

Forest Grove and Vicinity

Best grass seed of all kinds at Hicks.
Picture frames, the latest, at Roe & Buxton's.

Miss Esther Davis is visiting her cousin, Mrs. N. J. Walker.

All kind of unware and granite-ware at Cheney's.

Mrs. A. E. Dixon has been very sick for the past two weeks.

Kan-U—Katch a glimpse of "Our Grocery," and not call?

W. R. Hicks is recovering from a two weeks' siege of sickness.

Home made chicken tamales at Pacific Restaurant. Try them.

Mrs. F. J. Ramsey, of Glencoe, spent a day in town visiting friends.

Peculiar wants supplied at "Our Grocery," Forest Grove.

J. Q. Jackson expects to erect a new building soon on his property east of town.

We have a good line of Xmas gifts. Call and see them. Abbott & Son.

A. D. Fields, a Portland timber man, is out cruising T. 2 N. R. 6 W near Buxton.

A full line of fresh, staple and fancy groceries at "Our Grocery" for your inspection.

Mrs. Mabel Byant, of Fulda, Wash., is visiting at the home of N. J. Walkers.

"Our Grocery" is a store full of worthiness and you'll find your favorite there. Call for it.

M. Peterson is receiving a fine line of goods and will be open for business next week. Watch for his ad.

Fine Eastern sour pickles and fancy mixed sweet pickles at "Our Grocery." Come and see how they are.

The little daughter of James Nichols, of Spring Hill Farm, has been very sick with typhoid fever.

J. W. Hughes will auctioneer your sale. Write or call, R. F. D. No 1 Forest Grove.

J. H. Thatcher, manager of Pacific State Telephone Co., was in town Tuesday, furthering the extension of the line.

A 26-year, gold-filled case, filled with a genuine Elgin-Waltham movement for \$14.50. This is for the ladies' Xmas. Abbott & Son.

Oscar Benson employed in Brooks & Son's harness shop, is enjoying a vacation with his friends and relatives in Portland.

We carry out-glass of the standard America makes. You should examine and see how it would look on your table. Abbott & Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Brock and son, of Pendleton, made a flying visit to his mother, Mrs. N. J. Walker, last Friday.

Club Journal offers 50 per cent. commission for first class solicitor in Forest Grove. 215 Oregonian Bldg., Portland, Oregon.

M. L. Noble, the energetic real estate agent, has sold to Richard Boycroft the F. Harrington farm near Farmington for \$1500.

The Up To Date Grocery are today receiving the finest line of groceries in the city and they will be ready for business next week. Store on Pacific Avenue. Call and see them and watch their ad next week.

John Templeton recently purchased from E. W. Haines, the property next to Johnson's brick barn, occupied by Brooks & Son, the old Western hotel. This is one of the pioneer buildings in Forest Grove and its first use after completion was for the inauguration of the first president of the university.

The new store recently opened by the Misses Darling near the post office has its sign out as the "Mag net." They are now receiving a nice line of notions, books, stationery etc. and will be open for business next week. Watch for their ad.

Mr. Vincent, of Glenwood, has been up at Woodburn attending to his hop farm and this week returned to his home. He reports hop yards in good condition there most of the fields being cleared ready for the next crop.

Estrey—Black cow, dehorned, white star on forehead and white hip; wears bell; no brands; fresh soot. Came to my farm 3 weeks ago. Owner can reclaim same by paying charges. W. K. Curtis, Forest Grove.

Harve Baldwin has employed Mr. Krieder to move the old Baptist church from its present location on the edge of South Park to the Cox corner lot opposite Martin's where it will be filled up for a store.

Mr. Reid, of Jule county, Kansas, arrived this week and is visiting friends here. He expects to seek a location here in Oregon and says he is highly pleased with Washington county.

Fay Harrington has purchased, through Real Estate Agent M. L. Noble, the Joshua Clark property owned by R. Rayeroff for \$900 and expects to move here soon.

Wanted—All the people in this vicinity to call at Roe & Buxton's and inspect one of the most complete lines of furniture, selling at the lowest prices in the county.

Lost—Gold W. O. W. emblem pin in Forest Grove between Sloan Hotel and Christian church. Finder please return to Mrs. Sarah E. Crow, Forest Grove.

T. H. Wilkams expects to move his sawmill soon. Parties expecting to use lumber soon will find it to their advantage to get it before Jan. 1.

Mrs. S. E. Crow is out from Portland on a short visit to friends. She has purchased a house there and expects to reside in that place in the future.

For sale—Tare seed. A quantity of clean tare seed that we will sell for 2 1/2 cents per pound. Call at Varley's Feed Barn, Forest Grove, Ore.

We secured an extra good bargain in umbrellas, it will pay you to look them over.—Thomas & James.

The finest line of Xmas gifts are those handsome pictures at Roe & Buxton's.

On sale; Goodyear Bomoos rubbers, the kind that wears the best, at Thomas and James'.

Overcoats—The latest styles. New consignment just received at John Anderson's. Call and see them.

Brownville Woolen Mill Blankets \$5.00 quality for \$3.50 per pair. Thomas & Adams.

Our jewelry stock is the largest in Washington county, no exceptions Abbott & Son.

For sale—First class camera, plate machine, and outfit. Enquire at News office.

Something for the old folks. Those easy rockers at Roe & Buxton's.

Both Phones in The News Office If you have any news call us up.

Don't miss the chance on the prize given by the Pacific Restaurant.

Christmas goods. The best and at lowest cost at Cheney's.

Prices count. See Roe & Buxton's fine stock of furniture.

Grass seeds of all kinds at W. R. Hicks.
Downs' best popcorn.

Hicks handle all kinds of grass seeds.

If you want something nobby call and see Westcott. He will tell you all about it.

Orders by mail for printing promptly filled and delivered. The News, Forest Grove.

Get your implements at Mrs. Mathies' store, Cornelius, and get them at reduced prices.

Howard B. Mills, a son of the general livestock agent of the O. R. & N. and a P. U. graduate of 1902, has been appointed department assistant in the office of the Governor General of the Philippines, having been the only one from Oregon who passed the civil service examination for that position, and sails for Manila from San Francisco, on Dec. 22.

FOREST GROVE COUNCIL MEETING

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday evening with all members present. The first issue taken up was the cow question and by resolution it was decided to submit the question to a vote of the people at the coming election. It was also decided for the coming election to use the Australian Ballot system and booths for voting.

An ordinance vacating that portion of North 5th Ave, east of North 2nd street, was presented and passed. Mr. Wagner is laying out lots, and the portion of street vacated is only a half street or alley so it was thought best to allow Mr. Wagner to incorporate into the lots being laid out the said vacated street on condition that he dedicate to the public a full street a few feet north of the present street.

The telephone franchise question was again taken up and discussed and the report of the ordinance committee being unsatisfactory to Mr. Thatcher, of the Pacific States Telephone Company, the franchise was referred back to the committee for revision and it will be taken up again at a meeting to be held Dec. 14th to which time adjournment was taken.

FOREST GROVE LODGE ELECTIONS

Forest Chapter No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star.

Mrs. Mary Miller, W. M.; Mr. S. G. Hughes, W. P.; Mrs. Anna Johnson, A. M.; Mrs. Lizzie B. Harris, Sec.; Mrs. Nels Johnson, Treas.; Mrs. E. Ith Hughes, Con.; Mrs. Georgia Hughes, A. Con.

Forest Rebekah Lodge No. 44, I. O. O. F.; N. G. Charlotte Graham; V. G., Manche Langley; Sec., Miss Haley; Treas. E. C. Hill.

Washington Lodge No. 48, I. O. O. F. N. G., J. C. Brooks; V. G., R. C. Hill; sec., J. T. Brooks; treas., T. H. Adams.

No. 282, Patrons of Husbandry. Worthy Master, Daniel Baker; Overseer, Georgia A. Hughes; lecturer, Lizzie L. Todd; steward, J. B. Prickett; assistant steward, W. K. Newell; chaplain, Prof. Jos. W. Marsh; treasurer, Col. Harry Haynes; secretary, J. B. McPherson; gate-keeper, M. E. Dilley; Pomona, Mrs. Harry Haynes, Ceres, Mrs. J. B. McPherson; Flora, Mary Wheeler; lady assistant steward, Orla Buxton.

Things you want are the fine household furniture at Roe & Buxton's. See those handsome couches and lounges.

You know what Wolverine soap is. Buy it as Cheney's

Get an 8-day half-hour strike, fully warranted clock, for 2.50 of Abbott & Son.

Day and night, we are ready to serve warm lunches at the Pacific Restaurant.

Alarm clocks of all the reliable makes at Abbott & Son's.

Downs' best popcorn.

THE WARNING OF HISTORY TO THE CENSORS OF THE PRESS

A press censorship has been established at Cripple Creek by the military authorities who have proclaimed martial law. The provost marshal has taken possession of the mayor's office and threatened to cut off the district from the outside world by locking up the correspondents of the Denver papers and to censor all matter to be sent to the Denver newspapers. It is announced that no publication reflecting on the government of the United States or state of Colorado will be tolerated. Such is a press report under date of December 6, 1903.

History tells how Charles X of France signed an ordinance by which the liberty of the periodical press was suspended and there followed the three terrible days of July, the revolution against the family of Bourbon, and the uncrowning of Charles X.

In 1695 when the English press became seditious John Milton advocated its freedom, saying: "Though all the winds of doctrine were let loose to play upon the earth, so truth be in the field, we do injuriously, by licensing and prohibiting, to misdoubt her strength. Let her and falsehood grapple, who ever knew truth put to the worse in a free and open encounter?" In 1803 Napoleon, having been greatly irritated by the articles published in England, asked that the government suppress the newspapers which published articles unfriendly to himself. He was informed that the press was free and beyond the power of the government to suppress.

Frederick the Great was accounted remarkable even among statesmen accustomed to the license of a free press for the steadfastness of mind with which he upheld its freedom when he himself was the subject of one of the most stinging lampoons ever written in the world.

So a free press has ever been accounted the bulwark of popular liberty. The precedent established at New York in 1731 when John Zenger was upheld in telling the truth has been proudly cited in American courts as one of the most firmly established of our unwritten laws, and the national and state constitutions have carefully provided that no law abridging the freedom of the press shall be passed.

Is comment needed upon the despotism establishing itself at Cripple Creek? Has the censorship any place in a free country? The merits of the labor question now agitating the Colorado mining district are no longer at issue. The right of every man to labor if he will as one of the blessings of liberty is subordinate to the welfare of that safeguard of all liberty, the freedom of the press, which has never been a terror except to evildoers, which need be feared only by corrupt government.

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