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The Oregon political machine at Washington has a good executioner who is cutting off heads at a lively rate. The La Grand Land office has received new heads, John W. Knowles, of La Grande, being nominated for register and Asa B. Thompson, of Pendleton, for receiver. The President has sent to the Senate the name of John D. Daly, of Corvallis to be Surveyor General.

Governor Chamberlain has pardoned the Warehouseman Humphreys who was sentenced to the penitentiary for the theft of farmers' wheat while stored in his warehouse. The convict was not allowed to go into the penitentiary but was pardoned so that it could be said that he was never in that institution. It begins to appear that in Oregon the law is only made to be enforced against poor thieves.

President Roosevelt will start on his western trip on April 1. He will hunt bear in Yellowstone Park and hopes afterwards to bag a few real beauties in Alaska by the end of the month. We don't know whether this will be an April fool joke on the President or on the Black, Cinnamon and Grizzles of Alaska. If we remember aright Roosevelt before he was President, killed a few brown bears in Missouri and afterwards mountain lions in Colorado. He is a nimrod when it comes to hunting and the cowboys of the plains say, that he put up a real stiff fist fight at a "badger baiting" in the Black Hill about ten years ago, at which he was chief mourne.

In Portland last Friday at the leading Methodist church a preacher who was preaching the gospel of vibratory cult was arrested during the meeting charged with seduction and parentage of a child whose mother was then in a charity hospital in that city. The preacher hailed from Vancouver, B. C., where he accomplished the ruin of the girl who was at the time 18 years old. The man in some manner ingratiated himself into the confidence of the church trustees who let him have the building for $15, in which to spread abroad pernicious doctrines to the fair maidens and matrons of Portland The vibratory cult in example is a little lower than Sodom and Gomorrah was in harvest time.

The editor in the past twenty-five years of journalism has taken in on subscription possum and 'taters and about everythidg else the earth or sea could produce that was good to eat. But last Saturday a brother from the Umpqua river came to the office and said: "You are not an Oregonian yet, I owe you on subscription and have a lot of 40-prunes and want to pay you forty pounds for the year and by the time you have got through with them you will be an Oregonian." We took the prunes and the question now is, when will those prunes get through with us? But if a man must eat forty pounds of 40-prunes in order to be an Oregonian, we are afraid that our citizenship will be delayed beyond August 1st, for we once got stuck in eating forty quail in forty days one quail each day and the contemplation of forty pounds of forty prunes will, we are afraid, work the same way.

The Oregonian is now shedding tears over the failure of the Forest Fire Bill and the Logging Bill to become laws. Why should a farmer earning his daily bread on his farm be compelled to pay taxes to protect timber owned by syndicats and speculators? In the Logging Bill why should all the streams in Oregon be turned over to a political combine whose object was to control every foot of standing timber in the state? The grafting and schemes of plunder under the name of law is a disgrace to Oregon and should be done away with. The PLAINDEALER was the first newspaper to denounce the graft which was intended to rob every man of his timber holdings, and cares not for the Oregonian's flout when it says: "Those who claim to have defeated the logging stream bill, and who rejoice over their achievement are welcome to all the glory there is in it." And now that the question is before the public again the PLAINDEALER would like to know how much did the Oregonian take in for attempting to hold a seance of the dear departed, dead bill?

The many friends of the Hon. J. C. Fullerton in Douglas and other counties in southwest Oregon are urging him to become a candidate for congressional honors. So pronounced is the determination to run him for the position that delegations from several of the prominent precincts have waited on him and he has taken the matter under advisement. When the representative of the PLAINDEALER waited on the Judge to learn his decision in the matter, the Judge stated that he had thought somewhat about it but that he wanted Douglas county to be represented in the congressional convention by a solid delegation and that if Mr. Hermann was a candidate for the office he (Fullerton) did not think he would be. Nothing but the Judge's positive assertion that he will not run will convince his friends who are determined to run him even against his will; but the PLAINDEALER is convinced that in the Honorable J. C. Fullerton the republicans of Douglas county has a man who believes more in republican harmony and prosperity than he does for personal agrandissement. The PLAINDEALER will next Thursday be able to give the Judge's unalterable decision in the matter.

The Republicans have called a convention of the first Congressional district to meet at Eugene, April 9 to nominate a candidate to succeed the late Thomas H. Tongue. The Democrats will very likely do likewise soon. While this district is largely Republican there seem to be quite a number of Democratic candidates. Among other names mentioned is the name of our esteemed fellow townsman, Hon. J. W. Hamilton, Circuit Judge of the Second Judicial District. The able and unpartial manner in which he has conducted court during his term of office has placed him in the highest rank in the esteem and respect of the people. He, no doubt, would make a very formidable candidate, and, if nominated, would make a canvass the result of which would be uncertain until the ballots were counted. But we understand that Judge Hamilton will not allow his name to be used in this connection. His public duties require his constant attention, and the very nature of his office, being a judicial one, to a large degree presents a man of the high and delicate sense of honor of Judge Hamilton from taking part in a political contest, much more, from becoming a candidate for political honors. This is right and proper. But in this instance while we heartily desire to see a Republican elected, we almost wish that Judge Hamilton would receive the nomination. If then the Democrats should by any combination of circumstances be successful in the special election in the interest of Oregon would be most zealously and ably cared for. Other democratic names mentioned in this connection are: R. A. Miller and William Galloway of Oregon City, J. K. Weatherford and W. R. Bilyen of Albany, M. A. Miller of Lebanon, and E A. Reames of Jacksonville, but none of these men could carry a single county against a republican war horse.

Religious Liberty in Russia.

A decree has been issued by the Czar of all Russia granting to all subjects and foreigners within the Russian boundary lines the privilege to worship God according to their understanding of Deity. The decree was issued last Thursday; and we regard this decree as a most momentous measure for the true advancement of the score or more nations now forming the Russian Empire. It is a just and far reaching decree and will no doubt do much toward cementing together the largest Empire in the world, with the possible exception of the British Empire.

If we remember aright it was less than four years ago when Count Tolstoi (one of the grandest men Russia has ever produced) was excommunicated by the Russian (Greek) Church by the sanction of the Czar for expressing views not favorable to that church in his writings. For the past 1400 years the Greek Church has been the established church of that country and with few exceptions no other religion except that has been allowed to be taught, and whenever a country was annexed or subjugated and made part of Russian territory the Greek religion was forced upon the people by making it the state religion.

The Greek Church of Russia is governed by Patriarchs or Archbishops and these archbishops in their government and in issuing edicts or theological documents are simply *primus inter pares* or first or chief among their equals or brethren, and the marriage relationship is sacredly observed by archbishops, suffragan bishops, priests and deacons. In the government of the church the bishop is not despotic in power and differs from the Church of Rome in this particular. The bishop of Rome is accounted to be the head of the church from whose dictate there is no appeal for the dictate of the Pope is accounted to be infallible. The bishops or popes or patriarchs of the Greek church while supreme in their diocese and not amenable to any other bishop yet are amenable to an oecumenical synod of bishops. The nearest approach to the Greek church policy in the United States is the Episcopal church, and while this is true of church government we also believe it to be so in theology. The great trouble with the Greek church theology and religion is this: It is a form of religion, the cloak of religious profession but it is dead to the vitalizing, enobling self, enlarging principles of the Nazarine's religion. It is a form of Godliness but the form is a corpse so far as individual spiritual life is concerned. For centuries the scale and moss has grown on the intellectual tree until the individual belief is nothing more than a mere assent to a theological problem which the individual is too lazy or dull minded to attempt to understand, but with new religious faiths to be spread in Russia, new doctrines to be met and combatted, and above all the individual life of a man hid in Christ with full belief in God to be proclaimed in the streets and housetops will put new life and thought into the Russian people; and with freedom of religious thought expressed in words and the exemplification of what it is to be a true Nazarine will give power to Russian mind, for with perfect freedom in religious matters comes a wider range and vision of possibilities and the grasping of these words: "now are we the sons of God and it doth not yet appear what we shall be" is the light that has illuminated the mind of man and made it reach out after all the wonderful discoveries of past centuries and urges man to grasp and understand the problems of the most distant star. And it is only in countries where perfect freedom of religion has been practiced or where the individual broke away from the tenets of a government enforced religion that wonderful discoveries in science has been made. It will take only a few short years, comparatively speaking, for Russia to be thoroughly aroused from dead theological formulas to a living faith. And in the end it may be that the eastern church will save the western from decay. In any event for the next fifty years, perhaps one hundred, Russia will be the battle ground for polemic theology and the full and free discussion of all subjects will give a wider range to national and individual intellectual and religious life.

For Sale

A quarter-block near centre of the town, containing two good houses, rental $27 a month. Also two desirable building lots. The lots can be had separately if desired. Apply to

D. S. K BUICK.

Meldrum's Successor.

A special dispatch from Washington on Saturday says:

State Senator John D. Daly, of Corvallis, is slated to succeed Henry Meldrum as Surveyor-General of Oregon. He was yesterday unanimously recommended by the Oregon delegation for the appointment, and in all probability his nomination will be sent to the Senate today by the President. The delegation's recommendation will be first referred to Land Commissioner Richards, but as Daly has been highly commended to both officials as an efficient surveyor and man of good, sound judgment and administrative ability, and as they are both extremely anxious to have Meldrum relieved, there is no doubt that Daly's recommendation will be properly indorsed and returned to the White House. In view of the pressure from the department it is also expected that prompt confirmation will follow the nomination.

Daly is the personal choice of Senator Fulton and was accepted by Senator Mitchell only after a series of conferences. Several of the men whom Mitchell wanted to indorse for the office proved to be inexperienced as surveyors. Commissioner Richards indicated to the delegation that a man for Surveyor-General should be an accomplished surveyor, and his views were approved by Secretary Hitchcock, who holds the Commissioner personally responsible for his entire force.

John D. Daly is a native of New York, born in 1837, and raised in New Jersey. He came to California in 1864 and engaged in business in Stockton, in which he continued several years. In 1878 he came to Oregon, settling at Yaquina Bay, and was the editor and proprietor of the Yaquina Bay News. A few years later he removed to Corvallis and started the Oregon Union. This at present is the only Republican paper in Corvallis, and it, as well as its proprietor has always been noted for its firm stand for the gold standard policy of the Republican party. In 1892 he was elected to the lower branch of the State Legislature, and during the following session he was successful in having passed the state lieu land law, which saved for the state $300,000. In 1898 be was elected to the Senate, and during the special session of 1898 was successful in having the legal rate of interest reduced to 6 per cent, and in the regular session of 1899 he was also successful in passing all the Dalytext-book law, which he considers one of his greatest achievements.

He was re-elected to the Senate in 1902 and has two years of his term yet to serve.',

The editor of the PLAINDEALER is slightly acquainted with Senator Daly and believes that in him Oregon will have a man of sterling honor and integrity to fill the office of Surveyor-General of this State.

Glendale News.

Thomas Agee is very ill with lung fever.

Charles Tyndall was a Glendale visitor this week.

Miss Minnie Hodsen is visiting in Portland this week.

Many children are seriously ill with whooping cough, in this city.

Buddy Boyd, who has been very ill with pneumonia is getting better.

James E. Shea, who has been visiting his wife, in this city, returned to Portland last week.

Clarence Russell, who was very ill with the la grippe, went to his home at Canyonville, on Monday.

Miss Umphlette, lately of the Glendale News, has retired from her position and returned to Grants Pass.

Mrs. Charles Flint, who has been critically ill at our home for the past two weeks, is now able to be out again.

Glendale is to re-elect city officers soon, and R. K. Montgomery is the popular candidate for mayor. He will make a good mayor.

Snyder and Zwight, of the Oregon Lumber Co., have booked a number of orders that will take them all summer to fill, and still they come.

Mr. Winningham has purchased of J. D. Harper two lots and a nice new cottage, in Harper's addition, and which Mr W, and his family now occupy.

The opera house building has been sold to an Ashland man, who, we are informed, will open a saloon there in the near future. Wonder where Carrie Nation and her hatchet are? We are apt to need her services out this way.

Dr. Bowersox will commence building his new residence soon. We do not know who has the contract to do the work. The new school house is covered and is being painted and will no doubt be ready for occupancy by May 1st.

Our community was stirred to its greatest depths by the sad fatality that occurred here on Tuesday, the 11th inst. On Monday, in the forenoon, Clarence Mercer, a little lad of 12 years, and Carl Rikewin, were both riding a pony belonging to Wm. Mercer, and which they were going to take to a pasture on the other side of the creek. After leaving the corner of Ladd & Ohlsen's store the pony refused to go in the direction the boys wished him to go, and started on a keen trot down street to the Mercer place, where he had been kept. After getting down the hill both boys fell off, the Mercer boy falling on the Rikewin boy. A crowd gathered and both boys said they were not hurt, but after starting home the Rikewin boy asked J. L Roberts to carry him. He said, "Joe, I can't walk." After reaching home Dr. Bowersox was called, and found a slight injury on the abdomen, over the spleen. The boy said all the time he felt better. On Tuesday morning he began to sink at 8:30, and at 9:5 he died. What the injury was is left entirely to conjecture. He was a very promising child, and the greatly bereaved family have the sympathy of our city in their sudden and awful bereavement. The funeral occurred at 2 p. m., Wednesday, the 12th, and the services were conducted by Elder D. N. Fish. The interment was made at Maplewood cemetery.

MOLLIE.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The tax rolls for 1902 have been placed in my hand for collection, and on Monday, March 1, 1903, at 8 o'clock, a. m., I will commence to receive taxes.

E. L. PARROTT,
Sheriff and tax collector for Douglas county, Oregon.

General News Notes.

Seattle, not content with having a regular municipal shakeup, reports two slight earthquake shocks last Friday night.

It is stated officially that 1,000,000 acres of land will be opened to settlement in Southern California on June 15. Much of the land is fit for agricultural purposes.

William Nelson Cromwell, the New York lawyer who has unloaded the French claims to the Panama canal on Uncle Sam, will receive $2,000,000 for his trouble.

The secret, or supposed secret, proceedings of the United States senate continues to be printed in all the leading daily papers. Some of the senators are making hay while the sun shines.

Last Saturday near Douglass, Wyoming, masked men killed 450 head of sheep, beat up the herder and destroyed the camp. This is the kind of outrage that is put in force all over the Rocky Mountain grazing grounds.

The Patrons of Husbandry held a very interesting and profitable meeting at Salem last Friday. The speaker—Aaron Jones, master of the National Grange said: that his organization now had a membership of 1,000,000 and was increasing at the rate of 2,000 each week.

The Great Rock Island road on Saturday had a terrible smash-up at a point 30 miles west of Topeka. The east and west bound passenger trains collided head end on and half a dozen cars were telescoped. One engineer was killed and twenty passengers injured. It is a miracle that there were not scores of people killed.

Mr. Chamberlain, who is regarded as England's greatest living statesman, returned on Saturday from a visit to South Africa where he had been to get a thorough understanding of the Boer troubles. He thinks the Boers will be good from this time on but that it will take years of hard work to bring the country to its ante-bellum state of productiveness.

The "stiffs" do not remain stiff at the Portland Medical College where they are used for dissecting purposes by the students. In fact, the stock on hand last Saturday was so large that it decomposed before it could be used and northern Portland was perfumed against the wishss of the citizens. The grave robbers must have had a good run of business to overstock the market. It is said that a stiff is worth all the way from three to fifteen dollars and that age, sex and ripeness is taken into consideration by the gouls and professors of anatomy.

Niggar Outrage in Washington.

Last Friday night a big, fat, greasy niggar by the name of King Solomon who makes a living by fortune telling, left Portland and took the train for Seattle. The niggar went to sleep and snored only as a fat niggar can snore He kept all the other passengers awake and a frail lady, borderlng on nervous prostration, asked the brakeman to wake him up, which was done. The niggar then asked the brakeman who requested that he be woke up and the brakeman pointed out the lady. The niggar jumped up, pulled out a big revolver flourishing it in the lady's face and after cureing her slapped her in the face; and there was not a white man on board that train with courage enough to resent the outrage not only to the lady but to the white race at large. The niggar was taken off the train at Kalama by an officer but what was done with him has not been reported. It is a pity that such brutes, either white or black, were not given the privilege of stretching hemp.

"Alexander Hamilton."

State Senator B. F. Mulkey, of the Ashland Normal School, will lecture on the above subject at the Christian Church in this city, Saturday evening, March 21, 1903. Senator Mulkey is one of the ablest and most eloquent speakers of the State, and this is his best lecture. It will be both instructive and entertaining. Everybody invited to attend. Admission free.

High and Low Church Trouble.

A San Francisco dispatch says: Episcopal Bishop William Hall Moreland, of the Diocese of Sacramento, is to be placed on trial in San Francisco, April 22 to defend himself against a large number of specific charges made against him by Rev. Dr. William Bollard, of Vallejo. The charges made by Rev. Mr. Bollard include many matters incident to troubles in the Vallejo parish, where, Rev. Mr. Bollard alleges, Bishop Moreland intruded and secretly started another branch of the church.

Buff Plymouth Rocks.

Eggs of purebred stock for sale at Blodgett's 2nd store, Roseburg, at 50 cents a setting. 19-1mp

A BARGAIN IN TIMBER.—480 acres of fine white cedar and old-growth fir timber in Coos county, Ore. Lies on bank of a good driving stream in easy reach of log market on tidewater. For particulars in this and other timber deal, s inquire of WM. M. PORTER,
m16tf. Camas Valley, Oregon.

For Sale.

A splendid team of heavy draft horses. Address P. O. Box 43, Roseburg, Oregon. a5

FOR SALE CHEAP.—Less than $10 per acre. A well improved grain and stock farm of 330 acres in Camas Valley. This is a rare bargain. For particulars inquire of Wm. M. PORTER, Camas Valley, Ore. M16tf.

County Treasurer's Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all parties holding county warrants endorsed prior to and including Nov. 10th 1900, are requested to present the same at the county treasurer's office for payment as interest will cease thereon after the date of this notice.

Dated Roseburg, Douglas County Oregon, March 9th, 1903.

GEO. DIMMICK,
County Treasurer.

Hitchcock Will Act.

While the Congress failed to take any action upon the bills offered looking to the better protection of the public lands of the nation, it is the intention of the interior department officials to use every effort in their power to prevent a continuance of the frauds that have been practiced in connection with the homestead and timber and stone acts for some years past. There is no need of additional evidence to show the necessity of these precautionary measures. During the first ninety days of the present fiscal year 6,190,000 acres of public land were filed upon under the different provisions of the law. If this rate is maintained for the year, the public land area will be reduced by about 25,000,000 acres, and would be completely exhausted within five years. There is evidence to show that men and women have been hired to take up homesteads, and after paying for them under the commutation clause of the homestead act have sold them to syndicates which have grown rich out of them.

Living and Dead.

City, March 12, 1903.

EDITOR PLAINDEALER: As I was not consulted with regard to the funeral arrangements or invited to the funeral or even notified of the death of Mr. Hugh McGowan, I cannot understand why my absence from the service should be a matter for comment in your last issue. Furthermore the statement that the deceased "until a few years ago had been a zealous and faithful member of the Catholic church" is not borne out by the records of the Catholic church of Roseburg. Yours etc.,

GEO. D. DOYLE.

The great, moral and religious PLAINDEALER had no intention of doing either the living or the dead any harm. It simply chronicled an event in the history of the deceased and wanted to let everything and everybody down easy from the common reports circulated on the street. Roquiescat in pace.

Real Estate Transfers.

Hugh Cuthbert to H. G. Sonnemann, lot 5, block 3, Glendale, consideration $5.

H. J. Wilson and wife to Nathan Selig, lot, blk. 9, Canyonville, consideration $350.

W. S. Fegles and wife to J. W. Fegles, n. e. qr. of n. w. qr., sec. 18, tp. 23 s., r. 5 w. of w. m.

B. M. Capps to Arion Clinton, s. w. qr. of s. e. qr., tp. 23 s., r. 5 w. of w. m., consideration $320.

H. J. Wilson and wife to Ritha Selig, lots 2 and 3, blk. 20, Canyonville, consideration $150.

The Cobb Real Estate Co. to J. A. Perry, lots 3 and 4, blk. 9, Wait's addition to Roseburg, consideration $300.

W. S. Fegles and wife to E. A. Fegles, n. w. qr. of n. e. qr., sec. 18, tp. 23 s., r. 5 w. of w. m., consideration $500.

The Cobb Real Estate Co. to J. T Buchanan, lot 2, block 3, Wait's addition to Roseburg, consideration $150.

Mary E. Andrews et. als. to Ralph E. Lamb, 80 acres in sec. 8, tp. 23 s., r. 5 w., of w. m., consideration $160.

Bertha Mathews and husband to G. A. Signalness, lots 3 and 4, blk. 1, North Park ad. to Roseburg, consideration $850.

Theo. Krostur, to G. O. Krostur, s. e. qr. of n. w. qr., e. hf. of s. w. qr., and s. e. qr., sec. 19, tp. 32 s., r. 6 w. of w. m., consideration $3,500.

Fred A. Kibbs and wife to A. F. Pillsbury et. als., undivided qr. of lots 2 and 3, in sec. 30, tp. 24 s., r. 8 w, consideration $10. Correction of deed.

T. M. Simpson and wife to J. T. McKee, s. e. qr. of n. e. qr., n. hf. of n. e. qr., n.' e. qr. of s. e. qr., sec. 14, tp. 22 s, r. 5 w., of w. m., consideration $1,000.

The Cobb Real Estate Co. to E. V. Hoover, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 16, in blk. 15, Waite's addition to Roseburg, consideration $1,500.

Frederick A. Kibbs and wife, of Portland, to John S. Kibbs, Jr., and C. S. Pillsbury, the undivided one-half of lots 2 and 3, sec. 30, tp. 24, r. 8 w. of w. m., consideration $10. Correction of deed.

L. Schmeisser and wife to Belle Jones, beginning at a point on the military road running south from Roseburg, at the corner of the fence at the new corner of the said Schmeisser land, and thence east along said fence 5.85 chains, thence south 80 feet, thence west to military road, thence north 10.5 degrees, east along the east side of said road 81½ feet to place of beginning, tp. 27 s, r. 5 w. of w. m., consideration $500.

GRAND OPENING

At Rice & Rice, The House Furnishers. Two Days Special Opening Sale.

We will place on sale for Tuesday and Wednesday, March 17 and 18, 300 Rugs in Regular and Special Carpet Sample rugs, at prices never before heard of in Roseburg. This Sale is for 17 and 18 only and no charge sales at sale prices. Come Early, as at prices for Special sale they will go with rush.

RICE & RICE,
1t The House Furnishers.

Music Lovers

Music lovers will have a rare enter tainment by simply calling at Burr's Popular Music House and inspecting our splendid array of musical instruments. Our display of pianos are simply magnificient. Here are found the world renowned Chickering, the wonderful toned Kimball, the many toned Crown Orchestrical and the beautiful toned colonial style Victor. We have others like the Singer, Kingsbury and Needham. Then here is our mammoth stock of small goods, such as S. S. Stewart and Washburn mandolins, guitars, banjos. Our immense line of violins range in price from $2.50 to $50. We are sole agent for the Columbia graphaphone and supplys. Remember we are running no concert hall with 50 cents admission, but our doors are all ways open to the public.

Notice.

The Rev. Mr. Minshall is no longer connected with this office nor is he authorized to receive subscriptions or transact business in any manner for this paper.

H. H. BROOKES, Editor.
Roseburg' Or. Feb. 25, 1903.

DRESS HINTS.

Thin stockings should be darned with fine worsted.

Cover an old hat pad with crape and use it for brushing velvet and velveteen.

Water in which potatoes have been boiled is the best thing with which to sponge and revive a silk dress.

When buttonholing flannel edges, first run a linen thread about one-eighth of an inch from the edge. It will hold the buttonhole stitch and wear much better.

Corsets may be cleaned by scrubbing them with a hand brush and warm soapsuds after removing the steels and laces, then rinsing. When dry, mend carefully and put the steels and laces back in place.

To renew lace veils dip them in new milk, squeeze dry and pin them to a firm surface to dry. Pick out every point of the lace and have the edges perfectly straight, and the lace will look like new when dried.

Pink, ciel blue or mauve accessories often render a gray gown becoming to either fair or dark women, and, again, a small amount of rich velvet, with the addition of some handsome deep cream lace, greatly improves a gray toilet.

The Parlor.

The parlor, otherwise the "company or show room," ought to be the one room in the house that should portray in its every detail the ideal personality of the woman who owns it. It should contain but a few beautiful objects on which the eyes might rest without distraction, some good pictures on the walls, a suggestion of music by the presence of an unobtrusive instrument, and, above all and everything, a sense of comfort and unity should be apparent in all its furnishings and decorations. The Japanese custom of showing only one good picture or kakemono or screen at a time and placing the flowering branch of a tree where it will be seen to greatest advantage in their guestroom is unquestionably an excellent idea, one well worth imitating. In our efforts to have everything pretty and showy around us we reduce our parlors to miniature curio stores and palmhouses and in crowding our treasures fail to obtain the effect of artistic beauty in their arrangement.

Letter List.

Remaining uncalled for at the Roseburg post office.

Benson, Mr J E	Leatherwood, T M
Carter, Mrs Carie	Read, Mr Herbert J
Chapman, W W	Rogers, E L
Fowler, E E	Roesborgh, Mr
Gutches, Chauncey	Schonbachler Mrs L
Haines, Miss Mannie	
Jacobs, Mr H W	Tucker, T T
Laduke, July	

Ore Condense Milk Co

Persons calling for these letters will please state the date on which they are advertised, March 9, 1903.

The letters will be charged for at the rate of one cent each.

WM. A. FRATER, P. M

Notice of Guardian's Sale.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue and in pursuance of an order and license of the County Court of Coos County, Oregon, duly made and entered therein on the 27th day of January, 1903, in the matter of the guardianship of the persons and estates of Charles F Minard, Ruth Z Minard, Monta M Minard, and John H Minard, minors, the undersigned, the duly appointed, qualified and acting guardian of said minors, and of each of them, will, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1903,

at the hour of one o'clock p. m. of said day, in front of the Court House in Roseburg, Douglas county, Oregon, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand all the right, title and interest of said minors and of each of them, of, in and to all that part of the Pre-emption Claim of Isaac Minard (said Pre-emption Claim being the SE¼ of section 29, in township 27 south, range 6 west of Willamette Meridian, lying north of the County road leading from Roseburg to Looking Glass Valley, be the same more or less) according to a deed recorded in Volume S, page 4 of Deeds, Douglas County Oregon Records.

Dated March 2, A. D., 1903.

(Signed) ROXANA M. MINARD,
Guardian of the persons and estates of Charles F Minard, Ruth Z Minard, Monta M Minard and John H Minard, Minors.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, March 3, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory" as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

CHARLES A. ELMORE,

of Aberdeen, county of Chehalis, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4546, for the purchase of the NW¼ Sec 4, Tp 31 south, range 2 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W S Britt, U S Commissioner at Riddle, Ore., on Friday, the 8th, day of May, 1903. He names as witnesses: J Q Gilbert, Perdue, Oregon, C. I. Leavengood, Riddle, Oregon, Lloyd Marquam, Tiller, Ore. Al. Bolenbaugh, Riddle, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of May, 1903.

J T BRIDGES,
Mar 3. Register.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Oregon, Feb 28, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878 entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

JOSEPH A SHORT,

of Whatcom, county of Whatcom, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4502, for the purchase of the NE¼ of section 18, township 31 s., R 3 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish his claim to said land before W. S Britt, U. S. Commissioner at Riddle, Oregon, on Friday the 1st day of May, 1903. He names as witnesses: Victor Pinkerton, Snohomish. Wash., Herbert H Short, Seattle. Was., J Q Gilbert, Perdue, Oregon, Chas A Short, Snohomish, Wash.

Any and all person claiming adverely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 1st day of May, 1903. J. T. BRIDGES,
f26 Register.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Roseburg, Oregon, March 9, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

WILLIAM KEITLE,

of R. M. S., Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4586 for the purchase of the N½ NW¼ of Sec 14, Tp 29 S, R 7 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim before the Register and Receiver of this office of Roseburg, Oregon.

on Thursday, the 4th day of June, 1903. He names as witnesses: Grant Clayton, of Dillard, Oregon, W H Root, of Bridge, Oregon John F Lehnherr, Camas Valley, Oregon and C S Smith, Roseburg, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 4th day of June, 1903. J T BRIDGES,
mar19p Register.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roseburg, Ore.,
February 28, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, April 10, 1903, viz:

GEORGE WEST,

Hd. E. No. 12450 for the SW¼ SE¼, SE¼ SW¼. Sec 20, Tp 25 S, R 2 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Andrew J Bellows, of Roseburg, Oregon, James H Shupe and Benjamin F Shields, of Hoaglin, Ore., Thomas Wharton, Roseburg, Oregon.

March 5. J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

State Treasurer's Seventh Notice.

Treasury Department,
State of Oregon,
Salem, February 25, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the treasury with which to redeem all outstanding state warrants drawn on the State Scalp Bounty and County Funds, endorsed "Presented and not paid for want of funds" prior to this date. All such warrants, if properly endorsed, will be paid upon presentation at this office, interest thereon ceasing from and after this date.

CHAS. S. MOORE,
State Treasurer.

Trespass Notice.

All persons are hereby warned not to trespass, hunt, fish or camp on the land of the Curry Estate. Persons doing so will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Estate of N. CURRY,
(55 tf.) Riversdale Farm

Notice.

In the County Court for Douglas County State of Oregon.

In the matter of the change of name of Gustal Gustafson.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the above named court duly made and entered on the 5th day of January 1903, the name of Gustal Gustafson has been changed to Gustave G. Everett.

Attest, D. R. SHAMBROOK,
(25p) County Clerk.

NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
United States Land Office,
Roseburg, Ore., March 9, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the approved PLAT of survey of TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 2 EAST, has been received from the Surveyor General for Oregon and on

FRIDAY, April 24, 1903, at 9 o'clock a. m., the said PLAT will be filed in this office and the land embraced therein will be subject to entry on and after that date.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register,
J. H. BOOTH, Receiver.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Roseburg, Ore.,
March 11, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon, on April 25, 1903, viz:

PHILIP B. LERWILL,

on his H. E. No. 10322, for the NW¼, Sec. 16, Tp. 20 S, R 1 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Clarence Lerwill, Walter Lerwill, Charles Brown, and Sam Brown, all of Perdue, Oregon

J. T. BRIDGES,
m12f5p Register.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court, of Douglas county State of Oregon, duly appointed the administrator of the estate of Electa McClallen, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same duly verified, to the undersigned at Roseburg, Douglas county, State of Oregon within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Roseburg, Oregon this 24th day of January, 1903.

H. T. McCLALLEN,
Administrator of the estate of Electa Mc Clallen, deceased.