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ELECTION DAY IN FLORENCE
THIS OUT
TO OUR PATRONS.
CONTEST NOTICE.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
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DAIRY FARM FOR SALE.
A STOCK FARM.
LOGS WANTED.

TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT SALE.
CLOTHING, HATS, OVERCOATS, JACKETS & CAPES, MACKINTOSHES, MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS, WOOL BLANKETS, SHIRT WAISTS AT COST.
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The ACME COMMERCIAL Co.
will receive their new stock of WINTER GOODS in a few days.

MEYER & KYLE

GROCERIES,
Dry Goods, Dress Goods,

Hats & Caps, Boots & Shoes,

Gent's Furnishing Goods,
HARDWARE,
Paints, Oils, etc.

Prices as Low as the Lowest.

MEYER & KYLE,
Florence, Oregon.

JOHN C. BECK, W. H. WEATHERSON, W. NICHOLS.
Point Terrace, Or. Florence, Or. Elmira, Or.

FLORENCE REAL ESTATE AGENCY.
Farm Lands, Timber Lands and Town Lots
bought and sold on commission.

Parties having Real Estate to sell will do well to place it on our list.

Anybody desiring to purchase Real Estate is invited to examine our list and see what we have to offer.

JOHN C. BECK, W. H. WEATHERSON, W. NICHOLS.



THIS OUT
 Represents only one of the many styles which we can supply, of the **CROUSE & BRANDEE** FINE CLOTHING.

CLOTHING, HATS, OVERCOATS, JACKETS & CAPES, MACKINTOSHES, MEN'S RUBBER BOOTS, WOOL BLANKETS, SHIRT WAISTS AT COST.

On goods that we sell at **TEN PER CENT DISCOUNT** we will not give premium tickets, but on all other goods tickets will be given as before. We have a very fine line of **DECORATED HAND PAINTED CHINA WARE**, which we give away.

P. FRANK & SON,
 Eugene, Oregon.

SEWING MACHINE FOR SALE.
 We have just received from the factory a new sewing machine, oak finished, Champion sewing machine, made by the New Home Sewing Machine Co. Call at the West office and examine the machine before purchasing elsewhere.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.
 The West Real Estate office has bargains to offer in the following property:
 A good dwelling house, and blacksmith shop doing a good business in a thriving town. The owner desires to change his location. A fine opportunity for the right man. Price \$850.
 160 acres of unimproved land on North Fork about ten miles from Florence is offered for sale. Near to county road. Will make a good stock ranch. Price \$450.
 150 acres mostly timber, land lying in section 13, township 18 south, range 10 west. About three acres cleared. A creek large enough to float logs runs through the land. Price \$550.
 A good store building and lot in Acme. Conveniently located for business. The upper part is finished up for a dwelling. Price \$750.
 A tract of about 50 acres fronting on Clear lake three miles south of Florence. A fair house and about five acres cleared. A good wagon road from the place to the Siuslaw river at Gladena. A fine place for a summer residence. Price \$500.
 A tract of a little over two acres of bottom land between Florence and Acme, lying on tidewater near Rose Hill cannery. A fair house on the land. A fine place for gardening or raising small fruit. Price \$200.
 160 acres of land near Clear lake lying in section 11, township 19 south, range 12 west. Price \$250.
 112 acres unimproved land lying on the north side of Clear lake 2 1/2 miles south of Florence. A good wagon road from it to the Siuslaw river. Price \$600.
 160 acres on upper North Fork, a large part of it bottom land. Will make a good house. Price \$550.
 80 acres timber land with creek large enough to float logs running through the land and into tide water. Price \$525.
 138 acres of land at Elmira, Oregon. A box house, good barn, and plenty of outbuildings on premises; 6 acres orchard, 16 acres in cultivation, 10 acres more cleared land, and 80 acres slash; balance brush and timber land. Price \$20 per acre, \$1000 down.
 For further information inquire at The West office, Florence, Oregon or John C. Beck, Point Terrace, Oregon, or W. Nichols, Elmira, Oregon.

TO OUR PATRONS.
 We have made arrangements by which we will furnish the Weekly Oregonian with the West for one year to any address for the sum of two dollars payable cash in advance.

CONTEST NOTICE.
 United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Sept. 27, 1900.
 A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Philip Lane contestant against Homestead entry No. 8335, made March 25, 1895, for lots 3, 5 and 6, Section 37, Township 17 S, Range 11 W, by Nels W. Christensen, Contestee, in which it is alleged that the said entryman has wholly abandoned the tract embraced in his homestead entry and changed his residence therefrom for a period exceeding six months, since making the entry; that the tract is not settled upon and cultivated as required by law, and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman, or marine during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged. Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 5, 1900, before C. H. Holden, U. S. Commissioner at Florence, Oregon. And said final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on November 15, 1900, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon.
 The said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed September 19, 1900, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.
 J. H. DOBBS, Receiver.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
 Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Anna Mathilde Funke by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them, with the proper vouchers to the undersigned at his office in Florence, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.
 Dated at Florence, Oregon, August 2nd, 1900.
 A. O. Funke
 Administrator of the estate of Anna Mathilde Funke, deceased.

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION.
 United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, August 23, 1900.
 Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 8, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, James M. Woods, of Mapleton, County of Lane, State of Oregon has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 1199, for the purchase of the W 1/2 NE 1/4 E 1/2 NW 1/4 of Section No. 29, in Township No. 18 S, Range No. 2 W, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or some than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Roseburg, Oregon, on Tuesday the 6th day of November, 1900.
 He names as witnesses:
 H. H. Pisk, of Point Terrace, Oregon; Fred Pisk, of Eugene, Oregon; John N. Woods, of Mapleton, Oregon; Robert Lynch, of Mapleton, Oregon.
 Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of November 1900.
 J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

DAIRY FARM FOR SALE.
 A fine dairy farm on Maple creek six miles from Florence is now offered for sale.
 It contains 160 acres, 35 of it bottom land and 30 acres have been plowed. Can cut 35 tons of hay. A good two story house 26 by 38 feet; a barn 44 by 70 feet, with heavy frame; a goat house 10 by 40 feet; an orchard of about 500 trees of different kinds of fruit has been bearing for a year or two.
 A water wheel of about 8 horse power furnishes motive power at the barn for cutting feed, sawing wood, etc.
 The farm is 3/4 mile from school and 1/2 mile from a county road.
 Price \$1500.
 A bargain for anybody wanting a farm.
 For further information inquire at the West office.

A STOCK FARM.
 A good stock farm of 160 acres lying on South Fork is now offered for sale. About half of it is bottom and tide land, the tide land being already diked. A new house, an orchard of over 200 trees on the place, and about 600,000 feet of good timber conveniently situated for logging. Extensive out range. About 15 head of cattle, most of them cows, with the land. Price \$2,000, including stock. Inquire at the Florence Real Estate Agency.

LOGS WANTED.
 Parties desiring to contract with the Siuslaw and San Francisco Lumber Co. for logs to be delivered the coming summer and fall will please apply at once to
 I. B. Cushman,
 Acme, Oregon.

There was a large crowd in town Tuesday to cast their vote and the election board were kept busy nearly all day receiving ballots, examining affidavits of those who wished to swear in their votes, and attending to their other duties. Several votes were challenged but all were finally accepted, the judges deciding the questions quickly in all but two instances.
 A very large number swore in their votes, some of them having failed to register through not being of age in time or from some other cause, and others having come to this precinct since the registration books closed last May; while a few found it more convenient to come here than to go to the polling place in their home precinct.
 The committee men were busy all day looking after the interest of their respective parties and assisting in filling out affidavits for those voters whose names were not on the register.
 212 votes were cast in all, that being the largest number ever polled in this precinct. The following is the vote received for each of the candidates for elector:
 Tilmon Ford 142
 J. C. Fullerton 169
 W. J. Farnish 150
 O. T. Paxton 142
 Ernst Kroner 50
 Walter M. Pierce 52
 Dell Stuart 51
 John Whitaker 48
 N. A. Davis 2
 N. T. Jenkins 1
 C. T. Mills 1
 T. R. Spaulding 1
 T. V. Eubank 2
 Lucas Henry 2
 J. L. Hill 2
 John C. Luce 2
 N. P. J. Folien 1
 Joseph Meindl 1
 J. Frank Porter 1
 C. P. Rutherford 1

Three ballots were pronounced wholly defective while several were found on which the voters had failed to mark the names of the full number of electors to be chosen.

A rich lady cured of her Deafness and Noises in the Head by Dr. Nicholson's Artificial Ear Drums, gave \$10,000 to his Institute, so that deaf people unable to procure the Ear Drums may have them free. Address No. 10573-c, The Nicholson Institute, 780, Eighth Avenue, New York, U. S. A.

The mail service between Gladena and Gardiner has been increased to three times a week, the change going into effect yesterday. The schedule remains the same as before but one trip a week has been added, so the mail will now leave Gladena for Gardiner on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and arrive at Gladena from Gardiner on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
 The route should now be extended from Gladena to Florence so that mail for this place would not lay one night at Gladena.

\$100 REWARD.
 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.
 Address, F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by drug stores, 75c.
 Hall's Catarrh Pills are the best.

A BEAR STORY.
 R. H. Bernhardt is quite a trapper though Mr. Covin is a little ahead of him on bear this fall. However Mr. Bernhardt has six bears to his credit for the fall's work. The fifth caught was a small one and when Mr. Bernhardt visited the trap he found that something had killed the animal and eaten a portion of the carcass. He had heard that one bear will sometimes eat another which is caught in a trap but did not believe the statement. A day or two later he caught a large bear and on examining the stomach found in it bones and bear's hair which satisfied him that the creature had been practising cannibalism.

ALASKA GOLD FIELD.
 First steam ship for Cape Nome and Cape York will sail from Seattle, May 10. This will be a large ship with a freight capacity of 1600 tons and passenger accommodations for 200. For rates and further information call or on address.
 R. McMurphy,
 Agent Northern Pacific, Eugene.

George Washington Freeman Horne Green, a former negro slave, died in the Alma hospital, at Hempstead, L. I., at the reputed age 123 years. Green is said to have been born on a farm near East-staport, N. J., on January 13, 1777. He was sent to a Virginia planter named Horner, by whom, it is said, he was sold to General Washington, 14, 1812 and was made free man, and three years later was employed by George Washington, a large land owner, in the West Indies.

The schooner Danielson, which had been bound here for over a week, left for San Francisco Sunday with a cargo of lumber.
 The schooner Ralph J. Long of San Francisco was towed in over the bar Sunday morning and went to Agate to load with lumber.
 The schooner Lizzie, Prien arrived Monday morning with a new supply of goods for our merchants.
 The schooner Bella, Captain Smith, was towed in Monday morning. She will take out a quantity of canned salmon from the cannery and bring her cargo with lumber to the Florence Lumber Co's mill.