

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 sole agents for **W. L. Douglas Shoes** and **Monarch Shirts**

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I. ABRAHAM Proprietor

Told in Side Heads

OPERATIONS TEMPORARILY SUSPENDED.—The Northern Oregon Oil Co., which has been sinking a well near Ashland, suspended operations temporarily, last Saturday. The well has reached a depth of over 2,000 feet, but while the company is in a good way to meet all obligations, funds were running low, owing to numerous dry holes and the fact that it was deemed unwise to incur any indebtedness until the work was shut down. At a public meeting in Ashland last Friday night nearly 4,000 shares were subscribed for and no doubt sufficient money will be raised to sink the well a few hundred feet further and demonstrate to a certainty whether oil exists at that point or not. It is to be hoped that the Ashland people will be successful in finding oil, as it would mean enhanced prosperity all over the valley. Some of this stock could probably be sold in Medford.—Mail.

ANOTHER REPORT.—Work at the oil well has been progressing during the past week, the drill now being down 1,000 feet. Additional stock has been sold, but now a delay is occasioned by a shortage of wood, the roads being so bad that it is hard to get any hauling done, says Saturday's Ashland Town Talk.

BOHEMIA TELEPHONE COMPLETED.—The Cottage Grove-Bohemia Telephone is completed and the first message over the wire from Bohemia was transmitted Sunday. Some little difficulties have already been encountered by you the Helena No. 2, but this is hoped to be remedied within a few days and then communication can be had with Bohemia miners at any time. The work has been rushed as rapidly as possible in order that it may be completed before the snow gets to deep in the mountains. From the time the contract was let until the line was completed was only about 30 days. Mr. Perkins, who is one of the contractors and who worked from the mines out came in town Sunday evening. Mr. Jordan the other contractor with Mr. A. Nelson the electrician is still at the mines, but will be out in a few days.

The line will be connected with the long distance line at Cottage Grove.—Leader.

Silver novelties of all designs at Saleman's.

NOTICE TO LAUNDRY PATRONS.—We take this opportunity to say to the people of Roseburg and vicinity who had work done at our Steam Laundry last week that it was our first attempt. The machinery being new was hardly adjusted for the best of work, so therefore if the service we gave you is not satisfactory send your goods back and we will be glad to do the work over at our own expense. Our machinery and appliances are of the latest improved and we are able to turn out as good work as can be done in the state. We thank you for such liberal patronage for our opening week and trust that our service in the future will continue to merit the same. EVERETT & MOORE.

PROPS. ROSEBURG STEAM LAUNDRY.
BOHEMIA ROAD SURVEY.—W. F. Morphy, general manager of the Cottage Grove & Bohemia Railroad Company was in Portland Friday from Cottage Grove, from which point he is superintending preliminaries to the construction of the railroad that will give the rich Bohemia mining district communication with the rest of the world. Mr. Morphy, who represents the Eastern syndicate that is furnishing the money for the railroad enterprise, reports that the survey is already completed a distance of 26 miles. As the entire road will be but 36 miles in length, there remains but 10 more miles to survey.

SUDDEN DEATH AT MYRTLE CREEK.—Mrs. Correllson an esteemed pioneer lady, died very suddenly at her home near Myrtle Creek Saturday evening, aged about 70 years. She was taken seriously ill and a physician hastily summoned, but death came only a short time after she was stricken, heart failure probably being the cause. Rev. W. A. Wood of Roseburg will conduct the funeral service tomorrow at 10 a. m. at Myrtle Creek.

NEW PHOTO TEST.—John H. Taylor, of the well known Wagon Gallery, has his photo tent at the old stand until after the holidays and is prepared to supply old and new customers with fine photos, from stamp size up. His prices are as usual, at the bottom. He is prepared to supply the Holiday trade in photos. J. P. PATERSON—wanted for one or two horses through the winter. Must have access to shed for shelter, and light feed during severe winter. Address "E" care this office stating price and location.

TURKEYS WANTED.—Turkeys for Christmas wanted next Thursday or Friday. Only fat ones wanted. H. MARKS CO.

Of Local Interest.

At the regular meeting of "Mystic" Lodge, No. 13, D. of H., last Thursday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year. Chief of Honor, Mrs. Merritt West; Lady of Honor, Mrs. Mary Kautz; Chief of Ceremony, Mrs. Dumrick; Recorder, E. H. Lenz; Financial, Mrs. Ida Nichols; Secretary, Mrs. Josephine Bley; Usher, Mrs. Lulu Hand; Inside Watch, Mrs. Saddle Cannon; Outside Watch, H. T. McCallen; Trustee, H. T. McCallen for three years, Dr. G. H. Honck for two years, Dr. E. V. Hoyer for one year.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS of character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$15.00 weekly with expense additional all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head office. Horse and carriage furnished, when necessary. References Enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Carlton Building, Chicago, Ill.

The people of Glendale held a box supper on Nov. 30th for the benefit of a Xmas tree at the new church at that place. The bidding was spirited and for the nineteen boxes sold \$27.25 were realized. A shooting match will be held there on Dec. 24th. The Christmas tree exercise will occupy the early part of the evening and afterwards a dance at H. A. Blakley's will close the festivities of the day.

When he looks at her, his heart goes keeplunk. Her eyes are heavenly blue her tresses golden, her lips a summer dream of beauty, and cheeks like the bloom of the rose. The school boys gaze at her as they pass and at once forget football, examinations and the like. She sweetly looks out at the passerby from Carrier's show window. She is a large war doll and it is to be given away to one of Carrier's lucky customers.

L. A. Brett and wife came to this city lately from Wisconsin and are well pleased with our country and climate. Mr. Brett made us a pleasant call Friday and had his name entered in our subscription book and also sent a number of papers to Eastern friends. He and his wife contemplate locating here and say they will be joined by Eastern friends in the spring.

It is an old axiom that "bread is the staff of life" but this depends on who 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 also kept constantly on hand.

C. C. Fyle, formerly with the Cleveland Concert Co. and S. Guy Hirsch, late of the Van Cleave Co., spent last week in Roseburg insuring a unique and attractive business card for local business men from the PLAINDEALER office. They proved themselves genial and wide-awake young men and made many friends during their short stay in Roseburg.

If you want the best and most healthful bread you will never "cream" and "home-made" bread. Full weight loaves. Our pastries will also be found very reliable. Give us a trial, J. Sievers, Jackson street near Cass.

Edwin Weaver of Myrtle Creek, was a Roseburg visitor Friday and favored the PLAINDEALER with a pleasant business call. He says much interest is being awakened in the mines of that vicinity and that drilling for oil by the Umpqua Valley Oil Co., will commence at once, near that city.

It is a fact that Strong is showing the greatest line of rockers ever seen in Douglas county and at the greatest variety of prices. A good cobler rocker for \$2 and from that to \$15 also splendid willow rockers at reasonable prices.

The Forest Grove Times says regarding a Roseburg boy: The Athletic Union held a meeting yesterday afternoon, wound up its affairs and went out of existence. This was to enable it to consolidate with the student body. Irving D. Gibson was chosen as track manager for the coming year.

Free pictures made at the Sunbeam Photo Parlors on Mondays and Tuesdays, between the hours of 10 and 3. For the Unique Photo frames.

F. A. Tripp of the Candy Kitchen spent the greater portion of last week, on the road between Junction City and Grants Pass introducing and taking orders for their fine line of candies and reports a fine business.

For doll carriages, boy's express wagons, carpet-sweepers, rocking horses, baby toys, toy tables and, black-boards, stoves either big or little call on B. W. Strong.

"At the Old Cross Roads" has been played to a record breaking business in nearly every city on the Pacific Coast to say nothing of the large business done by them throughout the Eastern states.

In the try-out debate at Pacific University recently the question discussed was: "Resolved—That it should be made a crime punishable by law to be an advocate and supporter of the general principles of anarchy." Among the speakers was Irving D. Gibson, of Roseburg, and the Index gives the following mention of his effort: The last speaker was Irving D. Gibson, of '04, of Roseburg, who made a clear cut presentation of the negative side of the question. He spoke of the two schools of anarchy—philosophical and communistic—declaring that restrictive measures would wrongfully apply to the former which includes many advanced sociologists. He advanced the argument that legislation does not put any effective stop to anarchy. He cited in evidence of his statement the growth of the principles of the gospel of the red flag under European despotisms. He called attention to the spirit of lawlessness in the South and in the West and maintained it to be with anarchy an equal source of danger to government.

When you are in want of a Cook stove, steel range, heating stove, or any thing in the line of Hardware, Tinware, etc., go to S. K. Bykes and get his prices and you will go no further.

Died, the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Orcutt at their home eight miles west of Roseburg, Friday, Dec. 13, 1901. The funeral was held at French Settlement school house Saturday, Rev. W. A. Wood, of this city, conducting the services. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of all.

All work done by the Title Guarantee and Loan Co., J. D. Hamilton, manager, is guaranteed absolutely correct. Abstracts of titles are worthless unless properly made.

J. Grant Hally of the U. S. Geological Survey, passed through Roseburg on Saturday's Shasta Express, returning to Drain for a visit with relatives and many friends. The surveying party has been working the past season in the vicinity of Grants Pass.

Get in line Rice & Rice are having special December sale. Bargains in their entire line. Do you know their line of rockers and chairs surpass any we ever saw.

Elder H. W. Decker, of Portland, who has been spending a few days with Eldonnie, Mrs. Dumrick; Recorder, E. H. Lenz; Financial, Mrs. Ida Nichols; Secretary, Mrs. Josephine Bley; Usher, Mrs. Lulu Hand; Inside Watch, Mrs. Saddle Cannon; Outside Watch, H. T. McCallen; Trustee, H. T. McCallen for three years, Dr. G. H. Honck for two years, Dr. E. V. Hoyer for one year.

No danger of that boy or girl going wrong if you keep their time well occupied. Get a Kodak for them. Churchill & Woolley keep them as low as \$1.

The Fisher & Bellows Co. are now occupying their additional room formerly used by Rapp's drug store. The two big rooms make very commodious apartments for the big general merchandise establishment.

Simond's Cross Cut Saws will do more work with less exertion and hold their cutting edge longer than any other brand. Buy them from S. K. Bykes.

Arthur C. Austin, "At the Old Cross Roads Co." which plays here Thursday night, Dec. 13th is said to be one of the strongest organizations that ever played the Pacific Coast. See ad.

There is only one shoe store in the city, where your feet are properly fitted. If you are lopsided, follow the crowd and we will show you—At Flint's.

High class singing and dancing. The best show of the season, sparkles with up-to-date specialties. Don't fail to see Black Patti, Wednesday evening at the opera house. See ad.

Call at Wulenberg Bros and get Standard Fashion Sheet for the month of January. It will interest you if you have any dress-making to do.

Dr. Geo. F. Honck, who has been attending medical lectures in New York for the past two months, will start home January 1st, and resume his practice at this place.

Buy nothing but Charter Oak Stoves and Standard Ranges, no others as good. We are exclusive agents, 15 years guarantee. Rice & Rice.

Manager Arthur C. Austin says that "At the Old Cross Roads" has made as big a hit as his Tennessee's Parlor Co., which played here last year to a large house.

By calling on J. D. Hamilton at the Roseburg court house you can get blue prints of any section or township in the Roseburg land district.

Secure seats early for Arthur Austin's magnificent production of his new successful southern comedy drama entitled, "At the Old Cross Roads." See ad.

Griffith's Bakery, near the depot, make a specialty of Wedding and Holiday cakes. They also keep a choice line of confectionery.

"At the Old Cross Roads" is one of the most successful plays ever written, and the characters are interpreted by a select company of strolls players.

J. D. Hamilton has the only complete set of abstract books in the county. See ad in the Court House, when you want abstracts of title.

The will of the late John Emmitt has been admitted to probate and makes the following distribution of property: To his wife, Caroline Emmitt, the old home place, together with all the household property, one span of horses, 10 cows, and all the farming implements, the remaining property, both real and personal, to be equally divided among the eight children. The probable value of the estate is \$20,000.

Miss Nora E. Holton, a practical demonstrator, will serve Blanke's famous coffee free all day Tuesday, Dec. 17 at Clord & Brown's grocery, near the depot.

Elder B. B. Burton, of Portland, who is to deliver his famous lecture entitled "In the Corridors of Antiquity" at the Christian church on Thursday evening of this week will arrive on this evening's local and preach at the church tonight, and each evening until the night of the lecture. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come out and hear this able speaker.

You can get 24 photo stamps for 25 cents at Taylor's photo tent, until after the holidays only. d19

A new real estate business has just been opened up in this city, under the management of Howard M. Martin, who will occupy rooms with Attorney Barzee, opposite the McCallen House. Mr. Martin is an old citizen of Douglas county, and for some years conducted a business in Roseburg. A properly conducted real estate agency is always beneficial to city, county and state.

Churchill & Woolley are not saying anything about their windows, they let the public do that.

Griffith's Bakery has just purchased a fine, new portable cabinet oven with a baking capacity of from 75 to 100 loaves. This shows considerable enterprise on their part, and is an evidence of their increasing patronage. The oven was purchased from Rice & Rice, one of Roseburg's Home Furnishers, and is giving good satisfaction in every respect.

Nice, fresh, white bread, full weight always on hand at Mrs. Comstock's bakery.

C. L. Beckly, Miss Jessie Ohmart, C. E. Trussell, Oakland; J. L. Grimes, J. Hamilton, Looking Glass; C. M. Rees, Wilbur; E. E. LaBrie, Garden Valley; Edgar Long, Conrad Long, Cleveland; H. F. Hebard, Millwood; are recent arrivals at Hotel McCallen.

A complete line of Xmas presents in gold or silver at the lowest prices at Salzman's.

Rev. Armstrong and family of Myrtle Creek were passengers on the morning train for Cottage Grove where they go to spend the Holidays with Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Adams.

Nice fresh bread, assorted cakes, and pastries of all kinds, at Griffith's Bakery.

S. C. Quant has commenced a term of school in the new district at Fair Oaks. With a new school house, new furniture and bright students the professor is happy and content.—Oakland Owl.

Plenty of doughnuts on hand for the holidays at M. S. Conroy's Bakery.

C. L. Chenoweth was in Drain the 6th of the week, where he bought \$1000 of bonds for a Salem firm. He also bought the crop of Mr. Thil at Yoncalla.—Oakland Owl.

Go to J. T. Byan for your silverware and jewelry. The latest styles out.

The new Presbyterian church, which just was finished at Glendale, was dedicated Sunday, Dec. 16th, of this city, taking charge of the dedicatory services.

PLACE TO BUY PRESENTS—If you are looking for presents do not fail to examine J. T. Bryan's elegant line of silverware and jewelry.

N. LaBant, Jr., a prosperous farmer in the vicinity of Wilbur, is in the city today, and remembered this office with a pleasant business call.

See Salzman's up-to-date line of watches and jewelry.

Joe. Culver has accepted a position as sales man in the general merchandise establishment of Fisher & Bellows.

It is claimed that dentistry prolongs life. As has been said of matrimony, it certainly makes it seem longer.

Mrs. J. W. Gillmore of Klamath, went to Portland Tuesday for medical treatment.—Ashland Record.

B. F. Sanders was in Roseburg Friday, returning to Myrtle Creek, from a month's stay at Drain.

Joe. H. Dearing, one of Oakland's busy merchants, is transacting business at the county seat today.

Miss Lillie Critzer has returned to Roseburg from a pleasant visit in Oregon's metropolis.

Judge Thompson will leave tonight for his home near Scottsburg to spend the Holidays.

The Eugene orchestra will furnish music for the railroad ball on the 18th inst at Ashland.

W. R. Thompson returned to his home at Umpqua Ferry Friday, going out via Oakland.

Rev. Robt. Booth went to Eugene Friday, for a visit with his son, Hon. R. A. Booth.

Born, in North Roseburg, Dec. 12, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Carmooy, a daughter.

Gold pens, optical goods and Souvenir spoons at Salzman's.

BORN.
GILLETTE.—In Roseburg, Thursday, Dec. 12, 1901, to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gillette, an eight pound boy.

DIED.
GREEN.—In English Settlement, Berrien County, Dec. 11, 1901, H. J. Green, aged 70 years.

He leaves a wife and five grown children to mourn his death. He had lived in this county since 1870 and was a highly respected citizen.

Drying preparations simply develop dry catarrh; they dry up the secretions which adhere to the membrane and decompose, causing a far more serious trouble than the ordinary form of catarrh. Avoid all drying inhalants, fumes, smokes and snuffs and use that which cleanses, soothes and heals. Ely's Cream Balm is such a remedy and will cure catarrh or cold in the head easily and pleasantly. A trial size will be mailed for 10 cents. All druggists sell the 50c size. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., N. Y.

ARE YOU THINKING?

Of some suitable Xmas Present for some friend or relative? If so, we can help you by a suggestion or two which should be valuable to you.

For a Gentleman

A fine Muffler, Necktie, Suit, Overcoat, Pair of Shoes, Silk Handkerchief, or something in the Furnishing Goods line, makes a handsome as well as useful present.

For a Lady

What could be better than a handsome Collarette, Cape, Cloak, Lace Collar or Dress Pattern?

Or if you desire to make Fancy Work, Handkerchiefs, Point Lace Work, etc., we have a full and complete line of Battenberg and Point Lace Patterns, Braids, Thread, Handkerchief Linens, Footing, Edgings, etc. We sponge and shrink all Dress Goods by means of our spotless Steam Sponger, thereby insuring the wear, fit and color of any piece of Dress Goods, for 5 cents a yard.

The Big Store

JOSEPHSON'S

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Attention, Poultrymen.

A meeting of the Douglas County Poultry Association is hereby called to meet at Sixteen's Hall, Saturday evening at 6:30 p. m. All members of the association and all parties interested in poultry for pleasure or profit are invited to attend. By order of F. L. CALKINS, President.

Attention, Fruit Growers.

The Pacific Nursery Co., of Tangent, Ore., make the finest nursery stock of all kinds, healthy, strong and true to name. Satisfaction guaranteed. Place your order before buying elsewhere with EMERY MARSTEN, Gen'l Agt., Roseburg, Oregon.

Administrator's Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an order made by the County Court of Douglas County, State of Oregon, in the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Sherman, deceased, on the 14th day of December, 1901, and entered in the records of said court on said day, directing, authorizing and requiring me, the undersigned, administrator of said estate, to sell as either public or private sale as provided by law, the real property belonging to the said estate, to-wit: Lot No. 1 in block No. 36, and Lot No. 12 in block No. 36, (old and new only) all in the city of Roseburg, Douglas County, Oregon. Dated at Roseburg, Oregon, this 16th day of December, A. D. 1901. J. H. MUMFORD, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Sherman, deceased.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of William Ward, deceased, has filed his final account as such administrator in the County Court of Douglas County, State of Oregon, and that said court has so Tuesday, the 14 day of January, 1902, at the court house in Roseburg, Douglas County, State of Oregon, at the time and place of hearing objections thereto and for the final settlement of said estate. Dated this 14th day of December, 1901. J. H. MUMFORD, Administrator of the estate of William Ward, deceased.

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If you want to see a fine lot of nice, new, up-to-date Pianos, call at the

RICHARDSON MUSIC HOUSE

Nothing quiet so good for the price has ever been seen in the city before.

Special Holiday Inducements

Special inducements to any one thinking of getting a Piano during the holidays.

T. K. Richardson ROSEBURG, ORE

Roseburg Steam Laundry

We are now ready for business with new and up-to-date machinery. Work will be neatly and promptly done. Watch for our Wagon or call 'Phone 791.

EVERETT & MOORE, Props.

Christmas Greeting

We should be very glad of an early opportunity to show you our clean, fresh stock of new and beautiful Christmas Gifts, because it certainly contains

Presents to Please Everybody

Any one who wants to purchase a Christmas gift, no matter whether an elaborate article, or a mere trifle, can make the best selection by looking through our complete stock of Holiday Goods, which is full of novelties, new ideas, useful and beautiful things. Do not make your Christmas purchases, before you see our new selections.

The greatest gathering of desirable merchandise we have ever offered our patrons.

Hildebrand's

Always the Cheapest. Store closes at 7 p. m.