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There is plenty of money in circulation in Douglas county at present, since the prunes, grain and other crops are being marketed. Nothing makes business like having something to sell, no matter what the price.

It is estimated by the department at Washington that in case the Philippine islands are annexed to the United States, together with Porto Rico and the Ladrones, Mr. Hermanson, as commissioner of the general land office, will have 8100 appointments at his disposal.

The Ladies Chronicle: A democratic paper says the republicans have changed their tone on the subject of new markets away from home. The new markets chiefly under consideration at present are not away from home. They are to be a part of Uncle Sam's territory.

Mr. H. C. Wortman, of the firm of Old & King of Portland, returned from a trip to the East last week. He visited the Omaha exposition, and says it is very creditable, indeed. Oregon's exhibit compared very favorably with the exhibits from other states.

Thos. C. Taylor, who succeeds Senator Simon as president of the Oregon senate, represents the joint senatorial district of Umatilla and Union counties. He has business in Pendleton and has been mayor there two years, and a councilman three years.

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Prof. J. B. Ford was in town one day last week. Miss Mack has returned to her home near Eugene. Joseph Boyle of Days creek was doing business in town Saturday.

Wallace Raymond and Will Harris are hauling wheat to this place for shipment. Don't fail to attend the Woodmen entertainment at Jackson's hall next Saturday night.

Wm. Flock and sons, Alva and Sam, have been loading prunes at this place for shipment. Several cars of dried prunes have recently been shipped from this place to cities in the East.

Roy Sackett, Frank Feikert and Robert Jackson were viewing the sights in Roseburg Sunday. Mrs. Harris, accompanied by May Sanderson, returned to her home at Brownsville Sunday night.

Mrs. Carrie Parsley and Mrs. Eva Arzner, of Canyonville, were visiting friends in this vicinity Friday and Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. Riddle returned Tuesday from a short visit with Mrs. Riddle's mother, Mrs. Rice. They also visited Roseburg before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Cornutt, Misses Maud Catching, Evelyn and Minnie Cornutt and Mrs. Dona Catching and children went to Roseburg Monday by private conveyance. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Riddle, accompanied by Master Busman Crosby, returned to the Cracker Jack mine Wednesday, after having spent a week in this city.

Married, at the home of the bride's parents Thursday, Oct. 27th, Miss Mand Sammers and Len Ackley, Rev. Hansen officiating. Their many friends extend congratulations.

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GREEN PLEADS GUILTY.

Sensation in the Timm Murder Case at Eugene. BRANTON WEEPS AND RAVES. A Short Review of the Horrible Crime Committed in the Cascades.

GREEN, Or., Nov. 1.—A highly sensational denouncement to the John Timm murder case occurred today, when Courtland Green, jointly indicted with Grand Branton for the crime, pleaded guilty to a charge of murder in the first degree. Green has agreed to testify against Branton at 11 o'clock tomorrow forenoon, at the latter's trial, which began yesterday.

Green will be sentenced next Monday. The first intimation that Timm had been murdered came, it will be remembered in a story told by Green to the authorities of Lane county, to the effect that Branton and Green were coming across the Cascade mountains with Timm, with a band of horses last June. Timm and Branton had trouble over an settlement while camping at Squaw creek, Crook county. They arrived at Alder springs June 15, and corraled their horses. Timm lay down by the fire. Green said that soon after, while he was getting wood, he heard the report of a pistol. He looked around, and saw Branton standing over Timm with a smoking revolver. Timm was shot through the head.

An examination of the scene of the killing showed that Timm's body was chopped to pieces and carefully cremated. A coroner's jury accused Branton of the murder. Branton disappeared, and no view to his whereabouts could be obtained, although a reward of \$200 was offered for his capture, until he was arrested on the street in Eugene on July 20. He then disclaimed any knowledge of the crime, declaring that he did not know that he was wanted until a few minutes before his arrest. He said that after he left the scene of the crime he went as far east as Topeka, Kan., in search of work, but finding none, returned home. He was indicted by Lane county grand jury for murder in the first degree.

At the preliminary examination Green was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of being an accessory to a felony, but later evidence was secured implicating him in the murder, and he was indicted on the same charge as Branton.

Grand Branton, the chief actor in the murder trial, during the evidence of Courtland Green, this morning, broke down and wept and raved, at times it being nearly impossible to hear the witness. It looked at one time as if he would utterly collapse. Several of his relatives tried to comfort him but were unsuccessful. It was an exciting and trying time for court officers, attorneys, jurors and auditors. It is a sad thing that a strong man breaks down as did Branton.

Branton testified yesterday that he went to the spring for water and that Green shot Timm.

Mr. Chas. Cook, superintendent of the mine, Tunnel No. 2, throndale, was in town this week bringing in his usual amount of assays. Mr. Cook has just sold one-half of his interest in this mine for \$30,000 cash. The company have bids out calling for a working tunnel 17 feet in the clear. The tunnel will be over 1000 feet in length with double track. A 20 stamp mill is in process of erection. Chlorinating works will be installed to handle the product. Plans for lighting the mine and furnishing power by electricity are to be installed soon. Mr. Cook and associates have had their ores tested by Messrs. Wright, our local assayers, in San Francisco and in Portland, with extremely satisfactory results.—Grants Pass Observer.

Report of the Fall creek school for the month ending October 29, 1898: No. enrolled, 13; average monthly attendance, 12; No. days taught, 20. Pupils who were neither absent or tardy during the month are: Myrtle Mathews, Bessie Mathews, Joyce Mathews, Wilma Mathews, Addie Mathews, Ellis Watson, Floyd Watson, Claud Livingston, Delos Livingston.

Those who averaged 90 per cent. and over at the monthly examination are: Ellis and Floyd Watson, Myrtle, Bessie, Joyce, Addie and Wilma Mathews, Virjan and Waittha Watson, Claud and Delos Livingston.

F. H. CAMP, Teacher. A Woman Hung around the neck of her husband and begged and implored him to go immediately and reserve seats for Gorton's Minstrels which appear at the Opera House, Tuesday, Nov. 8.

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School Report.

Report of Gardiner Public Schools for the month ending Oct. 29, 1898. GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT. Eighth Grade.—Rank one. Wayll Smith, average 92.2. Others above 90. Sallie McQuinn, Fred Varrelmann, Eddie Brownell, Annie Varrelmann.

Seventh Grade.—Rank one. Joe Baker, average 92.2. Others above 90. Leslie Smith, Eva Cornwall, John Moore, Lora Austin, Edna Smith, Peter Nelson, Grace Ricker, Charles Moon, Max Van Curen, Alfred Varrelmann, Ida McAlley, Will Glover, Gard Sagabert.

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Fourth Grade.—Rank one. Greata Fryla, average 92.2. Others averaging above 90. Maud D'Costa, Vera Peterson, Clark Moore, Charles Varrelmann, James Rasmussen, Oscar Peterson, James Glover, Edith Andrew, Willie Jewett.

Third Grade.—Rank one. Neva Chandler, average 98.2. Hilda Brant, Gertrude Austin, Harry Henderson, May Rasmussen, Everett East, Edith Crivener.

Second Grade.—Rank one. Hattie Pryla, average 92. Others averaging above 90. Wilma Smith, Helmi Peterson, Rosa D'Costa.

First Grade.—Rank one. Mervel Burrows, average 98. Others averaging above 90. Harry Drott, Wilhelmina, Agnes Varrelmann, Stella Glover, Loyd Cornwall, Mary Pryla, Ernest Baskalins, Charles Henderson.

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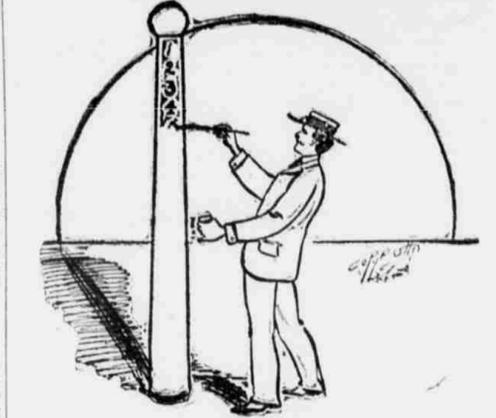
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