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DOINGS AT THE COURT HOUSE

Items of Interest to the Taxpayers of Josephine County From the Various County Officials

Visited Many School Districts.

Last week and the week before County Superintendent of Schools, Prof Lincolln Savage made a tour of customary notices to the various the southwestern part of the county, school districts, calling the attention paying all the public schools in that part of the county beyond Hayes Hill attending to the special school tax and a couple this side, an official levy, if they may dessire to place any. visit He went astride his "bike," having only a rain coat and an ombrella to protect him from the in- state, Attorney-General Crawford has clemency of the weather. He found given an opinion lu which he gives an very good public highways, except interpretation of the act providing from the Applagate valley into this for the annual school district tax

to note among the various schools that the year and vote the tax or the the average attendance was much bet- actions taken at the first election may ter than during former years at the corresponding season. He found and a new rate of levy made, providthat for the most part they were doing ing the notice of change is in the good work. He will continue to go hands of the County Clerk prior to Office over Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. the rounds of the schools of the county Jnauary 1 in order that the correction OREGON paying each one a visit of inspection and taking notice of the work upon the tax roll. "No time is arbithat is being accomplished.

Hunting Season Nearly Over.

are not so brisk as heretofore. It can be held at any time providing their stock brands with the County County Clerk Cheshire informs the it does so in time to notify the County Clerk. court newsgatherer that the deer Clerk prior to January 1. Under the season for duck and geese will con- district has the right under the law to

The following licenses have recently been issued: Chas. S. Hoxie, siderbaed for the best interests of the John Ogden, Mark Hall, J. E. Hair, district. After the meeting a certified Harry Langson, Harry Hoxie, H. C. Marks, Carl Christopherson, Christian D. Jacobsou, M. L. Sill, S. M. Endi- for the County Clerk to disregard the cott, T. M. Rowden, Claude Simms, first notice and act upon the record, S. O. Dimmick, Wm. Burch, W. A. Raines, Frank M. South, A. Tolan, Granville Rimer, L. W. Richardson, Harvey and A. M. Lindy, all of Grants Pass; G. B. Fosati, Fred Smith and E. B. Simpson, of Josephine county; Geo. M. Caldwell, and W. A. Germond, of Kerby; J. Homer Thompson, Selma; W. N. Roth, Merlin; John Agee, Wilderville; J. W. Stoalls, Portland; and Ira Irwin, Pendleton. .

Realty Transfers mproving.

Transfers of real estate are beginning to move along, in a little brisker

L A Henninger, of Pueblo, Colorado, in that grade. land in sections 16, and 22, tp 36 s, r 5, \$6000.

L A Henninger to Emma C. Ament, same property as above, \$7000.

Hogue, lots 1, 2, and 4, block 73, O T must attend such sessions.

terson et al, fote 10 and 11, block G, have arrived and Superintendent Sav-GRANTS PASS, OREGON. Bourne's First add to Grants Pass age is now checking them up and the and lots 1, noundary line extension, officers of the districts may now send block G, same add, \$1700.

> W C Harmon et ux to Geo H Keterson, one-balf interest in above, \$1200. din, 162x275 feet in H. B. Miller & for additional books and Grants Pass Co's add to Grants Pass, \$402.50.

Jacob Struss, Jr., et ux to T J Cook, part sec 13 tp 36 s, r 5, \$315. M I Galvin et ux to Rose Boog,

150x1731; feet in Bourne's First add to Grant Pass, \$400.

Edward D McLaughlin, to his wife, section 23, tp 85 s, r 6, \$10. Mrs Emily Dengate et mar to Joseph

Joseph Moss et ux to Harry H Mc-

Grath, same property as above, \$800. E R Cole et ux to Lydia H Dean, lots 1 and 3, bock 1, O T S, Grants Pass. \$100.

S., Grants Pass, \$5000. Bertha E Sparhawk et mar, to

Ruben Molton, 40 acres in sec 4, tp s, r 8, \$200. John Mitchell to W F Hogue, lots

2, S and 4, block 8, Kerby and lot 5, 6 and 7, block 8, Kerby, \$2000. acres in sec 30, tp 36, s, 6 and inter-sciences are troubling them. T. P.

rights, \$3000. cis P Serey of same place, 160 acres troubled with a canesr and has been

in sec, tp 38 s, r 5, \$10. Albert Abraham et al to Oregon & California R K Co, 1.61 acres and 3-100 of an acre and 54-100 of an acre,

all in sec 13, tp 36, r 6, \$2 38. deed for part of sec 26, tp 39 s, r 5, dence spare him that long. He feels a

Farmer, 40 acres in sec 27, tp 27 s. r 7 \$, 100.

Regarding School Tax Levius. Superintendent Savage has been busily engaged in sending out the

of the boards to the matter of the In reply to numerous inquiries received from many sections of the levy, holding that a district may Superintendent Savage was pleased hold an election at any time during be rescinded at subsequent election may be made and the levy extended trarily fixed for school district to hold an election for voting taxes, says the Attorney-General in the The hunting season is about over opinion which is addressed to District and the demands for hunters' licenses Attorney G. W. Phelps, of Pendleton. season is out; that the quail season general rule that the power which duly appointed A. N. Holman, of will end December 1, and that the creates can destroy or undo the school rescind the vote if, in the opinion of the majority of the voters, it is concopy of the record had with the notice of the new levy would be sufficient

providing it is done before January 1.

The Kerby school is the only one in Josephine county, outside of the county seat that has a class in the Niath Grade, this year. The work is being carried on quite successfully my back, hips and limbs caused me much misery and L constantly lost a The Kerby school is the only one in ning to move along, in a little brisker fashion. The following deals in realty have been placed on record with County Clerk Cheshire:

J E Dimon, of Santa Clara, Cal., to

Superintendent Savage's determination to put a stop to the teachers missing the annual institute, by giving all those who remained away from the last gathering demerit ney fills as a most efficient remedy J. D. Lawton et ux to Samuel Pro- from the last gathering demerit volt, lots 1, 2, 3, and fractional lots marks, has stirred up things and and 8, block 9, Railroad add to Grants those teachers are now quite sorry they did not comply with the law John H Williams et al to Wm F which is very explicit in stating they United States. Remember the name Dan's and take no other.

The books for the different school R. A. Booth et ux to Geo. H Kes- libraries, throughout this country for them. There are 700 volumes in all. The sum of 10 ceuts per child is assessed in each district. Two dis-Frank Fetsch et ux to Lydia Ver tricts, namely, Waldo, gave \$54 extra also gave some additional.

Some Miscellaneous Matters.

Cupid seems somewhat put out by reason of the holidays, but he manages to send in a few orders which are Jennie D McLaughlin, 204 acres in gladly filled by County Clerk Chesh-Moss et al, 40 acres in sec 1, tp 36s, r Elsie Stone, aged 21, both residents of

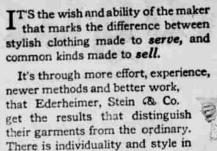
of the County Commissioners Court will be in session. If the holidays happen to stop before that day, then the board will proceed to clean up H G Kesterson et nx to Elizabeth considerable business which has been A smith, lots " and 8, block 8, O T accumulating. Otherwise another post ponement will likely occur.

And still the holidays come and go, with the natural result that comofficers are hoping that it will soon be legal for them to get to work and J A Rusk et ux to J D Tharp. 80 thus earn their salaries, as their conest in Red Bluff Ditch and water Judson, who has been at his old home, J A Sevey of Los Angeles to Fran- arrived in this city, Sunday. He is of custom. under treatment for it. He expects to remain here, as he thinks Southern Oregon is the place, after all.

Judge Stephen Jewell will reach the sixtieth milestone of his earthly Josephine County to S C Stone, tax career, next Friday, should Provigreat many years younger and does Oregon & California RR Co, to J M not propose to let himself get old, except in years.

Jesse and H. A. Freeman bave filed

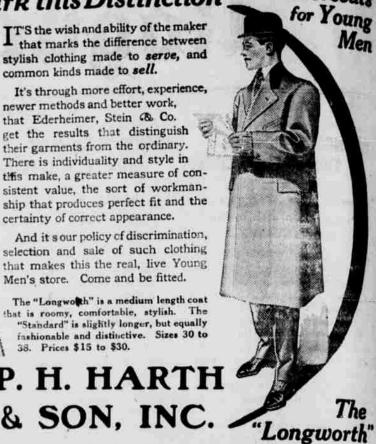
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WOMEN'S WOES

Grants Pass Women are Finding Relief at Last.

It does seem that women have more providing it is done before January 1.

County School News Items.

Owing to the illness of her husband, who is laid up with an attack of the school news Items.

Owing to the illness of her husband, who is laid up with an attack of must walk and bend and work with racking rains and many aches from racking rains and rains an typhoid fever, Mrs. Ida Swacker, racking pains and many aches from teacher of the Centennial school, District No. 28, has closed her school for a cople of weeks, so that she might look after his comfort.

The Kerby school is the only one in

Pills and procured a box at Clemens' drug store. At the time I had taken the contents of this box, my

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A Significant Prayer

ges to send to a few orders which are gladly filled by County Clerk Cheshire. The last document of this kind was to Lamont D. Corbet, aged 32 and Elsie Stone, aged 21, both residents of Grants Pass.

Next Wednesday the regular session of the County Commissioners Court

Litter From Billboards.

One more department of city gov ernment has assailed the billboard nutsance as constituting a menace to civic betterment, says the Los Angeles Times. In several cities to the eastward of California street superintendents have complained that the litter caused by posters peeling off causes more rubbish to form in the gutters paratively little business is being than any other cause. All this is encarried on at the courthouse. The couraging to those striving to attain a high standard in civic beauty, for it really looks as though we may eventually clear ourselves of the obnoxious presence of all billboards. So much pressure is being brought on this class of advertisers that it is either stop or in Hillsboro, Illinois, since last July, suffer financial loss through a decrease

Good Cleaning Up Scheme.

Nearly a thousand men, equipped with small sacks and spiked sticks, were occupied at a cost to the ratepayers of about (300 in removing paper bags and other articles with which hollday makers had strewn the London parks and open spaces on a bank oliday. London's plan of cleaning up he porks ofter a holiday can well be adopted on a smaller scale by any own and at any time

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