by Mesdames Ferguson, Jewett, Faulkner, Richards, and Thompson.

Devotional exercises, led by Mrs. Ferguson. Adjourned.

2 P. M.—Devotional exercises led by Mrs. Faulkner. Solo with guitar accompanied by the captain of the Salvation Army.

Reading of minutes by secretary, same approved.

Report of corresponding Secretary Mrs. Brownell, read and accepted.

Report of County Treasurer Mrs. Ferguson, read and accepted.

Reports from the local W. C. T. U. of Edenbower, by Mrs. Pentney, Gardiner, Miss Blackwell, Roseburg, by Mrs. Bartram, were read and accepted.

A report on Refuge Home work was submitted by Mrs. A. E. Smith, of Gardiner. Paper, Humane Education, read by Mrs. Richards.

Discussion of Bands of Mercy, by Mesdames Jewett, Richards, Hamlin, Pickthorne, Marsters, Ferguson, Armistage and Comstock.

Song, Rock of Ages. Adjourned.

3 P. M.—Music by the choir. Devotional exercises led by Mrs. C. J. Armistage. Music, State song, by congregation. Address of Welcome, by Dr. Myra Brown, in behalf of Roseburg W. C. T. U., was a kindly, eloquent greeting, delivered in the Doctor's most pleasing manner, and was greatly appreciated by the visiting delegates. Responded to on behalf of delegates by Mrs. Thompson, of Gardiner.

Music by the choir.

Hon. E. D. Straiford not being able to attend on account of being ill, the time allowed for his address was ably filled by Hon. J. B. Eddy, who in his pleasant, earnest way made some very appropriate remarks.

The recitation by Mrs. E. E. Richards, "How the Sisters Went on a Strike," was well received.

Music by the choir.

Mrs. N. W. Kinney, state president of the W. C. T. U., was then introduced and in her own happy, inimitable manner captivated the entire audience as usual. The delicate compliment paid by her to Col. J. B. Eddy was highly enjoyed by all, and especially so by Dr. Brown and Mrs. Richards.

Music by the choir.

The collection was announced by the program to be taken place at this time, but as a pleasant surprise to some was omitted.

The Temperance doxology was sung by the audience.

Adjournment.

Sept. 10.—Meeting was called to order at 10:15 a. m. by Mrs. Jewett, county superintendent.

Song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."

Devotional exercises led by Mrs. Kinney, state president.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

The following committee on resolutions was appointed: Mrs. Edythe Kelley, Dr. Myra Brown, Mrs. L. B. Ferguson and Mrs. H. E. Ekblum.

Secretary read an invitation extended by Commandant Byars to visit the Soldiers Home, which was accepted, and secretary ordered to express the thanks of the convention. It was decided to attend the religious services at the Home, Sunday at 3 p. m.

The following reports from county superintendents were read and accepted. Scientific temperance instruction, Miss Echo Gadde; evangelistic and prison work, Mrs. H. R. Ferguson; literature, Mrs. Rounds; franchise, Mrs. Gertrude Bartram; railroad and labor, Mrs. A. C. Marsters; moral contest, Mrs. B. M. Armistage; social purity and mothers meetings, Mrs. Owen; nectar meetings, Mrs. E. E. Richards; Sabbath work, Mrs. Walker; press work, Mrs. Gertrude Bartram; flower mission, Mrs. Lucas.

Saturday 2 p. m.—Devotion led by Mrs. Pickthorne.

Reading of minutes, same approved.

Paper read by Mrs. H. T. Hamlin, on the subject Hygiene and Heredity. On motion of Mrs. Kinney it was voted by the Union to have the paper published. The election of officers resulted as follows:

County president, Mrs. H. R. Ferguson of Edenbower.

Corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. C. Marsters of Roseburg.

Recording secretary, Mrs. B. M. Armistage of Roseburg.

Treasurer, Mrs. M. H. Jewett of Gardiner.

The question box was then introduced and the questions ably answered by Mrs. Kinney.

Adjourned to meet in executive session at 5 p. m. The proceedings of which will be published in the next issue of the PLAINDEALER.

8 p. m.—The Roseburg White Ribboners and their families, together with visiting delegates, and the choir, who so kindly furnished such charming music for the entire convention, were entertained royally by the Roseburg W. C. T. U. at the Methodist Church. The was changed by the addition of chairs, rugs, pictures, piano, tables, flowers, etc., into a pleasant homelike parlor.

The following program was attentively listened to and greatly appreciated by those present:

Music.
Song by the congregation.
Devotions, Mrs. Kinney.
Piano solo, Mrs. Edythe Kelley.
Vocal solo, Geo. Johnson.
Remarks by Geo. M. Brown, A. G. Marsters, Prof. L. B. Traver, Mrs. Kinney were greatly enjoyed. Recitation by Miss Anata Smith, The Drunkard's Wife.
Vocal solo, Mrs. Edythe Kelley, Don't Drink Tonight.
Recitation, Mrs. E. B. Richards, Words and Their Uses.
Solo, by captain of salvation army.
After which dainty refreshments were served in the form of lemon ice and cake. A good social time followed long to be remembered by all present.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

The lecture Sunday morning as well as the music by the choir was a treat to all present. But when it comes to describing the lecture in the evening by Mrs. Narcissa White Kinney, we pause, for no words of ours are adequate to do justice to this grand lecture; Oh how we wished that every man, woman and child in Oregon; yea in America, might have been present and been inspired by the eloquent appeals of this sweet, womanly woman to inspire to a purer life here and a glorious life hereafter! The solo by Prof. L. B. Traver was worthy special notice and the music by the choir, under the management of Prof. Travers and Dr. J. W. Strang was enjoyed throughout the convention. Closed by prayer by Mrs. N. W. Kinney.

EMMA E. RICHARDS,
Press Correspondent for Roseburg PLAINDEALER.

A Summer's Fancy.

On Saturday night September 17th, our local talent will again hold the boards at the opera house, for the Fire Department, in the laughable comedy, A Summer's Fancy.

The play is a bright catchy comedy, every line a laugh, and tells the story of a "city feller" falling in love with a country girl. The old farmer, Baxter, by Dan Loggins, and the funny Professor Pota, by Dr. Hamby, will make lots of fun, while "Mercy," by Miss Antenrieth, "Edith Henderson" by Miss Sharkey, "Emma Watson" an old maid, by Miss Grace Catching, and the aristocratic "Mrs. Henderson," by Miss Perry will prove interesting and funny. The story is told amid New England scenes. Others in the cast are: Nathan Fullerton, as "Harry Woodthorpe" whom Edith takes a delight in teasing, and "Jack Henderson," the "city feller," will be portrayed by Mr. Dexter Rice. Mr. Levin will be seen as "Wally," Jack's younger brother—who is constantly getting left, and is always in mischief. Jake Baxter, who wants a "steady job," he can marry his Sally, will be ably represented by a gentleman who desires to be known as present as Mr. Appleton Thorndyke.

Popular prices, 25 and 35 cents, will prevail. Seats on sale at the Roseburg cigar store. The prediction is—that "standing room only" will be the rule after eight o'clock. The funds go to the fire department.

Card of Thanks.

By a unanimous resolution of the Roseburg Fire Department, I am instructed to notify the members of the cast who played "Baron Basington," that the fire department tenders to you the sincere thanks of all its members for your valuable aid as amateur dramatic artists in rendering successful the entertainment at the Roseburg Opera House on Friday evening, Sept. 3, 1898, whereby our citizens were treated to a delightful entertainment and the fire department was the recipient of a handsome financial aid.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE CARLY,
Sec. Roseburg Fire Dept.

List of Letters

Remaining uncalled for in the Roseburg postoffice:
Campbell, John
Eager, A. J.
Hart, Jessie B.
King, F. P.
Marks, John L.
McCoy James
McGrager (butcher)
Owenby Jefferson
Robinson, G. H.
Smith, Mrs. Dixie
Taylor, Dr. Geo.
Woods, J. M.

Persons calling for these letters will please state the date on which they were advertised, September 12th. The letters will be charged for at the rate of one cent each.

WM. A. FRATER.

Bargains! Bargains! Bargains!!!

In pianos, organs and musical goods. Bicycles new and second hand at the lowest prices possible. I have also got about thirty thousand feet of lumber which I have taken in trade for goods, and will sell cheap, as I am not in the lumber business.

T. K. RICHMONDSON,
Roseburg, Or.

Fifty Men Wanted

To cut railroad wood. Good timber, and a long job. For further particulars call, or address, Geo. W. Riddle, Riddle Oregon, or Mouth of Doe Creek, Oregon.

Geo. W. RIDDLE,
Riddle Oregon, Aug., 8, 1898.

Stubblefield for Sale.

I have for sale, about 300 acres of good stubble pasture. If not sold will take stock to pasture by the week or month.

E. J. ARANT,
Melrose, Oregon.

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

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Pritchard*

THE PLAINDEALER

SEPTEMBER 12, 1898.

The Churches.

METHODIST CHURCH—corner of Main and Lane streets. Sunday service: Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath school, 10 a. m.; P. W. Woolley, superintendent; Class Meeting at 7:30 p. m. of the following evening; Epworth League 1:30 p. m. Hattie Godfrey, President. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

Presbyterian Church—corner of Cass and Ross streets. Sunday service: Pulpit worship, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath school, 10 a. m.; P. W. Woolley, superintendent; Class Meeting at 7:30 p. m. of the following evening; Epworth League 1:30 p. m. Hattie Godfrey, President. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Fresh fruit in glass jars at Zigler's grocery.

WANTED—Wood on subscription at this office.

The Boss Store is selling out at sacrifice prices. Call and be convinced.

Churchill & Woodley's tuner is kept busy putting up new pipes for dryers.

Black lace dress skirts and noose underskirts. New line at the Novelty Store.

Facts—not fables—is what our advertising columns represent. The Boss Store.

Smoke the "Artis," the best of cigar of the year. Kroese & Shambrook, sole agents.

New stock of ladies and misses' fine shoes, all the latest styles, just received at Parrott Bros.

Range to Rent.—O will take stock to pasture by the week or month. E. J. Arant, Melrose.

All our goods are new and of the latest styles. No shopworn goods on hand at the Boss Store.

Tents, cots, camp chairs and a full camping outfit can be found at Alexander & Strong's.

A large and fine assortment of children's shoes just received at Parrott Bros. Call and see them.

Money to loan, on city and country property. D. S. K. Boyce, Marsters' Building, Roseburg, Or.

What everyone says must be true. The choicest of teas and coffees in town at Mrs. H. Easton's.

The future is uncertain, but if you keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla you may be sure of good health.

Ladies, buy one of our Fin de Siecle combs, the latest novelty in hair dressing, does away with hair pins. At the Novelty Store.

For prices and quality call at the old original stand, "Fresh and dried fruits, candy and nuts, cigars and tobacco at prices to suit all. Mrs. H. Easton's.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meetings on the second and fourth Thursday of every month at 3:30 p. m. in the Epworth League room of the M. E. church.

Dr. H. Little, of Oakland, was in the city Thursday last.

Judge J. W. Hamilton and wife went to Portland Friday.

Hon. G. W. Riddle, of Glenbrook, was in this city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morris are visiting in San Francisco.

Mrs. L. W. Hill has gone to Eastern Oregon, to join her husband.

Geo. Kimball has returned from his summer visit in Jackson county.

Oscar Carroll and Ed. Ellison, of Calapooia, were in Roseburg Friday.

Miss Lavinia Cobb, of Dillard, will attend the Ashland Normal school this winter.

A marriage license has been issued to John R. Dailey and Miss Clementine Lyster, of Gardiner.

Mr. Thomas Colbourne has returned home from Astoria, where he has been looking after business interests.

Mrs. Maude, Mrs. Julia Hurd and Mrs. Oscar LaForest have returned home from a month's visit in Coos county.

John Jones, one of the recruits for the Oregon regiment, has returned to Roseburg, from Camp Merritt, on a thirty days furlough.

Rev. Edw. Gittins and family left yesterday by team for McMinnville, where on the 15th, the Methodist conference will be in session.—Medford Mail.

The governor has appointed George E. Calkins of Portland a member of the board of trustees of the Oregon Soldiers Home, vice B. F. Alley, of Baker City, resigned.

C. L. Maquinn took Monday's train for Roseburg to meet some New York clients who intend to look over the mining fields of Southern Oregon.—Oregon Mining Journal.

The family of S. A. Douglas, the Baptist minister, have arrived from Quincy, Ill. They will begin housekeeping in the Singleton property on south Main street. We extend to them a hearty welcome.

J. A. Ramsey of Kentucky, who with his wife has spent a month in Southern Oregon, made this office a pleasant call with Rev. Ross last week. He leaves today for his home, having had a very pleasant visit in Oregon.

Mrs. W. F. Jewett, Mrs. L. Lucas, Mrs. Ekblom, Mrs. D. Thompson, and Mrs. Grace Blackwell, of Gardiner, attended the county convention of the W. C. T. U. in this city last week and remained over Sunday.

Luther Hamilton and Elmer DaMotta, of Roseburg, killed 16 deer, a bear and an elk, while hunting in the vicinity of Eckley, 25 miles above this place. They were gone 15 days and were the guests of the Giesler brothers, a portion of the time.—Merrill Point Enterprise.

A vacant residence which stood on the side of the hill east of the city belonging to Dr. Hoover, was burned to the ground about 8 o'clock Friday evening. The fire was no doubt the work of an incendiary. We are informed that there was an insurance on the building to the amount of \$250.

E. B. Jennings of Table Rock was in Medford Tuesday. He has recently made the purchase of 1000 acres of dry and wheat land up near Roseburg, and tomorrow he will leave with his family for that place. The family will remain up there but E. B. will return to Medford and give his attention to his several mining propositions in this locality.—Medford Mail.

Howard Carter of Marshfield is visiting in Roseburg.

All kinds of stamped goods at cost prices, Novelty Store.

Miss Blanche Antenrieth is the new clerk at the Kandy Kitchen.

No mistake will be made by having your dental work done by Dr. Strango.

R. A. Dozier, of Abraham's warehouse, buys hay, grain and all kinds of farm products.

Judge A. F. Stearns of Oakland was looking after business matters in Roseburg Saturday.

Cash paid for grain, and all kinds of farm products, at Abraham's warehouse.

R. A. DOZIER

Come and convince yourself, that we mean business when we say our entire stock must be sold. Novelty Store.

Notice is hereby given that E. C. Davis is no longer my agent.

H. L. MAISTER.

You will not know how much good Hood's Sarsaparilla will do until you try it. Buy a bottle today and begin to take it.

E. DUTMAN, M. D., member Board of Pension Examiners, Office, Marsters building, building corner Main and Cass streets.

Rev. Edward Fugh of Yonahda has been spending a few days in Roseburg attending to business matters and visiting friends.

Injure blood is an enemy to health, and may lead to serious disease. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures this enemy and averts danger.

Hon. John D. Leary, of Portland, an old friend of Dr.