

THE PEOPLE'S STORE

We are redoubling our efforts to make the PEOPLE'S STORE the most popular place for bargain seekers to make their headquarters, as our Fall and Winter goods have arrived and we are selling them at a very low margin.

LADIES: Our Fall Millinery Stock of Street and Walking shapes are the most up-to-date styles that has ever been in the city before, and we are selling them from 25 to 50 per cent. cheaper than you can get them elsewhere.

Our Fall and Winter Stock of Clothing are now in and one of the latest and most up-to-date, and if you will step in and give us a call you will be convinced that we have the most complete and up-to-date line in the city, and you will see that we can sell you cheaper than you can get them elsewhere.

We are also agents for **W. L. Douglas Shoes** and **Monarch Shirts**

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I. ABRAHAM Proprietor

Told in Side Heads

SUSPECTED OF TRAIN ROBBERY—City Marshal F. W. Dillard, arrested two suspicious looking characters Tuesday who tallied with a description, in his possession, of the principals in the recent train robbery near Co. G. One of the peculiar large, square chin revealed below the man's, and lanky voice of the principal robber, were characteristics of one of the parties arrested. Both men claim to have come from the Delta to Drain, where they were employed three days, and from Drain to this city, arriving here Monday night on the wood train. They were held by Recorder West on a charge of being drunk and disorderly, they having been filled up on fire water in order to entrap them. They give their names as Jas. Peltonore and Jack Wilson. Upon inquiry it was found that two men answering their description worked at a hotel in Drain from Thursday until Monday, but did not give out their names at that place, other than one was heard to address the other as Tom, and were very quiet in their demeanor. The night clerk reported one said something about being at the Dallas and Heppner. One was heavy set with round face. They went south from Drain and it is believed they are the same men who were arrested here.

A GOOD PRUNE CROP—J. J. Chadwick, a prosperous farmer and fruit grower of the "Meadow Bottom," near Myrtle Creek, came down to Roseburg by private conveyance Wednesday. He is just recovered from a fall in which he sustained a broken breast bone. His prune crop this year amounted to 6,800 (round) dried, 1,400 pounds being Italiane, the remainder Petites. His prunes were of excellent quality and he sold early in the season to Mr. Ward the probe buyer, receiving the best market price. Mr. Chadwick is also a hog raiser and market's annually a large amount of hams, bacon and lard. He is fattening fewer logs than usual this season, only eighty head, ordinarily feeding from 200 to 500 head. He feeds his hogs principally on corn which produces well on his fine farm. Mr. Chadwick favored the PLAINDEALER, with a pleasant business call while in town.

DEED—In Myrtle Creek, Tuesday, Oct. 29, 1903, John R. Hervey, after a

long illness of eczema. The deceased has been an esteemed resident of this county for 30 years past, having lived for a long time on Clark's branch, near Myrtle Creek, but more recently had moved to town for medical treatment. His wife, who survives him, is a sister of Rev. J. R. N. Bell, of Baker City. He had no children. The funeral was held at Myrtle Creek Wednesday afternoon and was largely attended.

DOUGLAS COUNTY PRUNES—The prune crop for this county, as far as can now be learned, will approximate 5,000,000 pounds. Prune shipments are going on as rapidly as cars can be obtained. Among the shippers and buyers, C. G. Gray has been the largest, his shipments probably reaching the 2,000,000-pound mark. W. & Weaver, of Myrtle Creek, have purchased 1,500,000 pounds, with shipments nearly completed. Porter Bros. and A. C. Solomon have purchased 12 or 15 carloads each. The tendency of prices has been downward, but the crop as a whole was generally good. The fruit industry is steadily growing in this county.

K. P. MEMORIAL—At the McKinley memorial exercises held at the castle hall of that order last evening the following program was rendered: Song, "Rock of Ages," by the Chorus, pianist, W. W. Thackrah. Address, Mr. G. W. Kimball; song, "Lead Kindly Light," Chorus; address, Hon. A. M. Crawford; song, "Nearer My God, to Thee," Male Quartette.

NEARLY READY TO BORE—J. E. Simmons, president of the Great West Oil and Coal Co., returned to make arrangements to bore for oil at Springfield. Mr. Simmons says that they will be ready for a work in few days or as soon as the diamond drill arrives from the east. Three or four days more of work on the plant and everything will be in readiness for the drill.—Eugene Guard.

FOR SOLDIERS HOME—State Treasurer C. E. Moore is in receipt of a remittance of \$150, from the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers to the credit of the Oregon Soldiers' Home. This amount is for the quarter ending September 30th last, and is for an average of 62 members.—Statesman.

A SMALL WRECK—Three cars of the gravel train were accidentally derailed on the one-half mile south of Myrtle Creek Monday afternoon. They were replaced without any serious delay.

Of Local Interest.

Weather Bureau forecast.

ROSEBURG, Ore., Oct. 31.—Tonight fair; Friday showers. THOS. GIBSON, Observer.

W. E. Lundy, of the hardware firm of Hutton & Lundy, arrived in Roseburg Monday evening and left on the early morning stage for his home in Coos county. Mr. Lundy spent the past summer in the Nome mining country and returned via San Francisco, where he spent a few weeks with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dreisbach, at 219 Collingwood street.

It will be of interest to the farmers of this county to learn that the New Era Flour Mills, of Roseburg, have just installed a fine new Barley Roller machine of large capacity and that the mills are now prepared to manufacture a fine dustless feed from your barley while you wait and are even better equipped for turning out a superior quality of flour and feed than ever before. Bring in your grain and they will do the rest. If

D. L. Rice, the S. P. Company's station agent, reports the following fruit shipments by freight in addition to the express shipments: Peaches, 26,241 boxes; tomatoes, 3,738 boxes; pears, 2,524 boxes; apples, 2,054 boxes; plums, 121 boxes; peaches, 157 boxes; plums, 7 boxes; making a grand total of freight shipments of 35,154 boxes.—Ashland Tidings.

It is an old axiom that "bread is the staff of life," but this depends somewhat on its quality. The fine cream and home made bread made at J. Siever's bakery on Jackson street near Cass never fails to please. A nice variety of pastries are kept constantly on hand.

Miss Pearl Wright, the beneficiary of her brother Lester Wright, deceased, received a check for \$1200 last Monday, from the order of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, which was the amount of insurance carried in the order by deceased.

Stearns & Chenoweth have Iron Clad wagons, the best and cheapest. They offer all Hacks and Buggies at reduced prices, new, all steel boys' wagons, Steel Ranges and Stoves of all sorts, Pioneer White Lead, Linseed Oil, Doors and Windows.

"We wish someone would 'woodup'." If you wish bring us some wood on subscription we would be glad. Anyway, we would be glad if you would bring the wood even if we have to exchange our per-scrip-tion for wood. Wouldn't you?

Floyd Murphy having gone to Portland to reside, I have succeeded to the agency of the Toy Laundry Co., of Portland. Leave orders with me. Office at Case's Livery barn. CLAUDE CHURCHILL.

Halloween social at the school house, given by the high school girls, for the benefit of their Basket Ball teams, this evening Oct. 31st. Refreshments and a general good time assured. Admission 25 cents.

If you want the best and most healthful bread you will use our "cream" and "home-made" bread. Fall wheat loaves. Our pastries will also be found very palatable. Give us a trial, J. Sievers, Jackson street near Cass.

The revival meetings at the M. E. church are awakening interest. Rev. E. F. Zimmerman preaches the plain Gospel "in the demonstration of the Spirit and of power." All are invited.

Our hats for men come to us direct from the makers, saving you the middle man's profit, that's why the values we give you are the best and styles the latest. They are unmade made too, Hildebrand's.

Jas. H. Skiffington, of Myrtle Creek, returned home Sunday evening from Seattle, where he has been in the employ of a large salmon canning company.

Umbrellas to use or to loan. The best general purpose umbrella you ever saw. They are nice enough to carry on any occasion, and cheap enough to loan if necessity compels it. Hildebrand's.

Recent arrivals at Hotel McCallan are: T. E. Blodson, Hotel Alexander, Leona; Isaac Selig, Myrtle Creek; F. A. Pike, Oakland; Bert Nann, Cottage Grove; Fred Dickman, Glide.

Some unscrupulous dealers sell common cast iron shavers to their customers for the genuine Oliver. Look for the name cast in every one—don't buy the bogus.

The Farmers Institute will convene at Elkton November 8th and 9th, 1903. A fine picnic dinner will be served on Saturday the 9th. Programs will be interesting.

Pride of Douglas is the brand you will always find on the sacks containing the best flour obtainable in Southern Oregon. Try it and be convinced. If

Jas. Inman, the Looking Glass oil enthusiast and expert, arrived home from an extended visit to the California oil fields last night. He says the magnitude of the California oil industry is all that has been claimed for it. Mr. Inman's trip to these oil fields has familiarized him with the formation of the Pacific coast oil deposits and greatly added to his store of knowledge along this line obtained by years of experience in the Pennsylvania oil fields. He stopped off at Ashland briefly on his return and reported the well down to a depth of 1200 feet and indications favorable for oil. He thinks it will be necessary to go down 1500 feet at that place before oil is found. Mr. Inman says his trip was not only a profitable one for himself but will prove equally so for the county as he was successful in interesting several prominent oil men, in this county. He brought some fine specimens of California fruits home with him from about Los Angeles, including bread fruit, pomegranates, oranges, lemons, etc., fine specimens of which may be seen at the PLAINDEALER office, and for which Mr. Inman has our thanks.

Now is the time to buy your plows and harrows; see the Syracuse Steel and Chilled plows before buying elsewhere for sale by S. K. Sykes.

C. L. Reed has purchased the interest of L. R. Minard in the "Elite" saloon and will conduct the business hereafter alone. Mr. Reed knows how to conduct a first-class, orderly and popular resort and will put forth his best efforts in this respect, and the "Elite" is sure to become more popular than ever before.

Buffalo Pitts Dec Spring and spike tooth harrow, sold by S. K. Sykes are the best. See them and you will buy no others.

City Recorder, D. S. West, secured one of the fine, new, compact "Chicago Typewriters" this morning through the Platteville agency and is well pleased with it. It is one of the very finest and most serviceable medium priced machines on the market. Call and examine it and get prices and terms at the PLAINDEALER office.

The Oliver Plow Co. stamp their name on every Share, Mouldboard and Land Side. The genuine only, sold by Churchill & Woolley.

The steam shovel and crew passed through this city this morning enroute to Coaly where several weeks will be occupied in supplying gravel for ballasting the S. P. C. J. road bed in the Willamette valley. Engineer G. E. Pruner made the PLAINDEALER a pleasant call while awaiting orders in this city.

Ladies, you should see that elegant new line of automobile and jackets at H. Marks & Co. The swiftest thing in town.

If you are in need of a typewriter be sure to call and examine the "Chicago" or send for descriptive circulars and terms to the PLAINDEALER before purchasing elsewhere. See ad and prices on our fourth page.

Try Mrs. Comstock's bread. Seven large loaves for 25c. Delivered to any place in the city if desired.

W. E. Hoover is selling a large number of fruit trees indicating that the fruit industry is rapidly growing throughout the county.

Everybody can have nice, light, white bread if they will use Washford's "Pride of Douglas" flour.

Edwin Weaver, the Myrtle Creek fruit grower and buyer paid this office a pleasant visit Wednesday, likewise cash on subscription.

The Pan American Spike tooth harrow with levers are second to none. See them at S. K. Sykes.

A strong play—fine high class specialties and popular prices is the offering of the Willamettes at the opera houses all next week.

Shoes of nearly every kind and every purpose you will find in Selig's store at Myrtle Creek.

The T. S. Townsend Creamery Co., of Portland is now paying 25 cents for butterfat at the railroad stations in this county.

Pure sap maple syrup, Elk brand at Kruse & Newland's. Guaranteed pure.

Weideman's splendid comedy company will be the attraction at the Roseburg theater next week. See ad in this issue.

See the Syracuse Steel Plows at S. K. Sykes, with a steel shin and steel shoe.

The press of Portland speaks in the highest terms of Weideman's show, the attraction at the opera house all next week.

Talking of shoes? We lead and don't you forget it—just watch us, Fint.

Fred Winston, of Winston, went to Portland Tuesday to enter Prof. Armstrong's business college for the winter.

Hildebrand's, everybody's store for all kinds of Dry Goods wants.

O. L. Sutherland, of the Roseburg Soda works, has the thanks of the PLAINDEALER compositors for a soda water treat.

Genuine pure maple syrup at Kruse & Newland's grocery.

"Down in Egypt," a story of Southern Illinois is the opening bill of Willamettes big show on Monday night.

Vetch, orchard grass, clover, alfalfa seed at Churchill & Woolley.

Ed W. Riddle, of Riddle, stopped over in Roseburg Wednesday night enroute home from a trip to Portland.

Lime and cement at very low prices at Marsters' Drug Store.

V. S. Patterson and son went to Drain Wednesday morning to finish their work on Cellers Sisters' hotel.

DOUGLAS COUNTY BANK.

Purchased by Senator R. A. Booth and Brother, Hon. J. H. Booth.

O. F. Godfrey & Son, of the Douglas County Bank have sold their interest in the old and well known banking institution of Roseburg to Messrs. R. A. and J. H. Booth. The deal was consummated Wednesday but the actual transfer will not take place until December or January the 1st. It is understood that Senator A. C. Maestas, H. M. J. T. Bridges, F. W. Beren and a few others will take stock in the bank under the new management and the business will be conducted under the old name of Douglas County Bank. Messrs. Godfrey have been connected with this bank, the oldest in Southern Oregon, for the past ten years during which time and even since its establishment in 1883 has always been considered one of the solid financial institutions of the state and its record has been most creditable. The Messrs. Godfrey have proven themselves genial, obliging gentlemen and thoroughly practical business men. They have many friends here who will regret to learn that they contemplate leaving this city to engage in business in Portland, though they will retain their city and farm property interests in and near Roseburg. We join in wishing them business and prosperity in their new home.

The successors to the business of the Douglas County Bank are numbered among the best known and most substantial business men of the state, being at the head of the big Booth-Kelley Lumber Co. and largely interested in important enterprises in Josephine and Clatsop counties, including a banking business at Grants Pass. That they are genial, accommodating and wide awake business men goes without saying and are solid financially. We join with the many friends of the new banking firm in wishing them success.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

BOND OVER—Bert Bloo, the young man who stole a saddle, bridle and a pair of shoes from J. W. Hill on the upper Willamette about the 6th of October, and who was brought back from Coos county last night by Sheriff Withers, was taken before Justice C. A. Wintermair this morning, where he waived examination and was bound over to appear before the circuit court which convenes next Monday. Failing to furnish bail he will take lodgings in the Hotel de Willamette until his trial comes off.—Eugene Guard.

It will be remembered that young Bloo was convicted of stealing a horse from a Myrtle Creek party some time ago in the Douglas County Circuit Court and given a short sentence, which on completing, he almost immediately plied his profession again as above related.

GIVEN AWAY—Mrs. N. Boyd, dealer in groceries and glassware, for a limited period of time will give every purchaser of a dollar's worth of dishes or glassware, at her store a chance in the grand drawing for a beautiful chamber set. Call at her store and see prices.

RARE OCCASION—Our reader that was used yesterday to rejoice over the raising of the woolen mill bonus was originally purchased for another purpose—to rejoice over democratic victories. But such occasions, these days, seem very, very rare.—Eugene Guard, dem.

FOR RENT—134 acres of land, 25 acres tillable on Deer Creek, 7 miles from Roseburg. Inquire of John Hamlin, Roseburg, Ore.

WORK—In Garden valley, Thursday, Oct. 24, 1903, to the wife of J. C. Gilliam a daughter.

WANTED—Five cords of four foot dry firewood. Will pay cash. Apply at this office.

Real Estate Transfers.

A. M. Smith to Sarah Smith, 480 acres in sec 2, 3, 10, 11 and 35, tp 22 S, R 12 W, 40 acres. \$ 3600

A. L. Perkins to C. A. Perkins, an undivided 1/4 interest in lot 4, and 36 1/2 feet of the North side of lot 3, block 4, Gardiner, Oregon. 675

C. A. Perkins to Julia E. Perkins, an undivided 1/4 interest in lot 4 and 36 1/2 feet of the north side of lot 3, block 4, Gardiner, Oregon. 625

C. A. Perkins and wife to A. L. Perkins 1/4 interest in the above described property. 625

G. O. Perkins and wife to C. A. Perkins 1/4 interest in the above property. 625

Sol A. Perkins and wife to C. A. Perkins 1/4 interest in above property. 625

The Dundee Mortgage and Trust Co. to J. L. Thornton, D. L. C. No. 41, in sec 34 and 35, also the N 1/2 of SE 1/2 of sec 35, except 10 acres in NE corner of same, 770 acres. 5000

State to J. W. McCall lot 12, sec 10, tp 22 S, R 12 W, 40 acres. 100

Alonso Young, et al, to Mary H. Cochran, land in sec 35, tp 27 S, R 7 W. 250

Robert Wade to Alfred H. Orr, lot 1, sec 7, block 1, and 2nd NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec 7, all in tp 22 S, R 11 W, 154.13 acres. 1600

Robert Wade to Pearly P. Orr NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec 7, and SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of sec 7, all in tp 22 S, R 11 W, 160 acres. 1600

Chas. E. Hazard to F. F. Patterson, the W 1/2 of NE 1/4 and N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of sec 23, tp 22 S, R 9 W, 160 acres. 1

Arnold, the forger, met swift justice in this city. He passed the forged check Saturday afternoon, Policeman McClain, with his usual alertness fastened the crime on him a few hours later and Monday, less than 48 hours after he committed the deed, he was arraigned and entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. This is justice with a vengeance and speaks well for our police and officials.—Albany Herald.

Nasal CATARRH—In all its stages there should be cleanliness. Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly. Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce nose bleeds. Lasts long, costs at Drug Store by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

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Ely Brothers, 54 Warren Street, New York

OF INTEREST TO MEN

We have accepted the agency of Strouse & Bros. Celebrated "HIGH ART" Clothing and carry a complete line of Suits for men, ranging in price from

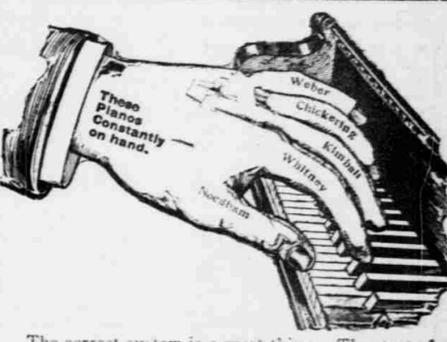
== \$11 TO \$25 ==

The make and fit of this brand we guarantee to be equal to any first-class merchant tailor. Also a full line of the Raglan and Yoke coats for men and boys New Shirts New Neckwear New Shoes

The Big Store **JOSEPHSON'S** The Big Store

THE GREAT Reduction Sale

Still continues at the **T. K. RICHARDSON MUSIC HOUSE.**



and the way instruments are leaving the store, it is evident that the public is taking advantage of our extremely low prices

The correct system is a great thing. The test of a correct system is its fruits. Our system of piano selling simplifies the manner of piano purchasing, so that a child can buy an instrument without paying a penny too much for it. The high prices on pianos that we hear of now and then, seem wonderful to us. Piano questions of all kinds are gladly answered by us. We have been selling music and musical instruments right here in Roseburg for over eleven years and six years in Portland, Oregon, and we can refer to hundreds of purchasers who are all well pleased with the instruments and the prices paid for them, except one. We will give name later with explanations.

OPERA HOUSE

Week commencing **MONDAY, NOV. 4, 1903**
The Repertoire Monarch
WIEDEWANN'S BIG SHOW
Presenting an entirely new repertoire of Comedy.
COMPANY OF 25 PEOPLE
Superb Band and Orchestra. Six strong Specialties.
Opening bill, the 4-act comedy "Down in Egypt"
Note—There is a portion of Southern Illinois known as Egypt.
PRICES: 10, 20 and 30 cents.
The sale of seats opens at Strong's on Friday morning.

EAST AND SOUTH

ROSEBURG-MYRTLE POINT STAGE LINE	
8:30 A. M. Lv. Portland	Ar. 11:30 P. M.
9:30 A. M. Lv. Roseburg	Ar. 12:30 P. M.
11:30 A. M. Ar. Ashland	Ar. 12:30 P. M.
1:30 P. M. Ar. Sacramento	Ar. 3:00 A. M.
7:30 A. M. Ar. San Francisco	Ar. 8:45 A. M.

Twice leave Roseburg for Portland and way stations 11:30 a. m. and 11:40 p. m.

MYRTLE POINT	
7:30 A. M. Lv. Portland	Ar. 7:00 A. M.
8:30 A. M. Lv. Roseburg	Ar. 8:00 P. M.
11:30 A. M. Ar. El Paso	Ar. 12:30 P. M.
1:30 P. M. Ar. Kansas City	Ar. 1:30 P. M.
7:30 A. M. Ar. Chicago	Ar. 8:00 P. M.
8:30 A. M. Ar. Los Angeles	Ar. 8:00 P. M.
9:30 A. M. Ar. Portland	Ar. 8:00 P. M.
11:30 A. M. Ar. City of Mexico	Ar. 12:30 P. M.
1:30 P. M. Ar. Boston	Ar. 7:00 A. M.
6:30 A. M. Ar. New Orleans	Ar. 6:30 P. M.
11:30 A. M. Ar. Washington	Ar. 6:30 P. M.
12:30 P. M. Ar. New York	Ar. 12:30 P. M.

Portland and Tourist cars on both trains. Chair cars Sacramento to Ogdon and El Paso, and tourist cars to Chicago, St. Louis, New Orleans and Washington.

Connecting at San Francisco with western steamship lines for Honolulu, Japan, China, Philippines, Central and South America.

See J. R. Moore, agent, at Roseburg station or at office.

R. B. MILLER, S. F. & Pac. Agent, PORTLAND OREGON

CREAM WANTED—The T. S. Townsend Creamery Co. at 44 Second st., Portland, will pay highest market price for cream. Will sell you Cream Separators, and take your cream in payment. 031th.

C. I. K. STORE

All former efforts shattered. All competition Out-distanced.

This season, we have determined, shall be a record breaker in our history. Never before have we offered such values, never before has our stock been so complete and patterns so well selected.

Clothing What do you think of a MAN'S ALL WOOL SUIT for \$5.00? We have it, and plenty of them. We have better ones also. You should see our clothing before buyin

This season finds us with the most up-to-date line of Ladies Jackets and Capes ever brought to this city. The qualities are of the finest and prices the cheapest.

Jackets, Capes, Furs They comprise everything that is new. Our furs are direct from the manufacturers, assuring you correct style and low price.

We have shoes for Men, Women and Children and Infants. A large assortment at small price.

FISHER & BELLOW'S

From Mary to John

DEAR JOHN:— I have some news to tell you. Mr. W. C. Hildebrand has the loveliest Dry Goods and Clothing store on the corner where Caro's used to be, where I used to meet you after school. They call the store "Hildebrand's" and I am going to trade there all the time. They don't have a horrid old job lot, but everything they've got is good and reliable. Since it is so rainy and disagreeable, I don't go out to the store very often, but send Josephine and little Cyrano and Hildebrand's never works off old or shif worn stuff on them. Write soon and send me a V or two. Your wife, MARY.

Mary likes to trade at

Hildebrand's RELIABLE QUALITIES ALWAYS THE CHEAPEST. Store closes at 7 p. m.