

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** . . .

The People's Store I. ABRAHAM Proprietor

Told in Side Heads

LATE TELEGRAPHIC NEWS, INDEED.—A fitting illustration of the cruel irony of fate was presented in our last issue. Being slightly delayed in leaving the paper and a little short on type composition, a short "bitter pill" article was provided to fill out the column headed, "Late telegraphic news." Imagine the blue all-purplish halo which formed about the forehead when she observed after the paper came from the press that his "bitter telegraphic" plate in error announced, "No children there now—White house has none for the first time in many administrations," a stereotyped item of the period of President McKinley's first administration. As we stood silently with a savage scowl and clenched fists the foreman gazed upon us and remarked, "That is the most profane sentence I have ever witnessed."

NEW CHURCH BUILDING.—The Free Methodist denomination of West Roseburg are putting forth an effort to erect a new church in that part of town 24x30 feet. A. J. Bellows has kindly donated a lot 50x100 feet, on which to erect the church and many citizens of Roseburg have subscribed liberally to the new building fund. The church is to be located on a corner lot at the first turn of the road this side of the Soldiers' Home and it is a very pretty and convenient site. It is hoped to have the church completed and dedicated some time in May. This is a commendable undertaking and we are glad to learn that its success is assured.

CREAM WANTED.—The T. S. Townsend Creamery Co., 41 Second st., Portland will pay highest market price for cream. Will sell you Cream Separators, and take your cream in payment. 0314E.

FIVE NEW BUILDINGS.—At a meeting of the directors of the Douglas County Bank last week it was decided to erect a new bank building on the corner of Oak and Jackson street, in the spring 40x102 feet to cost about \$15,000. This building will give Roseburg another solid brick block and it will replace the only wooden structure left in a prominent business block.

LABOR LAND DEAL.—Last Saturday E. J. Fraser sold 2250 acres of the Teal tract farm in Lane county to the Wilson Brothers, from Ohio, for \$25,000. He sold the Jas. E. Holt farm two miles north of Coburg, to Amos Wilkins, 200 acres for \$5,000.—Eugene Guard.

ARE YOU GOING TO SPRAY?—If so use Linc. A car load just received at the Canyonville and Myrtle Creek Flour Mills.

BORN.

WILSON.—In Glendale, Jan. 8, 1902, to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wilson, a son.

BOOTH.—In Roseburg, Jan. 17, 1902 to Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Booth, a bouncing boy.

MARRIED.

FLINT—LADY.—In Grants Pass at the South Methodist parsonage, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 11, 1902, Clara Flint and Miss Violet E. Lady, both of Glendale, Rev. H. N. Rosser officiating.

The happy couple departed on the evening train for Glendale where they will make their home.—Observer.

BATMAN—NICHOLS.—In Junction, Jan. 15, 1902, W. H. Batman and Miss Bertha Nichols, Rev. G. L. Lobell officiating.

The bride was a popular young Lane county school teacher and the groom is from Roseburg, being comparatively a new comer in our midst.

DIED.

CHADWICK.—At Glendale, Jan. 14, 1901, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chadwick.

GRAY.—At Myrtle Creek, Jan. 11, 1902, Wm. Gray, of consumption, aged 67 years.

Deceased was a resident of Oakdale, Wash., but had been with his niece, Mrs. G. W. Crews, at Myrtle Creek for some time past, hoping the change would prove beneficial. He leaves a wife and seven children. The remains were shipped to his former home at Oakdale for interment. He carried a policy in the New York Life Insurance company for \$5000.

JACKETS JACKETS JACKETS

Only a few left, new and stylish goods, will be closed out at just what they cost. It's your own fault if you don't let us save money for you

Hildebrand's
THE UNDERPRICED STORE.

Of Local Interest.

Hon. C. A. Selbrede, formerly of Roseburg, but late of Skagway, Alaska, has decided to locate in Portland for the practice of law. He has established offices at No. 722, Chamber of Commerce Building, where he will be glad to meet Southern Oregon friends when in the city. Mr. Selbrede is an able attorney, has held several prominent positions of trust in this state and Alaska and has long been prominently identified with Southern Oregon politics. While we regret that Mr. Selbrede and family did not decide to relocate in our city, we join with their many friends in wishing them happiness and prosperity in their new home.

On account of the irregular surveys of many of the townships in the Roseburg land district, it is almost impossible to locate section corners without a copy of the Government survey. Frank E. Aley, Abstractor of this city, has a complete set of tracings of all surveyed townships, and will furnish blue prints of same, showing all vacant lands.

W. A. J. Myer, a prosperous farmer near Riddle, writes as follows regarding the successful raising of corn in this county in the last issue of the Pacific Homestead published at Salem: "The first thing in order to grow corn is to get good land, and the second is to plow it deep and then harrow. Then have good seed corn. Plant from 2 to 3 inches deep and when the corn is well up, begin plowing and hoeing. One should use their own judgment about plowing corn."

We make a specialty of selling from factory. Save money by our system. We will maintain head quarters for all orders throughout 1902. We will have the largest stock and can make prices with any firm. Rice & Rice.

A lady living just east of Corvallis has demonstrated that there is money in raising geese. Last year she raised a band of 26. They were plucked four times, yielding 20 pounds of feathers, and these brought 75 cents per pound, or \$15 for the lot. The birds were killed and sold in the market yesterday. They weighed 234 pounds net and brought 9 cents per pound, or \$21.06. Here is a profit of \$35.06 on 25 geese, or \$1.38 on each goose.—Gazette.

We will open up next week a fine line of new trunks and valises direct from the factory. We sell these below any other dealer. 25 inch trunks, white sale price, \$2.50. Telescopes of all sizes, Rice & Rice.

H. S. French, the Pacific Postal line man, returned home Friday from Seattle, after an absence of eight months. T. Wheaton, Henry Worthington, Harry Snider and Walter McDowell returned with him. They have been building and repairing lines between that city and the British Columbia line.

Any parties desiring to rent, buy or sell real estate, city or country property will do well to call on or address H. M. Martin. Office with Attorney Louis Sale, opposite McClallen House, Roseburg, Oregon.

Johnnie Wallace passed through this city this morning returning to his home at Cottage Grove, from a three month stay in Northern California. F. L. Woolley and J. W. Baker who have been in the same vicinity will return to Cottage Grove tonight.

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.

Jacksonville Times: A number of the residents of Jacksonville, Medford and other towns of the valley will go to Roseburg the latter part of this month, for the purpose of becoming members of the B. P. O. of Elks.

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

Arvon Wilson, who recently severed his relations with the Coquille Bulletin, is in Roseburg on his way to Grants Pass where he goes to look after business matters. He reports the small pox scare as abating in Coos county.

Carpets and matings, oil cloth and Jendonium. We have in almost all colors. Our special patterns of 3 ply can't be beat. Buy your window shades and beds of us. Rice & Rice.

Geo. Scott, one of the enterprising farmers of Melrose, was transacting business in Roseburg Saturday. He favored the PLAINDEALER with a pleasant call and carried away a subscription receipt to Jan. 1903.

Orchardists of South Douglas will want lime for spraying their orchards. It can be had at prices to suit purchasers at the Myrtle Creek and Canyonville Flour Mills.

R. B. Dixon, of Dixonville, spent Sunday at Wilbur.

"The Village Parson" aims high and aims true to its work. It certainly contains all the elements of success. The sympathies are strongly portrayed but the play has a high moral tone, that should commend it to the most sensitive theatre goer. The play has been sealed with approval stamped upon it by both press and public and contains intense heart interest and the story is good and pure, leaving a lasting and decidedly favorable impression everywhere presented. The mounting is new and beautiful, and is a picturesque production away from the conventional, and thoroughly refreshing throughout. The company will be found a most capable one in every respect, each member being especially selected for his or her part. "The Village Parson" will be seen at the Roseburg theatre, Thursday, Jan. 23. Prices are 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Hon. James Hemenway, one of Lane county's popular representatives and one of the leading merchants of Cottage Grove, is in attendance at circuit court, a witness in the Brookhart case. Mr. Hemenway favored the PLAINDEALER with a pleasant call today and we note from his expressions that he is an ardent admirer of Hon. Chas. Fulton and is opposed to the re-nomination of Governor Geer—probably a good criterion as to Lane county's position on the senatorial and gubernatorial questions.

From now until the 1st of February, everyone having a dozen cabinet photos made at the Picbeam Photo Parlor will receive a free photo mounted in a frame with a glass, enamel, back and hanger.

The new officers of Lila Circle Women of Woodcraft, were installed Thursday evening as follows: Mrs. Sarah Dimmick, P. G. N.; Jas. E. Sawyer, N. Y.; Mrs. Amanda Toft, Adv.; Mrs. Minnie Gray, clerk; Mrs. Alice Fieck, banker; Mrs. Mary Shupe, M.; Miss Maud Woodruff, A. M.; Mrs. Mollie Lohr, O. G.; Mrs. Minard I. S.; Mrs. Emma Agge, O. S.; Mrs. Benfro, trustee; Mrs. Mamie Hook, musician.

Don't complain about bad bread when you can get the best that was ever made delivered to your home free. Leave orders at Seivers Bakery or Phone Main 105.

The prevaricators continue to be allowed to run at large. One at a hotel this morning was selling that there were three or four hundred guests at the McClallen House, Roseburg, right along; Albany Democrat. While the above is a little extravagant, it is an assured fact Roseburg's new hotel has without doubt, a larger number of guests daily than any hotel between Portland and Sacramento.

Simonds' 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. Sykes.

Fred Wright, after a two years absence in California, the greater portion of which time was spent in San Francisco, returned to his Roseburg home Saturday evening. Fred holds old Douglas in higher esteem than ever before, since his sojourn in the far-famed golden gate state and says that Oregon is a better state in every respect.

In nearly all lines Strong will give special bargains for 15 days to make room for new goods that will commence to arrive Jan. 15.

Alva Brandage, arrived here from Reno, Nev., the latter part of last week for a visit with Will Hildebrand. Alva's father is connected with the mercantile firm of Hildebrand & Brandage at Roseburg, where he formerly well known and prosperous business man in this city.

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

Dr. W. C. Gilmour, Paul Beckley, W. C. Underwood, Zopher Agge and Roy Seearns came over from Oakland Thursday evening to attend a meeting of Union Encampment No. 9, I. O. O. F., the latter three being initiated into the mysteries of the order.

I will willingly exchange any Simond's Cross Cut saw not satisfactory to user, if the latter is in the saw. Sold only by S. K. Sykes.

G. A. Trent, D. J. Byrne and W. M. Moore, of Roseburg, W. A. Wrenn, of Medford, and E. C. Newell, of Dunsmuir were attending the sessions of the U. B. of R. E. at San Francisco last week.

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

J. S. Hunt, a well known and highly esteemed pioneer citizen of the Oakland vicinity, was transacting business in Roseburg Friday and made the PLAINDEALER a pleasant call.

The "Fadalia"—the classic shoe for women, is the latest at Flinn's shoe store that patent pocket for the lace—its a winner.

Mrs. P. Long's farewell dance Friday evening was a source of pleasure for the many people who enjoy the merry whirle of the waltz and two step.—Cottage Grove Leader.

Why boil and burn out your eyes preparing spray when you can get Dunnes Solid Spray already cooked at Churchill & Woolley.

David R. Fox, deputy revenue inspector in town on official business. Mr. Fox has many friends here who with the PLAINDEALER are always glad to greet him.

The U. S. Cream Separator stands away up in front. If you will cover for profit see Churchill & Woolley about it.

The PLAINDEALER respectfully asks all of its subscribers to read the advertisements in this, and every issue. There is a good deal of information in them.

You can get 12 photo stamps and 1 nice photo button (Unique) at Taylor's for 25 cents, until after the holidays.

Brakemen O. B. Bush and W. W. Young have been transferred to the Roseburg-Portland runs on Nov. 15 and 16. Their residences will be Portland.

A package of Clean-Easy given to every purchaser of Stransky enameled ware sold by Churchill & Woolley.

G. A. Trent, a prominent B. R. T. man was down from Roseburg Tuesday looking after the interests of the order.—Ashland Tidings.

The best paints are not sold cheap. Sherwin & Williams make the best Churchill & Woolley sell it.

Darwin Bristol the Cottage Grove banker and merchant is in attendance at circuit court as a witness in the Brookhart case.

Gate for sale, at Kruse & Newland's.

Hon. J. T. Bridges, register of the U. S. Land office in this city, went to Portland Saturday, where he attended the semi-annual ceremonial meeting of the Myrtle Shrine, which was held in the Masonic Temple in that city Saturday evening and thirty-five candidates initiated. At the conclusion of the ceremonies a sumptuous banquet was served, at which 400 members feasted and made merry.

Dr. J. Curtis Snook, dentist, will be in Oakland for a few days commencing Monday, Jan. 20.

The Racket Store is displaying a beautiful line of chinaware which will be given away to the patrons of the store free with each purchase entitling the purchaser to a selection from the prizes in the amount of the tickets held. See ad on our first page.

Gentlemen.—Edwin Clapp shoes, new styles, now ready for your inspection—Finnis Shoe Store.

At a special school meeting held in this city Saturday afternoon, an eight mill tax was voted with which to conduct a nine months' school. The efforts of our people to maintain a good public school is highly commendable.

Bargains in Strong's Furniture store in wall paper, carpets and odd dining chairs for 15 days.

Miss Myrtle Dixon, of Clover Creek, went to Drain Friday, where she will visit with her cousin, Myrta and Dolie Dixon, who are students of the Normal.

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

Miss Mabel Van Buren went to Portland yesterday, where she expects to remain about four months, to further complete her musical education.

Preferred stock of canned goods, highest grade goods on market. Kruse & Newland's.

J. W. Spalding, O. D. Drain, H. P. Brookhart, G. W. Sanders and J. L. Taylor of Drain, arrived last evening to attend circuit court.

Stransky four coat enameled ware guaranteed for 5 years Churchill & Woolley.

Attorney J. S. Medley, of Cottage Grove is in attendance at circuit court, being interested in some proceedings to come up at this term of court.

Mrs. Al Veitch and little daughter, Dorothy, went to Cottage Grove Sunday and they will visit with relatives and friends.

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

H. Churchill, who has spent the past few days with his daughter, Mrs. C. B. Baker, returned to Leona Sunday.

Special sale on high cut ladies shoes. Harry M. Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cobb, J. D. Agge, and H. K. Murry were Wilbur visitors at the county seat Friday.

Northern Spy and Spitznberg apples at H. Marks and Co.

H. J. Wilson, the enterprising real estate dealer, is down from Canyonville attending circuit court.

Over-gaiters, leggings and rubber—lowest prices at Flint's.

Hon. J. O. Booth, of Grants Pass, is transacting business in Roseburg and greeting old friends.

Prof. A. H. Malkey, of the Elkton Academy, made Roseburg a brief business visit Saturday.

Mrs. V. H. Starr, of Yoncalla, arrived here last evening and returned home this morning.

Dr. J. Curtis Snook, dentist, went to Oakland this morning on professional business.

L. M. Perkins and T. E. Biedace, of Leona, were county seat visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Scott, of Riddle, visited friends and relatives at Creswell last week.

Atty. I. B. Riddle, of Riddle, is in attendance at circuit court.

STRUCK AN OIL SEEPAGE.

Umpqua Valley Oil Co. Jubilant Over Prospects at Drilling Plant.

G. W. Crews, a prominent Myrtle Creek merchant, spent Saturday in Roseburg transacting business. He gave out the very encouraging news that on Friday evening at the depth of 60 feet the drill of the Umpqua Valley Oil Company on the White place near Myrtle Creek struck a seepage of petroleum, the sand pouring forth from one point to a quart of oil every time it made a trip. The big drill had been pounding away through blue oil shale. This is just as the company's geologist, Prof. J. A. Sincley said that it would be found. President M. McCoy and Secretary H. L. Marsters are quite jubilant and state that there is more demand for the stock of the company than ever before and if the demand keeps up and more seepages are struck the stock will surely advance in price.

Special Notice.

Dr. J. G. Goble, the optician will visit Glendale Tuesday and Wednesday January 21 and 22. Canyonville, Thursday and Friday 23 and 24. Riddle, Saturday 25. Myrtle Creek Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 27, 28, and 29. Oakland, three days, 30, 31 and 1.

Those wishing to consult him about their eyes or wishing glasses fitted should call on him at the hotel. All work guaranteed. Prices reasonable. Cos salutation free. J. G. Goble, 11d.

For Sale Cheap.

Musical slot machines Fucks, Detroit and Black Oats. W. DAVIS, d25 West End Hotel, Alexandria, La.

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 drugs and use that which cleanses, soothes 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.

REMNANT SALE

Good bargains in Dress Goods of all descriptions. Also a few of the 50 per cent discount Collarettes left. Largest and best assorted stock of General Merchandise in Douglas County at

JOSEPHSON'S

THE BIC STORE.

RICE & RICE, THE HOUSE FURNISHERS

ANNUAL CLEARANCE AND SPECIAL SALE

Each and every article here priced at special value and many are below actual cost. Small lots, broken sets of chairs. Many patterns which we shall not carry again.

Wall Papers

in 1, 2, 3 and 4 roll lots to pattern regular 25 cts., now 5 and 10 cts. per double roll. (Odd borders and ceiling as low as 5 cents per roll. Special prices on our entire line of Wall Papers. We will receive in February, the largest shipment of Wall Paper ever shipped to Roseburg. All fresh and direct from factory if you fail to see us for Wall Papers, you miss an opportunity of seeing the very latest Eastern productions. We are highly elated in securing so nice a line at prices which assure us of an immense paper business. Window Shades as low as 25 cts. each, all lines, only a few at this price, they're regular 45 cts. shades. Some specials in Carpets, in fact, we have some specials in every line we carry. Come in and see what we have set aside for this Special Sale. Matting as low as 15 cents per yard.

One-half Carload of Trunks, Valises and Telescopes, direct from factory. SPECIAL—30 days, this 26-inch Trunk, only \$2.50, it sells in Portland for \$2.75. We lead all competitors on Trunks and Valises. We propose something warm for this cold month. Stoves and Ranges, Cutlery and Carpets included in this sale. Cook Stove No. 7 for \$7.50. Best knives and forks, 50 cents. Get in line and take advantage of this low priced sale.

ROSEBURG OPERA HOUSE

Thursday, January 23

W. E. NANKEVILLE PRESENTS

The Village Parson

THE MOST NATURAL PLAY OF THE AGE.

Thrilling in Climax, Powerful in Action, Intense Heart Interest All Special Scenery

A story as sweet as the fragrance of roses.

PRICES—35, 50 and 75 cents.

SIEVER'S BAKERY, Jackson Street, near Cass

Our Cream and Home-made Bread is as good or better than ever and will be delivered to any part of the city. Leave orders or phone Main 168.

J. SIEVERS, Proprietor

The Greatest Thing That Ever Happened is Our January Clearance and Remnant Sale now on

Remnants of everything from the finest silks to the cheapest muslins at your own price. Jackets and Capes at less than wholesale cost. On Ladies Furs the wholesale cost cuts no figure with us. THEY MUST GO. We will not carry any Winter Goods over if prices will move them.

Bargains in Every Department

Fisher & Bellows COMPANY

ROSEBURG, OREGON

FREE! IMPORTED JAPANESE NAPKINS TO ALL CHURCH SUPPERS AND SOCIETY DINNERS FOR WHICH SEAL BRAND COFFEE IS PURCHASED! FOR SALE BY MRS. N. BOYD Groceries and Glassware . . .



THE FINEST GROWN IS PURCHASED! FOR SALE BY MRS. N. BOYD Groceries and Glassware . . .