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**TOO MUCH RAT TAIL.**  
In February of this year a white woman, of Seattle, named Miss Edith Bennett lured a chink named Jo Jung, of North Yakima, Wash., to her home and they were married. The Chinaman turned over to his wife his bank account of \$400 and they went to North Yakima and set up housekeeping. They lived together a few days when the Chinaman wanted to eat on dried rats, and the bride's stomach, turned at the long tailed delicacy. They "busted" up housekeeping and yesterday the woman was granted a divorce from her man. The fair plaintiff got away with \$1500 in total of the Chinaman's money.

**Board of Trade Becoming Popular.**  
During the past week the Roseburg Board of Trade has been the headquarters of many substantial men from a distance. Here strangers want to meet and discuss their plans, make comparisons of the conditions of this country with those that prevail in the east where they came from, and in a general way familiarize themselves with the country, the people and their habits. The opinion among visiting strangers is universal in respect to the climate and undeveloped resources of our county. All agree that no place on the western continent has nature so bountifully supplied with practically all the wants of man as there is in Oregon.

There is also a unity of opinion that nowhere in the world has man so little to avail himself of the opportunities offered by nature. The state of cultivation of the soil, the breeding up of the live stock, the improvement of the farm property is in marked contrast far below that in the east. This is particularly true in regard to the grading or improvement of cattle. Cattle have been successfully raised in Douglas County for 50 years, yet the class of cattle (with the exception of a few individuals) is practically the same as it was when the country was first settled. Mr. Dymnes a South Dakota breeder of the Hereford cattle, while in conversation with a number of gentlemen at the Board of Trade a few evenings since, remarked as follows: "This is the only place I ever saw where cattle raising was attempted without any provision for winter feeding or care of any kind. Why in South Dakota we feed 5 months and get far more out of our cattle as net returns than they do here." "How can you make more money by feeding 5 months than we can by not feeding at all?" asked an Oregon man.

"Very simple," said Mr. Dymnes. "In the first place we have a superior grade of cattle. Cattle that will yield a return in growth and fat commensurate with the food eaten. In the second place we give these cattle the care and attention required, so that in the length of time that you are producing a \$20 steer we are producing one that brings \$40 and often more. It is not a difference in markets either. Your markets are just as good as ours for the same class of stock. The difference is, that we sell a superior article, and the increased cost of production is comparatively small considering the increase in value."

Here the conversation drifted to timber claims a subject always open for discussion at the Board of Trade interspersed with remark by those miners present in regard to the value and economy of mining and working certain ores. The mineral display of the board rooms is becoming very attractive and instructive especially to our eastern friends.

Mr. Moriarty has kindly sent to the Board of Trade some fruits and tomatoes in jars, which are displayed in one of the large windows. These were grown on their home place a couple of miles from town and put up by the good lady herself. They are quite showy and "look good enough to eat."

**General News Notes.**  
Chicago is said to have conceived the idea of employing attractive women as collectors, and is declared a brilliant success.

Mr. Chas. Fair's heirs intend to make a hard fight for the Fair millions, and say they can prove that Mr. Fair died nearly an hour before his wife.

Armed with a club, Mrs. Hildebrand, one of the leading milliners of Portland, entered the optical store of Walter Reed, and smashed everything in sight. She declares that Reed, who is a married man, had been paying unwarranted attention to her young daughter, although she repeatedly urged him to cease his attentions.

**Wilbur News.**  
Mrs. S. J. Chenoweth spent Saturday in Oakland.  
Mr. Rhinehart and family have moved to Wingebart.  
Mr. J. Williams was visiting with his brother for a few days.  
Miss Pearl Tweedy, who has been quite sick, is recovering.  
A "young people's meeting" was organized Sunday evening.  
Mrs. F. B. Hamlin and children, of Roseburg, were visiting in town on Sunday.  
Miss Addie Ellison left on last Sunday's local for Rice Hill, where she has been re-engaged to teach a term of school.

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**Canyonville Items.**  
Born, to the wife of Mr. J. F. Mewman, March 22, a girl.  
Mr. Esos Wall, of Glendale, was visiting our city yesterday.  
Born, to the wife of Mr. James Overstreet, March 21, a twelve pound boy.

**Stock Losses in Idaho and Oregon.**  
Stockmen are driven to the verge of distraction by the unusual prolongation of winter. Many sheepmen are feeding grain, and even potatoes, to their starving flocks. Owing to the generally impoverished condition of the range, it is feared that the loss will be great to sheepmen and cattlemen alike.—Ragle Valley News.

**Chinese Trouble.**  
It is said that recent official reports show there is a growing state of disorder in South China, particularly along the border of French Indo-China, chiefly due to the operations of bands of Chinese brigands. Although the French authorities have not yet taken definite action, the officials confirm the reports from Shanghai to the effect that a continuance of the disorder will undoubtedly lead to the sending of French troops across the border to suppress the brigands and insure protection of French interests.

**The Hero of the Retrograde Loupe**  
A San Francisco dispatch of today's date says:  
Admiral Schley has finally consented to accept several informal dinners and luncheons in this city. Vallejo and Mare Island will be visited by the Admiral and party on Thursday, and on Saturday night they will start to return East by way of Portland, Seattle and Salt Lake.

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

**Glendale News.**  
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**Administrators Notice.**  
In the matter of the Estate of Jennie E. Clemons, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrators of the Estate of Jennie E. Clemons, deceased, that he was duly appointed Administrator of the said Estate by the order of the Probate Court of Douglas County, Oregon, and qualified on or about the 15th day of January, 1933.

**EXECUTORS NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
In the matter of the Estate of Jennie E. Clemons, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Executors of the Estate of Jennie E. Clemons, deceased, have been appointed by the Probate Court of Douglas County, Oregon, and qualified on or about the 15th day of January, 1933.

**NOTICE.**  
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Ore., March 25, 1933.  
Notice is hereby given that the approved PLAT of survey of TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH, RANGE 5 EAST, has been received from the Surveyor General for Oregon and on

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**Trespass Notice.**  
All persons are hereby warned not to trespass, hunt, fish or camp on the land of the Curry Estate, Roseburg, Oregon, as will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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