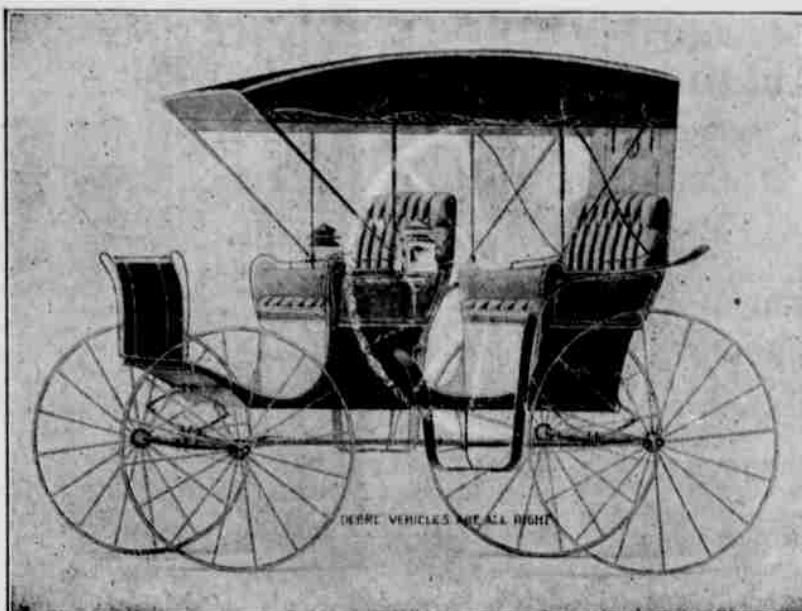


SEASONABLE CARRIAGE TALK



This is the season of the year when you want to enjoy a ride through the country. In order to get the most enjoyment from your trip you need a CARRIAGE or BUGGY of the most approved pattern and also one that looks stylish. You will find both in the "JOHN DEERE."

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LOCAL AND STATE NEWS

Get Westfall to do your paper hanging.

Zook, the paper hanger will do your painting.

Dr. Allen, dentist, Cooper Building Independence Oregon. Both phones. 19-tf.

Zook the Painter, will hang your paper.

Do not forget that R. M. Wade still has the genuine Oliver goods.

Perkins Pharmacy has a fine line of the celebrated Lowney's candies.

Perkins Pharmacy has the sole agency for the celebrated Ingersoll Dollar Watch.

Dr. R. E. Duganne, dentist. Office over Independence National Bank, Independence.

I wish to announce to the public that I have again taken up dress-making and will make special inducements for the month of April. Mrs. H. K. Sickafoose, Corner of Powell and Clark St.

V. F. Daniel will pay you the top price for your eggs. 36-4t

V. F. Daniel has just received from the East a shipment of the newest things in ladies' neckwear; including Dutch collars, turnovers, collar and cuff sets and several pieces of ruching. 36-2t

Dr. Crowley has opened offices in the Marquam building, rooms 800 and 801. Phone Main 2630; residence 675 East Ankeny street, Portland.

Don't say flour, say PERRY-DALE FLOUR! Every sack guaranteed. Ask Riggs the grocer about it.

H. Best took a load of visitors over to Salem Saturday.

At the Council meeting Wednesday night the resignation of Marshal Paulsen was accepted and the matter of appointing a new marshal laid over until next meeting.

E. C. Cole was fairly in it the fore part of the week. His father and mother from Aumsville, gave him a call and before he had more than settled down to asking questions, a younger sister, from Columbia county, came up on the train and gave him a genuine surprise.

Hotel Monmouth Arrivals

S. A. Ward, California
C. E. Payton "
C. Shennfield, Ind.
T. Moreland, Salem
Jas. E. Dunton, Ballston
Mary E. O'Donnell "
B. Veal, Albany
C. N. Baldwin, Airlie
F. Oberchain Hastings, Nebr.
Ed Olds, Spokane
G. W. Vaughn Dallas
W. J. Ford "
H. C. Seymour "
F. A. Coffin and eight others, Portland.

Real Estate For Sale.

10½ acres inside city limits of Monmouth. Fine soil and splendid improvements. Good for fruit, walnuts, berries or poultry. \$2600.

540 acres adjoining city of Monmouth. Will cut into five, ten or 20 acre tracts. \$100 per acre and up.

80 acres of fine land. An extra good place for peaches. 35 acres under cultivation, 35 ready for the plow and the balance in pasture. Enough wood for fuel. Fine springs, fair improvements. \$40 per acre.

324 acres well improved and well watered. \$25 per acre.

389 acres, 115 under cultivation, 100 acres of fine saw timber, 2 springs, well fenced with wire and rail, 2 acres in orchard good dwelling and four barns, 20 cattle, 60 goats, 10 hogs and a complete dairying outfit goes with the place. \$25 per acre, half cash balance to suit purchaser at six per cent.

343 acres, four miles from Monmouth, 40 under cultivation 290 more can be put in cultivation at small cost, well watered, house and four barns, 2 poultry houses. Fine dairy ranch. \$25 per acre, half cash, balance on five years time at 6 per cent.

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Polk County Realty Co

Sky Signs.

Whether clear or cloudy, a rosy sunset presages fine weather; a sickly looking, greenish hue, wind and rain; a dark or Indian red, rain; a red sky in the morning, bad weather or much wind, perhaps rain; a gray sky in the morning, fine weather; a high dawn, wind; a low dawn, fair weather. Remarkable clearness of atmosphere near the horizon, distant objects, such as hills, unusually visible or raised by refraction and what is called a good "hearing day," may be mentioned among signs of wet, if not wind.—London Tit-Bits.

The Jury's Verdict.

A south Missouri man recently was tried on a charge of assault. The state brought into court as the weapons used a rail, an ax, a pair of tongs, a saw and a rifle. The defendant's counsel exhibited as the other man's weapons a scythe blade, a pitchfork, a pistol and a hoe. The jury's verdict is said to have been:

Resolved, That we, the jury, would have given a dollar to have seen the fight.

—Kansas City Star.

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