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## SMOKE UP!



YOU have to keep puffing a cigar to get the good of it. Same with a business. An effective way to Puff Your Business just now is to SEND BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS CARDS to acquired and desired customers. See us about the printing of them

### NEW COUNTY.

Nesmith county, being a part of the northern part of Douglas county and the southern part of Lane county, is asking for county division under the name of Nesmith county. So far as we understand the situation, it ought to have the support of every voter.—Freewater Times.

Will Hokum mistook his hunting companion, Jesse Moore, for a Mallard duck, while hunting near Rowland, this county, Sunday and punctured his tire in many places. Moore would have been justified in returning the fire on the pretext that he mistook Hokum for a goose.

New Year's day would be a good time for blind-piggers and bootleggers to swear off.

Was 1909 a profitable year for you? If not, try to improve on it the coming year.

If there is anything Cottage Grove is in need of just now it is a modern opera house. Here is a good investment for some local builder.

Roseburg has employed as booster for the year 1910, Thos. D. Richardson, of New York, at a salary of \$4,000 a year. With a Tom Richardson boosting at each end of the state there ought to soon be a Greater Oregon.

While the weather conditions here are not as balmy as usual at this season, there is cause for rejoicing in the fact that we are only getting freezing weather—32 above—here, while our eastern friends are getting zero weather and blizzards.

The holiday advertising patronage extended to the Springfield News by local merchants was simply immense, necessitating the enlargement of that paper. Building up the local paper is the very best way to build up a community. The first thing Cottage Grove knows she will be called upon to surrender "second place in the county" to enterprising Springfield.

"Sneaks and thieves don't advertise" was the text of an immigration sermon recently delivered by a McMinnville minister. He followed this up by showing the value of intelligent publicity work in attracting settlers to the Pacific Northwest and the benefits alike to the newcomer and the country settled. Each settler means added wealth to the state and in return the Pacific states offer greater opportunity to the man from the old sections of the country. Oregon has a duty to perform, believes this pastor, in bringing people from the overcrowded districts of the East to this land of opportunity and live cities in the Northwest are making the most of their advantages in attracting settlers.

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### CHURCH NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Much interest is being manifested in the contemplated union meetings which commence in the Methodist church Sunday evening, Jan. 2. The Christian, Presbyterian, Baptist and Methodist societies have joined forces and doubtless much good will be accomplished. Complete program in our next issue.

Large congregations were the order of the day in the Methodist church last Sabbath. The musical numbers were much enjoyed. Rev. Robert Sutcliffe is to organize and teach a class of young men in the Sabbath school. The lessons are to be discussed in a frank and brotherly way. A separate room for the meeting of this organization doubtless will be provided by the proper authorities. All young fellows not connected with any other Sabbath school are urged to be present and unite in membership. A roll call service of the church takes place at 11 a. m. Sunday Jan. 2. Let every member be present. If hindered send written response.

#### AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Large crowds are attending the services conducted by Jesse Kellums, aged seventeen and Harold Humbert, aged sixteen. This is without doubt the youngest evangelistic team in Oregon, if not in the United States. They are a success. Mr. Kellums preaches with remarkable power. But he cannot help preaching for his father and mother are both successful preachers. His father began preaching when he was nineteen. Mr. Kellums Jr. is a student of the Eugene High school.

Mr. Humbert, the singing evangelist, is certainly in the right place. His work as a chorus leader and soloist adds greatly to the interest and effectiveness of the services.

There were four accessions Monday evening—two conversions.

The following is a list of subjects for this week:

Tuesday, The Two Armies; Wednesday, Why I am a Christian; Thursday, Moses, a Type of Christ; Friday, The Gospel Despised; Saturday, Sowing and Reaping; Sunday morning, Constancy in Well Doing.

### DIED.

WALLACE—At the Salem hospital, Christmas, Dec. 25, 1909, Mrs. Bettie Wallace, wife of Harvey Wallace, the result of a delicate surgical operation. Deceased was a daughter of J. M. Medley, a sister of Attorney J. S. Medley and Wm. Medley of this place and Mrs. Darwin Britton of Eugene, all of whom with other members of the family, attended the funeral services at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delure Hemenway in this city Monday, which were conducted by Rev. S. C. Adams, interment in the I. O. O. F. cemetery. An obituary notice will appear in Friday's Leader.

The Oregonian asks: "Are democrats going for prohibition?" Most of them are and so is a great big majority of the Republicans. Harvey will have to cut out his stimulants after next November.

### PRIZES AWARDED AT GRAND MASK BALL

The grand mask ball given at the armory hall Christmas eve was well attended there being 28 masked couples. Splendid music was furnished by Nelson's orchestra and good order prevailed. The following prizes were awarded:

Best sustained character, gent, cowboy, Frank Cooper \$1.50 picture, Modern Pharmacy.

Best sustained character, lady, "Sentinel" Inez Flynn, \$2 ladies purse, Beals & Son. Most original, Uneda biscuit, Ren Sanford, \$2 water set, Metcalf & Brund.

Most original lady, Swiss, Mrs. A. E. Hamloth, \$2 crystal vase, Burkholder-Woods Co.

Most comical, coon, Frank Snodgrass, \$4 fountain pen, Dave Scholl.

Most comical, lady, squaw, Mrs. Frank Churchill, \$2 perfume, New Era drug store.

Richest, Queen of Night, May Hickson, \$10 hat, Ladies Toggery.

Richest, gent, Knight, A. L. Wynne, \$2.50 box cigars Ward & McFarland.

Best three step, lady, Red Riding Hood, Mamie Kime, post card album, Wave.

Best three step, gent, jockey, Frank McFarland, box candy, The Rose.

Best waltzer, lady, Red Cross nurse, Pet Sanford, jardiner stand, Simeral & Van Denburg.

Best waltzer, gent, summer man, Earl Hill, pen knife, Griffin-Veatch Co.

Best two step, lady, Cow-girl, Hazel Hannah, \$1.50 hat pin, G. H. Tyson.

Best two step, gent, clown, Jas. Potts, neck scarf, Rees-Wallace Co.

The judges were, F. G. Conley, D. J. DuBruille and W. C. Johnson.

### Goats on Shares.

Fifty nannies with registered buck to let on shares to any responsible party that will take them for three or more years.

B. M. HAWLEY,  
Bohemia, Oregon.

### REGISTRATION OF TITLE TO LAND.

In the Circuit court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County. In the matter of the application of J. F. Spray and Mary E. Spray to register the title to lot 4 in block 4 of Wm. Shield's addition to Cottage Grove and the lot lying east thereof and between said lot and the depot grounds in Cottage Grove, Oregon

against Spray-Wynne Co. a corporation, F. C. Walters and ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, defendants. TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Take notice that on the 11th day of December 1909, an application was filed in the above entitled court by J. F. Spray and Mary E. Spray, for initial registration of the title to the above described lands. Now unless you appear on or before the 15th day of January, 1910, and show cause why such application should not be granted the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the applicant and you will be forever barred from disputing the same. [SEAL] E. U. LEE, County Clerk. A. E. WHEELER, D14-St Atty for Applicants.

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