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County Official Paper.

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Church Directory.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30. All cordially invited.

Episcopal Church.—Episcopal services will be held at St. James church, Coquille City the third Sunday in each month. Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday. Wm. Horsefall, Pastor.

M. E. Church, South.—Preaching each and every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Sunday at 10 o'clock. Senior Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Junior League at 5:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. H. M. Branham, pastor.

Methodist Episcopal church.—Service the first and third Sunday in each month. Preaching at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. J. L. BEATTY, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Preaching services 2nd and 4th Sundays, morning and evening. Sunday School every Sunday at 10 a. m. Christian Endeavor services every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Miss Winnie Hall, President. Ladies Aid and Missionary Society meets every two weeks on Thursdays at 2 p. m. A cordial welcome is extended to the public to attend all our services. A. ROBERT HASKELL, Pastor.

The W. C. T. U. meets every 1st and 3rd Friday at 2 p. m. at the Christian church.

SABATH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH.—Sabbath (seventh day) services; Sabbath school 10 a. m. Bible study 11 a. m., prayer meeting Tuesday evening 8 p. m., young people's meeting Friday, 8 p. m. All are invited to attend. C. H. BUNCH, Elder.

To a Would-be Poet.

I write for your encouragement
Some little hints on rhyme.
To study and improve upon
Whenever you have time.

'Tis said that real poets
Are born and never made.
If that be true there are but few
Who should adopt the trade.

But I beg leave to differ
With that poet old and gay,
Who said they must be born so,
And this is what I say:

The thing can be accomplished
To a fairly good extent,
By those with grit and gumption
To follow out their bent.

You may not be a poet
In all the word implies,
But you may become a rhymist—
Anyone can who tries.

There is no secret to it—
This making verse for fun;
Get out your pen and try it;
How easily it is done.

Take Tennyson or Burns,
Or Milton, at their best,
Or Ella Wheeler Wilcox,
Or any of the rest.

Fall into line among them,
Adopt their style and measure,
Choose easy flowing language
And scribble at your pleasure.

AVO.

A "strike" is the euphemistic and diplomatic explanation given by the Russian Ambassador in Washington of the trouble in St. Petersburg.

A Chicago man says can create life by the proper mixing of certain chemicals. The President would like the recipe for Congress.

A five million dollar diamond has been found in Pretoria. It is not much larger though than some of those the chorus girls wear.

In the states in which women are enfranchised one always hears that the mind of woman is clearer than that of man. This may be because she changes it so often.

A London scientist announces that he has discovered how to extract gold from the sea water. Women who have learned how to cry when ever it is convenient long ago made the discovery.

Mrs. Astor announces that though twenty million dollars worth of jewels were worn at her ball not a stone was lost. Whether her satisfaction is with her guests or detectives appointed to watch them she has not said.

The imagination that led to the manufacture of nutmegs from wood is still active in Connecticut. The greatest number of patents granted to population in any state in the Union last year was the record of that state.

Ex-Assistant Postmaster General Bristow is going down to Panama to find out things, but, will he be allowed to tell them? Congress was once so impolite as to ask him for information about their own doings with the Post Office Department. They got the information heaped up and overflowing and much more than they wanted.

Centennial Notes.

Utah will have a comprehensive exhibit at the Lewis and Clark exposition. It is expected that a state pavilion will be erected.

The Massachusetts state building at the exposition will be larger than the building erected at the St. Louis fair.

The Ocean Park, Calif., Journal will send the "Queen of Ocean Park" to the exposition. The paper pays all the expenses of the queen, who is elected by popular vote.

Two cars of totem poles have arrived at the exposition grounds. They will form an interesting part of Alaska's display at the fair.

The first railroad locomotive ever run in Oregon will form an interesting exhibit in the Transportation building at the exposition. The locomotive is the property of David Hewes, of San Francisco, who has had it for thirty years.

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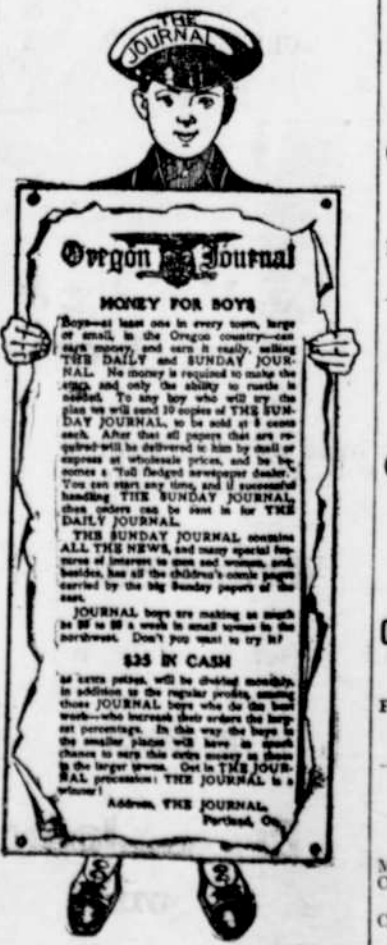
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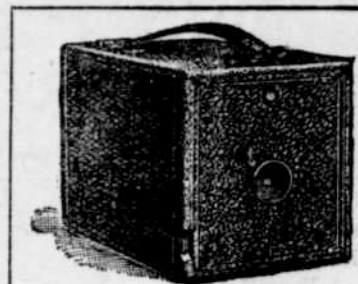
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