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publications may cause individuals who take
it to be paid for. Under this ruling, also, anyone who
takes a subscription to run along for a time
and then ceases to be discontinued, or
if the postmaster to mark it refused, or sends
it far from the publisher is liable to arrest
and fine because of theft.
Clubbing Rate
We have arranged with a large number of
papers and magazines for rates which will give
to our subscribers two publications for a slight
advance over the cost of the PLAINDEALER
alone. Following is a partial list:
TWICE-A-WEEK PLAINDEALER and the
Tellico Blade.....\$1.75
New York Tribune.....1.75
Oregonian.....2.00
E. F. Bulletin.....2.00
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DECEMBER 16, 1901.
JUSTIFIABLE EGOTISM.
It isn't often that we become over-
enthusiastic over the PLAINDEALER's
success and growing popularity
and feel, like shaking hands with
ourselves, but when compliments like
the following are bestowed upon us we
will be pardoned for growing tem-
porarily egotistical: One year ago,
N. Easton, representing Smith
Brothers, S. B. Cough and Catarah
and other well known medi-
cines called and closed a contract
for both advertising and job print-
ing. This general salesman made our
city his annual visit again Friday
and, naturally enough, called on the
PLAINDEALER and made it his com-
pany's exclusive advertising medium
for Douglas county, so satisfactory
were former results obtained from
our paper. He also asked to inspect
some of our latest job printing, which
after careful examination he declared
to be the finest and most up-to-
date work he had seen executed by
any country printing house between
British Columbia and Mexico, the
territory over which he travels con-
tinuously. Here is where we allowed
our vanity to get the better of us.
As evidence of the PLAINDEALER's
great popularity and success a casual
glance over our advertising columns
and subscription list will substantiate
these facts and bear out the
PLAINDEALER's claim as "Southern
Oregon's leading newspaper."

First Blackburn, then Depew.
Have the Senators arranged to com-
mit matrimony in alphabetical order?
It is a wise strike who knows
enough to know when the strike is
over without waiting for an official
notification.
President Roosevelt seems to like
Congress at his dinner-table which
is seldom without Senators or Repre-
sentatives.
Peoria, Ill., holds the record for
wholesale jag-making. Its distilleries
transformed 800,000 bushels of corn
into whiskey in a single week.
The Senate could not have done
anything more pleasing to the people
than to show its disposition for
promptly ratifying the new Hay-
Pascuelo treaty.
The Virginia Constitutional Con-
vention, which promises to sit all
winter, has another factional fight on
its hands, over the question of abol-
ishing the county courts.
President Roosevelt was a guest at
a farewell stag dinner given in Wash-
ington by Senator Depew which he
is about to start for Europe, where he
will be married this month.
The Chinese are again killing each
other on the streets in San Francisco.
Another reason for re-negating the
Chinese exclusion law and making its
provisions more strict.
The Philippines tariff problem
seems to be much more puzzling to
the democrats in Congress than to
the republicans, who will speedily
show how easy it is to solve.
Big storms and blizzards are rag-
ing in the East and Middle West.
Roses and wild flowers are still
blooming in the open air about Rose-
burg and throughout the Umpqua
valley. Come West.
Nobody in this country is likely to
be alarmed about the talk of a com-
mercial alliance between Germany
and Great Britain against the U. S.
It will take place about the time that
water and oil are successfully mixed.
The ruling of the Treasury Depart-
ment that under the recent Supreme
Court decision shipments cannot be
made from a U. S. port to the Philip-
pines in vessels carrying a foreign flag
will help along American shipping a
little.
The news that President Diaz will
extend the time until next April for
wheat and corn to enter Mexico free
of duty was doubtless gratefully re-
ceived by the overtaxed railroads,
one of which had announced that no
more wheat for Mexico could be
hailed for the time.

ANOTHER TRAIN WRCK.
Three Freight Cars Leave the Track.
One Man Killed.
A disastrous freight train wreck
occurred last night at 2:30 o'clock
about 14 miles south of this city, result-
ing in the wreck of three box cars and
the death of one man, who was perhaps
riding on the train. The extra freight
had left Dillard and was making
the run to Roseburg when on rounding
a curve about two miles this side of
Dillard a box car loaded with sugar, in
the forward part of the train, left the
track and two more empty box cars
followed. The train was considerably
overloaded and the three cars thrown
over on their sides against the embankment
and were damaged. An unknown man
who was riding on the box car loaded
with sugar was killed. The cause of
the wreck was a runaway. The train
was in the hands of a man who was
driving the engine. The train was
loaded with sugar, and the box car
loaded with sugar was the first to
leave the track. The train was
driving at a high rate of speed, and
the engine was out of control. The
train was wrecked about 14 miles
south of this city. The man who was
killed was a passenger on the train.
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was driving at a high rate of speed,
and the engine was out of control.

BLIZZARD IS RAGING.
Mississippi Valley Experiences Most
Severe Cold in 20 Years.
St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14.—The coldest
weather for this time of the year
in 15 years, was experienced in St.
Louis last night and today.
So far ten lives are known to have
been lost as a result of the recent
blizzard in Wyoming.
St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 14.—The
Northwestern states during the past
48 hours have reported the severest
cold wave ever known during the
month of December. All stations re-
port record-breaking "lows," ranging
from 15 to 39 below.
Topeka, Kans., Dec. 14.—Twelve
degrees below zero is reported in the
central portion of the state tonight.
Lives lost, as far as known tonight,
number three.
Omaha, Neb., Dec. 14.—The present
cold wave, which struck Nebraska
Friday noon, has been the most se-
vere experienced in December for
twenty years.
Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 14.—The bliz-
zard which has been raging over
Oklahoma and Indian Territory
since Thursday at midnight, has
done great damage to stock in Western
Oklahoma.
An Interesting Meeting.
The Womens Christian Temperance
Union of Roseburg held a very interest-
ing meeting at the home of Mrs. L. A.
Walker last Friday afternoon. The sub-
ject presented was the "Crusade An-
niversary." A review of the Crusade
which began at Hillsboro, Ohio, was
given by Mrs. Walker. She told of the
evils of the saloon and how the
band of Christians to consider how
they might avoid with the saloon and
its many evils. With this burden on
their hearts and urged on by a strong
man of God they were led to call a
meeting at a church. A Mrs. Thomp-
son was chosen to lead the meeting and
so hour later they went forth with
such faith and began their work by
entering the saloon and pleading with
its owners to give up their business.
She said these women thought that
would be the end of the saloon, and
they had no idea that they would still
be working in the saloon. While we
still have the saloon and many other
evils, we have for our encouragement
the world's W. G. T. U. and many noble
characters such as Francis Willard, Lady
Somerset and Mrs. L. M. U. Stephens,
given to us through this movement.
Mrs. Thomas, of Chicago, then gave
her own experience in the Crusade.
How it spread like fire from town to
town and state to state opening their
meetings with the same scope and the
146 Psalm, and when Mrs. Decker came
to Roseburg, she knew what was
expected of them. They marched two
by two and she as a minister's wife
was asked to take the lead with the
speaker. They had to open the saloon
door and go in first, and how their faith
was tested and how the proprietors of
the place were moved by their pres-
ence and words of these consecrated
women, and begged that they should
not pray that any harm would come to
them personally.
An instrumental solo by Mrs. F. H.
Churchill and a vocal solo by Mrs. L. A.
Walker were very much enjoyed by all.
We were then invited to the dining
room where refreshments of pop-corn
and penicots were served. XX

THE VISITORS WON.
Teams Pretty Evenly Matched
Score 5 to 0.
The Roseburg High School football
team met the Cottage Grove C. M. A.
Eleven, Saturday afternoon on the Bal-
low field in West Roseburg and a
tightly fought, evenly matched contest
resulted, which the visitors outscored the
home team by weight.
The line-up of the two teams was as
follows:
COTTAGE GROVE.....ROSEBURG
Hembrick.....C.....Davidson
Martin.....L. G.....Brant
Ainsworth.....R. G.....Tuffi
McKibben.....L. T.....Leonard
Berry.....R. T.....Friley
Taylor.....L. E.....Flood
Lambert.....R. E.....W. Faulkner
Jackson.....R. H.....V. Ramp
Wolfe.....F.....Wollenberg
Sears—Cottage Grove 5, Roseburg 0.
Umpire J. B. Taylor; referee, A.
Foster; linesmen, Morris and Bennett;
timekeepers, C. S. Jackson and H. M.
Wagner.
The game was played in 25 minute
halves and was contested in a very
lively manner. In the first half neither
side scored and the second half was a
toss until near the end when Bl-ir,
of Cottage Grove scored a touch-down.
A reception in honor of the visitors was
tendered by the High School in the Armo-
ry Hall in the evening and a general good
time prevailed. The best of the evening
was the performance of the content and
the visitors returned home feeling that
they had been royally treated and were
naturally considerably elated over their
victory. The High School editor will
report the game in detail Thursday.

THE SCHLEY INQUIRY CASE.
Court Finds Him Guilty on Eleven
Points, but Dewey Exonerates
His Brother Admiral.
Washington, Dec. 13.—The report
of Schley court of inquiry was pro-
nounced by secretary Long tonight.
There are two reports. Admirals
Leatham and Ramsey concur in the
first, which is signed by Admiral
Dewey, also, as a matter of fact.
Dewey makes a separate report,
notwithstanding he agrees with the
findings of facts subscribed to by
the others.
The majority report condemns Ad-
miral Schley on 11 points, while Ad-
miral Dewey sustains him on most
places. The majority opinion finds
in brief that Admiral Schley should
have proceeded with the utmost dis-
patch to Cienfuegos and maintained
a close blockade; that he should have
endeavored to have obtained infor-
mation of the Spanish there; that he
should have proceeded to Santiago
with dispatch; that he should not
have made the retrograde movement,
that he should have obeyed the De-
partment's orders; that he should
have endeavored to capture the Span-
ish vessels in Santiago; that he did
not do his utmost to destroy the Col-
on that he caused the squadron to
lose distance in the loop of the Flag-
ship; thereby caused the Texas to
block; that he did very serious in-
justice to Hodgson; that his conduct
in the campaign was characterized by
"vacillation, dilatoriness, and lack
of enterprise; that his official reports
on the coal supply were misleading and
inaccurate; that his conduct during
the battle was self-possessed, and
that he encouraged in his own per-
son his subordinate officers and men.
DEWEY TAKES A DIFFERENT VIEW.
Admiral Dewey, in his report, says
that the message to Cienfuegos was
made with all dispatch; that in view
of his coal supply, the blockade of
Cienfuegos was ineffective; that he
was allowed the A. Dols to enter Cien-
fuegos to get information; that his pas-
sage to Santiago was with as much
dispatch as possible, keeping the squad-
ron together; that the blockade of
Santiago was effective and, finally,
that he was the senior officer of San-
tiago, in absolute command, and en-
titled to the credit due for the glori-
ous victory which resulted in the de-
struction of the Spanish ships.
For seven weeks the court heard
testimony, and for fully a month it
deliberated upon that mass of evi-
dence, finally reaching the conclu-
sions announced.
READY TO START THE DRILL.—Presi-
dent McCoy, of the Umpqua Valley Oil
Co., is ordered to lay that everything
is now in readiness at the oil plant near
Myrtle Creek to commence oil line op-
erations and that the plant will probably
be started on tomorrow. The well has
been sunk to bottom by hand. The first
foot of drilling will be as low as the
heavy drilling machinery cannot be op-
erated with ease until the drill reaches
about that depth. All parties are ex-
tremely confident of the success of the
enterprise.
Born, Dec. 3, 1901, at D. L. Malheur
Co., Ore., to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lockett,
a daughter, (Miss Lockett was for-
merly Miss Jessie Sawyer, well known
in Drain.)—Nonpareil.
A large and appreciative audience
gathered at a "Singer in a Strange Land"
at the opera house in this city Saturday
night.
News items of all descriptions at
Kapp's grocery store.

From Our Correspondents.
Looking Glass.
Several valley people attended the
Quarterly Conference at Ten Mile last
Saturday.
R. Strand has commenced building an
addition to his house, which will greatly
improve its appearance.
Ira Howard and two sons, Frank
Arnold, and Frank Goodman, have gone
to California to work in a smelter.
Preparations are under way for a
Christmas tree. The teachers, Misses
Wisson and Badger, are preparing the
young people and children for recita-
tions, songs, etc.
Grandpa Stokes, who wandered away
last Monday evening, was found Tues-
day morning and carried safely home.
With the exception of great fatigue, he
appears as well as usual.
The ladies of the M. E. church will
give an oyster supper Friday night, Dec.
20, at the home of Geo. Marsh. A very
cordial invitation is extended to all,
A large and handsome cake has been
donated, to be voted to the most popular
young lady. The evening will be spent
informally, with games, music, etc. Os-
ters will be served at 15 cents per plate.
Hayhurst.
Mrs. W. J. Kelleher visited Mrs. J. T.
Miller, who has been quite sick with
bronchitis.
Myers Olson who has come home
from Washington, says he will attend
school in Drain this winter.
The friends of Isom Bridges will be
glad to know that he is still in the land
of the living, in good health and pros-
pering. He is now near Oregon City.
We notice the Gayote hunters out in
full force again. We think the people
should encourage the owner of hounds
to come, by leading all the assistance
possible in the hunt.
Mrs. Wm. Bridges of Colfax Wash.,
writing to relatives here says, they ex-
pect to be in old Oregon again before
another year. It seems that people who
once visit Oregon always want to come
back here to live.
Hayhurst boasts of quite a number of
bachelors. Some people think we are
doing wrong to encourage such an in-
dependent lot of men to put their heads
into the matrimonial noose. But we are
thinking of the general good of the com-
munity from a social point of view.
COSMOPOLITAN.

Social at Clevland.
There will be an entertainment and
social at the Cleveland Chapel Sat-
urday evening Dec. 28th. Given for the
benefit of the church. A cordial invita-
tion is extended to all. Entertainment
to be opened at 7 o'clock. Following is
the program:
Reed, Rev. C. Fenwick
Reed, R. v. Chas. F.
Perous calling for these letters will
please state the date on which they are
advertised, Dec. 9, 1901.
The letters will be charged for at the
rate of one cent each.
W. A. FRATKE, P. M.

Probate Orders.
In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth
Garrison, the administrator, H. J. Wil-
son has been granted an order to sell
either by public or private sale, Lot 1,
in block 30 and Lot 12 in block 36 all in
Roseburg, property belonging to said
estate.
In the matter of the estate of Wm.
Ward, deceased, and Margaret Ward,
deceased, J. H. Mumford filed his final
account as administrator, and Tues-
day, Jan. 14, appointed as the day for
the settlement of said account.
In the matter of the estate of Clifton
V. Weyer, deceased, the final account of
the administrator, R. M. Conkling, was
approved and allowed, the said adminis-
trator and his bondsmen discharged, and
the estate declared fully settled.

Letter List.
Remaining uncalled for at the Rose-
burg postoffice:
Anderson, Mrs. Annie Lohr & Natcher
Cook, J. H. Mutch, A.
Dellman, Jr., W. H. Moore, Miss Hatty
Chappell, Mrs. Frances F.
Gelen, Edward Smith, Rod
Giffman & French Co. St. Louis, Henry
Hagan, Mr. McGray, Miss Alice
The Botte Creek, L. & S. Co.
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Buggies, 75c and
up. Chairs and
Rockers for children,
20 cts and up.
A child toy stove
for 20 cts; a better
one for 75 cts.
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and 75 cents. We
are strictly in it.
If you get tired reading
this ad, we can interest
you with prices. We
sell cheaper than Port-
land, while they last.
Remember our special
December Sale. Don't
forget us. \$1.25 Stands
for \$1. Shades, regular
price, 45 cts, now 35 cts,
while they last.
Sewing machine, drop
head, delivered, only \$25.
No. 7 Cook Stove, \$8; No.
8 Cook Stove, \$9; Steel
Range, warranted for 15
years, only \$30.
Our \$1.25 Rockers
and \$1.65 Rockers
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The price is easy
too. See them be-
fore you buy.
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ers are ex-
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