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FOR SALE

ALL WOOD HANDLED BY THE undersigned is now in this city and has been placed in the hands of the City Transfer Company for sale. Norwood Trading Co. 601f

TWO SPRING MILCH COWS, 2 spring calves, household goods, etc. Mrs. S. E. MURRAY, 65-7*

EIGHTY-THREE ACRES OF LAND 3 miles west of Blodgett, on the county road, 20 acres in cultivation. More could be got. Fair house 4 rooms, fair barn, other outbuildings, good orchard, some small fruit. One farm wagon worth \$50., 10 head of cows, one two-year old bull, 1 yearling steer, 2 calves, 40 head of sheep, 6 head of hogs, 15 tons of good oat hay, 1 acre of potatoes, tools on the place, a bargain at \$1,500. I. D. PITMAN, Blodgett, Or. 619

NEW TIRES PUT ON BABY BUGGIES and go-carts at Dilley & Arnold's.

ATTORNEYS

J. F. YATES, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office First National Bank Building. Only set of abstracts in Benton County

W. E. Yates. Bert Yates. YATES & YATES. Law, Abstracting and Insurance. Both Phones. Corvallis, Oregon.

E. R. BRYSON ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in Post Office Building, Corvallis, Oregon.

JOSEPH H. WILSON, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Notary, Titles, Conveyancing. Practice in all State and Federal Courts. Office in Burnett Building.

AUCTIONEER

P. A. KLINE, LIVE STOCK AUCTIONEER, Corvallis, Or. P. A. Kline Line, Phone No. 1. P. O. address, Box 11. Pays highest prices for all kinds of live stock. Twenty years' experience. Satisfaction guaranteed.

LAND AGENTS.

WHEN IT COMES TO BUYING lands, new-comers in this county will make no mistake in consulting James Lewis. Mr. Lewis has been in Benton for 30 years and not only knows the county but the entire valley. He has been actively engaged in selling and buying live stock and real estate all of this time and naturally his judgment is sound. He knows soils and sales. His knowledge is worth money. If anybody desiring correct and sincere information. 25-77*

STAGE LINE.

PHILOMATH AND ALSEA STAGE—Stage leaves Alsea 6:30 a. m.; arrives at Philomath at 12 m.; leaving Philomath 1 p. m., arrives at Alsea 6:30 p. m. All persons wishing to go or return from Alsea and points west can be accommodated at any time. Fare to Alsea \$1.00; Round trip same day \$2.00. M. S. RICKARD.

BANKING.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Corvallis, Oregon, does a general, conservative banking business. It guarded safely its customers' banking business through the panics of the last two decades, which merits proper consideration. It affords banking privileges at home and abroad, first-class, not excelled by any institution in the United States. The members of the Board of Directors were born and raised in Benton County, except one, and that member has resided in the county forty-six years. The business history of each is as an open book before the people of the county. Loans to customers solicited, properly secured. 401f

PHYSICIANS

DE ETTIE JONES. Trained nurse; massage a specialty. Phone 334. 571f

B. A. CATHEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Rooms 14, Bank Building. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Residence: cor. 5th and Adams Sts. Telephone at office and residence. Corvallis, Oregon.

C. H. KEWTH, M. D., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Office and Residence, on Main street, Philomath, Oregon.

R. D. BURGESS, M. D. Office over Blackledge Furniture Store. Office hours: 10 to 12 and 8 to 5.

WANTED

WANTED 500 SUBSCRIBERS TO THE GAZETTE and Weekly Oregonian at \$2.55 per year.

DENTISTS

E. H. TAYLOR, DENTIST. PAINLESS extraction. In Zierolf building Opp. Post Office, Corvallis, Oregon.

WOODSAWING.

NEW GASOLINE WOODSAW—ALL orders given prompt attention; short notice orders solicited. Good work, as cheap as anybody. W. R. HANSELL, Ind. phone 835. 441f.

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NO SAND. NO LIME.

Fire Proof Water Proof

WILL NOT FALL OFF CRACK CRUMBLE

Just the Thing for Hop-Driers. Write for Catalogue.

Pacific Pulp Plaster Co. PHONE MAIN 2362, 517-521, Chamber of Commerce, PORTLAND, OREGON.

R. M. WADE & CO., Agts., Corvallis.

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are the most fatal of all diseases.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is a Guaranteed Remedy

or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by eminent physicians as the best for Kidney and Bladder troubles. PRICE 50c. and \$1.00.

OLD TOURAINE IS HISTORIC

Marvels of Nature and Beauty Drew Many of Noble Family to the District.

Touraine is as rich in historic interest as it is in its natural beauties, declares Frederic Lees, in Architectural Record. The house of Valois had a special liking for the banks of the Loire, and the great nobles of their court built near the royal residences their own chateaux—marvels of architectural grace, strength and beauty, but of which there is not a stone that is not cemented with blood. For the Valois lived in an atmosphere of intrigue, fraud and violence. They were always being conspired against, and they met plot with counter plot; if treason could not be met with force, a sudden surprise or stab in the dark, or the malignant skill of some Italian chemist, laid to rest forever suspicions which might have been unfounded. It is but fair to state, however, that this was not often the case, for the nobles were turbulent and ambitious, and when not engaged in waging war openly or covertly with their sovereign, quarreled among themselves, and led forth their retainers to surprise or besiege a neighboring castle. On the battlement of every donjon there was a watchman, day and night, ever on the lookout for the glint of arms in the valley below; and ready to his hand was a huge horn, one blast of which would alarm the garrison and bring them to the walls. A few feet below the watchman there dangled from a jutting beam the corpse of some poor wretch, and in the loathsome dungeons beneath the moat others were chained to the reeking walls, for every castellan had the right of administering "greater and lesser justice," and could dispose of the lives and liberties of his vassals as he deemed fit. He had other privileges also, some of which make us wonder why the revolution did not come earlier.

And Slant Right.

One great trouble in life is that the paths for going wrong are planted so prettily with flowers at the beginning.—N. Y. Times.

GREAT PROFIT FROM DOGS

Most Important Branch of Manchurian Trade Is Selling of Canine and Goat Skins.

By far the most important branch of the skin and fur trade of Manchuria consists of the skins of the domesticated animals—the dog and the goat, says Hosie's "Manchuria." Many thousands of these skins are annually exported from Niuchwang and Tientsin and ultimately find their way principally to the United States.

There are thousands of small dog and goat farms scattered over the northern districts of Manchuria and Mongolia where from ten to hundreds of animals are reared yearly. When a girl is married she receives perhaps six dogs as her dowry, and it can be easily understood that this comparatively small beginning may be the foundation of a large fortune, seeing that the reproduction of ten per annum would in a few years give an enormous total. A dog matures in from six to eight months, and the fur is at its best during the winter; so that the animal must be destroyed before the thaw sets in. Nature has provided a magnificent protection to withstand the cold of these northern latitudes, where the thermometer (Fahrenheit) goes down to 25 degrees below zero—i. e., 57 degrees of frost—and it is doubtful if dog skins in any other part of the world are to be compared with those that come from Manchuria or Mongolia, either in size, length of hair or quality. The question of food for so many animals naturally presents itself. If they had to be kept entirely by their masters the industry would not be a paying one. The coarsest grain—millet that is not good enough for the horses—mixed with ordure and rubbish of the farm is always ready for them when by foraging outside they are unable to satisfy the pangs of hunger.

PARIS FOOD PRICES HIGH.

Cost of Provisions in the French Capital Greater Than Here, Says a Writer.

Fish and poultry are sold by the piece, most fruit by the pound, also nearly all vegetables like peas, beans, potatoes and spinach, but salads, cauliflowers and cabbages are sold by the head, says Jeanne Constantin, in Good Housekeeping.

Many varieties of food are more expensive in France than in America. Meat is precisely double the price, poultry a third more, cooking butter varies from 30 to 40 cents a pound in American money, strictly fresh eggs 60 cents a dozen, coffee 60 cents a pound. But vegetables and fruits in season are inexpensive.

Ice is a great luxury; you can buy it at the grocery, a store dealing in milk, butter and cheese; it costs three cents a pound. The cook goes down and brings up this "noble commodity in a salad bowl. You could not get an ice-man to bring ice to you; besides an ice box is an unknown comfort in the average French household.

BIRDS SUFFER IN WINTER.

Scattering of Bread Crumbs to Feathery Tribe Is Always Welcomed by Them.

When the ground is covered with snow there are birds suffering for want of food. All the birds hereabouts do not go to a warmer climate when winter comes. Go into the woods on any winter afternoon and unless the cold is extreme or the winds very strong birds of many families may be found. These reckless little fellows do well so long as the ground is not white. When a heavy snow comes they are without food and perish in droves because they dared to spend the winter in their summer home.

The next time it snows scatter bread crumbs and bits of meat in your yard. The birds will find it very soon and they will bring others to the place where there is food in time of snow. Sparrows? Yes, there will be many sparrows, but when they must live, and a chattering few of them will add much to a winter landscape as it is seen through the window of a warm room.

The Grateful Mind.

He enjoys much who is thankful for little; a grateful mind is both a great and happy mind.—Becker.

To Ship Pheasants.

Gene Simpson, of this city, has at present in the neighborhood of 300 young China pheasants that he has raised this season. He has had splendid success, the reward for unusual care on his part. There is scarcely a week goes by now without an order from parties in other states for pheasants. Yesterday he shipped a pair of pheasants to Redwood City, California, and another pair to Pueblo, Colorado.

Within a day or two he will send a pair of pheasants to parties in Illinois. The game warden at the Lewis and Clark Fair recently requested Mr. Simpson to send him some very young birds for exhibition purposes. Mr. Simpson thought it too risky to send such young pheasants as were requested, but sent down some young birds that he considered "weaned."

The law is very strict on the matter of sending these birds to parties without the state. There is a form to be filled out by the party raising the pheasants in case he desires to send them from the state. This form after being filled out and duly sworn to before a notary public has to be forwarded to the state game warden for his approval before the birds may be shipped. In order to show the requirements of the law we hereby produce a form it is necessary to fill out, as follows:

State of Oregon, County of Benton.

I,, first being duly sworn, say I am the owner and in possession of, China or Mongolian Pheasants, that the said pheasants are fully domesticated birds, having been raised in confinement, and are kept for propagating purposes, that affiant desires to ship the said birds without the State of Oregon, to wit:

To, That this affidavit is made for the purpose of securing from J. W. Baker, State Game Warden, a permit, under and by virtue of section 8 of an act for the preservation and protection of Forests, Game and Wild Fowl, approved February 27, 1901, to ship said birds without the state, and to said place.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, day of, 190

Notary Public for Oregon.

On the receipt of the above duly made out the game warden, if he considers everything on the square and the party making application worthy and honest will grant the permit for sending the pheasants abroad.

Magnificent Structure.

For some time the board of directors of the M. E. church of this city have been figuring on making some very elaborate improvements on their building. Yesterday morning the contract for doing the work was awarded to Charles Heckart.

The entire structure is to be enlarged. The building will be raised some three or four feet and a 10-foot basement constructed. It is proposed to divide the basement into various rooms according to requirements. A very fine entrance is to be built in the east end of the church in addition to the one already in use. Another entrance is to be made at the southwest corner of the church.

Along the entire south side of the edifice an addition is to be built and this is to be divided into a library, reception room, lobby, etc. Altogether, the proposed improvements are to foot up to about \$5,000. The improvements to be undertaken at once by Mr. Heckart are to cost in the neighborhood of \$3,000, most likely a little in excess of this sum. When all details of the present plans have been carried out it is thought that this will be as fine as any church in the state outside of Portland.

BEAVER CREEK

Last Thursday afternoon while hauling bundles preparatory to stacking their grain, Martin and Terry Butler were badly injured, caused by over turning of their wagon. Doubtless they owe their lives to the fact that the wagon fell over against an oak tree, thus saving them from being pinned under the load.

William Ish and wife went to Pullman,

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Washington, to attend the bed side of his father who was dangerously ill.

Mr. Stevens and Wright have been engaged of late stacking their grain.

Frank Bennett and wife have moved into Mr. Ish's house and will take charge of the place while Mr. Ish is absent.

Mr. Teeters and wife, of Lincoln, Neb., visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Stevens.

Mr. Weed of Philomath, came out last Sunday to visit his brother who is at present living on his homestead.

Grey and Mercer started up their threshers last Wednesday.

Mrs. Spaulding and grandson, of Corvallis, came out for a short stay on her homestead on Bald Mountain.

Mrs. N. Park who has been quite sick for some time, is reported to be improving.

Last Thursday the new seats arrived for the school. They are of first class quality and add very much to the comfort and attractiveness of our school house.

George Winters was a Corvallis visitor last Wednesday.

The A. F. Peterson residence has been sold, the purchaser being E. B. Graves of Sheridan, Or. The property consists of a house and three lots in this city. The price paid by Mr. Graves was \$1,700. Sheridan is in Polk county where Mr. Graves is known to be a well-to-do farmer. His object in coming here is that he may have college advantages for his sons. This transaction occurred this week and was negotiated by Ambler & Waters.

Real Estate Transfers.

Martha Avery to Florence Rosendorf and H. Hirschberg, N 1/2 block 16 W B & P Avery's addition; \$1.

W W Winegar to J H Heath, one-half interest lots 9 and 10, block 9, Corvallis; \$4,000.

Della Garrison and husband to W J Harper, portion Sol King ranch; \$1500.

J H Hammer and wife to Adelaide Gerhard, 160 acres near Wren; \$1.

Adelaide Gerhard to Conrad Gerhard, 160 acres near Wren; \$1.

First National Bank, Colfax, Wash., to Mary O Wyatt, 320 acres near Monroe; \$4,500.

W O Heckart and wife to H Harrison, 2 lots block 3 Helm's addition; \$1,500.

Heirs of Geo M Starr to C A and Z H Davis, 160 acres near Philomath; \$500.

C A and Z H Davis to George W Henkle, 160 acres near Philomath; \$10.

Mary T Wyatt to Henry Ambler, 2 lots block 20 Philomath; \$250.

J W Foster and wife to H Hirschberg, tract land in Corvallis; \$400.

Joseph C Wood to James P McBee, 135 acres south Philomath; \$10.

Mary T Wyatt to G W Allen, lot in Philomath; \$60.

Home Made

Have your cake, muffins, and tea biscuit home-made. They will be fresher, cleaner, more tasty and wholesome.

Royal Baking Powder helps the house wife to produce at home, quickly and economically, fine and tasty cake, the raised hot-biscuit, puddings, the frosted layer-cake, crisp cookies, crullers, crusts and muffins, with which the ready-made food found at the bake-shop or grocery does not compare.

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