

West Side Enterprise

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The case of Miss Ann Shively who was dismissed as teacher in the Cottage Grove schools for the alleged reason that she did not produce her diploma as promptly as the directors desired, has been heard on appeal and taken under advisement by the State Board of Education. Miss Shively is a Monmouth Normal graduate. When the affair came before County School Superintendent Dillard he promptly ruled that the Board exceeded its authority. Concerning the case the Eugene Register says: "If the young lady had proven incompetent and possessed qualities that detracted from her success as a teacher, by taking the grounds of incompetency, the board might have succeeded in dismissing her, but upon the position taken and maintained by the board with reference to the diploma, the state school board can hardly do otherwise than sustain the verdict of Superintendent Dillard."

Senator Mitchell has been given the chairmanship of the inter-oceanic canal committee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Hanna. The committee is an important one in its relation to the Pacific coast interests and Panama canal affairs. The change gives Mitchell the committee room of the late Senator Hanna and the patronage of a clerk and assistant. Senator Alger succeeds him as chairman of the committee on coast defenses.

Eugene proposes to give H. B. Miller, United States consul at New Chwang, China, a reception upon his homecoming. In honoring Consul Miller, Eugene honors herself for Mr. Miller has been a credit to his home town and proved the right man in the right place in China.

The celebrated land fraud cases have been continued till the April term of court. The grand jury will be re-convened next week and more indictments are expected. According to the Portland Journal, two members of the legislature and some others well known throughout the state will be subjects of inquiry by the grand jury.

Corvallis has had a chicken show; Newberg will have one on the 10th of next month. Salem and Albany are to have their poultry shows; Dallas is getting ready for its annual goat show. Can't Independence and Monmouth together get up some kind of a live stock, chicken, cat or dog show?

The Independence charter has been declared a very weak document and it is up to somebody to get up a bill for a charter for introduction in the next legislature. Suggestions for a new charter are in order.

Mr. Carnegie is irritated over being subpoenaed in the Mrs. Chadwick case. But he gets \$2 a day. The jingling of the guinea helps the hurt that honor feels.

Everybody is ready for a good road recipe from the Salem convention.

A suicide club has been discovered in Salem. The Capital City also has an Illihee club.

A good roads convention is on at Salem. Mr. Brunk and other supervisors should go over and take notes.

The formation of a young men's club is being discussed in Newberg. The same thing is needed in Independence.

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FOR SALE—A choice Polk county farm of over 300 acres can be had at very reasonable figures. Admirably adapted to stock raising. Enquire at this office.

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FOR SALE—A good second hand organ cheap. Enquire at this office.

It's time to be thinking of Christmas presents and my line should receive first consideration as it is very complete, consisting of the latest and most unique novelties on the market. We can please. You will be surprised not only at the beauty, elegance and variety of stock but at the reasonableness of prices. I cordially invite you to look my stock over as I know that you will enjoy seeing the pretty things for Xmas and I will enjoy the privilege of showing you through my store. P. M. Kirkland the druggist.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Independence and Monmouth Railway Company will be held at Independence, Oregon, in the Independence Nat. Bank building at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, December 31st, A. D. 1904, for the purpose of electing officers and transacting of such other business as may properly come before said meeting. D. W. SHANN, Secy. Dated Nov. 11, 1904.

Sealed Bids Asked

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned till 12 M. December 20th 1904 for one hundred (100) cords of grub oak wood not less than two inches in diameter; also for forty (40) cords of good body fir said wood to be delivered corded in basement of Normal building not later than September 1 1905. Rights reserved to reject any and all bids. J. B. V. Butler, Sec. Regents

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The following remarkable cure performed by Dr. Darrin at Hotel Gail Dallas shows the new uses for electricity.

CATARRH BRONCHITIS AND CONSUMPTION CURED.

Mr. Editor:—I will lend my name to the long list of cures performed by Dr. Darrin. Fifteen years ago catarrh and bronchitis troubles commenced to annoy me and seven years later a complicated lung trouble showed it self. All efforts to cure fruitless until coming under Dr. Darrin's electrical treatment eight years ago. I am happy to say I am cured. I attributed my long continued good health to the health influence of electricity which restored me to a permanently sound condition. I am news agent on the Southern Pacific Railway and pass Albany daily and will gladly answer any questions at my home in Mount Tabor, Oregon. J. A. Lindalev.

DEAFNESS CURED

To the Editor:—Gratitude to Dr. Darrin prompts me to give this card. For about ten years I have been gradually growing deaf from the effects of a discharge of the ear. I had despaired of relief but thanks to Dr. Darrin's skill I am cured of my deafness so I can hear a whisper. Refer anyone to me at my residence five miles southeast of Woodburn, near Ex-Mayor John Easton's place who was cured by Dr. Darrin of catarrh and discharging ears. H. Kunze.

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Mr. S. W. Bowser of Bruce, Benton county, Oregon, writes:—Dr. Darrin, you cured my girl of granulated sore eyes of long standing, one year ago and I am very thankful for what you have done for her.

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Dr. Darrin, Dear Sir:—I wish to know if it is necessary to take the full course of three months treatment. I feel perfectly well of my kidney trouble and pain in the back. Yours truly, C. P. Kizer Harrisburg, Oregon.

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Leaves Independence for Monmouth and Dallas 11:00 a. m. 6:15 p. m.	Leaves Dallas for Monmouth and Independence. 1:00 p. m. 7:30 "
Leaves Monmouth for Airlie. 7:00 a. m. 8:30 p. m.	Leaves Monmouth for Independence. 8:40 a. m. 1:20 p. m. 2:40 "
Leaves Monmouth for Dallas. 1:15 a. m. 6:30 p. m.	Leaves Independence for Monmouth. 3:05 p. m.