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**Douglas County Bank,**  
Established 1883. Incorporated 1901.  
Capital Stock, \$50,000.00.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**  
R. A. BOOTH, President.  
A. C. MARSTERS, Vice President.  
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A complete line of Blankets and Comforts that are excellent in quality and reasonable in price.

Just received a new line of rugs ranging in size from small up to 9x12 and in price from \$1.25 to \$30.

Our store is full of good things and we can fit up your home complete and it will be up to date if you buy of us.

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**J. F. BARKER & CO.**

**Kruse & Newland**  
First class Groceries...  
Our prices are always right and stock complete.

...Also a full line of...  
**Fresh Garden Seeds**

DEVER'S BLEND COFFEE  
Highest price paid for Produce.  
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—AND—  
**EMPIRE**  
Livery, Feed and Sale Stables  
C. P. BARNARD, Prop.

Saddle Horses, Single and Double Rigs at all hours  
Transient Stock given very best of care  
Rates always reasonable

The hop market is getting better and several good lots have been sold within the past few days. M. Skeggs, of Silverton, has sold his lot of 173 bales at 23 1/2 cts., to G. W. Hubbard, representing a New York house. T. A. Lively & Co. have purchased the hops of M. B. Ball, of Seio, at 23 1/2 cts., and Wm. Brown & Co. have secured the crop of J. P. Hunt, of Whiteaker, 77 bales, at 23 cts.

For harness, or anything in the harness line call on F. Long & Sons near the depot. Repairing a specialty

**PROF. TRAVER HEARD FROM.**  
The Former Principal of Roseburg's Public Schools Has Inaugurated a Fight for Better School at Salem.

The Journal says: "City Superintendent L. R. Traver has taken up earnestly the work of reorganizing the Salem public schools.

There is urgent necessity for this, as Salem has dropped sadly behind other towns in the state in some features of public school work.

For the past two years some teachers have had a dozen or twenty children in their rooms, while others had fifty.

As a result the children in the crowded rooms could not make their grades, and many dropped out of the schools.

Under this system the larger boys and girls have abandoned the public schools before they could fairly read or write English.

They have flocked to private schools, business college, law and medical colleges, many of them unable to spell, punctuate or capitalize.

Prof. Traver's earnest labors to put Salem public schools on a better footing will be appreciated by all who love the American free school."

**Terrible Work of a Maniac.**

PTTSBURG, Oct. 10.—While laboring under mental aberration, the result of strain of perfecting an appliance for patent on an airbrake which is now pending in Washington, Charles Cawley, 17 years of age, of Homestead, Pa., early today killed his mother and one sister and fatally injured four other children. He also tried to kill his two older brothers, but was detected, overpowered and turned over to the police. The weapon used was an ax, with which he crushed and hacked his victims beyond recognition.

**General News.**

Filipino women are forming women's clubs and evidently intend to do some benevolent assimilating themselves.

The Alaska Steamship Company's steamer Dolphin arrived at Seattle Sunday with a large passenger list and \$250,000 in gold dust.

Portland's city directory, just issued, shows that the city now has 6000 more people this year than it had last year. The population now is 113,765.

Sir Thomas Lipton's third challenge for the America's cup is on the way across the Atlantic, it is reported. Will it be "three times and out" in his case?

A. E. Sims and Geo. S. Anderson have decided to erect a fine new modern equipped sawmill at Ashland, with a capacity of 50,000 feet of lumber per day of ten hours.

Hensil & Stinson, the fruit packers of Eugene, have bought and dried so far this season 200 tons of French and Italian prunes. They are now busily engaged in preparing the silver variety.

State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore has received a remittance of \$1251.90 from the Lumbering Company in payment for convict labor in the Penitentiary stove foundry for the month of August.

Wm. Coach, an Eastern capitalist, has purchased 5000 acres of timber land on Lampey creek, lower Coquille. It is not known whether the purchaser intends to operate, or whether the land was bought for speculation.

Petitions are being circulated and liberally signed asking Governor Geer to appoint E. A. Bailey, of Wedderburn, as county judge, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Riley. Mr. Bailey is qualified in every respect for the position in Curry county.

A Chinaman, who has leased the Salmon Creek placer mines, near Baker City, discovered a gold nugget worth \$15,000. This is by far the largest nugget ever discovered in this state, and so far as known the largest one ever found in the United States.

Brigadier General Frederick D. Grant, now in the Philippines, has been ordered to return to the United States and assume command of the Department of Texas. He is expected to arrive in a short time, probably during the coming two weeks, and proceed directly to his new post.

The Southern Pacific has announced a reduction of 25 cents per hundred in the rate on apples from Portland and all points south to the Missouri river and Texas. The new rate is 75 cents per hundred. The new rate to Chicago and St. Louis is 85 cents per hundred, a reduction of 15 cents.

Ex-Governor Whiteaker's will was probated Saturday. The total value of the estate is appraised at \$26,375.17 \$6000 is real property, and the remainder personal property. He bequeaths all the property to his wife, and after her death it shall be divided between his four children and six grand-children. The will was executed December 3, 1897.

The present visit of General William Booth to the Salvation Army of the United States, is said to be for the purpose of matching up the differences that have torn the Booth family apart and created trouble without end for the Army. General Booth was the founder of the Army, and has been accorded place among the great organizers of the world.

## GOOD ROADS OFFICIAL PROGRAM

### Convention to be Held at Portland Tuesday and Wednesday.

PORTLAND, Oct. 11.—An excellent program has been arranged for the Good Roads Convention which will be held here on Tuesday and Wednesday under the direction of the office of Public Road Inquiries, United States Department of Agriculture.

The convention will be held under the auspices of the Portland Chamber of Commerce in the rooms of the second floor of the Chamber of Commerce building. This will be the first Good Roads convention ever held in Oregon.

The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

Tuesday, October 14, 1902, 10 a. m.—Call to order by the presiding officer, R. W. Richardson, Government Commissioner.

Invocation, Rev. Alexander Blackburn, pastor of First Baptist church, Portland.

Address of welcome in behalf of the City of Portland, Hon. George H. Williams, Mayor.

Address of welcome in behalf of the State of Oregon, Hon. T. T. Geer, Governor.

Response, Hon. Martin Dodge, Director of the office of Public Road Inquiries, United States Department of Agriculture.

General discussion.

Appointment of Committee on Resolutions.

2:30 p. m.—Address, "Duty of the Federal Government for Highway Improvement," Hon. Thomas H. Tongue, Congressman from the First Oregon district.

Address, "Relation of Good Roads to our Export Trade," Frank H. Hitchcock, Chief of the Section of Foreign Markets, United States Department of Agriculture.

Papers and discussion on "Road Conditions in Oregon," to be opened by Hon. John H. Scott, County Judge of Marion county.

8 p. m.—Address, "Highways and their Construction," showing with stereopticon, the principal highways in Europe and America, James W. Abbott, Commissioner of the office of Public Road Inquiries, United States Department of Agriculture, for the Rocky Mountain and Pacific Coast division.

Immediately following the address there will be a smoker at Kruse's grill room, opposite the Chamber of Commerce.

Menu—Claret Punch, Chicken Salad, Crab Salad, Potato Salad, Sandwiches, Tea and Coffee, Cigars.

Wednesday, Oct. 15, 1902, 10 a. m.—Address, "The Railroads and the Good Roads," A. L. Craig, general passenger agent, O. R. & N. Co.

Address, "Good Roads a Prerequisite to Rural Free Delivery Extension," J. W. Erwin, assistant superintendent of mail delivery, San Francisco, Cal.

Address, "Roads in China," Hon. H. B. Miller, United States Consul at Nanchwang, China.

General discussion.

2:30 p. m.—Report of the committee on resolutions. Adjournment.

The S. P. Co. will give a one and one-third round trip fare over their Oregon lines to this big convention.

## ADVANCE GUARD REACHES BANGOR

MARSHFIELD, Oct. 12.—Five prairie schooners loaded with passengers and freight, arrived from Idaho, via Roseburg, Saturday. They were bound for the townsite of Bangor, and are at present anchored in the vicinity of Pony Lagoon. It is said the teams will find work in the construction of the Belt Line Road.

Chas. E. Short, of the firm of Moore & Short, linotypers, of Portland, was in town today en-route to Bangor. Mr. Short announces that a linotype machine and a large power press will soon be put in and that he will publish the Bangor Exchange.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the Secretary of State last week, by the Bangor Banking & Trust Company, Portland; \$100,000, George D. Hill, John E. Aitchison and John K. Kollock, incorporators.

### THE PRESBYTERIANS.

Twelfth Annual Session of Oregon Synod at Grants Pass.

GRANTS PASS, Oct. 10.—The twelfth annual session of the Oregon Synod of the Presbyterian Church convened in this city yesterday, the first meeting of the session being held at Bethany Church last night. The Oregon synod is composed of the four presbyteries of the state, and its membership is composed of the ministers of the four presbyteries. Between 60 and 75 ministers will be in session till next Sunday evening.

Rev. F. L. Forbes, president of Pendleton Academy, of Pendleton, is moderator or presiding officer of the synod. Rev. Forbes called the meeting to order last evening at 7:30, and after the work of organization, a song service was held and the report of the committees on arrangements listened to. The synod is interesting and well attended.

### Does Like Hot Cakes.

"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith, of Davis, Ky., "is Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sales it has never failed. I have known it to save sufferers from Throat and Lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy." Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and A. C. Marsters guarantee satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c and \$1.

### Little Ranch for Sale.

A good little home for sale; 17 acres adjoining fair grounds, 1 1/2 miles east of Roseburg. Good buildings, 150 good bearing fruit trees, 10 acres in cultivation. Price \$1225. For particulars inquire at Milklin's shoe store, Roseburg, at 10.

## THE OREGON PACIFIC RAILROAD

### Construction Work to Begin Within Thirty Days at Grants Pass.

GRANTS PASS, Oct. 11.—An interesting bit of news to the citizens of Grants Pass and all of Josephine county was the announcement yesterday that construction work on the Oregon & Pacific railroad will begin within 30 days from the present time, and that within 60 days work will be actively engaged in the building of the bridge across Rogue river at Grants Pass for the new line. This means that Grants Pass and Crescent City will be connected by rail within 18 months. The Southern Pacific company are to begin, in a short time, the building of sidings and tracks to connect with the new line. Terminal grounds and yards have already been secured here on the outskirts of the city, and at the upper end of the present yards of the Southern Pacific Company. It is likely that there will be a joint depot for the accommodation of both roads

### ORMSBY IS LET OUT.

Office Superintendent of Reserve Abolished—Supervisors Independent Now.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Pursuant to the general forestry policy adopted by Secretary Hitchcock, the office of Superintendent of the Cascade Reserve will be abolished December 31, when S. B. Ormsby, of Salem, now superintendent, will terminate his official career. From that time the Cascade Reserve will be in charge of the forest supervisors. The department finds the office of superintendent superfluous and tending to retard the expedition of public business.

Heretofore supervisors have had to get through the superintendent; hereafter each will act independently. It was first intended to discontinue the superintendency at once, but as Ormsby is making several examinations, particularly with regard to the proposed Elbe Mountain reserve, a continuance was granted until the close of the year.

In discontinuing his services, the department says there is nothing whatever against Ormsby, as his record has been very efficient.

### CLARK BUYS SHORT LINE.

Only One Salt Lake-Los Angeles Line Will Be Built.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 10.—It has been known here for several months that negotiations were progressing toward a settlement of the differences between the Oregon Short Line and the Salt Lake railroads that would leave one of them free to complete the road, but which it would be had not become known. The announcement that the Clark line is to be the one does not surprise persons in Los Angeles who have kept close watch on railroad developments.

### ROADS TO COMBE.

SALT LAKE, Oct. 10.—The Deseret News says: "Tonight the action of the stockholders of the Oregon Short Line held yesterday whereby the charter of the company was amended, providing for the engaging in business of operating steamship lines, is to be followed by the consolidation of that system and the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Company, also its steamship lines, with W. H. Bancroft, vice-president and general manager of the Short Line, as general manager, and T. M. Schumacher, general traffic manager, to take effect January 1.

### Ten mile.

We are having beautiful fall weather. Joe Bushnell killed a coyote a few days ago.

Our school is progressing nicely with Mr. Giles as teacher.

G. M. Prior, of Canas Valley was visiting friends last Sunday.

Sherwood and Long were buying cat in our vicinity last week.

Miss Belle Newland is teaching the fall term of school at Weston.

O. H. Fook is making some substantial improvements on his homestead.

Walter Laird, of Siskam made a business trip to our valley one day last week.

J. B. Howard and family have gone to Mettle Creek to visit relatives and friends.

Coyotes have been quite numerous, and very destructive on young pigs and poultry the past summer.

### Hayhurst Notes.

Miss Fannie Wilson opened the fall term of school here on the 6th. Miss Wilson is the first teacher to hold school in our new school house.

Hayhurst people may feel proud of their new school building, which in the face of many discouragements, is now nearly completed. The new house has cost, including all work and cash donated, about \$400.00, and although not a very large building will accommodate not only all the school children of Hayhurst for many years to come, but will also give ample room for holding church, Sunday school or other public entertainments. Next year we proposed to buy new seats and a large bell. Our thanks are due to Supt. Hamlin for words of encouragement in regard to this enterprise.

### Lipton Will Try Again.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 7.—Sir Thomas Lipton's third challenge for a series of races for the America's cup was signed this afternoon at Belfast, Ireland, by the officials of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club. The Hon. Charles Russell represented Sir Thomas Lipton. The challenge was immediately posted.

### Do Good—It Pays.

A Chicago man has observed that "Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: "My good friend, cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold by A. C. Marsters, druggists.

### Vetch, Vetch, Vetch.

The value of vetches to the Douglas county farmer cannot be overestimated. Leave your orders for seed at the Douglas county Creamery, and they will be promptly filled large or small.

See the Title Guarantee & Loan Co. on blue prints and filing papers.

Are you particular about your Coffee, Tea and Spices

IF YOU ARE CALL AT  
**CURRIER'S GROCERY**  
AND ASK FOR  
**MONOPOLE BRAND**  
Price is no higher and every can guaranteed

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Saturday, Oct. 11, 1902

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**A. C. Marsters & Co.**  
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals.

**PHARMACISTS**

Stationery School Books

**Drain = Gardiner**  
COOS BAY STAGE ROUTE

Commencing with Monday, January 20, 1902, we will charge \$7.50 for the fare from Drain to Coos Bay. Baggage allowance with each full fare, 50 pounds. Travelling men are allowed 75 pounds baggage when they have 300 pounds or more. All excess baggage, 3c per pound, and no allowance will be made for round trip. DAILY STAGE.

For further information address  
**J. R. Sawyers,**  
Proprietor, Drain, Oregon

**In Fashionable Attire.**

Your laundry is the most conspicuous feature of your apparel. Therefore requires more attention than other articles of wear. We'll do it up for you in a style that'll give you comfort and pleasure. We're experts in the art of laundering, and do work of the highest grade at lowest rates. Shirts, collars and cuffs laundered to perfection. Special attention given to fine linen. First class service.

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They've gone and done it again Done away with the dark-room in developing. A little machine to develop film negatives in daylight without going to a darkroom. Any child can operate it. See this wonderful invention at our store.

**Churchill & Woolley.**

**Cause and Effect.**

Responsive to the touch, and perfect in tone and action, the Vose piano has secured a hold on popular favor accorded to none other. It is a standard instrument in a single feature of merit. No better piano made. Not high priced, either. Sold at exceedingly low figures for cash, or on easy time payments. Everyone warranted.

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