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SUBSCRIPTION RATES:

\$1.50 Per year... \$1.00 Per six months... \$0.50 Per three months...

It seems that most of the governors both north and south are in sympathy with President Roosevelt's idea of enlarging the powers of the interstate commerce commission.

The federal grand jury in Portland will probably close its work tomorrow, after having terminated the reputation of more prominent men than any other grand jury that ever convened in the state.

A cold wave has been sweeping throughout the eastern and middle states. The rivers have been so garbed with ice that neither steamboats nor ferry boats could run.

It would require at least \$50,000 to hold a constitutional convention and a majority of the most experienced and longest headed men in the state are opposed to it.

The surface indications are that comparative peace and satisfaction reign in Russia, but in fact it is far otherwise. For generations the great mass of that nation have been groaning and chafing under the autocratic and despotic rule of a handful of men no better than themselves.

PUBLIC SENTIMENT.

Portland is experiencing a moral revolution the most potent factor being Sheriff Word, to whose determined vigilance a host of noble men and women are saying amen.

Weak Kidneys Treated Free.

A Celebrated Specialist Will Send You a Complete Special Free Treatment Absolutely Free.

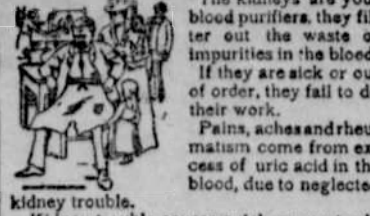
I make this offer for the benefit of thousands all over the country who cannot come to me for treatment. Kidney disease is one of the commonest of human ailments; yet, possibly, the least understood by ordinary physicians.

To prove to you what I already know, the value of this highly perfected and scientific method of treatment, I will send you absolutely free, a complete Special Treatment, of the value of \$2.50, specially adapted to your case, upon request.

BLACK DRAGON STOCK & POULTRY MEDICINE. This great stock medicine is a money saver for stock raisers. It is a medicine, not a cheap food or condition powder.

Over-Work Weakens Your Kidneys.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood. All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.



It is used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

Do not make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y. on every bottle.

OUR STAFF OF RUSTLERS.

WHAT THEY HAVE TO SAY ABOUT THE DOINGS IN THE COUNTY.

An Unequaled and Complete Resume of What Your Friends are and Have Been Lately Doing.

OAK GROVE.

Fred Crowley is among the pupils that graduated at Meamouth. Ralph Wilson, of Portland, visited here, while on his way to Siletz.

Mella White has resigned her school at Pendleton and is now teaching in Portland.

School has closed for this week at the teachers have gone to Monmouth and thence to Dallas for the examination.

John White made a trip to Independence Monday to see what arrangements could be made toward having a telephone line through Oak Grove in the near future.

Has Stood the Test 25 Years.

The old, original Grove's Tonic, Chilli Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteful form. No cure, no pay. 50 cents.

LOVE OAK.

T. D. Phillips is laid up with a very sore hand. John Embree mourns the death of his pet cow.

Harvey Coats, of Portland, visited here Sunday.

Harry Hibbard has returned to his home in Elgin.

Miss Hattie Hibbard is visiting friends in Roseburg.

Miss Davis, of Portland, is visiting Miss Ella Carpenter.

W. P. Miller and Frank Holman are setting out berry patches.

The carlet fever patients in our neighborhood have all recovered.

Mrs. Plaster and daughter, Golda, of West Dallas, visited here last week.

Winter Rates to Yaquina Bay. Both the Southern Pacific and the Corvallis & Eastern railway will until next April, on Wednesdays and Saturdays sell tickets good for 60 days at summer excursion rates.

Mr. Minthorn's examination will be open. One can now go from Corvallis by way of Albany to Portland for \$2.60 the same price as by the west side road.

PARKER.

George Hinshaw, of Dallas, was here Thursday.

Mrs. Lida Davidson is now living in Portland.

Mr. Becker was here from Buena Vista Friday.

A. B. Lacey made a business trip to Albany last week.

Mrs. Kerr spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Ed Steele.

Mr. and Mrs. Conn, of Airlie, visited Mrs. Peterson Sunday.

Ed Davidson is at home on the farm assisting with the work.

Mrs. James gave a dinner in honor of her little daughter, Lenora's birthday Sunday.

The Best Physio. When you want a physic that is mild and gentle, easy to take and certain to act, always use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

SUNNYSLOPE.

Our school closed last Friday. Joe Houseman has moved his family to Monmouth.

Rev. I. N. Mulkey, of B. M. L., preached at Antioch Sunday.

Mr. Black was over from Salem Friday taking orders for fruit trees.

Fred Simpson, of Albany, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. Rosa Herron.

Three young men arrived from Missouri Monday and are stopping with R. M. Bazley for the present.

Afraid of Strong Medicine. Many people suffer for years from rheumatic pains, and prefer to do so rather than take the strong medicines usually given for rheumatism, not knowing that quick relief from pain may be had simply by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

County Court. Commissioners. Wm. Riddell, Seth Riggs.

The petition of Wiley Norton and others to change boundaries of school district No. 29 was granted.

Upon the petition of T. P. Bevens against the boundaries of school district No. 29 were changed.

The sheriff reported tax sales amounting to \$293.45.

Jacob Estler was charged from school district No. 3 to No. 59.

Upon petition of Jas. Simonton and A. Hill the boundaries of school districts No. 26 and 24 were changed.

Ed. F. Coad. Mary T. Nelson was made guardian of Gould Cressy.

Administrator of the Cyrus Jones estate was charged with appraisal of \$611.63.

The administratrix of the J. A. Will home estate was charged with an appraisal of \$1,853.50 and was authorized to sell any of the personal property at private sale.

The matter of the Mary Leigh estate was taken under advisement.

Administrator of the R. L. Skinner estate was finally discharged.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. The mother's favorite. The soothing and healing properties of this remedy.

WEST SALEM. John Holmes is on the sick list.

Miss Carrie and Fern Bentley are at San Jose, Cal.

Chickney has been the prevailing disease here of late.

Grandma Harris is sick at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Heise.

Mrs. M. A. Chapman has returned from a visit to McCormick, Wash.

Will Foster is living in the Fletcher house and working for Walker Fitts.

A. R. Southwick, our new road supervisor, was around last week looking at our roads.

Clarence Bentley died here last week and the body was taken to Nebraska for burial.

For Over Sixty Years. An old and well tried remedy. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething.

BUENA VISTA. R. Peterson sold Mr. Dudley 50 sheep for \$157.50.

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Half a dozen world's famous bands have been engaged to live at the exposition.

Crushed red granite from South America will be used on the walks and driveways.

The people or large families from many states will arrange to have reunions during the fair.

The government exhibition of war ships will be unique and there will be many costly marine models.

India will have a display valued at \$200,000 in a pavilion 100 feet square it being like an old Indian temple.

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NORMAL GRADUATING EXERCISES

The midwinter class of fourteen received their diplomas last Tuesday evening and there will be fifty-two members in the class to graduate in June. On Saturday evening the Juniors gave their annual reception at the promenade.

The Prescription Bath.

The bath house at each of the famous health resorts of Europe is the most imposing building in town, with stately facade and inviting entrance. Inside are long corridors, ladies to the right and gentlemen to the left, lined with dozens of little cell-like rooms, each containing a bathing couch and a thermometer.

The "Language of Music."

The best chamber music, like the finest symphonic music, is a sort of transcendental language, which affects the hearer somewhat in the same way as the study of astronomy or the higher mathematics affect their devotees.

Tatar and Tartar.

"Tartar" is a word which gives an illustration of etymology gone wrong. The name "Tatar" as it is correctly spelled is really derived from a Turanian root meaning "to stretch," and hence "to draw the bow" or "to pitch tents." But when the hordes of Tartars burst upon eastern Europe from the Asiatic steppes in the thirteenth century the minds of students turned to the ninth chapter of Revelation.

Always Remember the Full Name Laxative Bromo Quinine

Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in Two. E. W. Bliss Co. Prop. 25c.

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PLOWS - WAGONS - CULTIVATORS - HARROWS - BUCCIES - SPRING WAGONS - Plumbing of all Kinds.

All sorts of machine oil. Our blacksmithing is guaranteed, Great variety of things for farmers. WAGNER BROS - DALLAS

Put This In Your Hat

For future reference, if you are a fastidious dresser, you will always want your linen immaculate, and this is the only way it is returned to you by the Salem Steam Laundry.

SALEM STEAM LAUNDRY. Incorporated in Dallas with J. J. Filler or at the Roy confectionery store.

CATARRH. The Cleansing and Healing Cure for CATARRH. Ely's Cream Balm.

WET WEATHER COMFORT. There is no satisfaction keener than being dry and comfortable when out in the hardest storm. YOU ARE SURE OF THIS IF YOU WEAR WATERPROOF OILED CLOTHING.