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"We can save you money"

This advertising expression undoubtedly dates back to the beginning of barter and sale, and as a talking point is hard to beat.

The only trouble about its use is that some people are impetuous and want to see the saving quick.

So far as tires are concerned, and if it is the immediate dollar right in hand that is wanted, you can beat Diamond Squeegee Tread Tires for a quick saving at the start.

BUT if it is the big saving that comes from accumulated mileage that's most inviting, we can truly save you money on Diamond Squeegee Tread Tires.

DIAMOND "FAIR-LISTED" PRICES:

Size	Diamond Squeegee	Size	Diamond Squeegee
30 x 3	\$ 9.45	34 x 4	\$20.35
30 x 3 1/2	12.20	36 x 4 1/2	28.70
32 x 3 1/2	14.00	37 x 5	33.90
33 x 4	20.00	38 x 5 1/2	46.00

Diamond

"SQUEEGEE TREAD" TIRES

MASON TELLS WHAT WAR MOVES MEAN

(By United Press Leased Wire.)

New York, Nov. 20.—The reported capture of Monastir, whether true or not, means that the Bulgars are pressing toward the Greek border in order to embroil Greece with the allies. For should the Serbs take refuge in Greece before the oncoming of their pursuers, the fact would not help the allies' representatives in Athens, inasmuch as the Greeks would probably intern them and thus raise a row with the allies over this course. By entering the Monastir region the Bulgars exposed their eastern flank to an allied attack. This attack, however, has not been delivered.

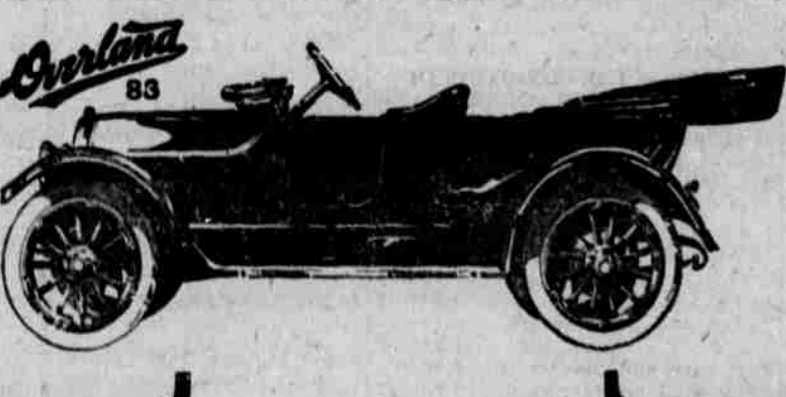
This fact must strengthen the pro-

Germans in Athens, for it indicated apparently that Bulgaria does not fear the allies in the Balkans, and it tends to strengthen the pro-German view that the allies failed to deliver the attack because they were not sufficiently powerful so to do.

Moreover, all indications are that the allies are exercising very little influence on the course of military events in the Balkans.

The embargo which France and England have placed on Greek trade is the sole material influence which the entente powers have brought to bear on Greece.

Yet this single act, coupled with Balkan military developments, leaves King Constantine in a dilemma. The plight of the Serbs emphasizes the pro-German belief in Athens that the Teutons are far ahead in the war. Yet if Greece sides with Germany by interning Serbians she faces the prospect of having her commerce ruined by the allies.



Price \$750, Factory

FASHION GARAGE

AGENT

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Supplies, Accessories, Expert Vulcanizers, Mechanics, Drivers

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25c

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PROPOSED TAX LEVY FOR FUNDS FOR 1915

The following is the proposed tax levy for the year 1915, to be collected during 1916:

County judge and commissioners	2,000.00
County clerk's office, all expenses	4,000.00
Sheriff's office, all expenses	4,500.00
Assessor's office, all expenses	3,200.00
Treasurer's office, all expenses	800.00
School superintendent's office, all expenses	1,750.00
Surveyor's office, all expenses	1,000.00
Board of health	700.00
Fruit inspector, all expenses	1,000.00
District sealer of weights and measures	150.00
Stock inspector, all expenses	200.00
Coroner	200.00
Registration and elections	5,000.00
Court house, fuel, lights, repairs, janitor	1,500.00
Circuit court, all expenses	2,500.00
Juvenile court	400.00
Justice courts, all expenses	2,500.00
County court, all expenses	300.00
County home, all expenses	4,500.00
Other paupers	4,000.00
Widows' pensions	4,000.00
Indigent soldiers	200.00
Jail, board of prisoners, etc.	600.00
Advertising	3,000.00
Miscellaneous expenses	1,000.00
Ferries	1,000.00
Scalp bounty	400.00
District attorney's office, all expenses	1,000.00
Water master, all expenses	800.00
County fair	500.00

\$52,700.00

For the above it will be necessary to levy a 5 1/10 mill tax. Besides this a levy of 3 4/10 mill for county school purposes, raising about \$35,382.18; 2 8/10 mill for state tax, raising about \$29,138.25; 1 7/10 mill for a sinking fund for a new court house, raising about \$17,691.08; 2 mills in order to take care of interest on warrants and reduce the outstanding warrants, raising about \$20,813.04, making a total of 15 mills; and 5 mills for roads, raising about \$38,699.60.

In view of the fact that the assessed valuation of Josephine county is \$885,202.00 less for the current year than for the preceding year, it necessitates a greater levy.

The levy will be made Saturday, December 4, 1915, at 10 o'clock a. m. If any person wants to discuss the same he must be present at that time.

E. L. COBURN,
County Clerk.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of School District No. 7 of Josephine County, State of Oregon, that a special school meeting of said district will be held at Central school building on the 27th day of November, 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to vote on the proposition of levying a special district tax.

The purposes for which the money to be raised by this levy shall be expended are shown by the following itemized budget, which is hereby made a part of this notice:

Teachers' salaries	\$23,025.00
Furniture	200.00
Apparatus	500.00
Library books	100.00
Repairs of school houses, outbuildings, etc.	1,000.00
Playground apparatus	100.00
Transportation of pupils	360.00
Janitors' salaries	1,950.00
Janitors' supplies	1,500.00
Fuel	500.00
Light	175.00
Clerk's salary	240.00
Postage and stationery	75.00
Interest on bonds	4,315.00
Sinking fund	2,700.00

Total.....\$36,740.00

Dated this 27th day of October, 1915.

EDWARD S. VANDYKE,
District Clerk.

L. B. HALL,
3t Chairman Board of Directors.

Guncotton Amber.
Nitrocotton that produces such powerful powder also produces a beautiful imitation of amber. Claim is made that if one buys a meerschmum pipe with an amber piece six inches long at what seems to be an unusually low price, one may rely upon it being colloidion—a solution of guncotton in ether. The cloudy effect which some smokers like is produced by a large amount of camphor in the solution. Nitrocotton also produces a fine substitute for tortoise shell.

Classified Advertising

FOM SALE

SLAB WOOD—Williams Wood Yard. Ask for prices. 475tf

REGISTERED HOLSTEIN BULL CALF—Good individual, well bred, high record ancestry, price low. Registered Berkshire pigs by Laurel Champion, world's record sire. F. R. Steel, Winona Ranch, Grants Pass, Ore. 475tf

ALPALFA HAY—First, second, third and fourth cuttings, \$14.80 per ton. Sleepy Hollow warehouse, opposite S. P. roundhouse. Open Saturdays. 585tf

HARLAY, pure bred Percheron stallion, registered, state licensed, will stand for late fall breeding at Brownie's Livery barn, Grants Pass, Oregon. C. S. Etnier, owner. 414

FOR SALE CHEAP—Four hundred fifty dollars buys a new house with lot 50x100. Easy terms. See Joseph Moss, 204 N. 6th St. 593tf

FOR SALE—Hall's safe, in good condition, delivered at Merlin, \$50. Box 232, Ashland, Ore. 600

TYPEWRITERS—Remington No. 7, \$15; Underwood No. 4, \$35. Courier office. 601

NICE black mare, weight 1100 lbs., to trade for a good fresh cow. Address Lester Layton, Murphr, or phone Provolt central. 598tf

GOOD IRRIGATED FARM for sale or trade for well located timber, preferably near C. & O. C. railroad. A. L. Edgerton. 599

TO RENT

FOR RENT CHEAP—Large, commodious house two blocks from post office. O. S. Blanchard. 568tf

FOR RENT—Furnished three-room cottage with sleeping tent and piano. Ed H. Allen, 245 West J street. Phone 235-R. 600

VETERINARY SURGEON

DR. R. J. BESTUL, Veterinarian, Office in Winetrot Implement Building. Phone 113-J. Residence phone 305-R.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM LANDS—I have secured the agency at Grants Pass for a company to make farm loans on a conservative valuation. Loan payable in twenty annual payments, with privilege of paying sooner. Owner must live on his farm. Sam H. Baker, at the Josephine County bank. 601

PLUMBING

W. R. RANNIE—Plumbing, tin and sheet metal work. Removed to 512 H, opposite Fashion garage. Phone 36. 601

ASSAYERS

E. R. CROUCH, assayer, chemist, metallurgist. Rooms 201-203 Padlock Building, Grants Pass.

FRAUDULENT USE OF RED CROSS FLAG CHARGED TO ENGLISH

Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville, Nov. 20.—Charges of fraudulent use of the Red Cross flag by English transports bound to the Orient were made today by an admiralty official.

"Our submarines wirelessly that when English ships reached the submarine danger zone," he said, "they drop Red Cross flags over the white space painted on the side of the vessel. Seventy English transports passed Gibraltar for Saloniki, heavily laden and painted like hospital ships.

"One can tell whether a vessel is heavily laden by the water she draws. These ships carried to the limit of their capacities. Surely England is not sending 70 hospital ships to Greece within a few days. They were undoubtedly carrying troops and munitions.

"This is the biggest fraud, and it is illustrative of the lengths to which our enemies will go."

Although carefully watched, not a single undisguised English transport has arrived since one was submerged, the official declared.

A New View.
"What a nice, kind man Nero was!"
"What? Why, the wretch fiddled while Rome burned!"
"I know. He'd probably waited all his life for a chance when he wouldn't disturb any one."

TIME CARD

California and Oregon Coast Railroad Company

(The Oregon Coast Route)
Effective Monday, October 18, 1915
Train No. 1 lv. Grants Pass 7:00 a.m. Arrives Wilderville 8:00 a.m.
Train No. 2 lv. Wilderville 5:00 p.m. Arrives Grants Pass 6:00 p.m.
Every day in the week, including Sunday

All trains leave Grants Pass from the corner of G and Eighth streets, opposite the Southern Pacific depot. For all information regarding freight and passenger service call at the office of the company, Public Service building, or phone 135-R for same.

Trains will stop on flag at any point between Grants Pass and Wilderville. Passage service every day in the week.

CITY REGISTRATION

The annual general city election for the City of Grants Pass will be held on Monday, December 6, 1915. All electors of the city desiring to vote at this election should register. The registration books are open in the auditor's office in the city hall.

Special attention will be given to registering from 2 o'clock p. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. each day of this week.

Yours truly,
H. H. BASLER, Auditor.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

Notice is hereby given that an initiative petition was on the 17th day of November, 1915, filed with the undersigned, Auditor and Police Judge, asking that a certain proposed charter amendment be submitted to the legal voters of the City of Grants Pass for their approval or rejection at the regular general election to be held in said City on the 6th day of December, 1915, a brief statement of the tenor and effect of said petition being as follows:

AN ACT

To propose an amendment to the charter of the City of Grants Pass by adding thereto Section 166, which said amendment provides for the purchase and acquisition by the City of the Rogue River Water Works system, under and pursuant to an offer made to the City thereof, which said offer by said amendment is expressly accepted, and to authorize for the purpose of the purchase and acquisition of said water works system an issue of bonds of the City in the sum of one hundred twenty thousand dollars (\$120,000.00), as provided in said amendment, which said bonds shall be known as City of Grants Pass Five Per Cent Water Bonds, providing for the form of said bonds and the coupons attached thereto, and authorizing the council to levy such an additional tax each year in an amount sufficient to pay the annual interest of said bonds and the principal thereof as same mature, and authorizing and instructing the mayor and recorder to sign same and affix the seal of the city thereto and to do any and all acts necessary to carry into effect the provisions of said amendment;

said proposed amendment will be printed in pamphlet form by the City and copies mailed to every legal voter within the city whose address is known, not later than ten (10) days before said general election, and can be had at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge thereof upon application.

Dated at Grants Pass, Oregon, this 19th day of November, 1915.
H. H. BASLER,
Auditor and Police Judge.

PORTLAND MARKETS

Wheat—Club, 92@95; bluestem, 95@97 1/2.

Oats—No. 1 white feed, 24@24.75. Barley—Brewing, 28@29.50; feed, 26.50@28.

Hogs—Best live, 6.05@6.10. Prime steers, 6.75@7; fancy cows, 5.25; best calves, 7@7.50.

Spring lambs, 7.50. Butter—City creamery, 31 1/2. Eggs—Selected local extras, 41@42.

Hens, 13@13 1/2; broilers, 12@12 1/2; geese, 11.

TO MOVE MONTENEGRIN CAPITAL TO SCUTARI

Berlin, via Wireless to Sayville, L. I., Nov. 20.—The Montenegrins are preparing to move their capital from Cetinje to Scutari, according to a Vienna dispatch today.

WOULD-BE SUICIDE RUNS OUT OF AMMUNITION

Tipton, Ind., Nov. 20.—After Amos Keag, 45 years old, had fired three bullets into his abdomen and two into his head, he asked a friend to re-load the gun that he might kill himself. He'll recover.

PHYSICIANS

L. O. CLEMENT, M. D.—Practice limited to diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted. Office hours 9-12, 2-5, and on appointment. Office phone 62; residence phone 359-J.

S. LOUGHRIDGE, M. D., Physician and surgeon. City or country calls attended day or night. Res. phone 369; office phone 183. Sixth and H. Tufts Building.

J. P. TRUAX, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office, Office, 325; Residence, 324. Call answered at all hours. Country calls attended to. Lundeburg Bldg.

F. H. INGRAM, D. C., D. O.—Mental Spinal, Nervous and Chronic Diseases. Office: 215 North Sixth street. Hours: 10 to 12, 2 to 5. Other hours by appointment. Phone 7. Res. phone 348-J.

DR. ED BYWATER—Specialist on diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat; glasses fitted. Office hours 9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m. Phones: Res., 324-J; office, 257-J. Schmidt Building, Grants Pass, Oregon.

DENTISTS

E. C. MACY, D. M. D., first-class dentist. 109 1/2 South Sixth street, Grants Pass, Oregon.

BERT R. ELLIOTT, D. M. D.—Modern dental work. Marguerite E. Heyer, dental assistant. Rooms 4 and 5, Golden Rule building, Grants Pass, Ore. Phone 245-J.

M. R. BRITTON, Dentist. Rooms 3 and 3, Lundeburg building, opposite post office. Hours 9 a. m. to 12 m.; 1:30 to 5 p. m. Saturdays 9 a. m. to 12 m.

ATTORNEYS

H. D. NORTON, Attorney-at-Law. Practice in all State and Federal Courts. First National Bank Bldg.

COLVIG & WILLIAMS Attorneys-at-Law, Grants Pass Banking Co. Building, Grants Pass, Ore.

E. S. VANDYKE, Attorney. Practice in all courts. First National Bank Bldg.

EDWARD H. RICHARD, Attorney-at-Law. Office Masonic Temple, Grants Pass, Oregon.

W. T. MILLER, Attorney-at-Law. County attorney for Josephine County. Office Schalhorn Bldg.

O. S. BLANCHARD, Attorney-at-Law, Grants Pass Banking Co. building. Phone 270. Grants Pass, Ore.

DECORATORS AND PAINTERS

PAPERHANGING, graining, painting. For best work at lowest prices phone 295-J. C. G. Plant, South Park street.

DRAYAGE AND TRANSFER

COMMERCIAL TRANSFER CO. All kinds of drayage and transfer work carefully and promptly done. Phone 132-R. Stand at freight depot. A. Shade, Propr.

G. ISHAM, drayage and transfer. Safes, pianos and furniture moved, packed, shipped and stored. Phone Clark & Holman, No. 50. Residence phone 124-R.

MISCELLANEOUS

CRYSTAL SPRINGS water, put up in 6-gallon glass jars and delivered at your door, fresh, pure sanitary. Telephone 293-R and water wagon will call. 564tf

PURE MOUNTAIN WATER—Clear and refreshing. Bacterial tests assure that this water is pure. Delivered in five-gallon bottles, 25c. W. E. Beckwith. Order by phone, 602-F-3. 459tf

THE WORLD MOVES; so do we. Bunch Bros. Transfer Co. Phone 15-R.

LODGES

GRANTS PASS Lodge No. 84, A. F. A. M. Stated communications 1st and 3d Tuesdays. Visiting brethren cordially invited. F. W. Russell, Jr., W. M. Edw. G. Harris, secretary.

GOLDEN RULE LODGE, No. 78, I. O. O. F., meets every Wednesday eve in I. O. O. F. hall, cor. 6th and H Sts. Visiting Odd Fellows cordially invited to be present. W. H. Ryan, N. G.; Clyde Martin, Secretary.

Mining blanks, Courier office.