

THE GRAND FOURTH OF JULY!

To make our Fireworks Department as popular as it rightly deserves to be this year, we have just received a large invoice of Cap Pistols and intend to give a Pistol to every boy who buys 5 cents worth of Caps of us. As we only have a few hundred of these Pistols it will stand one and all in hand to be first.

Notice Our Window Display of Fireworks.

FIREWORKS.

In this department you will find a complete stock of everything that goes to help celebrate the glorious 4th of July. Large and small crackers alike will be found here, besides torpedos and every other conceivable thing to make a noise.

10 CENT BOOKS.

This week we received the largest shipment of 10-cent novels ever brought to the city, and the authors are the very best that could be selected from. We now have over 1000 books from which to make your choice, and we are positive that you will be able to find just what is wanted. We can either please the boy, girl, mother or father.

AT OUR FOUNTAIN

Justly proud are we of the fine trade that we have on fountain drinks and also in the ice cream trade. To show you just how our business has increased over last year, it is enough for us to say that we have already sold more ice cream during the season of 1902, which all know has hardly begun, than we did during the entire season of 1901. We are now in condition to furnish ice cream in any quantity for parties, etc., as we have our own manufacturing plant. We sell ice cream in small quantities as follows:

1 pint	20 cents	1 quart	40 cents
2 quarts	75 cents	1 gallon	\$1.25

In five gallons or over a special and very close price is made for ice cream made of pure cream. Soda pop in bottles for family use, right from the ice.

HARRY E. WAGONER, STATIONER, INDEPENDENCE, OREGON.

BAD LUCK CONTINUES.

Capt. A. B. Graham, the Well-Known Boat Man Injured.

Captain A. B. Graham, president and secretary of the Oregon City Transportation Company, was severely injured last Thursday morning at the corner of East Ninth and East Morrison streets, Portland, by the front forks of his wheel breaking, as he was going from his residence on the corner of East Sixteenth and East Couch streets. He was going down East Morrison street quite rapidly, and at East Ninth street the forks of the bicycle gave way and he was thrown heavily forward on the car track at this intersection, being

rendered insensible by the fall. The accident was seen by others, and Captain Graham was carried into the house at 481 East Morrison street. Dr. M. A. Flinn, who lives a short distance off, was called and dressed his injuries.

In falling, Captain Graham struck the car track on the left side of his face, cutting a bad gash near his eye. The upper lip was cut through by his teeth and there were other bruises. Dr. Flinn said that there was some concussion of the brain, although not of a serious character. He remained unconscious for nearly an hour, when he revived.

Captain Graham had been up nearly all the night before, owing to the sinking of the Gray Eagle. His first words after recovering

consciousness was a remark about the burning of the boat, and he asked if he had a boat burned. At first it was not known who Mr. Graham was. A. W. Lambert, his brother-in-law, was sent for and he was removed to his home.

Captain Graham is resting comfortably at present. Dr. Flinn said there were still some indications of concussion, but that he will soon be about.

Highland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Jones, of Oregon City, are visiting Joe Moon and family. Joe Laundry cut the end of one thumb off and cut one finger pretty badly last week.

John McCulloch, a hustling Kent citizen, is visiting at F. L. Bennett's.

He is highly pleased with this locality and may locate amongst us.

Two social evenings have been spent by the neighbors this week—one at F. L. Bennett's with raspberries and cream, the other at Dick Gains, with ice cream and cake.

Henry Hamann has had a serious time with a swollen thumb, having been to see Dr. Ketchum twice.

Dick Gains has sold his interest in the Mason ranch to F. L. Bennett. Mr. Gains will leave soon for Sherman county to locate a homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Hodge spent Tuesday at Highland.

Mrs. Hamann and Ella Shafer went wild blackberrying this week.

Miss Shafer has been ill this week.

Reduced Rates For 4th of July.

The Southern Pacific Company announce the sale of reduced rates on account of the Fourth of July. These figures will be based at one and one-third fare for the round trip, making 4 cents per mile round trip passage to and from stations in Oregon. Tickets will be on sale July 3rd and 4th, and

will be good for return up to and including the 6th.

Celebrations will be held at the more important points. Local agents will furnish all details on application.

W. E. COMAN,
General Passenger Agent.

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County News.

Observer.
REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
J F Syron et al to M Michelbook, 1.72 acres, t 6 s, r 6 w, \$25.35.
Margaret Harned and hd to Riley W Swink, 20.87 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$300.
H M Cooper et ux to Margaret Harned, 10 acres, t 8 s, r 4 w, \$500.
Henry Weinhard et ux to Edward Patras, 667.70 acres, t 10 s, r 6 w, \$3500.



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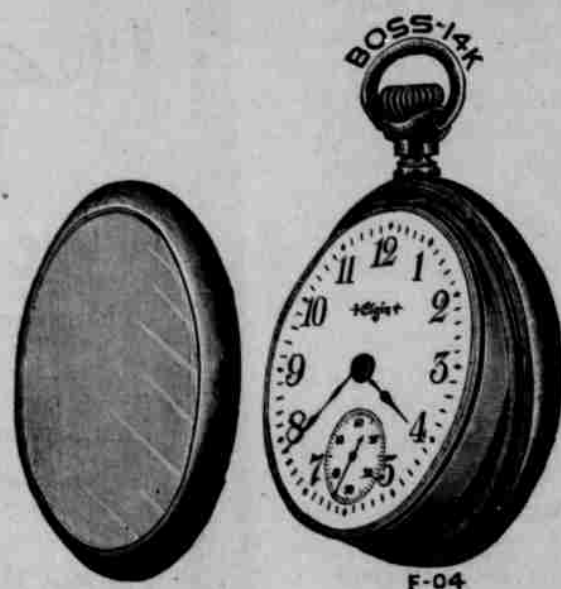
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