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Look within your hat and see whose make it is. You can't always tell a good hat from its appearance, or weight, or shape. You want to know what make of hat it is, and if it is the right kind you will wear it satisfactorily.

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We have them for sale at prices that will make you wonder who makes 'em. They are made all right to fit up-to-date-people, out of the right kind of material, some of the prices, 65c, 90c up to \$2.00.

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Our Spring Straw Hats, Soft Cloth Hats, Helmets and Sailors will please you. The McDonald Negligee Shirts, are all 33-inches long, and every one warranted not to rip.

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Superior Photographs

Excelling all others in lifelike Artistic and Permanent Results.



Weekly Excursions in Through Cars to the East.

Another through tourist car to the East has been arranged to run out of Portland, giving four each week. Hereafter the car leaving Monday will run through without change to Kansas City and Chicago, over the O R & N, Oregon Short Line, Rio Grande Western, Denver & Rio Grande, Missouri Pacific and Chicago & Alton. The car has just been arranged for, and the one previously scheduled for Monday has been changed to Thursday. It runs through to St. Louis, via the Missouri Pacific line. The car leaving Portland Tuesday goes through to Boston, and is promoted by the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific. Wednesday's car runs to St. Joseph, Kansas City and St. Louis, over the Burlington. All these special cars are receiving a gratifying patronage. Consult O R & N Agent before buying tickets to the East. W H Hurlbut, General Passenger Agent, Portland; L L Stevens, local agent, Eugene.

For Health And Pleasure

Drink only the purest beer brewed on the Pacific Coast. It is found everywhere, bottled and on tap, and is made by

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Notice. To Agents:—Commencing Feb 17th a tourist-car will be dispatched from Portland, Maine, every Thursday, via the Maine Central and C P Ry and will run through to the coast. The return day from the Pacific coast has been made Thursday, the first car to leave being on February 24. This is in addition to the services now on force, and gives service as follows: Leaving Portland daily connect with through car to St. Paul. Leaving Portland every Saturday, connect with through car to Toronto. Leaving Portland every Tuesday, connect with through car to Boston. Leaving Portland every Wednesday, connect with through car to Portland, Maine. GEO F CRAW, Agent.

The National Guard.

According to a report placed before President McKinley, there are now available for military duty in the United States 10,073,716 able-bodied men, and of these 112,082 are already in the militia, forming the nucleus of a tremendous fighting force.

New York is far ahead so far as the size of her National Guard is concerned, having over 13,000 officers and men.

Pennsylvania is second with 8000 and Illinois holds third place with 6000. Other states have forces from 800 to 5300, Oregon having 7500.

Buckley'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.

Important.

Very short time now until we ship all unsold goods. If you want goods at factory prices, and less, come soon for we are selling lots of suits every day.

SALEM WOOLLEN MILL STORE. Don't take any more suits than you need. To quit tobacco, opium and foreign, in this time, full of life, energy and vigor, take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The wonder worker that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or \$1. Our guarantee. Booklet and sample free. Address: Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

THE CHANGE MADE.

S. P. Co.'s Passenger Division Goes to Riddle Sunday.

OFFICIAL ORDERS RECEIVED

Roseburg Review, March 19: The news of the change in the S. P. passenger division came for a certainty last night. Conductor Kearney received the following official order:

PORTLAND, Or., March 18, 1898.

Commencing the 20th three crews on trains 15 and 16 will run between Portland and Riddle and three crews between Riddle and Dunsmuir. The pay east (round) of Riddle will be \$120 for conductors, \$74 for brakemen, West (north) of Riddle \$125 for conductors and \$75 for brakemen. Notify your brakemen of change of run.

After change to runs to take effect the 20th, do you want to run east or west from Riddle? L R FIELDS.

At present there will be no other change in the runs, but it is the general opinion among railroad men that the freight division will be moved as soon as facilities can be provided at Riddle. Many believe, however, that Glenbrook (Judge Riddle's place), instead of the present town of Riddle will be the final location of the division terminal. Whatever it is, it is pretty certain that the repair shops for the Oregon division will be located and other permanent improvements made. There is a report, also, that Eugene will get the freight division north of Roseburg in the place of Junction, and that the Roseburg local will then be cut off at the former place.

A. S. MCCLURE.

At his home on East Ninth street, A S McClure passed from this life this morning, the immediate cause of death being due to dropsy. Deceased has been troubled with rheumatism for years, and about six weeks since was confined to his room. Friday he was stricken with paralysis, affecting his speech and entire right side, and was helpless until his death.

This removes one of Oregon's well-known pioneers. Mr McClure was born on the Wabash river, Indiana, May 3, 1829, and was therefore aged 68 years, 10 months and 18 days. In 1853 he emigrated to Oregon, and was one of the party that attempted to leave the old California trail and enter western Oregon through the pass near the Three Sisters. Those familiar with Oregon's early history will remember that this company lost their way, sent a party ahead to reach the settlement, which in turn became lost, and that starvation nearly claimed them all before they secured relief. Deceased resided in Oregon ever since, at Portland and Eugene principally. He was the father of eleven children, seven of whom, together with his wife, are now living: Henry and Walter, of Seattle, attorney; Horace, Seattle, assistant managing editor Post-Intelligencer; John S and Will, Seattle; Charles, Portland; and Miss Jennie, Seattle. Those now dead are the late Professor Edgar McClure, of the University of Oregon one of the brightest young scientists of the entire West, and three children who died in infancy.

Deceased was an Odd Fellow, a charter member of Spencer Butte lodge of this city, and has been prominently identified with the order for over 30 years. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made, but it will probably occur Wednesday. Several members of his family are expected to arrive tomorrow.

To Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L on each tablet.

INSANE AGAIN.—Today J A Crispin brings word in from Wolf Creek that John Hutchinson is again insane, and papers were issued and a man will be started tomorrow to bring him in for trial. He has served one commitment in the Oregon asylum. Hutchinson is a desperate man and the officers experienced considerable difficulty taking him before and expect the same this time, as he is reported to carry a loaded revolver on his person. A short time since Marshal Stiles received a letter from his sister, Rachel Hutchinson at Ontario, Canada, inquiring about him, saying she had not heard from her brother for five years.

ARRESTED.—Cottage Grove Leader: Tuesday, Mr Hains, the Lenati drayman, was engaged in hauling on the other side; the marshal of Cottage Grove arrested him upon the charge of draying in the city without license, and locked him up in the calaboose in default of paying his fine.

WANTED.—A Milch cow for her keep during the spring and summer months. Inquire of C C CRONER.

QUICKSILVER MINE.

The Extensive Deposit at the Black Butte Ledge.

OF Vast Commercial Importance.

Roseburg Review: Quicksilver is soon to be produced in large quantities from the Black Butte mines in Lane county, about 17 miles southeast of Cottage Grove. There is a mountain of ore of all degrees of richness, up to 30 per cent mercury. A contract has been let for the construction of a 30 ton quicksilver furnace, with condenser, dryer, etc, work on which is to be begun immediately. The company has recently built a good wagon road to the mines, bridging several streams; has bought a fine farm for headquarters, with buildings that will be used as offices, boarding houses, etc, and every preparation is being made for working the property the coming season.

The importance of this quicksilver property lies to a considerable extent in the fact that for several years the production of the metal on the Pacific coast has been steadily declining on account of the mines being exhausted. Other mineral products have increased in volume. The report of the experts who examined the Black Butte mine says:

"All the indications from present developments warrant the conclusion that the entire mountain is an immense deposit of quicksilver ore, which will produce practically 2 to 3 per cent, which with the ease and cheapness with which it could be worked, makes it one of the most valuable mining propositions on the Pacific coast, if not the whole world."

The property consists of 1040 acres of land along the top of Black Butte, which, rather than an individual butte, is a spur of the Cascade range, and rises to a height of 2700 feet above the level of the surrounding country. The peculiar ore, mixed with a gangue that is a sort of decomposed quartz, crops out along a distance of about 4000 feet near the crest of the ridge, and there are many eligible sites for furnaces, dumps, inclines, tracks, ore bins, furnaces, shops, and all the necessary facilities for the economical extraction of the ore. Six main cuts and two tunnels have been made, from which assays were made showing from 3 to 40 per cent quicksilver. The cost of reducing the ore is estimated at \$1 per ton. The market price of the quicksilver is about 52 cents a pound.

Some time ago J Behrman, who is managing the work at the mine brought to the Chamber of Commerce a collection of mineral specimens, two large pieces of rock bearing cinnabar, in one of which the proportion is said to be 40 per cent of the weight. Yesterday Mr Behrman brought down a vial with nine ounces of quicksilver that he said he had reduced from a pound of ore.

The Black Butte Mining Company is composed of Seattle and Port Townsend men, who have been quietly investigating the merits of their claims, and adding to the extent of their property. Now they are ready to open up the mine and work it energetically, and it will become an important industry. It is said that the cost of the production of quicksilver in California is between 22 to 23 cents per pound, while the cost of getting quicksilver from the Black Butte mines is estimated at 10 cents per pound.

Do Not Forget.

The change of location of the Northern Pacific ticket office, which is now with "The Eugene Real Estate Agency," on the ground floor, directly opposite the GUARD office, near corner of Seventh and Willamette streets, Eugene. This is the only regular City Ticket office in Lane county. We are absolutely the only line running through cars from Eugene to the East or South without change. Remember no change of cars at Portland via the Northern Pacific, the only line running the upholstered Pullman Tourist Sleeping cars and the celebrated Dining cars on every train. Don't forget this in choosing your route for a business or pleasure trip.

For information call or address R MCMURPHY, General Agent, Opposite GUARD office, Eugene.

The Way to the East.

If you anticipate a trip East either for business or pleasure remember the Southern Pacific is the only company that can check your baggage through from Eugene to destination. A tourist car passes through Eugene every night direct to Chicago without change. For maps, folders, terms and further information apply to E J McCLANAHAN, Southern Pacific overland ticket office, first door south Hotel Eugene.

WILLARD MEMORIAL.

Eugene's Citizens Pay Tribute to the Noted Lady's Memory.

The First Christian church was crowded to its greatest capacity last evening by those attendant upon the memorial services in honor of the late Francis E Willard.

The program was so arranged that every phase of the gifted lady's life, work and character were brought out by the speakers, and its recital was listened to with interest. A number of excellent musical selections alternated with the speakers, adding to the appreciation of the services.

Considerable credit attaches to the Eugene W C T U and its president, Mrs A J Johnson, for the success of the services.

Following is the program as rendered:

Funeral march from Beethoven's Sonata op 25. Mrs Helen DeLano.

Hymn—"My Faith Looks Up to Thee."

Scripture Reading—Rev W S Gilbert.

Solo and Quartet—"On Heights of Power."

White Ribboners' Memorial Hymn. (Words by Miss Willard).

Prayer—Rev Farr.

"Miss Willard as a Patriot"—Rev M L Rose.

"Miss Willard as an Organizer"—Rev R C Brooks.

Song—"Crossing the Bar." Words by Tennyson. Music by Marbury.

Mrs Brooks, Misses Cecile and Benetta Dorris, Louise Moran.

"Ideal Manhood and Womanhood."—Rev C F Clapp.

"Miss Willard as a Friend"—Mrs Farr.

Hymn—"Blest Be the Tie." "Wagner's Farewell"—Mrs Helen DeLano.

DEPUTIES APPOINTED.

Assessor Burton Commences Field Work of 1898 Assessment.

Assessor D P Burton has made the appointment of the following deputies who will assist him in the field work of the 1898 assessment. Some of the deputies have already begun their work:

Camp Creek, Mabel, Mohawk, McKenzie and Gate Creek—G W Riggs.

Willamette, Mohawk and Springfield—E C Martia.

Thurston, Jasper, Fall Creek, Middle Fork and Hazel Dell—Paul Hadley.

Pleasant Hill and Lost Valley—J F Callison.

Creswell—Robt Hawley.

Goshen and country west of Eugene—B F Keeney.

Irving—Ed Bond.

Long Tom, Richardson and Cheshier—J H Yates.

Spencer, Coyote, Siuslaw and Mound—W H Hawley.

Gleneta, Walton, Lane and Gate Creek—J H Sutherland.

Herman—W S Meade.

Florence, Mapleton and Hequeta—W H Weatherston.

Bohemia, East and West Cottage Grove and Eugene—D P Burton.

Logs for Sale.

The undersigned will have for sale on or about June 1 a lot of first class yellow fir saw logs, about one and one-half million feet. Some are now being cut and barked ready to roll into the river at my farm near Elliston. Parties wishing to purchase saw logs are invited to call and inspect them on or about May 1 next. Also I will have about as many more for sale by next fall, and a further lot of from 3,000,000 to 4,000,000 feet to be prepared for market during the season of '98 and '99. All of said logs will be barked at my place on the McKenzie river.

JOHN COGSWELL. Elliston, Feb 1, 1898.

Attention Ex-Union Soldiers.

It is your duty to become members of J W Geary Post, No 7, G A R, De partment of Oregon. If you live in this jurisdiction. Post meetings every second and fourth Friday evenings of each month.

E F CHAPMAN, Commander A C JENNINGS, Adjutant.

For Sale on Good Terms.

A first class brick and tile factory, doing a good business. Reason for selling: Have other business.

MITCHELL & MOORE, Newberg, Oregon.

FOR SALE.

\$60.00 \$40.00 KIRKLAND PLACE

One and one-half miles north of Eugene on river road.

...FOR ONE MONTH ONLY...

Will divide the place to make sale. Enquire of

Eugene Real Estate and Investment Company.

First Door South Hotel Eugene.

THE MAINE REPORT.

The President Has Promised the Public Immediate Information About It.

IS EXPECTED WEDNESDAY.

Washington, March 20.—By Wednesday next the president will have in his possession the momentous record and findings of the Maine court of inquiry. The report may come tomorrow or next day, but it will surely not be later than the date mentioned. This much your reporter was told today by an official high in authority.

Undoubtedly the president has information about the time the report will arrive, but none of his advisers will make a definite statement. Authoritative denial is given to the statement that a partial report or full report had been received here.

Furthermore, it was explained today by a distinguished officer of the government that no information as to findings was expected until the formal communication had been delivered. It is the present intention of the president to make the report public through transmission to congress as soon as he has had a chance to read and consider it.

Real Estate Transfers.

Reported daily from the Abstract Office of A E Wheeler & Co.

Bell Jennings and wife to John H McClung, 23 feet front on East side of Willamette street in Eugene, between 7th and 8th; \$1.

H L Dunn and wife to George M Dillard n s e c and e s w 1, sec 28 tp 18, 3 w; \$2000.

State of Oregon to J W Allen, lot 1, sec 28 tp 18, 3 w; \$37.53.

J B Mosby and wife to I H Veatch and D A Mosby, lots 5 and 6, block 3, McFarland's addition to Cottage Grove; \$350.

D L Butler and wife to E T Butler e s e c 3 tp 19, 6 w; \$1.

Frank Hemenway and wife to J H Prince 10 acres in sec 5 tp 18, 4 w; \$120.

Frank Hemenway and wife d e to 11 C Cole 20 acres in sec 6 tp 18, 4 w; \$240.

Emily J Hummer and wife to Wm Horn lots in Cottage Grove; \$800.

A W Gilbert and wife to E R Frank, the Hanchett property on High street between 8th and 9th in Eugene; \$1700.

E E Upmeyer and wife to W E Brown 100 acres in sec 30 tp 17 1 east \$400.

For Sale.

I have a 12 horse J I Case portable engine which I will sell cheap or trade for a good team of heavy horses and wagon.

J H HARRIS, agent. For Aultman & Taylor Thresher Co

Wheel for Trade.

A good wheel to trade for body fir or grub oak wood. RACKET.

SNOW.—The beautiful fell last night to the depth of about 3 inches, but melted rapidly as the day has been warm and sunshiny.

Attention!

Our Spring Goods are most all here now. We invite you to come before the lines are broken. It will pay you to see them.

DRESS GOODS.

Here is where is where we shine. Ottomans, Bengelines, Poppins, Melanges, Mavelieux.

Plaids Plain, shades we have them all in the newest weaves and colors. Prices to suit every one.

All that is new, pretty and desirable you will find here, this is to be a season of Ribbons and Laces galore. We are prepared for it.

CORSETS AND GLOVES.

New styles, and prices, ask to see the Thompson's glove fitting corset, they are sure to fit and please.

WASH GOODS.

This line comprises so many such dainty creations, it will be impossible to do them justice in prosaic words. They must be seen before you can realize their beauty. Organize Laces, Mirrors, St Germain Fastine Scotch Zepherus, Tulle Dunards, Magnum, Fancies; Scotch, Lawn, Percales, Vicunas, Outing are a few and at prices from 5c up, look them over.

We are agents for the justly famed Jamestown Worsteds. The are well known as among the newest productions and sterling value

F. E. Dunn

M'KINLEY COLLAPSES.

Overwork and Worry Has Shattered His Nervous System.

IS SAID TO FEAR ASSASSINATION.

Chicago, Ill, March 20.—The Chronicle's Washington correspondent says: President McKinley is almost at the point of collapse. His condition is such that his friends are considerably alarmed about him. At times he seems to be all right, but he has frequent spells of despondency, during which he is in a state of nervous terror. He acts like a man shrinking from some invisible danger. When he has one of those mysterious attacks he will not listen to a suggestion of a war with Spain.

When he is affected in this way Mr McKinley also fears assassination. He has developed a superstition that Cuba is destined to be free, but that his own fate is in some way involved with the liberation of the island from Spanish misrule. At his request the force of detectives employed at the White House and about the grounds has been greatly increased. Officers in uniform are not kept on guard, as was the rule under former administrations, but detectives in citizens clothes are employed. About 40 officers are now devoted to the work of guarding the president.

The president's friends think that his trouble is of a nervous character, and that it has been superinduced by loss of sleep and mental worry resulting from the attention he has given the Cuban question.

Change of Location.

The Northern Pacific Ticket Office has been changed from its former location over Hall's grocery store to more commodious quarters, with The Eugene Real Estate Agency, on the ground floor, first door north of Griffin's hardware store, directly opposite the GUARD office, where they will be pleased to see any persons contemplating a trip East or South.

For information concerning rates, routes, time tables etc, call on or address R MCMURPHY, General Agt. Opposite GUARD office, Eugene.

For Sale at a Bargain.

A beautiful country home with twenty-five acres of excellent land fine dwelling house of modern construction, two wells of elegant water outbuildings etc. Fine fishing and hunting. Would exchange for a paying business. For particulars address Box 477, Eugene, Oregon.

Mare Strayed.

Strayed from my place 5 miles north of Eugene in July, a black mare, 13 years old, weight about 1100 pounds. Bulging forehead and dish-faced. Information leading to her recovery will be rewarded. Address M G MASTERSON. Eugene, Oregon, Dec 20, 1897.

CLOTHING.

We are receiving additions in this department continually, we will have a surprise for you in a few days.

HATS AND CAPS.

In this line we can please all whether it be shape, color, style, quality, size, or price. We are agents for the famed Kingsbury soft hat, and the Ruloff stiff hats, both acknowledged leaders in their lines.

SHIRTS.

Gold and silver means correct style, perfect fit, careful finish and honest value, you get them from us only.

SHOES.

Here it is hard to pick the winners, we have them in the new tons, crowns black fancy vesting tops and plain new coin toes lace for both ladies gentlemen. \$2.00 buys as pretty and good a shoe as most dealers will ask \$3.00 for. Come and see them anyway. New styles and colors in this week.

SHIRT WAISTS.

Trojan is the acme of perfection in this line, they are going already.