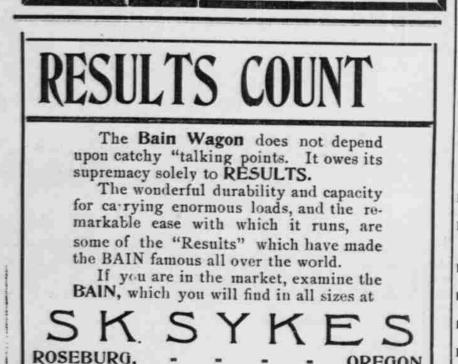




Also that swell line of Wash Suits, Children's Dresses in all ages. The style is correct and patterns new.

SUMMER CORSETS & In all the new styles and shapes. We are agents for the famous Kabo Corset. This Store will close every evening at 6 o'clock, except Saturday.

WOLLENBERG BROS., Phone 801.



OREGON Fine Farm for Sale. Title Guarantee & Loan Lo ROSEBURG, OREGON. A good 800 acre farm for sale five I. D. HANILTON, ultivation, balance hill, pasture and Roseburg, Oregon. j15tf

last Sunday. Strawberries are very plentiful,

and the little boys ond girls are putting in all their good time gathering the delicious fruit. Miss Maggie and Hattie Howard,

ork for C. G. Durland. C. D. Smith has been appointed

Deputy Road Master in this district. The right man in the right place. Don't forget the Basket Dinner at the Calapooia school house next Surday, preaching by Rev. Bailey.

> Mr. Hurstine has put a new roof dam in a few days, and will be ready for gold mines, as much of this country pense, and consume much time in ascer- the republican form of government is for the fall harvest.

at the heads of the streams is well We think it is time to commence Sunday School as we have plenty of money on hand to run it all summer, and the children will receive some benefit of it all. Other neigh-School running, so let us get together the lork. Ocean.

Wonder what the attraction is in Green Valley for H. L. and C. D.

> OB. School Classes.

The Riddle Public School will close on Friday, after a scolaistic year of more than usual successfulness. Prof. Dillard as principal, has been faithful and untiring in his efforts for the success of the school in general, each pupil in particular, as have also his able assistants, and the patrons and students of the school have much to gratify them in the work accomplished.

towns and villages, extensive fruit or-The Graduating Exercises of the ninth chards, well-known agricultural comgrade of the Riddle High School, will be munities, vast mining enterprises, etc; held in the Baptist Church, on May 29, that within this area there is about 85 at 8 o'clock. The following program United States postoffices, 40 of which will be rendered : are in Jackson county, 21 in Josephine Song, America. ounty, and about the same number in

Oration, Wm. McKinley, Martha Ash. Oration, Thomas Jefferson and th Louisiana Purchase, Eva Pruner, Oration, The Causes of the American Revolution, Emma Britt.

Song, The Picnic. Oration, The Philippines, Bertha Pruner. Oration, The Panama Canal, G. Nor-

bert Riddle. Oration, The Uplifting of the Negro, Kate Adams.

Song, Calvary, Blanch and Claude Riddle. Oration, Florence Nightingale, Martha

Blundell. Oration, The Oregon Pioneers, Helena Riddle.

Song, Mt. Vernon Bells. Address to class and presentation liplomas, J. H. Orcutt.

All are cordially invited to attend. WALTER B. DILLARD, principal, -Riddle Review.

nquire of Henery Conn. Roseburg Ore

1. In regard to the character of the it is a notorious fact that the greater publicans. It causes per land within the limits of the proposed portion of this region is mineral in char- into these campaign lies, and causes reserve it appears that about ten per acter and that among the hills and Mr. Hermann's friends to be more cent are surveyed, while the remainder mountains and at the heads of the loyal to him than ever. Some Demo-

s unsurveyed; that of the surveyed smaller streams and along the river cratic papers would like to make lands much of the same are hilly and beds are found the most valuable gold somebody believe that the Repubmountainous and mainly covered by fir, deposits. These are extensively mined licans would like to get rid of Mr. Her-

3. As to the railroad lands east of

he same latitude, and west of the Cas-

cade Forest Reserve, it may be said

that such lands are traversed by the

Dregon and California railroad en route

rom Portland, Oregon, to San Fran-

isco, California, and also contains

Douglas county east of the proposed re-

serve and west of the Cascade Reserve ;

that the whole of Jackson county is em-

braced within this area, much the

larger portion of Josephine county, and

all the southern portion of Douglas

county. This region contains considera-

ble per cent of the population of the

ever, being along the line of railway.

About five per cent remains unsurveyed.

As to the character of this region, a

redar, sugar-pine and other timber; and prospected at the present time, and mann. Now we represent only one vote that much of the surveyed area is in have been to a greater or less extent for at the ballot box, but we will take the were shopping in Roseburg, so look actual occupancy, embracing bona-fide over a half century, while prospecting chance of the result, and say for all, agricultural settlements, mining claims still continues in numerous localities not that we are not tired of Mr. Hermann

Mr. King Carlile is employed to and other uses; that as to the unsur- yet mined. There are great numbers of by a great deal, and if you will notice veyed area no estimate can be made of mineral locations activity worked of how we vote you will not think we want occupants thereon and it is understoo, which this office contains no record and to get rid of him but we are going to send th t in many portions there are settle- of which the law does not require re- him to Washington to work for us and ments, record of which will be made cord to be made here or in the local of- for Oregon. Why should we vote for when the public surveys shall be ex. fice. Much of the mineral desposits are Mr. Hermann? This question has more tended over such portions of that area. of placer, and others of lode formation. than a hundred good answers, but one It is believed further that many portions To prevent an exchange of such lands to of these answers is: Why do we support contain agricultural land suitable for the railroad company for relinquish- a republican form of government? Behomes as well as for grazing purposes, ment of its land within the proposed cause we believe in its principles, beon his mill and will put in a new and a still greater portion very valuable forest reserve would entail great ex- cause we believe in its laws and because

tainment and survey of such known the only free government that ever exknown to be mineral in charcater and mines. Such exchange would greatly isted on this earth. Then we have a has been prospected and mined since retard the development of the mining very broad issue before us: Could we he earliest settlement of the region. interests now so generally enjoyed upon afford to abandon our own beliefs and There are also settlements and post- the vacant unreserved mineral domain. principles, sacrifice our own interests. offices within this proposed reserve. A Valuable mineral lands not yet pros- vote against a man who has spent years large extent of the Rogue river, the pected would pass to the railroad com- in Congress, who is experienced in the borhoods have a flourishing Sunday Illinois river, as well as the Pistol river, pany even though a reasonable precau-work, who has an influence in the Napasses through this proposed reserve in tion should be exercised in advance by tional Capitol that would take an inexand organize, and not always be in their outward course to the Pacifie the Department in any classification perienced man at least twenty years to which would be devised. Furthermore reach a man who has always been loyal

2. As to the character more especially it may be doubted whether a consolida- to grand old Oregon, who has done of the railroad lands within the exterior tion of railroad holdings east of the promore for Oregon than any other man limits proposed, it may be said that posed reserve could be accomplished be- ever did, a man whose ability and integcause of the wide extent of entries pre- rify is never questioned only in cauthey are largely covered with timber, viously made with the many mining lopaign times. I say to all loyal republi some portions with very valuable timber, while other portions are mineral in cations which would make it difficult to cans can we under the circumstances secure entire vacant sections in large (knowing the needs of our state) afford haracter, and much that is not valuabodies so that the lieu lands could all be to vote for a man whose party is largely

selected contiguous to present railroad in the minority at the Capital, a man he proposed reserve in approximately lands east of the proposed reserve in who has not seen the inside of the order to obtain a consolidation which wrong of the National affairs that he the U. S. Geological survey suggests would know how to take hold and hang would, no doubt, be an advantage to the as Grover Cleveland said of our present railroad company. A careful investiga- candidate several years since, when Mr. tion might disprove the correctness of Hermann was representing us in Conthis opinion, yet in view of present gress. The "Portland Weekly Journal" knowledge of the widely scattered en- says "Mr. Hermann's plea is the yellow tries, settlements and mining enter- dog plea," but the yellow dog appears to prises, a serious question exists. A still be across the fence from Mr. Hermann further objection to be considered is that and looking across his shoulders at n relation to the unsurveyed even sec- Mr. Hermann with a jealous eve tions east of the proposed reserve which The editor of the Journal says, Vawcould not be allowed for lieu land selec- ter, of Jackson County, Kelley, of tion in their present condition.

Linn County, Gatch, of Marion County, For these reasons and beliefs based Eddy, of Tillamook County and Harris, upon general information and upon per- of Lane County, if nominated, would sonal knowledge of much of that country, have been elected. Now we give the I have to report that it would be decid. editor credit for knowing the names of edly inadvisable to attempt to execute so many good men in the republican the plan proposed. The party, who would make good congressmode in which reserves are made permitman. But according to the laws, we state and was among the first explored ed holders of worthless land thus withare entitled to only one congressman on the Pacific Coast by Americans, and drawn being indemified by selection of from this district, and under the present s now quite generally settled through- good land in the form of lieu land outside condition of affairs we could not nomiout, the larger towns and villages, how- the reserve. The history of such transacnate them all, so we nom inated a man whom we "knew" would be elected. He tions has been that persons "on the outside," have selected both the worthless was the choice of the convention, and will be the choice of the people. In con-This explains how universally a de- in the reserves and the good land withmand has heretofore existed for surveys. out it long before the proclamation issued. * * * * There is no call for Douglas County, that we can do ourlarge portion is hilly, and much, moun- another big reserve. But it will not do selves no greater credit than put our

shoulders to the wheel and show the tainous, yet a great area is in fertile to conclude that the promoters of these valleys, and the more extensive valleys reserves will abandon their desires. man, who is our state's friend, that we D C. HAMILTON, Secy. and Treas miles from My rtle Creek, 100 acres in appreciate his efforts in our behalf. Do are those of the Rogue river in Jackson 5. The field notes from this office **BOSWELL SPRINGS** Song, Adieu. ultivation, balance hill, pasture and timbered land. Small or hard, good house, barn and other improvements For price and terms apply to P. T. Mc-Gee, Myrtle Creek, or D. S. K. Buick, Roseburg, Oregon. ji5tf and Josephine counties, and of the which form a part of the papers subnot be alarmed by the startling reports that your hear, as they amount to noth-Umpqua river in Douglas county, while mitted you with this communication do ing. There is an old story that went there are also prosperous farming com- not refer solely to present conditions Located on Southern Pacific Raffroad the rounds which was in substance as munities in the Applegate and Illinois but to conditions as they existed at the in Douglas County Oregon valleys, and among the various other time of the surveys, many of which date follows: Two Irishmen, Mike and James Men wanted to cut 300 tier of wood were traveling alo ng a lonely and untributaries of the Rogue river, with ex- back more than forty years, hence town-The Waters CURE ninty Per cent of cases of Constipation. Rheamatism tensive farming and fruit industries ships do not appear to have been settled frequented highway, when suddenly upon many of the tributaries flowing at that early time are largely settled in a pond near by. something said ke-Catarrh, Stomach, Kidney and Liver Troubles. For Rent. **Trespass Notice.** wak, kewak; Mike said "Silence, I'll Post-office, Express and Public Telephone on the premises. From \$10 per week up, including baths. Trains stop in front of Hotel. 1 have a building 24 and 40 feet, suit- Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internal- county. Where timber is found it is operations which then were more into the Umpqua in southern Douglas now, and the same obtains as to mining All persons are hereby warned not to able for a paint shop storage etc., lo- ly, and acts directly on the blood and usually heavy, dense and of valuable limited by far then at the present time. the pond and bringing up nothing but a handful of water and mud (and the respass, hunt, fish or camp on the cated one block from depot and mucous surfaces of the system. Send kinds, mostly conifers, red-fir, sugar-Lastly, I would suggest that if it be "It" being safe in the bottom of the Potassium Chloride - 548,00 gr One Gallon of these Waters Contains and of the Curry Estate. Persons doing three blocks from the Post Office. for testimonials, free. and yellow-pine, cedar and hemlock. Throughout the whole area mineral lands abound, and there are already in Magnesium Chloride - .10 gr Calcium Chloride - 1436.00 gr so will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Throughout the whole area mineral created in some portion of Southwestern corner of Oak and Pine, or at th Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Estate of N. CURRY, Riversdale Farm Senate Saloon, Roseburg. (55tf.) Hall's Family Pills are the best. operation some of the prosperous mines Concluded on page 4. CAP. BEN D. BOSWELL, Proprietor a noise." ARTEMUS.

A. C. MARSTES & CO. DRUGGISTS.

We Want Your Patronage

and as an inducement we offer U.S.P. Standard Drugs, Fresh Patent Medicines, High Grade Perfumes, Soaps, Toilet Articles, and Specialties.



If you buy a Hack or a Buggy before you look over that stock of Jno. Deere Buggies in our ware house.

Price and quality that will astonish you. Come quick and get your pick

