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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1900

Houses to rent in Grants Pass are next to impossible to obtain. A number of houses have been erected this summer, but the supply is far short of the demand at this time. We are on the eve of a house famine if we do not have a fresh supply.

Mark Hanna is nowhere near such a reputed bogaboo in this campaign as be was four years ago. The prophecies of his rule and ruin all came to naught and the history of the administration has shown how far-fetched and imaginative those prophecies were.

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It is now little over a month unti the presidential election and still the political sea is as unruffled as a pond. At this stage of the campaign of '96, the air was rent with shoutings and excitement reigned supreme. Sixteen to almost every voter was an orator. Intense political feeling was generated and the industrial conditions of the country suffered accordingly. Old timers can not remember so little excitement over will answer all questions by letter or in an approaching presidential election as there is at this time. The reason for Portland. this is that the great majority of the people are very well satisfied with the existing conditions. Times are good, Coveres office. work is plentiful, things in general are moving along about as they should. It would be a good thing if we could go through the whole campaign with as George Chandler speaks volumes for are now on exhibition at Paddock's Marble and Granite sales room. little excitement as there is at the Dr. Darrin: present time, but that is too much to expect. Probably before election day to inform you that my son Charles, comes, political agitators will have whom you treated in January, 1896. produced some degree of partisan ex- for heart trouble and general debility, and about 600 feet of pipe to match, the presidential campaign of this year pounds, for which please accept my and price delivered at railroad, will be unusually quite and rational and thanks. the election of McKinley and Roosevelt seems equally certain because the people realize that McKinley's re-election means an unbroken continuation of the present prosperous state of affairs, while the election of Bryan could not fail to disarrange and upset the conditions to some extent at least.

WALDO, Ore., Sept. 22, 1900

EDITOR COURIER: I notice in your last issue you announced your intention to support McKinley and Roosevelt and you do so with the air that the Countra is an independent paper. You have the right to support whom you please but let me ask you a few questions trusting that you will answer them in your next issue. Please publish the questions and the answers thereto as the readers of the Countra have a right to know where you stand on political questions:

First Has the Countra under your I notice in your last issue

First, Has the Country under your management changed from an independent paper to a republican organ?

Second, Are the Country columns open to both sides for the discussion of

Very Respectfully Yours, W. J. WIMER.

The above questions are fair enough and certainly our readers are entitled to know how we stand in this regard. We recognize and appreciate the interest which Mr. Wimer feels toward the COURIER, as its former owner and editor, and, being one of the foremost democrats in the county, as well as one of its best and most substantial citizens, it is natural and right enough that he should be interested in the political status of the Courses. To the first question, we answer "no," The Country is not a party organ although it supports the republican national ticket. As an independent paper, we have the privilege and more than that, the duty, of giving our support to that ticket whose election will, in our opinion, best serve the interests of the people and we support McKinley and Roosevelt for that reason. To the second question, we answer "yes," with reservations and limitations. In general we may say, political communications, from whatever source, must approach a certain standard of fairness, liberality and tolerance.

Weather Report.

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can, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, be started up this fall, although there South has aunounced the following ap- are large bands of cayness cavorting over the ranges of Eastern Oregon Presiding elder Willamette district, literally rolling in lat and longing to be E L Fitch; Corvallis and McFarland, F pickled and sent on a Entopean tour A Lark; Independence and Louisville, before the cold chilly winds of Decem-H N Rosser; Dalles and Dixie, D C Me ber send them cowering and shivering Farland; McMinnville, to be supplied; into some canyon to starve through the Following is a summary weather observation at Grants Pass during the Dardy; Tangent and Brownsville, H C know when they have had county and Allen; Harrisburg, H S Shangle; June have decided to quit. They have tion City, J. D. Sibert; Roseburg and worked hard for several years to rid Oakland, J T Couton; Dillard, R A Ray the ranges of Eastern Oregon of a seless gan; Myrtle Creek, C U Cross; Grants horses and to furnish the people of Pass, to be supplied; Medford, E.F. Wil- France, Sweden, Denmark, Germany, son 1 Applegate. Loci Redgepoth : S. ms or any other country where home most Valley, A.J. Stormer; Klamath Falls, J. is eaten as a superior article, but the W. Craig: Coquille City and Bandon, governments of these countries have C A Hyatt; Myrtle Point, W R Hasson; put every possible obstruction in their Albany, WB Smith. J M Toron was way, and have prevented them from transferred to the East Columbia Cons making any profit, so they have conference, and W J Fenton, T Thomas and chaled to stop exporting horse meat L.C. Welson to the Pacific Conference. and let those who are hangeling for it go statve - Oregonian.

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In district No. 11, I found Miss Olive Owen teaching 30 bright faced children This school is well under headway, the grading and classification has been quite! well handled by the teacher. All the children are manifesting much interest and good reports are expected from them at the end of the year.

In district No. 34, I found the school just begun by Miss Katie O'Shen. The cholars of this school, though but 10 in willing to learn. Under the manage ment of Miss O'Shea, these children are sure to accomplish much and a good report is expected at the end of the year.

In district No. 12, the school is progressing under the efficient management of Miss Josephine Crow, Here I found a school of 10 scholars present, all of The English-Canadian Co, action for charging ear, cured. them showing much interest and upon examination I found these pupils have made great strides in learning, which shows that Miss Crow has performed her daties well.

At Winona district No. 29, school Barrett, though of but six pupils, is in

In every district I find quite a number of children of a bool age, who are not plaintiff. attending school. The members of every school heard take an oath to look action for damages. Sept. 19, 1900, by Rev. N. M. Hansen, W. H. Rickey and Miss Genevieve after the welfare and general condition. attendance included, of the school in Pass, their respective districts. There is a F G Burns vs Josephine county, compulsory low on attendance. School action for damages. Non suit. boards do your duty! Enforce this law, See that every child of the required age WILBUR — LAYTON — At the bride's bome on Arpiegate, on Sept. 18, 1900, Myron Wilbur of Josephine Co. and Florence Layton of Jackson Co. Ore, Rey. Robert Leslie of Grants Pass is attending school and when the county Dysert, for an injunction

The attention of the teachers is ugain called to the act. That immediately injunction. of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Taylor, Sept. upon making a contract which must be F Fetsch vs The Lance Gold M 19, 1900, S. Judson Taylor, and Ida G. signed by at least two directors and the Co and L L Jewell, suit in equity. teacher must be sent to the county superintendent. No teacher should suit in equity. Decree for plaintiff. begon to teach a school without a written contract.

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Holmes Brothers vs John C Harper, action for money. Judgement for

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H M Gorham vs R P Miller and J C B F George vs James Francy, for in ignetion and damages J F Kellogg vs James Oswald, for an

F Fetsch vs The Lance Gold Mining Portland, total deafness, cured in 20 James Robertshaw vs Joseph Hill.

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Carrie E Colwell, et al vs A Anderson et al, suit in equity. Chas H Noble vs James Leeper, foreosure of mortgage.

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W J Gohres vs Illinois and Josephine Gravel Mining Co, suit in equity. Sugar Pine Door & Lumber Co. vs consumption, catarrh, and bronchitis. R D Lawson et al, foreclosure of Mech-restored to health, and a Lien.

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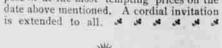
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