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Hats given free with suits.  
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For two days only, per yard, 4 cents. Outing flannel 7c grade for two days  
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No chances taken for every customer gets a premium

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**WHAT WOULD YOU DO?**  
Supposing there were two grocers  
in a well settled, prosperous com-  
munity, one following the first plan  
and the other the latter. Which do  
you think at the end of a year's  
time would have most of the well-  
to-do customers? Which would  
have the best and most profitable  
coffee trade?  
During the years that we have  
been sending out high grade Java  
and Mocha, we have watched the  
profitable coffee trade moving slowly  
but surely to the house that sells  
the best coffee.  
We offer you the best coffee that  
money will buy. We ask you to try  
them and be convinced.

**OWL TEA HOUSE**  
FINE TEAS AND COFFEES

**WATER IS WASTED**

**SUPREME COURT DECIDES  
IMPORTANT IRRIGATION CASE**

**Would Not Assign All the Water in  
a Stream to One Man, Although  
He Was Prior Appropriator, Be-  
cause He Could Not Use It All—  
Disbars Selfishness from the Dis-  
tribution of Water.**

Owing to the fact that irrigation  
legislation is now one of the princi-  
pal topics for discussion in Oregon,  
a decision just rendered in an irri-  
gation case, by the supreme court of  
Oregon, makes interesting reading  
for those seeking information on ir-  
rigation laws.

The case covered by the decision  
is one from Wheeler county, and in-  
volves the division of water in a  
small mountain stream.

One farmer settled on the creek  
and appropriated the water. Another  
settled above the first man later,  
and appropriated a portion of the  
stream. The suit was brought to  
define the rights of the two settlers  
and here is the decision:

**Decision of the Court.**

"This is a suit to enjoin the divi-  
sion of the water of Squaw creek, a  
non-navigable stream, which rises in  
the Blue mountains, in Wheeler  
county, and flows in a well-defined  
channel through defendant's land in  
Grant county and through plaintiff's  
land in Grant county. Plaintiff's  
predecessor made an appropriation  
of water for irrigation in 1891 and  
defendant made an appropriation  
higher up in the following year.

"This suit was brought in 1902 to  
enjoin defendant from interfering  
with plaintiff's rights. The lower  
court found that plaintiff is entitled  
to 50 inches of water from Squaw  
creek, miner's measure, at the head  
of his ditch, and the defendant to  
10 inches from Frank's creek, and  
enjoined defendant from interfering  
with the flow of water so awarded.

"The only question on appeal was  
as to the measure of water to which  
the parties are entitled. Plaintiff has  
under irrigation 20 acres of alfalfa  
land and the testimony tended to  
show that all the water of the creek  
was necessary for irrigating his land.  
One witness, who was uncontradict-  
ed, was asked what amount of water  
would be necessary, and he replied,  
'I would not want to start in with  
less than two and one-half miner's  
inches.'"

**Water Cannot Be Wasted.**

The opinion of the supreme court  
says that while it is possible that so  
much water may be necessary at  
first it seems altogether improbable

that such a quantity is necessary  
for the entire irrigating season.

The opinion shows that at the  
rate stated, continuing from July 1  
to September 19, water enough  
would flow through the ditch to cover  
the land with water to a depth of  
ten feet.

"That it requires such a quantity  
of water to irrigate alfalfa or any  
other crop is unreasonable, and the  
computation here given demonstrates  
that the witnesses truthfully testi-  
fied that they did not understand the  
method of measuring water."

The testimony also showed that  
plaintiff's dam in the creek is not  
tight, and that the water which es-  
capes is used by his brother lower  
down. As there was testimony tend-  
ing to show that if properly used the  
water of Squaw creek would be suffi-  
cient to irrigate the lands of both  
plaintiff and defendant, the supreme  
court orders that plaintiff shall be  
required, before being entitled to  
the amount of water awarded him,  
to maintain a tight dam of sufficient  
height to raise the water to the re-  
quired head.

The court expresses reluctance at  
concurring in the award of 50 min-  
er's inches of water and says that  
"as the decree is silent as to what  
constitutes a miner's inch of water,  
we conclude, in view of the great  
quantity awarded, that it should be  
measured under a pressure of four  
inches." Each party is required to  
pay his own costs on appeal.

**MANY HORSES PERISH.**

**Early Snow in Thunder Mountain  
Causes Severe Losses.**

A letter received yesterday from  
C. O. Clark, in the Thunder Moun-  
tain mining district, states that the  
fall of snow this fall has been the  
heaviest in the history of the coun-  
try and that a large number of pack  
animals perished during the storm,  
says the Lewiston Tribune. The  
charges of packing in the country are  
now very high and supplies at Roose-  
velt are scarce. The price of packing  
from Warren to Smith creek, a dis-  
tance of 30 miles, is 10 cents per  
pound.

Mr. Clark is now engaged in run-  
ning a pack train and was for three  
days snowed in by the storm. The  
Clark pack train and the pack train  
from the Jewel mine are now united  
and comprise 40 strong horses that it  
is expected to be able to travel  
through the snow all winter. The  
supply of provisions in the camp is  
less than last winter and all provi-  
sions are commanding a high price.

A big strike has been reported on  
the Crown. Extensive development  
work will be carried on during the  
winter.

**TO ENLARGE DITCH.**

**Owyhee Company Will Improve Their  
Property and Place It on Better Fi-  
nancial Footing.**

The Owyhee Ditch company, of  
Malheur county, operating one of the  
longest ditches in Oregon, will begin  
extensive improvements at once. The  
Owyhee and Nevada ditches ran par-  
allel, through a portion of Malheur  
county, and the Owyhee ditch, being  
above the Nevada, breaks into the Ne-  
vada at places where the banks are  
weak. The channel of the Owyhee  
will be widened, deepened and  
strengthened, in order to make it car-  
ry the volume of water intended.

The Owyhee ditch has just been  
bonded for \$70,000 for the purpose  
of raising money to pay off an old ac-  
count and the increased capacity and  
efficiency of the ditch will make it  
more valuable.

**Moki Tea Positively Cures Sick  
Headache, Indigestion and Constipa-  
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moves all eruptions of the skin, pro-  
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refunded. 25c and 50c. For sale by  
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**Farms for Sale.**

We now have listed for sale some  
of the best wheat farms and stock  
ranches in the county. All the places  
are well improved and well supplied  
with water. Also some very desir-  
able city property. Call and get  
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**Acker's Bicod Elixir positively cures  
Chronic Blood Poisoning and Scrofu-  
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Money refunded if you are not satis-  
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ditch, rest pasture, new house, good  
fences, running water, complete out-  
fit. See DEAN TATUM.



**Mrs. Weisslitz, president of the Ger-  
man Womans' Club of Buffalo, N. Y., after  
doctoring for two years, was finally cured  
of her kidney trouble by the use of  
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.**

Of all the diseases known with which the female organism is afflicted,  
kidney disease is the most fatal. In fact, unless prompt and correct treatment  
is applied, the weary patient seldom survives.  
Being fully aware of this, Mrs. Pinkham, early in her career, gave careful  
study to the subject, and in producing her great remedy for woman's ills—  
**Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**—made sure that it con-  
tained the correct combination of herbs which was certain to control that  
dreaded disease, woman's kidney troubles. The Vegetable Compound acts  
in harmony with the laws that govern the entire female system, and while  
there are many so called remedies for kidney troubles, **Lydia E. Pink-  
ham's Vegetable Compound is the only one especially prepared  
for women.**

**Read What Mrs. Weisslitz Says.**

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—For two years my life was simply a bur-  
den, I suffered so with female troubles, and pains across my back and  
loins. The doctor told me that I had kidney troubles and prescribed  
for me. For three months I took his medicines, but grew steadily  
worse. My husband then advised me to try **Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound**, and brought home a bottle. It is the greatest  
blessing ever brought to our home. Within three months I was a  
changed woman. My pain had disappeared, my complexion became  
clear, my eyes bright, and my entire system in good shape."—MRS. PAULA  
WEISSLITZ, 176 Seneca St., Buffalo, N. Y.

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"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I feel very thankful to you for the good  
your medicine has done me. I had doctored for years and was steadily  
growing worse. I had trouble with my kidneys, and two doctors told  
me I had Bright's disease; also had falling of the womb, and could not  
walk a block at a time. My back and head ached all the time, and I was  
so nervous I could not sleep; had hysteria and fainting spells, was tired  
all the time, had such a pain in my left side that I could hardly stand  
at times without putting my foot on something.

"I doctored with several good doctors, but they did not help me any.  
I took, in all, twelve bottles of **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable  
Compound**, five boxes of **Liver Pills**, and used three packages of **Sanative  
Wash**, and feel like a new woman, can eat and sleep well, do all my own  
work, and can walk two miles without feeling over tired. The doctors  
told me that my kidneys are all right now. I am so happy to be well,  
and I feel that I owe it all to your medicine."—MRS. OPAL STRONG,  
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