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### FRUITDALE.

F. A. Clements has put up the name of his farm—Oakdale, on one of the large oak trees in front of his gate. Mr. Clements has a fine thrifty looking place and the name chosen is very appropriate.

Step ladders for fruit picking at Hair-Riddle's.

The Fruitdale Telephone Co. is hard at work. The poles are up and the wire is nearly all stretched. The work of installing will soon be completed and the connections made. Then things will move livelier than ever in Fruitdale.

Last Sunday after Sunday school, Brother Hollingsworth of the Grants Pass Christian church preached for us. His subject was "Christ is All," and his sermon was very helpful and well worth hearing.

Closing Out our stock of Top and Open Buggies, regardless of cost. Hair-Riddle Hdw. Co.

The annual school meeting was held at the school house last Monday evening. G. A. Hamilton was elected director for a term of three years and W. H. Kincaid for a term of one year to fill the vacancy caused by Geo. Witters moving away. Robert Huck was re-elected for district clerk.

If your land needs irrigation, let Hair-Riddle Hardware Co. show you how you can irrigate it.

It was decided to make a few improvements on the school house to make the room more comfortable for the coming year. A motion was made and carried to have nine months school this next year. School will close on Friday, June 19. Mrs. Swacker is an excellent teacher and the pupils have made fine progress during the past year. We hope to have Mrs. Swacker back again next year.

Corn Cultivators—the kind that works both sides of the row at once—at Hair-Riddle's.

All are anticipating having a very pleasant and profitable time at the orchard meeting to be held on Saturday afternoon, June 20 at Riverside Fruit Farm, belonging to G. A. Hamilton and at Elerslee Fruit Farm, belonging to Prof. R. K. Turner. A large crowd is expected.

Mrs. M. E. Sturtevant of Grants Pass is visiting her two daughters here in Fruitdale this week. Mr. Sturtevant has gone to Illinois on business.

We make a specialty of Friendship, Engagement and Wedding Rings at Letcher's. 5-15 4t.

### CASE AFTER CASE

Plenty More Like This in Grants Pass.

Scarcely a day passes without a testimonial about Doan's Kidney Pills. Man a high school graduate, state entomologist, and a man of merit can be had than such a recommendation?

J. M. Jones, N. Fifth St., Grants Pass, Ore., says: "I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills and am glad to state that they have helped me greatly. For some time I have been suffering from symptoms of kidney trouble, such as an irregular action of the kidneys, secretions and pains through the small of my back. The many remedies tried failed to give me the least relief until I procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Clemens' drug store. The pains and aches left me, the kidney action was made normal and my health greatly benefited. I gladly recommend a remedy containing such good qualities as Doan's Kidney Pills." For sale by all Dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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## THUMB NAIL SKETCHES OF THE CANDIDATES

Following are brief sketches of some of the republican candidates as taken from Sunday's Portland Journal which will be of general interest at this time:

**William Howard Taft.**  
Born in Cincinnati, Ohio, September 15, 1857. Graduated from Yale in 1878, and from the Cincinnati College of law in 1880. Appointed assistant prosecuting attorney of Hamilton county, Ohio, in 1880. Appointed judge of the superior court of Cincinnati in 1887. Appointed solicitor-general of the United States in 1890. Appointed United States judge for the Sixth judicial circuit in 1892. Appointed first civil governor of the Philippines under American rule in 1901. Succeeded Elihu Root as secretary of war in 1904.

**Charles Evans Hughes.**  
Born in Glenn Falls, N. Y., April 11, 1862. Graduated from Brown university in 1881 and from Columbia Law school in 1884. Practiced law in New York City from 1884 to 1891 and from 1893 to 1906. Professor of law and special lecturer at Cornell university from 1891 to 1895. Counsel for the Armstrong Insurance committee in 1905 and 1906. Special assistant to United States Attorney-General in coal investigation of 1906. Declined Republican nomination for mayor of New York City in 1905. Nominated for governor by the republicans in 1906 and elected.

**Charles Warren Fairbanks.**  
Born in Union county, Ohio, May 11, 1852. Graduated from Ohio Wesleyan university in 1872. Admitted to the bar and began the practice of law in Indianapolis in 1874. Republican caucus nominee for United States senator in 1893, but defeated. Temporary chairman of the Republican national convention at St. Louis in 1896. Member of the British-American Joint High commission in 1898. Elected United States senator from Indiana in 1897, and re-elected in 1903. Elected vice-president of the United States in 1904.

**Robert Marion La. Follette.**  
Born in Primrose, Wis., June 14, 1855. Graduated from University of Wisconsin in 1879 and admitted to bar in 1880. District attorney of Dane county from 1884. Representative of the Third congressional district of Wisconsin from 1885-91. Elected governor of Wisconsin in 1901 and twice re-elected. Led movement for nomination of all candidates by direct vote. Secured a law for the state control of railroad rates within its borders. Elected United States senator, January 25, 1905.

**Joseph G. Cannon.**  
Born at Guilford, N. C., May 7, 1836, of Quaker parentage. Reared on a farm in Illinois and educated in the country schools of that state. Admitted to the bar and began the practice of law at Danville, Ill. State's attorney of Vermillion county, Ill., from 1861 to 1868. Elected to congress in 1872 and has served continuously since with the exception of one term. Speaker of the Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth congresses. Permanent chairman of the Republican national convention of 1904.

**Philander Chase Knox.**  
Born in Brownsville, Pa., May 5, 1853. Graduated from Mount Union college in 1873 and admitted to the bar in 1875. Assistant United States district attorney of Pennsylvania in 1876. Formed a law partnership with James H. Reed of Pittsburg in 1877. Declined public office and continued the practice of law from 1877 to 1890. Became attorney general in President McKinley's cabinet in 1901. Succeeded Matthew S. Quay in the United States senate in 1904. Indorsed for president by the Pennsylvania Republican convention in 1907.

**Mentioned for Second Place.**  
Charles W. Fairbanks, vice-president of the United States. Jonathan P. Dolliver, United States senator from Iowa.  
Elmer J. Burkett, United States senator from Nebraska.  
James S. Sherman of Utica, N. Y., representative in congress.  
George B. Cortelyou of New York, secretary of the United States treasury.  
John Franklin Fort, governor of New Jersey.  
Franklin Murphy, former governor of New Jersey.  
Curtis Guild Jr., governor of Massachusetts.  
John Hays Hammond of Massachusetts, expert mining engineer.

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Mrs. Ed Barron of Ashland is visiting Mrs. Vivian McCarthy of this city.

## TO HAVE HEADQUARTERS AT GRANTS PASS

Gilman Bed Rock Mining Company Will Soon Be Ready for Operations.

On the 28th of last month the board of directors of the Gilman Bed Rock Mining Co. held its regular meeting at Sacramento, Cal., at which meeting it was decided to move the headquarters and offices to Grants Pass, and the following report of that meeting has been mailed to all stockholders in accordance with the provisions of the constitution.

The office of the company will be on West G street with Herzinger and Mitchell. Following is the secretary's statement referred to above: The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors was held May 28th, and the stockholders who were not present are hereby advised of the proceedings of the meeting. This in accordance with the policy of our company, which policy will be continued in the future and you will be advised of the proceedings of each and every meeting of our board of directors.

There were present at the meeting: L. F. Gilman, R. F. Wendover and Chas. Miller (a majority—the other two members of the board of directors being at present in Oregon.)

Mr. Gilman, having returned to Sacramento, reported progress on the work of building coows, etc., at Grants Pass; the coows being now entirely completed, except for the caulking, which work will be accomplished within the next few days.

Here at Sacramento the work on the machine is being prosecuted and will be completed on schedule time and unless something unforeseen should deter, the machine will be complete and ready for shipment to Grants Pass within the next three weeks.

By July 1st we expect all to be in readiness to start for our field of initial operation about 40 miles below Grants Pass in Rogue River.

There has been a sufficient number of shares sold to warrant the assertion that it will actually be in operation by July 15th, we having only, as near as now can be estimated, about \$2500 more to raise through the sale of stock to bring our enterprise and efforts to a successful conclusion, and the stock at this stage is going in a manner so satisfactory as to assure you all that the money will be forthcoming to meet all outstanding.

We wish to advise every stockholder that if he can make it convenient, he is cordially invited to meet with us and attend our board of directors meetings, which are held on the last Thursday of each month and from now on our meetings will be held in the office of the company at Grants Pass, Oregon.

After June 5th, address all communications to Gilman Bed Rock Mining Co., Grants Pass, Oregon.  
President Gilman of the company returned Monday night from Sacramento, where he had been looking after the construction of the machine in addition to office business. He was accompanied by R. F. Wendover, the secretary and treasurer and Mrs. Wendover, who will make their permanent home in Grants Pass.

## PROHIBITION IN JOSEPHINE IS LEGALLY DECLARED

A Special Session of County Court Reviewed Canvass of Election Returns.

At a special session of the county court last Friday, the official canvass of the late general election was reviewed and it was declared according to the returns prohibition had carried. In accordance with the legal formalities prohibition was declared and it was ordered that the sale of all alcoholic beverages be prohibited except in accordance with the law which provides that drug stores may sell on the prescription of a physician, for medicinal purposes. It was also ordered that prohibition shall go into effect on the first day of July, 1908.

It was expected that a representative of the bridge company to whom the contract for the construction of a new bridge across Rogue River to replace the present one, would be present. A message from the company designated Tuesday of this week as the time when one of these men would be here. A later message set July.

The action of the bridge company is construed by the county court to mean that the company do not intend to begin the work, for fear of injunction against its construction. As a remedy District Attorney Reames is quoted as having given the opinion county warrants might be guaranteed by some in demerity company. But the bridge people evidently have cold feet, and the county will have to readvertise for bids.

THIS season the styles, and patterns of fabrics, in men's clothes are unusually striking; more bright colors, more smart patterns and weaves; a stock of men's clothes like ours looks almost giddy.



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Extraordinary Value and selection in three piece Summer Suits at \$10 \$12.50, \$18 and \$20. Don't overlook this. Men's \$15, \$16, \$18, \$20 two piece suits, your choice for \$12.50. \$6 Outing Suits, 4.50. \$8.00 Outing Suits 6.00. \$10. Outing Suits 7.50. See the window. Get your size while we have it.

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"OUTFITTERS TO BOY AND MAN"

## OREGON IS ENJOYING FINE FRUITS AND CROPS

Portland Commercial Club Dedicates Their New 8-Story Building.

Portland, Ore., June 18, 1908. While cyclones and floods are visiting the south, east and middle west, and the rising waters are destroying millions of dollars worth of farm and city property, Oregon is enjoying beautiful weather, delicious fruit, and looking forward with the confidence inspired by assured crops this fall.

Portland lumbermen will meet Monday night at the Commercial Club and arranged for a big excursion to Coos Bay. Concatenations will be held at Marshfield, June 22, and Bandon on the 24th.

On June 24th Portland business men were the guests of Eugene. A special train left for the university town at 7 in the morning and the party participated in the opening of the new depot there, attended the commencement exercises at the University and were entertained by the Eugene Commercial Club.

The Oregon Humane Society has installed nine ornamental drinking fountains at various points throughout the city. In addition to the regulation drinking cup, places are provided for dogs and horses. Eight of these fountains were presented by citizens of Portland, while the ninth is the gift of the National Humane Society

of New York, who are presenting similar fountains to different cities in the United States.

The housewarming of the Portland Commercial Club in its new eight story steel home, which was held last Friday night, brought together a large and enthusiastic body of prominent citizens, and it was probably the happiest event that has occurred in this city since the Lewis & Clark Exposition.

The daily rose show in the lobby of the Chamber of Commerce drew thousands of visitors, while at the Commercial Club huge quantities of perfect blooms were furnished each day by different members of the Club for the decorations of the rooms. Oregon City has occupied the center of the stage during the last week with an especially successful Rose Show and Carnival.

Secretary C. H. Marsh, of the Pendleton Commercial Association is enthusiastic over the future of his city and Umatilla county, and advises that his soliciting committee will not cease their efforts until they have secured \$8000 to give publicity to the resources and advantages of the county.

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## Excursion Rates.

Special rates are applicable to the following meetings, full information to be had by applying at the depot:

Northwest Conference Young Womens Christian Association, Seaside Oregon, June 19th to 29th.  
Commencement exercises, State Normal School, Monmouth, Ore., June 20th to 23d.

Midsummer Meeting, Horticultural Association of Oregon, The Dalles, Ore., June 30th to July 2d.  
Annual Campmeeting, Oregon, State Holiness Association, Portland, Oregon, July 10 to 27.

Annual Campmeeting, Church of God, Woodburn, June 11th to 21st.  
Annual Reunion Oregon Pioneers Association, Grand Encampment, Indian War Veterans, Portland, Oregon, June 8th to 13th.  
R. K. MONTGOMERY, Agent.

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Mrs. H. S. Woodcock returned from a visit at Portland Sunday and left the same day for her home at Kerby.

## The Southern Oregon State Normal School

Will conduct a six weeks summer course beginning June 18, and ending July 31, 1908.

The courses offered are as follows.

**Course 1**  
PRIMARY METHODS—Including first three grades. One session of 2 weeks (12 days) Mrs. Katherin E. Sloan.

**Course 2**  
ADVANCED METHODS—Including grades four to eight. Miss Armada Kaiser.

**Course 3**  
HIGH SCHOOL METHODS and SCHOOL MANAGEMENT and SUPERVISION. Prof. A. L. Briggs, Pres. of Drain Normal School.

**Course 4**  
REGULAR NORMAL SUBJECTS, and REVIEW FOR COUNTY and LIFE PAPER Pres. of School, Prof. W. T. VanScoy, Prof. A. C. Joy, Miss Armada Kaiser, Prof. A. L. Briggs.

For further particulars address Pres. of Normal School, Ashland, Oregon.