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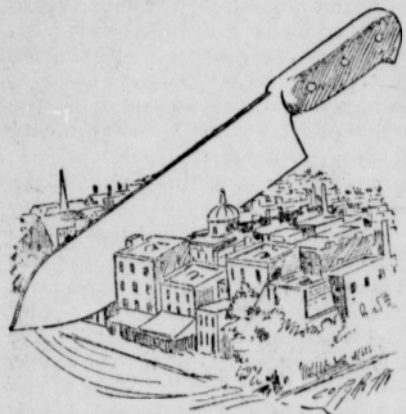
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In its opinion of our Hardware selling Some believe that our popularity is due to the excellent quality of the goods, others that our success was due to our moderate prices. Anyone can see that it comes from both. Without good quality, the price no matter how small, is high.

We give much more than the usual value in all lines and our stock is always complete and up-to-date.

Boyden & Nicholson,
Medford, Oregon.

The Hardware Men,

Out of the World



"You might as well be out of the world as out of the fashion."

Nothing in one's apparel counts for more than a good fitting suit of clothes. You can find them at

THE RACKET

7th Street,

MEDFORD, OREGON

I WILL BOOT YOU!

Now don't think I mean the "boot" that requires force. I am no "scrapper" except to high prices and inferior goods. The BOOT I refer to is of the Gum variety, just what you need for wet weather. I have a large stock to select from, and my prices cannot be beat, much less equaled, quality considered. Although you might find a "cheaper boot" which would be dearer in the end.

IF YOU DON'T CARE TO BE BOOTED

You certainly will need a rain coat or rubbers. If so give me a call. I can fit you out.

My stock of General Merchandise is constantly being replenished. My line of Groceries is the Largest and Most Complete in the city. Every train brings me new goods, consequently they are always fresh.

Give me a call whether you buy or not,

A. R. MERRITT,

THE CASH STORE.

Gold Hill, Oregon

IF...

You Want Choice Groceries, give me a call. I will fill your order and deliver it, Town or Country. I also carry Flour, Feed, Fruit, Vegetables, Window Shades and Bed Springs.

A. L. VINCENT,

THE GROCER,

Gold Hill, Oregon

A Good Steak



Choice Roasts, Lard and everything good to eat in the meat line--tender and cut right. Boiling Beef 7 and 8c. Steaks 10 to 12c. Roasts 8 to 10c.

Wenerwersts, Sausages, Pork and Mutton kept in stock. If that is what you want, drop in and see

E. C. WELLS,

THE NEW BUTCHER.

Gold Hill, Ore.

STATE NEWS NOTES.

Baker City is to have an ice skating rink, 200 by 500 feet.

The Canyon City relief fund being raised by Baker City people amounted Sunday to nearly \$400.

The wheat crop of Uriah Serviss, a Californian, in Sherman county, netted him \$1900, with which he returned to the land of drought.

A 116-pound squash, raised by J. W. Wimer, is on exhibition in the Roseburg Review window. He had 36 tons of squashes on three-quarters of an acre.

What an enviable place for settlers Coquille valley must seem to outsiders, where murderers, mail robbers, torturers, and populists have their own way without any fear of disturbance.—Coast Mail.

William Riley, a middle-aged man, who has been at work on a ditch in Harney county, was found last Saturday in an unconscious condition at his camp. It is thought he had a stroke of paralysis or a fit.

The Ashland-Klamath Falls stage contractor, Grant Ames, was arrested Sunday, for cruelty to animals, in driving horses on the line which were unfit to be taken out of the stable or pasture. He pleaded guilty; sentence was suspended pending the doing of certain things proper for the welfare of the stage stock.

The Beaver Coal Company, lately incorporated in Coos county, with a nominal capital stock of \$1,000,000, proposes to engage in the building, equipping, maintaining and operating of a railroad from a point on the Coquille river, near Beaver slough in Coos county, to a point on Coos bay, at or near Empire City; telegraph and telephone lines in the state of Oregon; to own and develop coal mines; to own and operate steamboats, steamships or any kind of water craft; also sawmills and log booms; and to carry on a general merchandise business.

Mr. J. J. Chadwick, one of the most extensive farmers on the far-famed Missouri bottom, near Myrtle Creek, says that the people of that section are enjoying a reasonable amount of prosperity, owing to the large crops of all kinds, and the ready and profitable sale of their prunes. This latter industry has proven very remunerative this year, and the profits of the growers will in most instances be large, although the loss from lack of proper drying facilities will run into thousands of dollars. Mr. Chadwick sold 42,000 pounds of dried prunes, and his total expense, carefully kept, amounted to only \$429.

Captain Robert Pool died at his home in Grants Pass Saturday. He was born in Cornwall, England, April 19, 1838. When but a lad he came to the United States, and settled in Galena, Ill., where he passed most of his life. After the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted, and was made second lieutenant of company A, Ninety-sixth Illinois infantry, being subsequently promoted successively to first lieutenant and captain. At Lookout mountain he received the injury that brought on the paralysis that

for the last 10 years of his life confined him a helpless invalid to his chair. He came to Oregon in 1883 to try a new climate. The flag on the city flagstaff is displayed at half-mast in his honor. The funeral was held Monday from the Presbyterian church, under the auspices of Grants Pass lodge, No. 84, A. F. & A. M.

Ella—Where does Bella get her good looks from—her father or her mother?

Stella—From her father. He keeps a drug store.

A down town shoemaker has the following card in his window; Any respectable man woman or child can have a fit in this store.—Ex.

All kinds of temperance drinks in season at Kahler's news stand.

RUDIMENTARY TRAINING.

"What is the first thing to do in order to equip myself for services in our navy?" inquired the Spanish youth.

"Well," replied a member of the Cabinet, "for a starter I should advise you to take swimming lessons."

JURY DRAWN.

The following is a list of jurors drawn for the December term of the circuit court: Ashland—D. W. Kincaid, J. M. Tyler, Henry Judge, P. E. Fitzwater, Robert Leonard, John E. Pelton. Eagle Point—A. Hoyt. Medford—Edwin Worman, H. G. Wortman, Henry Klippel, Wallace Woods. Rock Point—Cyrus Vroman, J. W. Thompson, R. M. Cook. Central Point—James Fredenburg, John Arnold. Applegate—Geo. Wooldridge. Pleasant Creek—William Hillis, Samuel Eachus, Joshua Neathammer. Table Rock—S. H. Glass, C. C. McClendon. Jacksonville—C. J. Armstrong, Otto Biede. Uniontown—R. J. Cameron, C. Ruch. Gold Hill—Mike Foley. Woodville—G. F. Schmittlein. Eden—Ira Wakefield. A. J. Stevens. Chimney Rock—Mike Hanley.

DO YOU KNOW

Consumption is preventable? Science has proven that, and also that neglect is suicidal. The worst cold or cough can be cured with Shiloh's Cough and Consumption Cure. Sold on positive guarantee for over fifty years. Gold Hill Drug Co.

Oregon is pre-eminently the turkey state of the Pacific coast. Douglas county takes the lead in the production of turkeys, and Jackson and Lane counties also market large numbers. A few are grown in other counties. One firm at Oakland, Ore., alone slaughtered 4000 turkeys for the thanksgiving trade, and another 1500.

The Sugar Pine Co. has filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk. Maggie Gray, R. A. Proudfoot and Chas. H. Pierce are the incorporators, capital stock \$5000 and the principal place of business Medford.

Thirteen hundred pounds of ducks were shipped from Ashland to Portland this week. They came from Klamath county, where large quantities of water fowl are killed annually for outside markets.

Get your legal blanks, insurance and do your swearing before Hamersley & Carter. Offices in Bee-man building, up stairs.

COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES.

BY SUPT. G. A. GREGORY.

Miss Lydia Owens is teaching the Independence school.

We acknowledge the receipt of a communication from district No. 68, near Walkins.

Miss Nellie Towne is dispensing wisdom to quite a flock of pupils in the hills south of Talent.

Miss Ella Bursell closed a very successful term of school in the Lone Oak district November 18th.

A hasty call at the Talent school found Stella Stidham and A. T. Holt at their posts. More time will be spent there later.

The superintendent will not be at his office on those Saturdays when there is a local institute at any place. As there is no fixed date for these it will be necessary to read one of the county papers and thus keep informed.

The work in Myer district, No. 8, is in the hands of Mr. Talcott, who is not only thoroughly qualified but has tact and enthusiasm. The school board did the proper thing by employing Mr. Talcott for the spring term before the fall term closes.

Every one ought to be a subscriber to a county paper. There are several of them in this county, representing all the leading political parties, and all staunch supporters of the public schools. The superintendent will have something to say to you in your paper.

Pupils of district 29 say they have not forgotten the superintendent's talk on English. They are trying to speak as plain and correctly as possible and find much pleasure and profit in doing so. That is right. Keep it up in school and out of school. You can do very much in the way of reading good English during the long winter when there is no school.

THE TEACHERS MEET.—The rain last Saturday made the roads quite sloppy and doubtless kept quite a number of teachers and patrons from attending the institute in this city. But there was quite a number out never the less, and only one topic on the programme was omitted. There were ten teachers present to aid in the discussion of the various lines of work, and it was the unanimous expression that much good was done. The visiting teachers were all provided for by our hospitable people. There were a number of boys and girls of our school in attendance to learn what they could that would be of use to them in their after-life. Besides these, quite a number of the patrons of the district were present lending their assistance to the success of the meeting. During the afternoon the question of revision of the school laws at the regular session of the state legislature was discussed, and it was unanimously voted by all present that the compulsory education law should be simplified and made so plain that it could be easily enforced. Also there should be a law enacted, by which all schools shall be graded and a record kept by the teacher which shall be the basis of classification for teachers who succeed them.

PUBLIC SCHOOL ITEMS.

Harry Harvey was a caller at school Wednesday.

Edna Hays is now numbered among the little folks.

Little Bessie, Girtie and Lilia Flippen are very much missed by the pupils of the primary room.

The pupils of the primary room have voted to dispense with pencil boxes and have taken them home.

Only three days of school this week on account of Thanksgiving.

Boys black overalls 45 cents at the N. Y. Racket store.