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ASHLAND TIDINGS

Monday, October 7, 1912.

# **CLEVELAND'S BAKING POWDER Be Sure You Get** "The Pure Cream of Tartar Kind"

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Through an error in copying the Johnson, Canine, Gault, Wright, report of the Wednesday Club in Thursday's paper was made to say that the violin solo, "Blue Bells of Wilson, Clark Butterfield, Floy and Scotland with Variations," was Robert Walters. played by Henry Farmer. It should have read that the solo, which was arranged by Mr. Farmer, was rendered by Rev. Mr. Chisholm.

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In the Social Realm

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A College Evening.

A very pleasant evening was spent

City Union Social.

with Mrs. Dora Young on Granite cial evening and monthly business time until the close of the war, one row street Friday afternoon, October 4. meeting. There were 25 who entered of us only to serve at the same time, equipped for a day of hard work, the and after the regular order of busi- the course of study for the evening, and it was decided that I should be army, with the exception of a few ness elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. of the college. The first year course Accordingly, about the first o Emma E. Thornton; vice-president, was a study in roots, under the tu-Mrs. G. W. Allen; secretary and telage of Mrs. S. S. Drake. The stutreasurer, M. J. Evans; flower com- dents were given a small envelope mittee, Mrs. H. V. Mitchell, After in which were six cubes cut from difthe literary program the remainder ferent roots, such as beet, raddish, of the afternoon was spent in cele-Mrs. Alfred Loung, Mrs. Mary Good-year and Miss Pygall. The luncheon course. Mrs. Schwimley acting as inwas a dainty affair and greatly en- structor in this. It was a course in names of our lower officers, but we joyed by all. Those present were music. joyed by all. Those present were music. The first was, "What key is Mesdames Young, Goodyear, Sayles, best for the newly wed?" The cor-liams (known in private life as Bob rect answer was, "A flat." Prof. V. Williams) as the Southern Battalion Pigall, Mitchell, Staples, Stanley, Willcox, Curly, Jemings, Payne, Chambers, Stome, Matheson, and the Misses Bessie Culy and Willie.

#### Social Circle Meeting.

The Social Circle of the Christian church will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Leah Caldwell, at 122 Laurel street. Mrs. Will Cottrell will assist in entertaining.

Improvement Club Meeting.

The Ladies' Civic Improvement Club will hold its regular meeting at the Commercial Club rooms on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. By order of the president.

#### Sunshine Society.

The Sunshine Society will hold its regular meeting at the Temple of Truth, Thursday, October 10, at 2 o'clock p. m. All members are re- of the union of the Intermediate C. quested to be present. ALSAMEDA CARLTON, Sec.

Siskiyon Social Circle Meeting.

The Siskiyou Social Circle will meet next Wednesday afternoon at

Interesting Account of the Early Troubles in Southern Oregon Re. membered by Old Timers. 

**Old Indian Wars** 

G. Rockfellow, submits the follow- ed place of defense. ing statement of his services in the during the war of 1855 and 1856:

Wednesday evening when the Y. P.

Accordingly, about the first of Debought for that special purpose at to construct a raft on which the fifty dollars I mounted Mr. Thompsweet potato, onion, carrot and pota- present site of Grants Pass, where I as captain and J. S. Miller as first Thornton, Allen, V. Mills was teacher in the junior of Oregon Mounted Voulenteers. year, which took up the study of his-

This organization constituted the He propounded such weighty army of the southern part of the questions to his class as the follow-But we were soon joined by state. What pirate was a a company from the northern part small boy? Kidd, What battle was of the state under the command of full of spirits? Brandywine. What general was 10,560 feet long? Miles. Captain Rhinearson, making altogether quite an imposing army. And Miss Gertrude Cox was the sedate now under the leadership of Colonel and grave professor who guided the Robert Williams, who was by nature wise seniors to their destined end, both escort and leader, on the forgotgiving them a course on agriculture. ten day of September we set out for She asked them something like this: the "cabins" in the Applegate coun-Why is it dangerous to tell a secret try where the Indians were known to in a garden? Because potatoes have be encamped. On arriving there eyes, corn has ears, and beans talk (beanstalk). After this course had guards were promptly placed around the cabins to prevent any attempt been successfully completed diplomas the Indians might make to steal away in the form of paper napkins were passed to all who had succeeded in under cover of night, while the command was waiting the arrival of a passing the desired markings, followed by refreshments. A genuine- howitzer known to be on the way under the escort of Captain Judy of ly good time was had. This happy Fort Jones, California.

meeting was the final consummation E, society with the Y. P. S. C. E. and called "Doc" Miller, from Crescent City, Cal., and myself were sheltered only by that little tree. As placed together at the edge of the long as I stayed there I was a stand-The City Union social at the Arm-water of the Applegate, with a bank ing target for the bullets of the enory Friday evening a about the most about four feet high in front of us emy, and if I run I may get shot as enoyiable event of the kind ever held and between us and the cabins, and in Ashland. The affair was in the about fifty yards away from the cabnature of a reception to the high ins. Immediately on top of this bank school and tech students by the of the river and between us and the young people's societies of the five cabins stood a pine tree large enough leading churches of the city. The to shield one man as long as he kept crowd numbered about 175 and was it between himself and the enemy The Woman's Foreign Missionary kept well mixed most of the evening, But to do good duty as a guard he Society will meet at the Methodist which lasted from 8 till 11. The suc- had to put his head out to one side cess of the reception reflects great of the tree so that he could see if the branch meeting will be there to credit upon Miss Edith Merrill and the Indians were making any movement toward going away. I had just Silva Brown and Vivian Greer and had my turn standing at that place Messrs, J. R. Burnette and Harry and watching by putting my head Sayles, who had charge of the ar- out from behind the tree, when Miller came to my relief and took my place, while I was now crouching beto parents and teachers next Friday prettiest girls in town taking turns tween the bank and the water. J n presiding at the punch bowl. The think it could not have been more library building. All teachers, pa- first thing in order was a short pro- than five minutes after our change of places when a gun shot report Mattie Shaw, plano duet by the rang out from the direction of the Misses Dougherty, vocal solos by cabins, and simultaneous with the re-Miss Frances Hamlin and Mrs. Perry port of the gun, Miller fell over by Ashcraft, and an address of welcome my side dead, with a bullet hole by J. O. Rigg. There were next disthrough his head. Thus it can be tributed to each one present cards seen how on many occasions one may which very much resembled dance barely escape the fatal shot that programs. Several Epworth Leaguers takes the life of another one. And were observed thoughtfully shaking why, you may ask, does it sometimes so happen? To this question sively glancing at the pianist, whom I can only answer by saying I am not evidently expected to start here to philosophize and can only something in the nature of a waltz answer you by repeating your own question, "Why?" or a two-step. However, no one was asked to trip the light, bombastic I cannot now recollect whether this toe, the mistress of ceremonies excircumstance transpired before or afplaining that the topic cards were ter the bombardment of the cabins, provided for the purpose of suggestbut I am quite sure that on the night ing subjects of conversation, of after the bombardment the Indians which a score were given. These ranged all the way from Votes for made their way out of their perilous situation, through a dense growth of Women, That Watermelon Feed and underbrush on the north s'de of the cabins. Vacation, Football and Coasting. But the question will be asked, Bashful boys turned somewhat pale when they were told to secure the question the answer may be justly The ladies, accompanied by a few signatures of twenty girls, each of given. By the morning light of the friends, made their way by wagon, whom would promise to talk to them next day the Indians were many miles away in a heavily timbered and brush covered mountainous country, where to have followed them now would ond and third edition of them-and have been to court death from behind every tree, every rock and every clump of brush, behind which an Inwork of the missionary society, the fest. Modest maids were appalled at shooting his man, slip away down the was ably discussed by Mrs. Matting- great, horrid boys, but Ashland girls side of the mountain unobserved to The army now returned to headquarters at Fort Vannoy to recruit Maxedon, Mrs. Masters, Mrs. Satter- suffrage petition. One enterprising and get ready for the next expedition, when our scouts, chief of whom is lent readings. Miss Holmes, Mrs. twenty masculine signatures but had now again our late Colonel Williams (now only Colonel Bob), again located them in a heavy wooded country opposite the upper end of the sorry when going-home time came. by the entire band for three minutes, Big Meadows on Rogue river. All when the piano was silent just long ready now for the renewal of the conflict at the Meadows with our galthe afternoon, and I had a pretty partners. The last number was lant Colonel Williams still at the 'Home, Sweet Home," which was head of the army, though just now Those present were Mr. and Mrs. sung, played and talked until the fresh from the scenes of the scout. We now move in warlike style for the scenes of the coming fray oppo-O. H. B. site the Big Meadows, hopeful of suc-You will save money and get bet- cess this time. Arrived at the Meadows, we made camp for the night in the middle of that open and exten- has doubled the capacity of its pens.

of the cowardly foe, who, not now more than a mile distant from us, did not dare to attack us, but under cover of their heavily wooded and brush environed camp lay quietly during the night, wondering, I suppose, how we were on the morrow to cross the river and meet them To the Pioneer Reunion of Southern face to face, and the sequel shows Oregon, held at Ashland, Ore., on how vainly we strove to cross the September 7, 1911, the writer, A. river in the face of their well-select-

all round us to prevent any attempt

On the morrow, at the sound of Indian war of southern Oregon the bugle call, all hands were up and preparing the morning meal, with a After the Indian outbreak, Jacob noonday lunch, while engaged in an Thompson and myself, two old almost hand-to-hand encounter with at the Congregational Manse last friends from childhood, agreed that the Indians in their stronghold. between ourselves we would keep During the night, on our side of the The Ladies' Qui Vive Club met S. C. E. of the church met for a so- one man in the service from that river, the movements for the morwere all arranged. Fully campkeepers, were to march down to the river and of the drift logs that cember, 1855, with my own gun lay on the bank of the stream were

army could be rafted over into the son's horse and wended my way to timber, where it would have an equal Fort Vannoy, two miles below the fight with the redskins, and while the axmen were at work on the raft the brating the birthdays of four of its to. Ten minutes was given to write members, namely, Mrs. J. P. Sayles, the name of them on the envelope. Bruce's command, under C. A. Rice ground overlooking them. Very unexpectedly to all hands, a report as course, Mrs. Schwimley acting as in- lieutenant. I cannot now recall the of the exploding of a gun cap was heard as if from across the river, and immediately followed by the loud report of a gun from the same direction. At once the whole force

of the men on the side of the hill were on the run for the river, where they might find shelter among the rocks and logs and trees abounding there, a few of us stopping on the hillside to take advantage of the rocks and small trees there for shelter. Here myself and another young man took our chance for safety behind a tree whose body was not more than half as large as our bodies, and soon the rifle and yawger balls came whizzing past us and some lighting in rather ominous proximity to our faulty retreat, my partner left me and ran for a better shelter among the rocks and trees at the river. When about half way down, his arms flying high above his head, a yawger ball struck and broke one of them. when he tumbled over and lay there for a moment only. On seeing the

man fall the reds on the opposite In the placing of the guards a with the glad shouts of the happy young man by the name of Miller Indians hidden among the trees over the river. Well, now I was left alone, my comrade did, or I may be killed, and I said I will run. And asking the protection of my Heavenly Fath-A STREET. er, which was my every day rule from childhood, I ran, not with Indians behind me, but with scores of them in front of me, all anxious to take my life, and I came out of the Department of the Interior, U. S. difficulty unscathed. A few hours later myself and another comrade were sent as an escort position, out of sight of the Indians, 1912. it could have completed the raft and, loading it with men, sent it afloat on S. Thompson, of Cling, Oregon; Winthe water, where it now floats out field L. Davis, of Ashland, Oregon; in full view of the Indians, before it Herbert Grissom, of Cling, Oregon; could be landed on the Indian side Nathaniel N. Davis, of Ashland, Oreof the river every man on it would gon. be killed and the raft would become the property of the Indians, to be used in the defense of themselves. Such, doubtless, it seemed to the command of the army, and it returned to headquarters to think of the difficulties of waging an Indian war in a mountainous and heavily timbered and brush covered country, and in studying how best to keep the enemy quiet until peace could be brought about in some successful way. I have written the foregoing move-'Did you follow them?" To this ments of the army during the winter of 1855-6, for the remembrance of the old-time pioneers, of whom but a few remain to this present; but more especially have I written it for the later and younger pioneers-the secto the strangers also now among us, that all may understand what this now blessed and happy country cost the early pioneers, of whom, as said above, only a few of us now remain. Thus ended my war experience in the Indian war of 1855 and 1856. when I turned over my war outfit to my friend, Jacob Thompson, with his own horse, to be by him used in the following campaign, when I returned home to look after business there and to prepare for the next call to arms, which never came and for which, in the name of a prosperous country and a happy people, I sincerely thank the Southern Battalion of Oregon Mounted Volunteers, together with the wise conclusion of the war with the Indians of southern Oregon by a treaty of peace made with them by General Joseph Lane, governor of Oregon at that time. ALBERT G. ROCKFELLOW.

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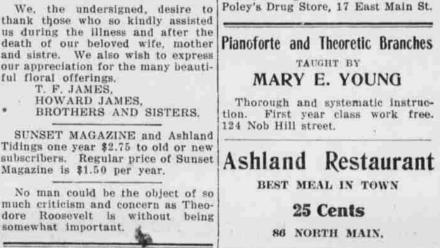
We, the undersigned, desire to thank those who so kindly assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved wife, mother and sistre. We also wish to express our appreciation for the many beautiful floral offerings.

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### W. F. M. S. Meeting.

church Friday at 2:30. Delegates to report. A full attendance of all her able corps of assistants, Misses members and friends is desired.

#### Parent-Teacher Reception.

The Parent-Teacher Circles of the rangements. The refreshments concity will unite in giving a reception sisted of fruit juice and wafers, the evening from 8 to 10, in the Carnegle rents and those interested in chil- gram, consisting of a reading by Dr. dren are invited.

#### Birthday Party.

On October 3 the home of William Hardy, on East Main street, was the scene of a pleasant birthday dinner. The occasion was the 71st birthday of Mr. Hardy. His daughters, Mrs. James H. Doran and T. F. Doran, together with the grandchildren, had their Methodist feet and apprehenprepared the feast as a surprise. For many years Mr. Hardy was postmaster at Forest City, Minn., having come to Ashland on account of his health. He is a veteran of the civil war and was three times wounded for his country. He received many pretty birthday remembrances from daughters and grandchildren.

#### Mrs. C. F. Brown Entertains.

Wednesday, October 2, was a day Plans for Hallowe'en to My Summer long to be remembered by the members of the Ladies' Aid and missionary societies of the Baptist church. The ladies, accompanied by a few signatures of twenty girls, each of automobile and carriage to the pleas-ant suburban home of Mrs. C. F. lected. Great was the relief of the Brown, on the Boulevard east of male contingent when, at a leap-year The forenoon was spent in suggestion from Mr. Rigg, the order town. sewing and social time. At noon an of services was changed so as to give elaborate chicken dinner was served. the girls the pleasure of choosing The afternon was devoted to the partners for the approaching talkly, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Satterfield, are equal to any and every occasion a place of safety. Mrs. Masters and Rev. Douglas. Dr. and soon the topic cards were filling Mattie Shaw, Mrs. Walters, Mrs. up with names as fast as a woman field and Miss Morehouse gave excel- high school student not only secured Douglas and Miss Cyester gave solos the back of her card half covered which were much enjoyed. Then fol- with additional names when time lowed the social hour. All were was called. Then there was music The words of Pastor Douglas were: "I enjoyed the morning, I enjoyed enough to permit an exchange of good time about noon.

Brown, Rev. and Mrs. Douglas, Dr. merrymakers were all headed for the and Mrs. Shaw, Mesdames Losher, real thing. Miller, Porter, Wilson, Hall, Walters, Maxedon, Calef, Butterfield, Keller,

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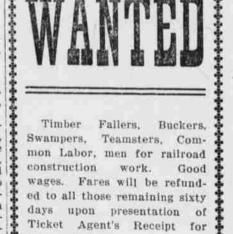
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Ore., September 11, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that Llewwith the broken-armed man to camp. ellyn Grissom, of Ashland, Oregon, And still a few hours later the whole who, on November 10, 1912, made command returned to camp. And Homestead Entry Serial No. 04075. why not? Does any reasonable per- for E. 1/2 SE. 1/4 SE. 1/4, NE. 1/4 and son suppose that under the condi-tions just now brought to light, the 40 S., Range 3 East, Willamette Mearmy could have crossed the river ridian, has filed notice of intention on an open raft with that band of to make final five-year proof, to es-Indians in front of them and per- tablish claim to the land above defectly concealed from view? It scribed, before W. H. Canon, United could not have done any such thing; States Commissioner, at Medford, for supposing that in its sheltered Oregon, on the 1st day of November,

> Claimant names as witnesses: W. B. F. JONES, 31-12t



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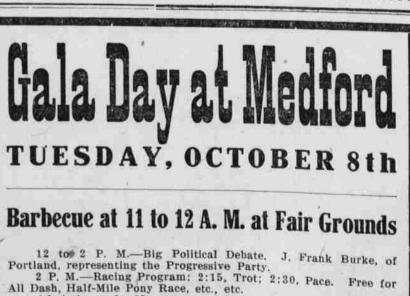
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