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The funeral of Queen Victoria was held on February 4. Memorial services were held all over the United States in her honor.

The senatorial deadlock continues and it seems probable that no senator can be elected this year. There is one consolation. Such occurrences hasten the day when senators will be elected by popular vote.

The report is current in the news papers this week that the Union Pacific management has obtained control of the Southern Pacific and that changes of importance in the railroad world are contemplated.

Disconsolate Portland gamblers—now without occupation—assert all manner of financial ills for the town on account of suppression of the vice. That reminds us that the fly on the coach wheel made exclamation "How we go around!" or of similar import. Gambling has less to do with Portland prosperity than the fly with moving the coach wheel. On the contrary it is an eater, destroyer, tearer-down instead of a producer and builder-up.—Eugene Guard.

The observance of February 4, as "John Marshall" day, in honor of Chief Justice Marshall, is a tribute, long delayed, to a man who is recognized, more and more as the years go by, as one of our greatest Americans. His sound logic and strength of mind operated as an appreciable aid to the adoption of many principles into our government in its beginning which have been conducive to its stability and integrity. Marshall was a man who was great enough to be above partisanship, a position to which few of our statesmen attain. His merit seems to have been solid rather than brilliant and his logic and the principles which he advocated have stood the test of years and their soundness has been demonstrated. He was the colleague and trusted advisor of Washington and steadily and strongly supported him and his policy throughout his administration.

Our city ordinance governing the construction of granite sidewalks particularly specifies the quality of granite to be used and should be strictly adhered to in that regard. There is no more satisfactory material for sidewalks than pure granite, and it endures all kinds of weather beautifully. The long period of frosty mornings and thawing afternoons which we have recently experienced has been a severe test for any kind of dirt sidewalk but the pure granite behaves itself very satisfactorily. The same cannot be said, however, of that which contains a large percentage of clay. On Sixth street near the court house are several shining examples of the workings of this article in frosty weather. It stands rain fairly well, but a little freezing soon gives it a surface of soft mud which is undesirable. It is necessary that some care should be used in the selection of material for the granite sidewalks and nothing used but the pure granite which is satisfactory under all circumstances.

Sweek, of Multnomah, has introduced a bill in the legislature regulating the sale of cigarettes. While the bill is ostensibly a license measure, it is virtually little short of prohibitory. Section 1 reads as follows: "No person, firm or corporation shall be permitted to sell, offer to sell or give away, or have in possession for the purpose of selling, offering for sale or giving away, any cigarette or cigarettes in which tobacco forms a component part, or any cigarette paper or substitute therefor, without first having obtained a license from the county court of the proper county for that purpose." The license is fixed at $500 per year, to be issued by the county court. Dealers are prohibited by bond in the the penal sum of $1000 from selling cigarettes to minors, forfeiting also $100 to the parents or guardian of any such minor. In order to secure his license the dealer must obtain the signature of an actual majority of the voters in his precinct and the petition is to be published in a newspaper for four consecutive weeks and no license is to be granted until such a majority of names is obtained. The penalty for selling cigarettes or cigarette paper without a license is fixed at $500 for each violation and $100 for every day that such violation is continued. A fine of $500 is provided for selling to minors at any time. The passage of the bill and enforcement, of the law would virtually prohibit the sale of ready made cigarettes in this state. Undoubtedly cigarettes would still be used by those who would buy tobacco and manufacture cigarettes for themselves but it is well-known that such home made cigarettes are far less injurious or destructive than the ready made article and proportionately less satisfactory to the real cigarette fiend. The cigarette habit is one of the most deadly of the many vicious practices which threaten our youth, unmanning its victims even more than the liquor habit, though less violent in its effects and confining its harmful results more to the immediate victims. Any measure which will in any way lessen the consumption of cigarettes will operate effectively for the public good.

For Sale!

FOR SALE—Twenty five acres one and one-half miles east of Grants Pass on Rogue river, partly cleared, small orchard, price $200 half cash, also fifty-one acres of what is known as the Hyde place, price $500, half cash. For additional information address,

CURRY BROS,
La Grande, Oregon

GRANTS PASS, ORE., Jan. 5, 1901.

MESS:

At the **Red Star Store** there are some very desirable, stylish, up-to-date Ladies' Jackets offered for less than wholesale prices to close out.

This is an opportunity to buy at a very low price, which should not be missed.

RED STAR STORE,

W. E. DEAN, & CO., Propr.

Front St., oppo. Depot.

Grave Creek News.

Health in this vicinity is good.

The farmers are taking a rest, waiting for spring to open.

Mackin & Virtue are doing a rushing business at Leland.

There will be a grand ball at Leland, Feb. 14th. All are invited to attend.

E. M. Light and S. B. Pettingill, of Grave, visited Grants Pass one day last week.

W. S. Williams and wife have taken their departure for Cottage Grove, where they expect to reside.

Mr. Meixener, of Merlin, has leased the Esoy ranch and will raise vegetables for the local trade.

Wm. Light arrived here from Windom, Wash. He is now off for the genial climate of California.

There was a social hop at Leland, in which every one participated and the evening was passed very pleasantly.

The Steam Beer mine is partially closed for the lack of water. From all reports there is to be a new store and hotel at Leland in the near future.

J. W. Johnston and wife intend to start for Dawson in the spring and will be accompanied by their grand-daughter, Miss Frances Davis.

TORSY.

Quality and not quantity makes DeWitt's Little Early Risers such valuable little liver pills.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

Leland Sittings.

We are having some frost but at present writing it looks as though we would have a break in the weather.

Many of the children in Merlin have the chickenpox but no serious cases are reported.

The miners have had quite a good run, though the sharp frosts have considerably shortened the water supply.

The people of this vicinity are in good health. This has been a very dull week with us so the COURIER must excuse a short letter.

Geo. W. Chapin, one of our best known citizens, was united in matrimony one day last week to Mrs. Lucy Munkers, formerly of Cottage Grove. The ceremony was performed at the residence of Melvin Culp in Merlin, Rev. Havens officiating. After the ceremony an appetizing dinner was served. A few guests, the immediate friends of the contracting parties, were present.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

For Sale.

General merchandise store and stock in Josephine county for sale; stock in voice, $400 to $500; building, $400. Possession given July 1, 1901. Inquire at his office.

Notice to Music Lovers.

Several parties representing themselves as dealers in pianos, have represented themselves as agents for the celebrated Weber, Wheelock, Stuyvesant, United Makers and other pianos. We desire to notify all residents of Josephine county that the Coss Piano House, at Medford, Oregon, are the SOLE AGENTS for these makes for Josephine, Jackson and Lake counties, and if you want one of these pianos or an organ, you will always get a better deal from headquarters, and not be led into buying inferior grades from supposed agents. We guarantee perfect satisfaction, so when you need an instrument, just drop us a line and we shall be pleased to call on you or meet you at our warerooms in Medford, where we have a large stock of instruments always on hand.

COSS PIANO HOUSE,
Medford, Oregon.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible Burn, Scald, Cut or Bruise. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures Fever Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by Dr. Kremer, druggist.

A Twist of the Wrist

In the night will turn on the electric berth light in the Pullman Standard Sleeping Cars, on the Northern Pacific's North Coast Limited. Two lights in each section. Get a North Coast Limited leaflet. A. D. Charlton, Ass't Gen'l Pass. Ag't, 255 Morrison St., Cor. 3d, Port a nd, Oregon.

Big Reductions

—IN—

Remnants.

To clean out all broken lines and odd sizes in

Clothing, Dry Goods, Jackets, Mackintoshes.

You can pick up some rare bargains in our store during the next 30 days. Come while the assortment is good,

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You can make an independent living by working for the Portland Art Company at your own home. We can teach you how to make portraits in your own home by our improved methods. Write Portland Art Company, 270 Oak Street.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c. per box. Sold by Dr. Kremer.

This season there is a large death rate among children from croup and lung troubles. Prompt action will save the little ones from these terrible diseases. We know of nothing so certain to give instant relief as One Minute Cough Cure. It can also be relied upon in grippe and all throat and lung troubles of adults. Pleasant to take.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

A Keen Clear Brain.

Your best feelings, your social position or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your Stomach and Liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by Dr. Kremer Druggist.

Flour to Exchange.

Farmers, do not haul your wheat 20 to 30 miles to exchange. Scott Griffin will give you as many pounds of flour for a bushel of wheat as any mill will give you. You will find Scott Griffin at his Hay, Flour, Feed and Seed Store, Cor. 6th and I streets, Grants Pass, Ore.

The most Soothing, healing and antiseptic application ever devised is De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. It relieves at once and cures piles, sores, eczema and skin diseases. Beware of imitations.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

Mining Notes.

Willis Kramer, the well known flour mill and mining man of Myrtle Creek, visited Grants Pass and the Rogue river valley last week.

Captain T. W. Morgan-Draper of the Waldo copper mines returned to San Francisco Thursday after making a business trip to Grants Pass and vicinity.

Superintendent A. C. Howland of the Davis placers came in from Jump-off-Joe Friday evening, returning on Saturday. At that time the mine was running with a limited supply of water, the long period of freezing weather having very materially checked the flow. The amount of snow in the near vicinity is sufficient to insure a good run till late in the season.

J. E. Loomis, Galice's postmaster and merchant, spent Sunday in Grants Pass. He reports that mining affairs in his district are progressing as usual, no new strikes or excitement having appeared lately. Some of the placer mines are experiencing a shortage of water by the long period of freezing weather which checks the melting of the snow in the higher mountains. Many quartz mines are being developed. Besides its resources in gold the district is also rich in copper and other minerals.

Building

Requires a foundation. That is just as true of the building up of the body as of the building of a house. The foundation of a strong body is a strong stomach. No man can be stronger than his stomach. A weak stomach means a weak man.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It enables the perfect digestion and assimilation of the food which is eaten. Thus it builds up the body and restores strength in the only way known to Nature or to science—by digested and assimilated food.

"White living in Charlotte, N. C., your medicine cured me of asthma and nasal catarrh of ten years' standing," writes I. L. Limsden, Esq., of 20 Whitehall Street, Atlanta, Ga. "At that time life was a burden to me, and after spending hundreds of dollars under numerous doctors I was dying by inches. I weighed only 131 pounds. In twenty days after I commenced your treatment I was well of both troubles, and in six months I weighed 170 pounds, and was in perfect health. I have never felt the slightest symptom of either since. Am sixty-five years old and in perfect health, and weigh 180 pounds. No money could repay you for what you did for me. I would not return to the condition I was in, in October, 1874, for Rockefeller's wealth."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets assist the action of the "Discovery," when a laxative is required.

MAN NEVER WITHOUT BEER.

Nineteen Centuries Before Christ the Process of Making Beer Was Taught.

When the Romans first invaded Germany they found that the beverage of the people was a beer produced from barley. But that was at a time comparatively modern. From the earliest times and in every clime, says an authority, man has had resort to some stimulating and exhilarating beverages prepared by fermenting the juices or extracts from fruits, grain or plants. It is said that Osiris, as early as 1491 B. C., taught the process of extracting the juice from barley and according to Pliny, who lived 1,500 years after Osiris, 300 B. C. was established a brewery of beer in order at Pelusium on the Nile. Xenophon, 400 B. C., refers to a fermented drink from barley, and it is said of the Egyptians, Assyrians and others under the name of zythos. They had also a kind of beer called "cervesia," and Diodorus, in A. D. 200, says that Britain produced such an abundance of corn that it was sufficient to supply not only bread, but a liquid comparable with wine. In the seventh century beer had become so general a beverage in England that Ina, king of Wessex, found it necessary to put in his code, and early in the eleventh century a brewer's company was formed in London. Up to the sixteenth century English beer was very poor, only flavored with brown bay berries or ivy berries, but in 1517 the cultivation of the hop plant was begun in England, and from that time a great change was made in the quality of the beer manufactured. In 1610 the first brewery was established at Burton-on-Trent, and by the end of the seventeenth century beer had become the national drink.

NEW STYLE OF LINE MAPS.

Some for Railroads Are Molded of Various Kinds of Clay and Baked Like Brick.

It is learned that the Northwestern Railway company, of England, is introducing in several of the stations of the line maps of the tile for accommodation of patrons of the road. The maps measure about six feet square and are made of tiles six inches square. In manufacturing these maps the tiles are made by the ordinary process of mixing various kinds of clay in liquid form. After the necessary treatment the tiles are molded, placed in the kiln and brought to the condition technically known as "biscuit." The drawing of the maps is reproduced on copper plates, one plate for each tile, and impressions are made upon specially prepared paper. The prints so prepared are transferred to the surface of the biscuit tile and rubbed into it carefully to cause the oily ink of the paper impression to adhere to the tile. The paper is then removed by damping it with water and rubbing it off, the ink being left behind without any degree of injury to the surface of the tile or blurring the drawing on the outlines of the tiles. The tiles are then put in the kiln and burned, after which they are ready for use. They are then taken to the place where the map is to be placed and there the tiles are fitted together, after being numbered during the process of manufacture, according to a design prepared for the work is called.

It is claimed that these maps will be found valuable for use for other than railway purposes, particularly in the schools, a great feature of the style being its durability.

MORE DELAY.

Contractors Unable to Finish Torpedo Boats and Destroyers in Time Specified.

There is more delay in the completion of the large number of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers which the government is building under contracts at various yards in various parts of the country. A year ago the navy department extended to extend the time of the contractors engaged on this work for 12 months. It was expected that there would be no difficulty in completing the craft within that period. The delay was occasioned, the contractors say, by the scarcity of steel.

The particular quality of material required was such as to demand special processes, and the steelmakers refused to take orders for the steel when they were loaded up with other orders requiring less care and producing greater returns. The representations were sustained by the department in an inquiry conducted on its own account, and the contracts accordingly were extended with the expectation that there would be no more difficulty and that the boats would be completed by this time.

The years' extension has expired, and most of the boats and destroyers are still far from completion, many of them are but three-quarters ready for trial, and a great deal of work remains to be done on board the ships before they can be turned over to the government. It is quite evident, say the naval constructors, that there must be another extension of time, or the contractors will be subjected to heavy fines which will deprive them of the meager profit involved in the construction of such small ships of war as torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers.

DISCUSS THE SERVANT GIRL.

Attendants at the Household Economic Association Consider Problems of the Day.

The National Household Economic convention at Toronto, Ont., the other day was addressed by Mrs. Hoodless, of Hamilton, Ont., who said that the Ontario government was the first in the world, so far as she has been able to learn, to have a normal school for domestic science teaching.

At the afternoon session the all-absorbing "servant girl problem" came up for debate. In comment on the suggestion that, as there are 100 typewriter girls seeking places to one cook, commercial education for girls be dropped out of the public school curriculum and cooking put in its place, Mrs. Helen Campbell made a speech saying the age was one of progress, and the domestic, after long years, was coming to her own. Those engaged in this work were going to rise in the social plane, she said, possibly by the general adoption of the New Zealand system of domestic labor bureaus, graduated wages, and other regulations raising service to the status of a trade.

Mrs. Florence Kelley said her experience in Hull house, Chicago, had proved that the real objection to domestic service was that it separated girls from their own home life.

TELL OF NAVAL PROGRESS.

Officers Describe Advances Made by the Nations in the Last Year.

In the latest issue of the naval annual, published by the office of naval intelligence, is an article by Lieut. W. L. Howard, summarizing the increase of naval strength effected during the past year by the great maritime powers. Lieut. L. R. Dyer, under discusses the subject of wireless telegraphy, relating what each of the naval powers has done toward the utilization of Marconi's discovery, and including a review of the state of the art of long-distance transmission by a competent German authority. In general it appears that the experiments have resulted satisfactorily. The British army in South Africa, by the use of kites for the vertical wire, have managed to transmit messages a distance of 85 miles, or more than ten miles further than the distance which separates Tientsin from Pekin, which still proves to be impracticable for ordinary telegraph methods. There is also an illustrated description of the fastest vessel in the world, the famous turbine torpedo boat Viper, which runs over 34 knots an hour with ease.

GAVE MONEY TO FRIEND.

John Sweeney Then Disappeared and Has Not Been Seen Since—Trouble Over the Money.

"Say, old man, you have always been good to me, take these bank books, draw the money, and have a good time. I am going away and you will never see me again."

These words were spoken by John Sweeney, old and partly blind, to his friend and employer, Daniel Tyrel, a contracting carpenter, more than nine years ago. Two bank books were shoved into Tyrel's hands. Sweeney walked down the block, turned the corner, had a drink with Tyrel's son, and true to his word, has never since been seen.

Tyrel was then well to do and prosperous and thought little of the bank books until adversity overtook him. Now he would like to get the money Sweeney gave him, some $4,000, but the bank refuses to surrender it and the courts have been appealed to to settle the matter.

Fortune Tellers in Paris.

More than 2,000 people earn a living in Paris by fortune telling, their total yearly earnings being estimated at $2,000,000.

Caked Breast

Just two applications did the work

Gentlemen—I suffered for days as only a woman with caked breast can, and in desperation applied Scotch Remedy. Hoping it would ease the pain.

The first application gave relief and the second entirely cured the breast to its normal condition, without leaving a trace of affecting the flow of milk. I have used your truly Mysterious Pain Cure, as a general household remedy, for nearly a year and consider it the greatest external remedy in the world. MRS. M. F. D.

Oakland, Cal., July 24, 1900.

DOCTORS USE IT.

Gentlemen—I have known of the use of Mysterious Pain Cure for several years, but not until within a few months have I used it upon my person and in my family, and I can say unhesitatingly that it is one of the best remedies for pain that I have ever tried. Thoroughly soothed it be in its expectation, very sure to give quick and permanent relief. Respectfully,

GEO. H. CUTLER, M. D.,
Bakersfield, Cal.

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Sold by all druggists at 25 cents.

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And short-sighted dealers don't like to be criticised. We do. If there is the least shadow of pretext for it. By listening for years for the faintest notes of discontent, we've learned to give people what they want, need, or expect.

This is a modern Drug Store. If there is ever apparent cause for dissatisfaction tell it. You will find us taking your part.

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—AND—

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Uniformed Band and Orchestra

Tuesday	"A Woman's Power"
Wednesday	"The War of Wealth"
Thursday	"The Country Girl"
Friday	"For Liberty and Love"
Sat.—Mat.	"Little Lord Fauntleroy"
Sat.	"A Sheaf of Arrows"

Specialties by Verne Felton and Wm. J Drew.

PRICES . . . . . 10c, 20c and 30c

At Bed Time.

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on my stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 75 cts. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

$2.25 for $1.50

The Rogue River Courier

—AND—

FARM AND HOME WESTERN EDITION

The Best and Most Practical Farm and Family Paper Published.

Believing that every one of our readers should have at least one good agricultural and family journal, we have perfected arrangements whereby we can send that practical and instructive journal, Farm and Home, in connection with The Weekly World and Homemade Contrivances, on remarkably liberal terms as given below. Lack of space forbids but a brief description of the contents of Farm and Home, which is unequaled for variety and excellence. Prominent among its many departments may be mentioned the—Farm and Garden, Market Reports, The question Box, Around the Globe, Plans and Inventions, The Veterinary, Fashions and Fancy Work, The Apiary, The Poultry Yard, Talks with a Lawyer, Fruit Culture, Plants and Flowers, Live Stock and Dairy, The Veterinary, Fashions and Fancy Work, Household Features.

Farm and Home is published semi-monthly, thus giving you 24 numbers a year, the whole making a volume of over 500 pages, teeming with all the latest and most reliable information that experience and science can supply. No better proof of its popularity can be offered than its enormous circulation, which extends into every province, each number being read by no less than a million readers.

By special arrangement we make for a limited time the following liberal offer:

Courier, one year,	$1.25
Farm and Home,	.50
Home Contrivances,	.50
Total, - -	$2.25

All for Only - - $1.50

HOMEMADE CONTRIVANCES is a wonderfully useful book. It is adapted to the farm and garden, dairy and workshop, and to indoors as well as out. It covers the whole range of farm conveniences, farm appliances and fences, gates and bridges. In fact, it is a combination, under one cover, of three separate books. It tells how to make over 1000 handy appliances and labor saving devices. It should be in the hands of every intelligent man. This book has never before sold in the trade for less than $1.00 which is the price of the regular cloth edition. We are able to make this unparalleled offer by printing an enormous edition for popular distribution. It is handsomely bound, illuminated covers, 8½ x 5½ x 2 inches, and contains no less than 400 pages and 700 illustrations.

Do not Delay or fail to take advantage of this great offer, for never before was so much offered for so small a sum. Remember we send both papers one year including book, all postpaid, at the very low prices above named, but in order to secure this combination all arrearages on the COURIER must be paid and one full year in advance. Any one having already paid in advance may secure the Farm and Home and the book by sending 50 cents.

Address all orders to

Rogue River Courier,
Grants Pass, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land office at Roseburg, Oregon,
January 3, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Abe Axtell, county judge, at Grants Pass, Oregon, on February 15, 1901, viz:

Mrs. Emma Daniels,

formerly Emma McAlister, on H. E. No. 8107, for the SW¼ SW¼ of Sec. 28 Tp 37 S., R 5 West.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Samuel Daniels, of Murphy, Oregon, George Fenn, of Murphy, Oregon; William Saunders, of Murphy, Oregon, William Hayes, of Merlin, Oregon.

J. T. ELLINGER, Register.

When threatened by pneumonia or any other lung trouble, prompt relief is necessary, as it is dangerous to delay. We would suggest that One Minute Cough Cure be taken as soon as indications of having taken cold are noticed. It cures quickly and its early use prevents consumption.—Dr. W. F. Kremer.

COMIC VALENTINES!!

1 Cent Each.

Rope per foot	1½c	½ Gal. Pitchers	25c
Glass Covered Oil Cans	30c	3 In. Silk Ribbon, per yard	15c
Granite Wash Pans	15c	Tin Cups, 2 for	5c
Baskets	10c	Mush Boilers	45c
Water Buckets	23c	Shoe Brushes	22c
Nickle Plated Tea Kettle	$1 00	Dover Egg Beaters	10c

A Fine Assortment of

.....Fancy Valentines.....

Long Values for Short Purses at

Smith's New York Racket Store.

Fresh Garden Seeds of Every Description.

HARROWS!

We have the famous

SYRACUSE PLOWS

And all farm machinery, Wagons and all manner of wheeled vehicles.

Hardware, Oils and Paints.

F. H. SCHMIDT.

NEW FIRM, NEW GOODS, NEW PRICES.

We are now open for business and our line is very complete. We are adding to it continually. Our Grocery line is A 1 in every respect.

---FANCY CREAMERY BUTTER---

Get our Prices on it.

We carry Snowy Butte and Medford Flour.
Eastern Ham and Breakfast Bacon.
Pure Buckwheat Flour and Maple Syrup.
Choice line of Teas and Coffees.
Choice Fresh and Dried Fruits.
Cooking Utensils in Granite and Tinware. These goods were bought for cash and will be sold low as the lowest.

Smith Bros. Mercantile Co.

Howard's Old Stand.

COR FRONT AND SIXTH STREETS.

W. A. PADDOCK,

SUCCESSOR TO T. A. HOOD & CO.

....BICYCLES AND SUNDRIES

CRESCENT, RACYCLE, CRAWFORD, SPALDING, STEARNS, B & H SPECIALS.

A large Stock of the above Wheels now on the way from the factory.

YOU SHOULD

Get Your Old Wheel Repaired

Now and be ready for the spring riding.

Something new in Bells, Lanterns and Tires, at the

Bicycle Den.

EAST OF DEPOT.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Josephine, in probate.

In the matter of the estate of
Angus B. Hopkins, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that James S. Moore, the executor of the estate of said Angus B. Hopkins deceased, has presented for settlement and filed in said County Court the final account of his administration of said estate.

It is therefore ordered that Tuesday, the 12th day of February 1901, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day in the County Court room, in the Court House at Grants Pass in said County of Josephine, State of Oregon, be and the same hereby is appointed by this Court for the settlement and allowance of said final account and for the discharge of the said executor and his sureties; at which time and place all persons interested in said estate may appear and file exceptions or objections in writing to said account or any particular item thereof.

And it is further ordered that this notice be published once a week for four successive weeks in the ROGUE RIVER COURIER a weekly newspaper published and printed at the city of Grants Pass, County of Josephine, and State of Oregon.

Done in open Court on this 7th day of January, A. D 1901.

ABE AXTELL,
County Judge.

A Few Pointers.

The recent statistics of the number of deaths show that the large majority die with consumption. This disease may commence with an apparently harmless cough, which can be cured instantly by Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, which is guaranteed to cure and relieve all cases. Price 25c. and 50c. For sale by all druggists.

M. J. Shields & Co.

Growers and Importers of all kinds of

Grass & Field Seeds

We can name seed for evergreen pasture in your section of the country. Why prospect with untried seeds? With fifteen years of personal experience in growing, also with the experience of the Agricultural Colleges at Moscow and Pullman, we submit the following list of seeds out of a hundred different kinds tried:

Bromus Inermus, Tall Meadow Fleque, English Blue Grass, Tall Meadow Oat Grass, Italian Rye Grass, Flat Stemmed Blue Grass, English Rye Grass, Orchard Grass.

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