

The House Painting Time Has Arrived

Beautify your home and protect the woodwork from the weather by applying a coat or two of good paint. You will thus be benefiting yourself and also the community in which you live. The paint that has stood the test in all climates is the

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We have a large stock, comprising House Paints (exterior and interior), Carriage and Wagon Paints, Varnishes and Varnish Stains, Enamels, etc.

We have the largest unbroken stock of

WALL PAPER

in the city—new and fresh, just received from the mills.

IKE M. DAVIS, SOUTH SIXTH STREET

DEERING

Beautiful sunshine and more beautiful flowers, blessed be the rain in this land of ours.

Miss Julia O'Brien is the guest of Mrs. E. M. Albright while Mr. Albright is in your city as a juror.

Mrs. D. L. Webb and Miss Hattie drove over to Hoiland the first of the week where they were called upon Mrs. Jack Smock and Mrs. Asa McVey.

Wm. Payne left here last Monday for Wolf Creek where he owns a placer mine. After the clean-up William will hike back to his old home in Wisconsin to visit his parents whom he has not seen for several years.

Ike Laage started for Kerby Thursday where he will undergo an operation for tooth ache. Ouch!

We have no doubt but Senator Fol-

ton is a good and sincere man, but mining men as a rule, do not want timber reserves "monkeyed" with. They figure that the timber grafters have had their day and a "darned" long one, and any politician that approves of a loophole whereby more timber can be stolen, must not come around at election time and try to make mining men believe he is a "Hall of a fallar."

We are heartily sick of hearing politicians tell the voters what they want. What's the matter with "vice versa."

The latest story from the pen of "Red Cloud" winds up with the bear got away and the worthy people of Deering are making comments. Now, honest injun, cross your heart, hope to die, "Red Cloud," didn't you kill that bear?

The smiling face of Don Morrison was seen as he passed over the stage line on route from Crescent City to Kerby. Don was hugging a camera.

We notice the worthy Observer is using "deformed spelling." Will say that we are "deilted" for wa "no" its all "rite."

Mrs. L. R. Webb took the stage at Waldo for Kerby, where she will do some shopping and call upon friends. She will also visit for a couple of days with Mrs. Sam Egger near Waldo on her return trip.

The 10 year old son of E. M. Albright met with a severe accident Tuesday evening while playing with his little sisters on the woodpile. It appears that he jumped and partly fell, striking his arm in such a manner as to either sprain or dislocate one of the joints. The extent of the injury is not known here, Tommie Gilligan took the little fellow to Waldo Thursday where he will take the stage for Grants Pass to seek proper medical attendance. We trust that Biddle's hurt will not prove serious.

Old Oleson, on being asked his politics replied "Aye yust to be a republican back in Manesota, but here in Oregon aye hane nothing bot a Swede."

A certain timber cruiser asked "bald headed" Dave Webb what became of his hair. Dave replied that it was stolen by the timber sharks; that he protested the claims and proved beyond a doubt it to be more valuable for "stock raising" than timber, but the officials in Roseburg sustained the timber claim thereby knocking out the "stock ranch." Take an appeal, Dave.

W. R. Whipple is still bringing timber locaters into the valley, has had four in here this week. We wonder if they found any, and where?

A beautiful sight to behold the grain fields of Mr. Egger. This shows what Josephine soil can do if given a proper show. Bully for you Sam!

We would like to call the attention of Messrs. Meserve and Carson to the fact that wood-ticks have made their advent again in force. Where, oh where is that spray?

EBEN.

The old reliable—The Weekly Oregonian.

COUNTY TREASURER'S SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

Showing the Cost of Conducting the County's Business for Six Months.

Semi-annual report for six months ending March 31st 1907.

GENERAL FUND.

To balance from last report	\$12,740 27
Cash from Sheriff's taxes	10,326 23
Warrants	195 74
Poll tax	203 00
County clerk fees	1,520 30
Cemetery lots	37 50
Liquor license	1,300 00
Ferry license	24 00
Rent from Indian Mary	29 00
Rebate on county warrants	7 70
Fines	662 10
5 per cent road fund	914 51
Total	\$27,860 35

CONTRA

By amount transferred to county school fund	\$13,155 30
Amount to county school library	301 30
Cancelled warrants	7,549 08
Interest on same	1,609 17
Balance	5,345 50
Total	\$27,860 35

SCHOOL AND OTHER FUNDS.

To balance from last report	2,035 39
From general fund Co appropriation	13,155 30
Institute fund	31 00
School district special tax	2,533 82
Road district	196 08
City tax	1,416 56
Total	\$30,239 03

CONTRA

By amount paid Co school orders	13,155 30
Amount paid school orders (State)	492 90
Amount paid for Co institute	104 00
School districts special tax	2,532 13
Road districts	1,304 40
5 per cent road fund, transferred	508 88
City tax	1,443 49
Balance on hand	867 93
Total	\$30,239 03

L. J. T. Taylor do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the amounts received, paid out and remaining on hand in the county treasury of said county for the six months ending the 1st day of March 1907. Witness my hand this 18th day of April, A. D. 1907.

J. T. TAYLOR, County Treasurer.

ROGUE RIVER VALLEY.

Thomas Lewman of Provolt is at present engaged in grubbing hops for Luis Loesch of this place. Mr. Lewman states that crops at Provolt are looking fine at present and large crops are anticipated for the season 1907. The fruit industry, he states is much ahead of that last season in all parts of Josephine county, which was in 1906 almost a total failure in many parts of the county through neglect to spray for this deadly pest, the scale, which will be hereafter protected and the pest laws will be enforced to its utmost by our inspector, Chas. Meserve, who has done more toward the betterment of our farmers than any fruit inspector we ever had.

The Williams Valley, Mr. Lewman states in 1906 was much neglected in the fruit industry and there were very few apples put on the market, as the vast old orchards, which were once free from pests are now destroyed by the lack of care, but under our present inspector, Chas. Meserve,

the fruit growers will be compelled to spray their trees hereafter or cut them down.

The hop industry of the Rogue River Valley is moving along nicely, and has been much but delayed owing to the bad weather which we have experienced in the past few weeks.

Luis Loesch, one of our new hop growers of the valley, finished grubbing hop Saturday and will begin setting poles Monday. Mr. Loesch has also set out an additional yard of six acres which is coming up and he will also have a large crop of baby hops. The Western hop field is also progressing nicely.

Bids Wanted.

Bids wanted for clearing 10 to 20 acres of land near Grants Pass. Call on me at the Colonial Hotel, Grants Pass, Martin Angel.

Hand-colored post cards of local views at the Music Store, two for 25c per dozen.

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SHOW WEEK BARGAINS

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SPRING BEAUTIES

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Ladies' 23-inch Black and White Lisle Gloves 98c

Ladies' 19-inch Black and White All Silk Gloves, One pair to customer .. \$1.29

\$2.00 Ladies' White Duck Skirts Special for this week only \$1.40

150 Ladies' Black Mercerized Sateen Skirts, Full length and width. This week only 98c

One Lot Ladies' Hamilton-Brown Oxford Ties, black, all sizes 98c

One Lot Ladies' 26-inch Mercerized Sateen Parasols, Steel Paragon Frames 98c

One Lot Ladies' Tape Edge Silk and Linen Gloria Parasols, Regular \$2.50 quality. Sale Price \$1.98

One Lot Men's New \$2.50 Telescope Dress Hats, black, tan and gray. All new 1907 blocks \$1.98

25 dozen Children's New Mexican Plaid Straw Hats 25c

10 dozen Men's and Boys' Straw Hats. Big bargain 9c



\$12.50 Men's Spring Suits \$9.75

One lot Men's \$12.50 New Spring Suits. See big display in north window. \$9.75

This month's Butterick Patterns 10c and 15c—none higher.

THE R. L. COE CO.

One case of Red and Gray Prints 5c

20 dozen Ladies' Sleeveless Vests 9c

One Lot Men's New Spring Suits, Sizes 33 to 38 \$5.98

One Lot Boys' Dark-colored, Light weight Double Breasted \$2.00 New Spring Suit \$1.68

One Lot Boys' Light Weight Spring Suits 98c

One Lot Child's Shoes 25c

One Lot Boys' 50c Dark Shirts 29c

One Lot Ladies' White and Black Long Cotton Gloves 25c

One Lot Men's 50c New Silk Spring Ties 25c

One Lot Ladies White Duck Suits, \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50

SHOE BARGAIN

Next Saturday we shall place on sale 300 pairs of Ladies', Men's and Children's Shoes, broken lines, of our very best makes of Hamilton-Brown, Pingree and Douglas Shoes. Regular prices, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

Sale Prices, 98c, \$1.48, \$1.98.

