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PROBABLY A JOKE.—The Grant's Pass Courier has the following concerning the "attempted hold-up" of the S. P. train last week: "The boys are having lots of fun along the line over the reported attempted train wreck in the throttle and left Woodville as far behind as possible the other night. Jack rabbits reared on their hind legs with their long ears cocked up in the air, resembling train robbers with Winchester's elevated, ready to shoot the engineer, is what 'Mac' took for robbers. He was smoking a bright burning, stubby cigar with the sparks flying through his whiskers, and the reflection of his burning cigar through his cab window, with a few lack-o-lanterns skipping in the distance completed the red signals he saw endeavoring to check his train. The agent at Woodville had recently shaved and slicked up, and his person casting a very bright shadow (he had his coat collar turned up to keep the fog out of his ears) composed the two masked tramps that wanted on the train so bad to tap the traveling wallet of W. F. Co.'s express. It's Mac's set 'em up."

POULTRY FOR CHRISTMAS.

A Large Stock of Fine Fowls for the Xmas Trade.
 We have been fattening a large number of turkeys, geese, ducks and chickens expressly for Christmas dinners and assure the public that we have the nicest lot in town. We also will have all kinds of wild game.
 W. P. FISHER.
 One block west of postoffice.

The Result of a Trial Bottle.
 CANNELTON, Ind.—I have used Simmons Liver Regulator, manufactured by J. H. Zellan & Co., Philadelphia, and found that for indigestion and liver complaint it is the best I ever used.—E. E. Clark. Your druggist sells it in powder or liquid. The powder to be taken dry or made into a tea.

RUDY'S PILE SUPPOSITORY.
 Is guaranteed to cure Piles and Constipation, or money refunded. 50 cents per box. Send two stamps for circular and Free Sample to MARTIN RUDY, Registered Pharmacist, Lancaster, Pa. No Postage Necessary. For sale by all first-class druggists everywhere, and in Eugene, Oregon by Osburn & DeLano.
Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
 World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

Personal.

Engineer Kelley went to Albany this forenoon.
 Al P. Churchill is now residing at Cottage Grove.
 C. W. Talmage, of McMinnville, is visiting in Eugene.
 Postmaster Roney was in Eugene today for a few hours.
 S. O. Garrison has been quite ill at his home near Coburg this week.
 Mrs. W. T. Osburn went to Junction City this morning to visit for a few days.
 Miss Carrie Friendly has been confined to her room this week with sickness.
 Miss Lida Boynton, of Woodburn, is visiting at the residence of G. R. Christman in this city.
 H. W. Stewart, railroad agent at Comstock is in Eugene today visiting relatives and friends.
 Charles Fish and H. E. Raffe, of Arizona, are in Eugene looking for a location to start a cigar factory, and are rather favorably inclined to this city.
 F. P. Cronemiller, for the past three years managing editor of the Roseburg Plaindealer, has disposed of his interest in that paper to W. F. Benjamin, the ex-postmaster, and will retire therefrom on the first of the year. Mr. Cronemiller expects to retire permanently from the newspaper business and will probably remain in Roseburg. Sensible man to get into some other business.

Justice Court.

The trespass case from Fall Creek is being tried in Justice Wheeler's court in this city today. The plaintiff is W. E. Jordan and the defendants are Oscar Drury, Jas. Holz, Will Walker and Wid Sanders. Deputy Prosecuting Attorney Williams is representing the state and Attorneys Bilyeu & Young are defending the boys. It is being tried before a jury composed of Jas. Hoffman, D. M. Drake, A. Rogers, T. M. Segar, B. C. Dunn and Tom Lukey. The plaintiff charges the boys with entering his watermelon patch, taking the melons and tearing up the vines. About a dozen witnesses were brought up in the case and a good deal of interest is taken in it by the people of that section. There has of late been a great deal of devilment going on in that precinct and the residents are naturally anxious to put a stop to it. The testimony was all in by noon and the arguments of the counsel are now being heard.

Buckler's Arnica Salve.
 The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Henderson & Linn.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL MATTER
 will be found on the Second and Third Pages.

DOES YOUR WIFE HAVE COLD FEET?

Don't let the dear one wear cold shoes in the house; make her comfortable as she wants to be. How hard she works! She hasn't time to order warm shoes or slippers, or think she hasn't. Buy them for her; surprise her. It's wonderful how much more saving she will be in her expenses for a pair of our nice, warm Felt shoes or slippers. The Racket Store has them for \$1.00, but the \$1.60 ones are warmer.
 Women's Felt Dongola Foxed Bottom Shoes, \$1.50.
 Women's Felt Foxed Dongola Lace Shoes, \$1.25.
 Women's Fine Plush Slippers, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50.
 Women's Hand Turned Blue Felt Lace Shoes, \$1.00.
 Women's warm Felt Slippers, 70 cents.
 Men's Felt Foxed Lace Shoes, \$1.75.
 Men's Fine Plush Slippers, \$1.50, \$1.25, \$1.00.

DATE FIXED.

Brown, the Oakland Murderer, Sentenced to Hang.
 Special to the GUARD.
 ROSEBURG, Or., Dec. 21.—At 1 o'clock today Judge Fullerton sentenced Samuel G. Brown, the murderer of William Alfred Kincaid, to be hanged Friday, Feb. 15, 1895. A large audience was present. The Judge's remarks were brief. Brown was unmoved and was brighter than during his trial. Attorneys will appeal the case to the supreme court.

Our Future Prospects.

The opinion seems to be current among the conservative business men and capitalists of this city that the coming season will be a comparatively prosperous one in the building line. Already the prospects of new residences to quite a number being built are good. That there will be a class of emigrants turning their attention towards this state, who have some means and who will be able to do something for the development of the country, is also good, almost certain. Of them a certain proportion are naturally laborers with a trade. These will move to a town rather than a ranch or farm, and their arrival creates a demand for residences that the supply will probably not be equal to. Investment in real estate just at the present quiet times is better than money at interest. Considerable such investments are being made now, and when the reaction is started, which it is bound to do by the common course of events before long, and the demand for property is greater, and the sale at real value an easy matter, then the folly of not investing in the present time will be seen, but too late. No one can say that any of the comparatively large towns in the West will grow smaller, nor can the possibilities of their growth be measured either. For as the country develops and is capable of the proper application of its resources to sustain a larger working population, the numerous small towns now dotting our map will have grown into cities of some size, and many more towns, yet unthought of, will be scattered around us as trade centers of a rapidly developing country. This is not a visionary idea but what cannot help but be the natural outcome of the present state of affairs.

BREVITIES.

E. D. Pool has the finest assortment of candies to be found in the city.
 Elvin Wilson, better known as "Dick" Wilson formerly of this city, is now an employe of the Electric Light Co. of Woodland, Yolo county, California.
 Xmas candles, nuts, etc., are to be found at Pool's at all times and all prices. Special prices in quantities.
 Fibre Chamolis is 64 inches wide, 50 cents per yard, and demanded by all the fashionable dressmakers; preference to haircloth or grasscloth. S. H. Friendly's.
 Candles, candle holders and Xmas tree ornaments at Pool's.
 Best razors and pocket knives; also the finest stock of straps and hones for razors, also brushes, to be found in the city, at Barker Gun Works. Quality the very best—prices the bottom. They will make fine Xmas presents. A fine mandolin, \$4.50; guitars and violins; strings for violins, banjos, guitars—the best quality at the bottom prices.
 Harmonicas, the best makes. Ammunition the best at the lowest prices. Guns, gun and machine oil. Call and see me.
 9th street, Eugene.
 BARKER GUN WORKS.

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THE O. P. SALE.

Who Will Buy This Brave Estate of Ours?
 Corvallis Times: Speculation is rife as to who will buy and what will be paid for the Oregon Pacific at the sheriff's sale of the property next Saturday. Eight times the outfit has been offered for sale, and two of those times there has been bidders, with next Saturday's doings still to hear from. The sale is advertised to take place at 1 o'clock, and with the hints that have gone the rounds to the effect that there will be bidders, it is probable that a crowd will be on hand to see the road part company with the people who paid \$14,800,000 for its construction. It is currently believed that Hammond and Bonner of Montana, will bid on the road, but whether they will build eastward or move it down to fill their Astoria contract is veiled in mystery. B. B. Jackson, three or four weeks ago in Corvallis, and a week ago in Portland, reputed to be at the head of sufficient capital to make a good bid, has made inquiries of the right persons for information that leaves the inference that he might take a shot at the property. A letter received in this city this week from W. T. Schenck, once with the O. P., but now assistant chief engineer of the New York Central, with headquarters in New York City, states that he has information that there is certain to be a sale of the old road this time. Lawyer Goodfellow of San Francisco, and Wallis Nash, visited Corvallis several days this week, and when asked gave out that he was the representative of certain certificate holders. For two days he searched O. P. records in the court house, and this leads some people to think that he may have the road knocked down to him. The reader will bear in mind that the foregoing is all froth and to be accepted for what good froth is usually worth.

Public Schools.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the pupils of the Central and Geary schools marched from their respective buildings and met on Willamette street, between Seventh and Eighth. After a hearty salute they marched to Lane's hall, where the provisions are being stored for distribution tomorrow. Every pupil had a bundle of some kind to add to the already large amount now there. There is almost everything from toys, and clothing of all kinds to large quantities of flour, potatoes and groceries. We will mention the work of the distributing committee tomorrow.

Against The Slaughter of Game.

A petition is being circulated in this county asking that the legislature prohibit the Indians on the various reservations in the state from hunting off the lands set apart for them. What started this movement was the needless and uncalled for slaughter of large numbers of deer and elk in the Cascade mountains last summer by the Indians, who went there from their reservations to hunt. Equipped as they were with the latest improved firearms and going in large numbers, they were able to slaughter by the wholesale, which they did. Many of the state papers spoke of it at the time and regret was expressed that the Indians were thus allowed to hunt. We understand that several prominent members of the coming legislature are taking an interest in this and will use their influence to have the petitioners' prayers answered. We learn that several other counties will present similar petitions, so that it will probably be brought before the legislature in a way that will command their attention.

WAS SURPRISED.—Today's Oregonian: "Charles E. Lockwood, ex-assistant United States attorney, was seen yesterday by a reporter in relation to the statement that the federal grand jury had found an indictment against him, growing out of matters connected with his transactions while in office. Mr. Lockwood said he knew nothing of the matter until he saw the announcement in the Oregonian, and that it was a great surprise to him. If he had been requested to appear before the grand jury in his own behalf, there would have been no such indictment returned. He said the attack upon him was instigated by a certain treasury official, and it was inspired by other motives than the furthering of justice. Mr. Lockwood exhibited documents for the inspection of the reporter, which went to show that there was no foundation whatever for the charges made against him. No attempt has been made to arrest him."

A NERVY POLICEMAN.

Lively Street Duel With Three Mexicans.

One of Them will Probably Die.
 PRESCOTT, Ariz., Dec. 20.—Policeman Prince last night attempted to arrest three men who were running amuck in Prescott, when the trio pulled guns and commenced firing at him. He returned the fire shooting one Mexican through the right thigh, shattering the bone badly and causing a wound from which the man will probably die. The wounded man fell on the sidewalk, but continued shooting until he had emptied his pistol, and then attempted to reload. He had a belt full of cartridges around his waist. The other two succeeded in getting away after emptying their guns at Prince, 18 or 20 shots being fired in all at the officer, but he escaped without a scratch. Prince was smoking a cigar when he attempted to make the arrest, and continued smoking all through the battle.

A Judge Accused of Fraud.

MACON, Mo., Dec. 20.—A warrant was sworn out by O. M. Hicks, treasurer of the populist county committee, against Judge D. D. Ballard, late of Los Angeles, Cal., whom he accuses of obtaining money from him under false pretenses. During the congressional campaign Ballard lectured for the populists, and during this time obtained Hicks' indorsement to a draft on a Washington bank. Hicks found Ballard had no money in the bank, and swore out a warrant for Ballard's arrest. The latter's whereabouts are unknown.

The Influx of Japanese.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—It appears from a special report to the state department from United States Consul Smithers, of Higo, Japan, that there is very little danger to be apprehended to the United States of an influx of Japanese cheap labor. By the new regulations recently issued by the Japanese government, the immigration companies are required to secure the approval of the countries to which the immigrants go, and this can be withheld at any time. The Meiji Emigration Company, established at Higo in 1892, with the object of sending emigrants to work in the coal mines of British Columbia, has been unsuccessful in that enterprise, and some emigrants shipped to Victoria have been sent to the United States.

At A. V. Peters.

Do not forget that the clearance sale is still on at A. V. Peters' store where goods are sold at astonishingly low prices.

CUTTING RATES.—Salem Statesman: "It is understood that representatives of the Southern Pacific Co. were in Salem yesterday interviewing the business men relative to that company's making a low freight rate of ten cents per hundred, regardless of classification, between this city and Portland, they having a special twenty cent rate at present and a first-class rate of 33 cents. The ten cent rate will be named for a year providing the merchants will guarantee at least one-half of their business to the railroad company." Eugene would also welcome a reduction. She is a large shipper and is entitled to concessions.

UNIVERSITY VACATION.—The University holiday vacation will extend from this afternoon until Monday morning, January 7th, giving the students two full weeks. A number of students left on today's train to spend this merry season under the parental roof. More will follow tomorrow.

Awarded
 Highest Honors—World's Fair.
 DR.
PRICE'S
 CREAM
 BAKING
 POWDER
 MOST PERFECT MADE.
 A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

You've All Seen Him.
 The confidence man, we mean. The one who takes you aside and whispers in your ear what he thinks will throw you into convulsive astonishment. He was never known to tell you a thing that you did not know before. Then there is the dealer who buttonholes you, takes you to a secluded corner and says in a stage whisper, these goods cost a good deal more than we ask for them, but you can have them at that figure. We do differently—ask a fair price and expect to get it. For the rest of this month, however, we have decided to astonish the people with low prices and from now to Jan. 1, 1895, make sweeping reductions in nearly every line. The following prices will give a slight indication of the reductions proposed:
 Good Calico.....25 yds for \$1.00.
 Standard ".....20 " 1.00.
 Indigo Blue Calico.....16 " 1.00.
 Amoskeag Gingham.....16 " 1.00.
 Dress Gingham.....14 " 1.00.
 Outing Flannel.....7, 8 1/2, 10c, formerly 10, 12, 15c.
 42 inch Dress Goods.....37 1/2, " 50c.
 36 " " ".....30, " 40c.
 27 " " ".....18, " 30c.
 Broadhead Dress Goods, 36 in.....25c per yard.
 Cotton Blankets.....65c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25 per pair.
 White Wool Blankets.....\$3.25, \$4 and \$5 " "
 Colored Blankets.....\$1, \$1.50, \$2 and up to \$4. per pr.
 Clothing and boots and shoes we cannot quote understandingly, but we can assure you the prices will surprise you. We invite your inspection of our goods assuring you that we expect no profit from this sale, but simply a reduction of stock before taking our annual inventory.
 We cannot take coupons during this sale and it will be conducted on a strictly cash basis.
J. H. McClung.

Selling Out
 —MY ENTIRE STOCK CONSISTING OF—
Rubber, Fancy, and Dry Goods.
 Also a fine line of STAMPED and HAND PAINTED XMAS GOODS and BOXES.
ALL GOODS AT COST.
F. W. PARKER,
 OPERA HOUSE BLOCK.

ROXBURY
 CARPETS.
 We offer to furnish any one's house with carpets free of charge, who can prove that there is more than one grade of ROXBURY Brussels manufactured.
 Other houses try to palm off cheaper goods for Roxbury, and we desire to call the attention of the public to the trade mark of Roxbury Brussels—the continuous double stripe along the back of the carpet. The Roxbury Carpet Company are the only manufacturers that make strictly one grade of Brussels, which is known all over the U. S. as the Standard.
WALTER BROTHERS.
 Corner 1st and Yamhill Streets, Portland, Or.

GRAND CLEARANCE SALE.
 On account of the hard times I will give the public the benefit of the two weeks before the Holidays to buy their Xmas presents instead of waiting until the first of the year, and will Close Out my entire stock Regardless of COST.
 This is Business as I Must Have the Money.
 Call and inspect the stock.—
H. N. CRAIN.