



It's best to make an early start. Here's a list of today's money-saving opportunities:
Best Standard Corn, 10c.
Standard Tomatoes, 12 1/2c
1 Pkg. Flaked Wheat, 10c
Fancy Creamery Butter at Lowest Market Price

J. PARDEE.

418 G Street, - Grants Pass
 Near Palace Hotel

LAUREL GROVE

Fine rain again and crops growing; farmers irrigating and sawmill running full blast.
 Mr. Haberman and daughter, Anna, paid Grants Pass a visit last Saturday. Also H. T. Day and Roy McAfee were in town.
 Walter Farfa is confined to the house this week with the measles.
 Sherman Fields was at the county seat last week and also Charles Atwood.
 Zeb Hyde is busy working at the creamery this week.
 Have you heard that graphophone of George Herriott's? It is a dandy and can be heard a mile.
 James J. McFadden and brother, Pat, were visiting at our reporter's last Sunday.
 Just step in and hear the music at the bachelor's camp at the sawmill. Mr. Ruby Root is champion.
 Miss Carolee Wimer was visiting at the home of Ruby Root last Sunday and Ruby almost forgot to go back to the mill.
 David Lindsay sold his teaming outfit last week for \$1000 and returned to me.
 Elza Provolt, Bill and Tink Fields went to Grants Pass last Saturday.

I have seen several ways of driving cattle, but I saw a new way last Sunday. I saw a fellow driving cattle in a boat across the river and then came back to see his girl too. Who was it? It was 'Monty' of Davidson, going up the river back of Mr. Haberman's.
 John Brockley is loading trucks at the Knox & Angel mine. They have a fine mill and cut about 20,000 per day.
 I will say to "Eben" that he had just as well save his breath to cool his broth as I am not writing to him alone. And as to "Shorty", I just do like the fellow did when the mule kicked him—just consider the source from whence it came.

RED CLOUD.

MURPHY

Miss Ethel Harmon of Grants Pass has been the guest of Miss Winnie Osborn the past week. The Murphy roads are getting better all the time under the supervision of Mr. Gentner.
 The splendid rain the first of the week practically insured our upland hay in this section.

L. M. Mitchell and W. S. Gilmore stated to Lakeview Wednesday morning in answer to a summons to appear before the circuit court of that county as witnesses for the State in the prosecution of cattle thieves.

Jeff Hayes returned to Portland Wednesday. He was called here last week by the death of his mother, Mrs. Lewis Hayes, who has been for many years a kind-hearted, Christian neighbor in this community. Her death was sudden, resulting from a three-days attack of pneumonia, contracted while attending her church conference at Ashland. The remains were laid to rest in the Williams creek cemetery, where her husband was interred three years ago.

E. M. Cokerline, one of Murphy's prominent ranchers and dairymen, is building a barn 56x96 feet. Joe Robertson is the head carpenter. Much of the material is being taken from the old Wimer flour mill erected on Murphy creek in 1877.

The Murphy correspondent has been laying off the past month so that "Red Cloud" might have plenty of room to talk "pretty girl" and tell all he knows of those who visit your city. Also, we like to give plenty of space for "Monty" and "Shorty," who argue fence and telephone.

Quite a number of our people attended the class day exercises at the opera house Tuesday night. Two of the graduating class, the Misses Leith, received their common school education at Murphy, and by force of will power, hard work and perseverance, have made their own way through four years of high school life at Grants Pass. Their friends at Murphy congratulate them on their energy and success and for every hour spent in toil and study, we wish them a day in which to enjoy the fruits thereof.

Creameries are Profitable.

The Logan correspondent in the Oregon City Enterprise gives the following statement regarding the business of one of the creameries in Clackamas county that will be interesting news to the patrons of the two creameries in this county, for it shows that wherever a creamery is put in operation that the dairy industry develops at a rapid rate by reason of the sure profit the cows bring the farmers and the equal certainty of the cash at the close of each month:

"Monday night was the monthly meeting of the Clear Creek Creamery company. They have decided to get new ripener vats for the cream as the old ones are wholly inadequate for the large amount of cream they received. On Monday the cream received at the creamery exceeded 3500 pounds.

For the last month they pay off at 37c per pound for butter fat (April) and the month previous, (March), paid off at 38c per pound. New patrons are being added to the already large list almost daily. During April, they made over six tons of butter and averaged over 3000 pounds per week. However May and June will be the record months for butter making, as then everyone will have an abundance of green feed.

W. P. Kirchem went to Portland to see about getting the necessary apparatus Tuesday. At the rate cream is increasing something has to be done 'mighty quick.'

Now's This!

We offer \$100 reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

Walding, Kinnam & Marvin, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. 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.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

For a beautiful home buy a lot on Manzanita Heights.
 S. S. Mitchell of Klamath Falls passed through Murphy Sunday with a bunch of 270 head of good looking range cattle, picked up around Kerby, on his way up the Applegate. He bought a number from York & Bussel. He is driving them to the range east of the mountains. X. Y. Z.

RELEASE 91,000 ACRES BORDERING RESERVE

Lands in Josephine, Curry and Jackson Counties May Be Occupied July 23.

Approximately 91,520 acres of land adjacent to Siskiyou and Ashland National forests in Curry, Josephine and Jackson counties, Oregon, have been released from temporary withdrawal at the request of the Forest Service. Areas which have been released will be subject to settlement July 23 next, not to entry, filing or selection until August 23, 1907. The lands are described as follows:

Notice is hereby given that the vacant public lands within the following described areas, temporarily withdrawn for forestry purposes on April 29, 1903, November 15 and December 17, 1905, near the Siskiyou National Forest, Oregon, and not otherwise withdrawn, reserved or appropriated, will by authority of the Secretary of the Interior be restored to the public domain on July 23, 1907, and become subject to settlement on and after that date, but not to entry, filing and selection until on and after August 23, 1907, under the usual restrictions, at the United States Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon: In township 39, Range 2, Sections 4 to 9, both inclusive, 16, 17 and 18; in Township 40, Range 2, Section 11 to 30, both inclusive; in Township 39, Range 3, Section 1; in Township 39, Range 5, Section 1 to 18, both inclusive, 20 to 26, both inclusive and Section 36; in Township 40, Range 5, Section 36; in Township 38, Range 6, Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 18 and 36; in Township 36, Range 7, Section 16; in Township 33, Range 8, Section 36; in Township 34, Range 8, Section 36; in Township 35, Range 8, Section 36; in Township 37, Range 8, Sections 25, 26, 34, 35 and 36; in Township 32, Range 9, Section 36; in Township 39, Range 9, Section 36; in Township 40, Range 9, the NW 1/4 of Section 12; in fractional Township 41, Range 9, Section 9; in Township 34, Range 11, Sections 7, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 30 and 31; in Township 35, Range 11, Sections 6, 7, 16 to 20, both inclusive, 29 and 30; in fractional Township 41, Range 11, Section 16; in Township 35, Range 12, the NE 1/4 of Section 12; the E 1/2 of Section 13 and the S 1/2 of Sections 14 and 15; in Township 39, Range 12, the E 1/2 of Section 9 and all Section 16; in Township 41, Range 12, Section 16; in Township 34, Range 13, Section 36; all Township 39, Range 13; all South and West Willamette Meridian, Oregon.

Warning is hereby expressly given that no person will be permitted to gain or exercise any right whatever under any settlement or occupation begun prior to July 23, 1907, and all such settlement or occupation is hereby forbidden.

R. A. BALLINGER, Commissioner.

Approved, JAMES RUDOLPH GARFIELD, Secretary of the Interior.

Does the Agent Benefit You or Your Town?

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H. M. COSS.

SOUTHERN OREGON NORMAL SUMMER SCHOOL

Sessions Begin July 8, Continue Until August 12—Through Chautauqua.

The Southern Oregon State Normal School will conduct a Summer School this year, beginning with the 8th of July and continuing until Tuesday, the 12th of August.

The purpose of this school is to afford opportunity for a study of the several branches preparatory to examination for County and State Certificates and State Diplomas.

In addition, during the first two weeks, instruction will be given in methods of teaching, reading, phonics and language in the primary grades of the public schools. Supt. P. H. Daly of Jackson County is assisting in the arrangements and will be one of the instructors. Prof. W. T. Van Scoy, Mrs. Emma B. Wickersham and Pres. Mulkey of the Normal faculty will be the other instructors.

Pres. H. M. Crooks of Albany College and Pres. P. L. Campbell of the State University of Oregon will deliver lectures upon school topics.

The Southern Oregon Chautauqua Association holds its sessions this year at the same time that the Summer School is in session. All persons attending the Summer School will be admitted to the evening lectures of the Chautauqua Association at a nominal expense. This feature is worth consideration since it will bring within the reach of the student teachers some of the best talent of the United States. The Chautauqua season continues two weeks beginning the 12th of July.

The Summer School will be held at the Normal grounds. Rooms can be had at the dormitories and board at the dining hall at a cost not to exceed \$3 per week. Persons who desire to tent in the grove about the campus may do so.

This will afford a good opportunity for a summer outing that will combine self improvement with pleasure. The Normal campus is very beautiful since it is being improved with wide lawns by the help of an abundance of water which has lately been brought from the city of Ashland.

The opportunity to study reading and phonics is a rare one, since it will be in charge of a lady who acquired her skill and knowledge of the subject during a three years' course in the Oswego State Normal School of New York, and by subsequent experience as critic teacher in the Normal school. The instruction in common school branches will be vigorous and spirited. The sessions will begin at 8 a. m., and close at 12 noon.

For further particulars address W. T. Van Scoy, Ashland, or P. H. Daly, Jacksonville.

You will miss a treat if you fail to hear Laura Thomas Gunnell in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" at Opera House, May 31st.

150 New Names for Better Fruit.

The May number of Better Fruit is, typographically, one of the handsomest magazines published in the United States. The title page in colors is a work of art, while the half tone pictures illustrating the various articles are of the best known to the engraver's skill. Editorially, Better Fruit covers the horticultural field so thoroughly that each number is worth the year's subscription of \$1, and the copies should be preserved and bound for a reference book. Every feature of the fruit industry is treated most thoroughly, and the information given is strictly reliable and embodies the experience of the most up-to-date orchardists and of the researchers of the Agricultural Colleges, and of the Department of Agriculture. A strong feature of Better Fruit is that each phase of orchard work is treated exhaustively in the numbers current to the season of the year. The April and May editions have been devoted largely to spraying, especially for the codlin moth, and orchardists who will fully follow the instructions given will have no loss from wormy fruit.

As a part of the campaign of education for bringing the fruit industry of Josephine county up to the Hood River standard—the \$3.15 box f. o. b. price—Fruit Inspector Meserve has made a special effort to push the introduction in this county of Hood River's famous paper and he has sent in 150 subscriptions to Better Fruit. He expected to increase the list at the fruit growers meeting last Saturday, but every one of the 28 orchardists and the one nursery agent present were already subscribers. When there are 200 subscribers to Better Fruit in Josephine county and they have read it for a year, then will there be a hall full of every fruit growers meeting, even though it is a busy season of the year.

City Lots on the installment plan. See Joseph Moss, The Real Estate Man, Office 561 E St.

Wonderful Eczema Cure.

"Our little boy had eczema for five years," writes N. A. Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors, but no benefit resulted. By chance we read about Electric Bitters; bought a bottle and soon noticed improvement. We continued this medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured." Best of all blood medicine and body building health tonic. Guaranteed at all drug stores. 50c.

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YOU KNOW THAT THESE TWO LITTLE PEOPLE ARE WHO HAVE GONE AWAY FROM THEIR CLOTHES. DO YOU NOT? NOW DO YOU SAY THAT YOU CANNOT TELL PEOPLE BY THEIR CLOTHES? WHAT STRONGER ARGUMENT THAN THIS CAN YOU WISH TO CONVINCE YOU THAT YOU SHOULD DRESS WELL? WE CAN DRESS YOU WELL IN A GOOD SUMMER SUIT FOR \$10; A BETTER SUMMER SUIT FOR \$12.50; A BEST SUMMER SUIT FOR \$15 UP TO \$27.50.

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