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The Editor's Gossip

The meeting of the Merchants and Farmers Club at the Adams Hotel Monday evening was a howling success and we were pleased to note the attendance of the following out of town parties: J. C. Duus, A. W. Botkin, S. J. Howe, John Ely, Vernie Duus, Ed. Saling, John Duus, Geo. Walters, R. H. Currin and Frank Ewing.

Now that Oregon City knows that Eastern Clackamas is on the map why not ask the County Court to do something for our friends in Dodge and Highland, so that they can come over and see us once in a while.

Another shipment of live stock this week, including both hogs and beef. We hope to make another shipment this year, if you have anything for sale in the way of live stock advise us at once.

While we hardly contemplate extending our business to take in distant parts of the county, we do recommend Dr. Hess' Instant Louse Killer, for those school children in a distant district, whose representative at the Budget Meeting admitted that a health officer was called to relieve the itching.

From now on, E. E. will be known as Shorty Saling, when his six foot three was made to look like a pigmy, along side of the Sheriff of Klickitat County, who measures lengthwise over six foot eight. They were stood up along side at the Farmers and Merchants Club meeting Monday night.

The most contemptible individual that we know of is the fellow that goes to a competitor and runs his credit until he has worn it out and when he can no longer get anything charged comes over to us and pays cash. We don't appreciate his trade for if he has any cash to spend he should spend it where he has received the previous accommodation.

Beet Pulp

We expect another car of beet pulp to arrive the last of this week or the first of next, and we are now taking orders subject to the arrival of this car at \$27.00 per ton subject to 2% discount for cash. Get your orders in early as the supply is very limited and the market advancing daily.

Spud Talk

We are again buying spuds, the car situation being temporarily relieved, if you have any potatoes for sale, phone us, and we will arrange to call and inspect same. We expect to buy all winter if the car situation does not become so acute as to make it impossible to handle on account of freezing.

Special Order Department

A short time ago we sent out 25 letters to some of our most intimate friends telling them that in connection with our Produce Buying Department we were going to conduct a SPECIAL ORDER DEPARTMENT in which we would make it a rule to order anything from a knitting needle to an areoplane.

Since that time we have received and filled orders for a fanning mill, a bill of finishing lumber, some drain tile, a common stone churn, a ten gallon stone jar for the family kraut, a patent chicken coop, a bill of furniture for a bride and groom, and a cook stove for an old bachelor.

No matter what you want if you will make your wants known and give us two days time, we'll get it for you, and save you money, and at the same time you will be patronizing the home merchant, who patronizes you, instead of the mail order house, which pays no taxes and does nothing but take from the community. Give us a trial.

Wanted

Empty grain sacks. Potatoes, Onions, Cabbages, Parsnips, Chickens, by the hundred, Eggs 25 cases, 1000 lb. Small White Beans, 500 lbs. No. 1 Dried Prunes.

Lost and Found

Lost the friendship of a grouch, found the friendship of 100 good substantial farmers, because we are so busy trying to look after the best interests of our many patrons in this community.

Reward

For information regarding any worthy family in this community who will have none of the Christmas spirit unless furnished by some outsider.

With any Order for Groceries amounting to \$5.00 not including flour or sugar, we will give you your choice of any article of Graniteware for 35c

SANTA CLAUS SPECIALS

IN OUR GROCERY DEPARTMENT, GOOD UNTIL XMAS DAY

SUGAR—

Best Cane, 15 lbs. for \$1.00 when sold with

any grocery order for

\$2.00

NUTS

Fancy Mixed— Per Pound

18c

CANDY

Fancy Mixed— Per Pound

15c

Special prices on—

Candy or Nuts

to Schools or Churches.

SPECIAL SALE—OF Blue and White Granite Ware, just what the housewife

will want for a Xmas present. Your choice of any article in stock including tea kettle, dish pan, stew kettle, double boiler, or cooking pans only **60c** Come early as our supply is somewhat limited and there are no more to be had at these prices.

Is it wrong for us to give 2% discount for cash, when almost every house in Portland gives this discount on purchases made from them. We think not, its simply passing along something to which the man who pays cash is entitled. No matter how small a purchase it will pay you to get your cash discount tickets, and save them, remember \$25.00 worth of these tickets are worth 50c in cash or 55c in trade.

What Have You to Sell?

We have just enlarged our selling facilities for the products of the farm, and it is now our intention to sell largely direct to the consumer which will enable them to buy cheaper than from the middleman, and will enable us to pay more to the farmer. No matter what you have to sell it will pay you to advise us before selling elsewhere.