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The San Francisco Bulletin remarks: "King Edmond, of the East Angels, who reigned over a thousand years ago, has ust been brought from France to England. He hasn't much to say." Per haps his royal highness is deceased.

The Oregon City Enterprise in a Pan American Exposition story tells aboutthe stars "twittering in the heavens." The same brilliant scribe, during the rainy season, probably accuses old Soil of stattering when he shines on the installment plan.

copious rain having fallen in many parts of the states during the past week. While the rain comes too late to be of great benefit to the grain, it insures a ble value to the state in many ways.

of profundity of thought) An editorial products of other states on the public had smallpox. He was removed to the comber and stone act. tuff to mold public opinion with. That |ing our fruit men a kindness in labeling street below it in has been quarantized. editor ought to be "discovered."

cessfully launched at the Cramp wards fruit producer. While this may be true in Philadelphia Saturday morning, in a measure, how soon would Oregon This ship when completed, which will attain distinction as a producer of fine require nearly two years time, will have fruits if the annual yield of her orchards The cost of the Maine will be \$2,885,000; sooner this practice is discouraged the displacement 12,230 tons; speed 18 better it will be for Oregon fruit raisers knots per hour.

Admiral Goldsborough's flagship, the state.- Eugene Register. Minnesota, built in 1855, has been con demned by the government and ordered sold. Uncle Sam is as devoid of sentiment as an egg is of caudal appendage. The Minnesota should be permitted to end her days in a peaceful haven where who has been quite ill. she would be an object lesson to the youth of years to come as a type of our ancient but formidable navy.

Jim Younger, one of the famous bandits, who has been released from the Minnesota bastile declared his intention of putting in a night of star-gazing as that pleasure has been denied him during his 25 years sojourn at Stillwater. If James is still as fastidious as he was observations will no doubt be made fing in shipping his lumber. through the bottom of a whiskey glass.

The beauty of the lofty hills surrounding Grants Pass is marred by the usual dense volumes of smoke which seems to on their clearings. No matter who may be the author of the fire and smoke evil. it is a misdemeanor none the less, as the statutes of Oregon provides a tale tof the damage or inconvenience very instructive manner. He will preach of others. It would be an act of wisdom here again on Ang. 11. to enforce the law regarding this matter and no matter who is culpable, make mill Sunday. It is understood there will him pay the penalty.

Embargo on Fraud.

general land office, on account of the raised here, has being a better respin this state and others bordering upon us. Commissioner Hermann has suspended all proof made during the present year under the timber and stone act, pensing the batter that is conscious in this view.

The district contiguous to Grants Page a company. has suffered along with other sections their control the bulk of the richest has a good grop of well filled wheat. mineral land.

The timber and stone act of congress, that no agreement has been made with a short time. any person for transfer of title.

This law has been scandalously violated by persons who per ure thouselves before the local land office, and it magnifies the enormity of their offense by the fact that all land so filed upon and purchased remains in its virgin condition instead of making a home and ranch for a deserving citizen, naturally enthancing the wealth of the county in which he resides. It is a matter of great satisfaction to note that the land department has taken this matter up but it is to be deeply regretted that action was not taken a dozen years ago and the high the I'mm last work. handed piracy nipped in the bud.

Notice to Advertizers.

Hereafter no copy for change of Ad will be received under any considera tion after Tuesday evening. This action is made necessary in order to enable as to issue the Corner on time. Our force has been compelled to work until its quite an extent of territory but he is equal to the tack.

It is quite an extent of territory but he is equal to the tack.

It is quite an extent of territory but he is equal to the tack. paper has been late repeatedly so'ely A good many deer hunters have pur to hand in their changes on time. The game must suffer. We would like a stores close at 6:30 now-give ut the good piece of venison for our tables.

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It costs no more than ordinary brands, and wears very much longer. It is a money saver.

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"Choice California Fruits," and sent to him the Red Buil Sentinel says: "Octo | melcecton The Kansas drouth has been broken, the markets as products from that state. School, who so narrowly catapied in the their products "California fruits," claim- -Things. ing that it causes a very ready sale on The new battle-ship Maine was sur account of California's reputation as a We should feel justly proud to stand on CURE. our own merits as a fruit producing

> The Misses Mary and Susie Anderson ame over from Leland Monday. Miss

Mss. Henry visited the Pasc Thursday... Mr. Haven went to Wolf Creek Thurs-

Same is stopping with Mrs. C. Strong

Mr. Dornell was at Hugo Monday. Mrs. Chapin and Clarence were ov from Kenneyville Sunday.

Mr. Jones came from Wolf Creek o Monday's train.

Mr. Tolson, our section foreman, with the aid of his men, is putting in a spur in his younger days his astronomical at Hugo for the convenience of Mr. Hel-

If you don't believe the wave of prosperity is coming in at Hugo come and see. It is grand to see the modern improvements of the age and note the ininevitable during the summer Manufacturing the material God has promonths. These forest fires are invariably caused by gross carelessness on ber, and in the hill just beyond he has the part of campers and tramps, or the failure to properly guard against the spreading of flames on the part of those who attempt to burn off the brush

Mrs. Taylor was visiting Mrs. Crocket Wednesday.

Rev. Mr. Steward held service in the penalty to fit the crime and all persons grove at Hago last Sunday and favored should look to the certain's that their | his congregation with two excellent norfires, camp or otherwise, will not mili | mons, illustrating the power of God in a

Mr. Long preached near the Helling be preaching there next Sonday.

Leland Siftings.

Haying is done now and we are wait There is a stirring of old bones in the ling for another crop. Little grain gigantic timber frauds perpetrated in crop. The trust crop as platfor average The studemen are talking of story

conclusions of the full investigation and inquiry begun some time ago. This ment and also keep more money to suspension applies to all states where home. The stock man will seen hold a government timber land, is purchased, meeting to take steps toward organisms

G. W. Chapin and Wm. Litten were Men became nominal locators and set- seen on our streets last Saturday. G tlers, only to turn and sell to a wealthy W. was selling blackberries which had syndicate organized entirely for the pur a ready sale as they are about the finest pose of monopolizing our unsurpassed in the country. Mr. Litten has been timber resources, as well as holding in running a reaper for Mr. Chapin, who

The people at Kinneyville are well Mr. Kinney reports that he has the approved in 1878 limited each purchaser | Kinneyville-short line all filled with to 160 acres of land and required the wood and the teams and men have to applicant to swear that the purchase wait until the S. P. Co. remove the wood. was not speculative, but made in good | The machinery for mi boring has been faith for his own personal nee, he stating delayed on the road, but is expected to

Our town has quite a musber of strangers looking for mines, some coming rom Alaska. Summer is an allest there. they would prefer to take chances in Southern Oregon. We have some nice rock which has been brought in by uspectors on exhibition

The Wilson Mercantile Co. is clearing the quality, style and prices. up more ground for building as their

Our two hotels are doing a good bust uees, and so are the two at Kinneyville. Shoe Bargain Beckoners at wages are paid.

Our population is increasing and us one marshal at Konneyville is not suffi cient we have qualified Mr. Litten to Shirt Waists

cause the advertisers have neglected in an appearance in our midst and the

STOP TIMBER ABUSES

Fraudulent Acquisitions of Publie Lands to Come to an End.

On account of the timber land fragge discovered in Montana and Idalio. Commissioner Hermann, of the General Land Office, has suspended all proofs made during the present year under the timber and stone act, pending conclusion of the full investigation and loquiry began some time ago. The suspension applies to all states where gov ernment timber land is purch sed, and involves thousands of cases. Many large companies and speculators, it is alleged, have had "due mies" as agents tusking purchases of these lands from

"Owing to the act of congress permit ting selections of valuable timber, lands, as intemnity for lands held by in dividuals and corporations within forest reserves, a speculation in so-called forest reserve scrip has developed. This is a means by which the owner of such It innde within forest reserves may re-An injustice is practiced upon our Otto Schell, the young man who und linguish them to the government and orchardists and other fruit growers year pired the game of baseball at Grants in iten thereof take valuable lands om after year by Oregon cannerymen and Pass July 5th between the Ashland and of the unappropriated public domain, or fruit lonbers. Our fine fruits, after be- Grants Pass 1-amt, seems to have had may convey his holdings to another per ing canned and packed, are labeled a hard run of tack of late. Regarding and weeking to exercise the right of

We understand that Lane County's es: railroad collision at Black Butto and dividing among speculators and extensive cellent crop of Royal Anne cherries now who had been to Grants Pass, is the in- mining companies in the acquirements. being canned by the carload and pre-test smallpox victim. He visited Dr. of large tracts of timber lands. It has pared for shipment at the Eugene Can-Westlake Saturday and the physician's induced many others, who are not large fruit crop, and will be of inestima- nery and Packing Company's factory suspicions as re aroused. On going to owners of such scrip or exchangeable are to be labeled in this manner. Call- see the putient Sunday Dr. Westicke lands inside forest reserves, to avail themfornia is noted for her grafting tenden- took Cny Health Officer Dr. John File selves of an earlier act of congress, ap-Talk about your scintillating outbursts cies in the matter of exploting the best with him and they found that Schell proved June 3, 1874, known as the

that cannot be cured by Harris Carannii and all land officers have been warned that cannot be cured by Harris Carannii and all land officers have been warned to exercise the utmost strictness in the Curs.

Frank J. Chenny. Sworn to before me and subscribed in examination of parties and witnesses. my presence, this 6th day of December, Many of the fraudulent proofs made district is preparing to co-operate with must have been detroted at the time other lumbering interests in the neighbod the registrars and officers at local borhood for the building of a railroad Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internat- land offices strictly applied the rules that will connect with the Southern Pay and sets directly on the blood and for scrutiny of proofs of applicants, cufe and furnish the facilities for the nucous surfaces of the system. Send After such proofs have passed the local opening up of a vast forest of virgin for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Officers, Showing regularity and apparent good faith of entries it is im- Improvements at the State Fair possible for the authorities here to

detect an error or fraud,"-Oregonian. McClure's Magazine, Ciara Morris at the state fair grounds, and old timers falled-falled dismally. He was an un- to double its size, and after the best exderstudy in a leading role in "Maz-ppa," | hibits ever seen in the state are arranged and when called upon to assume the there will be smple room left for an aupart, owing to the tragic death of the disorinu, a thing that has been needed untamed stead," "Old Bob" turned "Massppa" into a roaring farce. Walter M. Glackens's pictures are almost swamming as the text,

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Los Dixon

A Big S. P. Timber Deal.

oved some timber land deals during to accommodate the exhibitor and en the past few days that promise to pave tertain the visitor at the state fair the in an exchange sugaly remarks that "2 as her own, and it is small wonder that quarantine tent west of town and Landis ... This timits such purchaser to 100 the way for the opening up of vast tracts fath. bad complexion resulted from an inactive her reputation as a fruit producting state. Wings will care for him. Onto was stay acres and expressly requires the appliliver" and thus refers the reader to s is widespread. The cannerymen reply ing at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Kate caus to swear that the purchase is not of the state in the near future. It is patent medicine. That's the kind of in defence of their action that it is do- Hudson, and her home on Marison speculative, but is made in good faith announced that the company's negotiafor his own exclusive use, and that he tions with T B, Wa'ker, of Minneapolis, has made no agreement whatroever with any nerson for transfer of his life. For many years, particularly the been consummated. The company is FHANK J. CHENKY makes oath that he past year, this law has been grossly closing a contract for the sale of 70,000 is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. violated and abused by persons who CHENCY & Co., doing business in the city perjure themselves before the local land or and its tributaries, and it is announof Toledo, County and State aforesaid office. The general isnd office has ced that another set of purchasers had

Grounds,

In the Malsummer Fiction number of making some wonderful improvements The State Board of Agriculture are hose "Recollection of the Stage and will hardly recognize the place when ts People" has proved such delightful they attend Oregon's greatest fair this ading, tells the story of an actor that [all. The old pavilion is being enlarged. reincipal his did not take advantage of for a long time. A bran new up to date is opportunities. As the "flery uncereamery building is being erected; also where the best dairy display ever made in the state will certainly be seen. The machinery hall is being enlarged, new cattle stalls, sheep pens, hog stys and borse Stables are being built. A cozy farm cottage, bay barn and new aide-

walks are also on the list of improve The Southern Pacific Company has ments, and nothing will be left unitons



When a man is drowning his rescue is a question of timely help. It is the same thing in disease. Many a time the doctor says of a man whose condition is hopeless, "If you'd begun in time you might have been cured."

This is especially true when the disease affects the lungs. Delay is dangerous. The timely use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will result in a quick cure of deep-seated coughs, bronchitis, and weak lungs. Even when bemorrhages have been frequent and profuse "Golden Medical Discovery" has been used time and again with the profuse "Golden Medical Discovery"
has been used time and again with the
result of a perfect and permanent cure.
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Co., Pa., had eighty-one hemorrhages,
and after other medical aid had failed
he was completely cured by the use of
"Golden Medical Discovery,"
Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery," There is no other medicine just as good for "weak" lines.

ical Discovery." There is no other med-icine just as good for "weak " lungs.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical store Adviser, paper covers, is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Address Pr. R. Green Common Sense Medical store and store and sense of the control of the

County Treasurer's Office. After Monday, July 29, the office of the County treasurer will be at T. B Cornell's store on Front street.

FOR STATE PAPERS.

at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing unti

Wednesday — Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law. Thursday Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammer, book sceping, physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition, physical geography. Saturday—Botany, plans geometry, gen eral history, English literature, involutions.

psychology.

FOR COUNTY PAPERS.

Commonding Wednesday, August 14, at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing until Friday, August 18, at 4 o'clock.

FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD GRADE CERTIFIC

CATES.
Wednesday-Penmanehip, history, or

psychology.

Saturday, August 17, a 4 o'clock.

This question arises in the family very day. Let us answer it to-day, Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful Teacher's Examinations' descert. Prepared in two minutes, No. Notice is hereby given that the county apperintendent of Josephine county will boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:-Lemhold the regular examination of applion, Grange, Rusberry and Strawberry, cants for state and county papers at thet a package at your grocers to day Grants Pass as follows:

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thography, reading. Thursday-Written arithmetic, theory of TRY IT. teaching, grammer, school law.
Friday—tieography, mental arithmetic,
physiology, civil government. PRIMARY CERTIFICATES.

Wednesday-Penmarship, orthography, reading.
Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of aching, methods.

LINCOLN SAVAGE, County Supt

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East of Depot

Editor S. A. Brown, of Bennett

sis," he writes, "my wife was great! or and suffered great chatress from he stomach, but she tried Electric Bitter which helped her at once, and, after using four bottles, she is entirely well can sat anything. It's a grand tools and its gentle laxative qualities are splended for toroid liver," For Initi cure .- Only 50c at W. F. Kremer's drug

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in a series of the series of t Work?--well, I should say so!



During the past 10 days we have kept the clerks at R. L. Coe & Co.'s on the jump. From the time the store opens in the morning to 6 do at night we have been pulled and hauled all over the Big Store. But this is fun for us as we like to be appreciated. Hundreds of our members have been wrapped up and earted off to all parts of the country by happy purchasers, and we are spreading the news of the big store far and wide. The manager of the Big Store got back from the mountains a few days ago and has promised to give a lot of us fellows a vacation. We'd like to get out to your house and will be all ready when you come in. You can bring us back and get your money back if you don't like us, as hundreds of people are after us every day. Here are some of us fellows that are billed to go during the next few days.



Shoes.....

300 Pairs Ladies', Men's and Childaen's

....Shoes.

These Burgain Beckoners are hopping around pretty lively these days at The hig Store. Good shoes sold at such prices as are shown Robt. Virtus has his store fixed up in on our bargain counters attract every body. We do not want to sell one shape and it is a great improvement | these shoes half as bad as you will want to buy them when you see

Bring your family in and shoe them up for the winter. From \$2.00 and \$2.50 Derhy Hats now on sale at 790. trade is increasing and requires more these bargains you will have from 500 to \$1 on every pair of shoes 1200 yds good heavy Brown Muslin at

purchased. The way to make money is to SAVE IT. Stop in and take a look at us. We'll do you good.

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At 25c and 49c, regular values from 50c to \$1.50. You can't get



Men's Clothing.....

Good heavy well made Pants 79c. As good as any \$1 pants you ever saw. Extra good values in \$1.25 Pants for Soc. The very best q oz. Rivited Overalls, 500. Just in-a big lot of Boys' Caps at 25c. All colors

Extra heavy Cordurcy Pants, \$1 98 worth \$2.50. Men's wool 3-piece Suits, coat, pants and vest, \$4 58. Boys' 2-piece Suits, 98c, \$1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00. Every one of em-

500, 750 and \$1 Straw Hats now on sale at 250. Men's \$150 \$1.72

4. 2500 yds. Remenants best Calico at ... 3000 yds fine Cotton Challis, all colors at 2000 yds. fine 1254c Dress Ginghams at . 2000 yds, to and 1214c Lawn Remenan's, all colors at Over too Silk Remenants-very cheap. Ladies' Trimmed Hats, 190 to \$1. Never sold so cheap before.

Ladies Wrappers

We are going to beat the band but you will still find some 750, \$1,00 and \$1,25 of our number that you can get for 59c.

Carpets

The manager of the Big Store came pretty nearly knocking the breath out of us when he came in the carpet department this morning and told us that we had got to get up and move. He first made a jab at a fine piece of Ingrain Carpet, cutting the price to

2-le. The next ones of us to suffer was a lot of five pieces of fine 850 Tapestry Brussels. These the manager cut to

the lowest prices we have ever been sold for. Why, we often sell for Sac and \$1 in the big city stores Bast.

Lace Curtains and Scrims.

Broken lines of us fellows are going to be sold cheap. Ask to see

Remember

This Great Bargain Beckoner Sale only fasts 20 days longer and at the rate we are going ther'll be more of us left to tell the story,

Now is your Chance! R. L. COE &