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No Man May Be Both Accuser and Judge.

Dark and dismal is the outlook for development in Harney County as announced from Mr. McConnell's comment (Harney County News of November 27th) upon the compromise between the State of Oregon and the Pacific Live Stock Company.

McConnell assumes personal responsibility for the institution of the suit but not so for the compromise under which it has been settled.

When a man has fallen into the mire he must flounder the more he flounders himself. The criticism of Attorney General Brown is evidently intended to show him as a man with warped conception of justice.

Some men continuously attempt to make a sugar hole with a gimlet. Much of the land in question was acquired from the State of Oregon in 1887 by one H. C. Owen who sold his interest therein to Todhunter in 1896.

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The Green Ribbon

Not a Patent Medicine

The world is coming to an end.

Somewhere near December 17th or 20th.

Tom Stephens says so, and the Ribbon agrees with him.

Only Tom says he has the scientific dope on it—Japanese and French astronomers have found a comet that will bump us off about that time.

Maybe Tom is right.

The Ribbon has other thoughts about the world ending.

We wouldn't know about it in Burns for a few days, anyhow, because the chances are the mail would be late.

But you know how many years we have waited for an irrigation district.

And how much it means to Harney valley.

And how bad we need the water stored.

Well, the C. I. is of the opinion that—pessimistically speaking—the world must be coming to an end, because it looks like irrigation is coming.

Captain Duncan bets we will be storing water in the reservoir in the spring of 1921.

Atanierate, we can spare the cheerful idiot, and if he wants to stop irrigation just because it endangers the little old world's life, we'll have to throw him out.

The Ribbon is willing to take chances on being bumped by a comet, and DON'T YOU THINK—

We might as well let the world end as do without irrigation any longer.

BUT if it does end, we don't want to miss it.

A collector called at a local business office the other day to collect the electric light bill. He didn't get any money.

It was so dark the business man couldn't see to write the check.

The recipe for running a column like this is quite simple.

All you have to do is write anything you please, and coax the makeup man to put fancy dashes between paragraphs.

Purple is a color for kings, but doesn't help flat remarks.

And most anyone would rather die than STAY YELLOW.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS

Notice is hereby given that the County Superintendent of Harney County, Oregon, will hold the regular examination of applicants for State Certificates at Burns, Drewsey, and Denio as follows:

Commencing Wednesday, December 17, 1919 at 9:00 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday, December 20, 1919 at 4:00 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday Forenoon U. S. History, Writing (Penmanship), Music, Drawing

ONLY 15 More Shopping Days



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Wednesday Afternoon Physiology, Reading, Manual Training, Composition, Domestic Science, Methods in Reading, Course of Study for Drawing, Methods in Arithmetic
Thursday Forenoon Arithmetic, History of Education, Psychology, Methods in Geography, Mechanical Drawing, Domestic Art, Course of Study for Domestic Art
Thursday Afternoon Grammar, Geography, Stenography, American Literature, Physics, Typewriting, Methods in Language, Thesis for Primary Certificate
Friday Forenoon Theory and Practice, Orthography (Spelling), Physical Geography, English Literature, Chemistry
Friday Afternoon School Law, Geology, Algebra Civil Government

Saturday Forenoon Geometry, Botany
Saturday Afternoon General History, Bookkeeping
FRANCES CLARK County Superintendent
SURPRISE WEDDING LAST WEEK Wallace "Dude" Parker and Miss Helena Perry were married at Bend on November 28. It was a surprise to their many friends in this vicinity and was to remain a secret for an indefinite time but newspaper men have ways of finding out these things as it isn't so far to Bend, especially when Mr. Wray has been in since the event. Mr. Parker is one of the boys born and raised in this community. He has followed ranch work and stock-raising all his life. His bride is a

very charming young lady who is teaching the school in the district up the river. LOCAL AND PERSONAL R. J. McKinnon Jr. was in town yesterday from his ranch in the Pine Creek country. Charles Gowan arrived home this morning from Portland. He had been working in the city for some time. Word was received over the telephone yesterday that Nell Hall, one of the old pioneer farmers living near Canyon City, had committed suicide by shooting himself. Mr. Hall was over 80 years old and had been in ill health for some time. This, no doubt caused him to end it as he did.

Save Your Eyes Eye strain causes headaches, nervousness and other troubles. I fit glasses accurately and scientifically. All Work Guaranteed. MAURICE SCHWARTZ Optometrist Office with Dr. B. F. Smith

Report of the condition of the HARNEY COUNTY NATIONAL BANK at the close of business on November 17, 1919

Table with columns for Assets and Liabilities. Assets include Loans and discounts, U.S. Government Securities, Deposited to secure circulation, etc. Liabilities include Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, Undivided profits, etc.

State of Oregon, County of Harney, ss: I, Leon M. Brown, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. LEON M. BROWN, Cashier. A. W. GOWAN, Notary Public. Correct—Attest: J. P. RECTOR, P. C. PETERSEN, HENRY DALTON, Directors.

FOR COOKING YOU will find here a most complete stock of such hardware as enters into the preparation of food—cooking, baking, preserving, etc. Whatever your particular needs may be, we can satisfy you thoroughly both as to quality and price. Come in and look around. We will gladly offer ideas. I. S. GEER & CO.

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Vale Trading Company Also Vale and Riverside CRANE BRANCH

Page's Sweet Shop IN A NEW HOME We are moving across the street between Geer's Hardware and Reed's Grocery. Will be Open for Business Tuesday, Dec. 2. Bread for sale at the grocery stores. Will soon be in a better position than ever to serve our large and growing number of pleased patrons. Watch for our Christmas Specials PAGE'S SWEET SHOP

"It's Like Finding Money" says the Good Judge When you take a little chew of this real quality tobacco, and the good tobacco taste begins to come. You'll find it keeps coming, too. Put Up In Two Styles W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco