THE POLK COUNTY ITEMIZER.


The dollars you spand at home you have a chance to get hol
back.
The town or country knocker should be relegated to a class by himself-one so entirely isolated that he wil
either get ashamed of himself or seek other pastures. Last Sunday was a typi:al Easter Sunday, and our
people availed themselves of the warm bright sunshine people availed themselves of the warm
by staying out in it as much as possible. How in contrast with the zero weather we are reading of in other
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The advent of Senator Cummins into the republican
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ulars win out.
Now comes geological authorities and say that the vol-
canic stone which the Itemizer spoke of a week or so ago h aving been found on a Polk county farm is one of
the best building materials in the country. The article the best building materials in the country. The article
fails to state how it is to be utilized as such.
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is as fine a deposit of Italian marble as is to be found anyis as ine a deposit of Italian marble as s st to be found any-
where, The tiemizer used to have a sample of it, nicely polished, which we used as a paper weight, but of
late, someone, without fear of the consequences, has manased to oswipe it. At the time this was given us,
we understood the deposit to be on Indian land, and not getatable, but it might now be open for purchase. There
are other mineral are other mineral deposits all through the coast range
that will some day be discovered and utilized. Those mountains are as yet entirely unprospected, only so far as done by those hunting for the more precious metals, and they have only skimmed the more traveled routes.
Dr. Wiley, the food expert seems to have advanced at least a somewhat plausible solution of the drink habit. He woild have everyone who desires to indulge in
strong liquor take out a yearly license at a cost of $\$ 1$ strong liquor take out a yearl
He will have to show his license tag before he can get a drink anywhere, and will also have to sign his name to a slip each time before imbibing, so the barkeepper can
keep tabon him and choke him off, after he has secured the number he is entitled to each day by his license. We would suggest that the only flaw in the doctor's plan is that there are a few citizens in these United
States that cannot write their own names, either drunk or sober, and that such a l law as he devises would be
bumping up against class legislation, which is a bumping up against class
any avowed plans. Also that the patient for a limited number of strong waters had better wear with his li-
cense tag a sort of watchman's clock, so that each drink can be there recorded in plain view of all-otherwise the patient could make a round of the saloons, sign his name an unlimited $n$.
on a good sized jag.



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