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## FRUITDALE.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Huck, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huck and Miss Ruth attended the reception which was given to Rev. Lovett and his bride at the Baptist church last Friday evening.

Geo. A. Hamilton's entertained Prof. Meikle last Sunday.

School began last Monday, with Mrs. Ida Swacker as teacher, and 22 pupils enrolled.

Prof. Meikle of Grants Pass preached last Sunday after Sunday school. He is an earnest Christian and a good speaker and we all hope he will come again.

Mr. Fowler shot a fine deer over near Pickett Mt., the first of the week.

Franklin is getting up a car load, guaranteed special rabbit Proof Fence, as cheap as any fence on the market, quality considered. 9-25-2t

Henry Huck purchased a lot of lumber over near Wilderville and is hauling it to Grants Pass this week.

LOST—Last Friday evening, between Grants Pass and Fruitdale on the "short cut road", a sack full of clothes which had just been laundered. Will the person who found them kindly notify M. E. Sturtevant of Grants Pass or leave them at the Gillette Feed store on Sixth St.

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## APPLE GROWERS WILL SHOW MUCH FINE FRUIT

National Apple Show Will Do  
Vast Amount of Good to  
the Industry.

The National apple show to be held at Spokane, Washington from December 7th to 12th, 1908, will be an important affair to those engaged in apple culture. \$25,000 will be given in prizes, \$1500 of which goes to the owner of the best car of apples. A letter from E. L. Stewart of Prosser, Washington, one of the best known apple growers of the northwest says: "I will certainly enter the contest with a carload of apples. It seems to me that this is a grand opportunity for the different apple districts of the Northwest to show their faith in the claims of growing superior apples."

"I think the matter should be brought to the attention of the commercial clubs of the different districts, with a view of taking the matter up and getting the best equipped grower in each district to enter the competition."

"It is certainly the best opportunity the West has ever had of showing to the East that we are really growing choice apples on a commercial scale, and at the same time, convince them that we lead the world in our GRADE and PACK."

"I would prefer to be in competition with 25 competitors rather than with only two or three, and if it could be known early enough how many cars would be entered, it could be arranged to have an auction sale of the exhibitions of this class, on the last day of the show, and the buyer would land his purchase in the eastern market in time for the holiday trade. I believe this could be worked up to be the most important feature of the show, and as the apples would all be the 'Cream of the Northwest,' I think they would sell at prices never before heard of in any country."

"The parties making exhibits in this class would be running no risk whatever, for if they put up meritorious fruit in good shape, it is certain to sell at a price to more than repay the extra expense of making exhibit, without taking into consideration the prize money at all."

"The competition cannot fail to do a vast amount of good to the whole country, for it should bring out the very best material, and the very best ideas and workmanship in grade and pack, and in this way, show thousands of visitors the very best methods known."

"I know that personally I want to find the man that beats me out, for when I do I am sure to learn something that I can profit by."

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### President Asks Larger Army.

President Roosevelt, in his final annual message to congress, probably will recommend an increase in the numerical strength of the army to at least 100,000 men. At present the army is on a footing of 80,000 men, the number provided for in time of peace. To the general staff it has become evident, in the last two years, that 80,000 men are too few properly to garrison the posts at which it is necessary to maintain an armed force. These posts include the garrisons in the insular possessions of America.

The law provides that the army may be increased to 100,000 men in time of need. This provision in the opinion of military experts is likely to prove a serious handicap to the army if absolute necessity should arise for a larger force. It is expected that the president will recommend in his message an increase of the army by the addition of at least 10 regiments of infantry, five regiments of cavalry and several companies of coast artillery.

Examine our line of Bed Room Heaters. Cramer Bros.

Friday evening of last week, the management of the coliseum rink gave a Hop Harvest dance at their hall on F street, which was very largely attended. The hall was very prettily decorated with hops and presented a most inviting appearance. The floor, which is the best in town for dancing, was in splendid condition, and the orchestra furnished excellent music. Everyone attending enjoyed the evening to the fullest extent, and the management is to be congratulated on their success.

## ROOSTER CLUB ANNOYED BY RAILROAD COMPANY

The members of the Roosters Club, which for some years past have sat on the fences along the railroad parks on Sixth street, and amused themselves by expectorating on the sidewalks and commenting on the ladies who passed by, are much annoyed because the Roadmaster's department of the Southern Pacific has seen fit to replace the wooden fences with iron with sharp points on the upper side. The Roosters are not only annoyed, but practically put out of business as far as these streets are concerned. It has not been announced as yet where they will make their next headquarters. The people of Grants Pass generally (outside of the Roosters Club) are greatly pleased with the improvement.

Those Gun Metal Scuffers are the best shoes ever sold by anyone found only at the Shoe Department of Kinney & Truax. 9-25-1t

## IRRIGATION CONVENTION

(Continued from First Page.)

It has been determined by the Irrigation Committee of the Commercial club that they will call a meeting of the farmers whose lands will be under the proposed irrigation canals, to take place at the Commercial Club on Monday next at 2 p. m. The committee desire to consult the farmers regarding irrigation and will ask them to elect a committee of six to act with the irrigation committee of the club.

The committee feel that it is high time that the farmers come forward and act for themselves regarding the irrigation of their lands. They say that many questions arise which can only be settled by farmers and therefore it is highly important to have farmers as with the Commercial Club committee. It is to be hoped that the proposed meeting next Monday afternoon will be well attended, in fact every farmer in the county wants irrigation should make up his mind that it is important for him to be present to express his wants and wishes on this occasion.

There will be numerous speeches and in fact a general discussion of the subject of irrigation, the ways and means, the opportunities and what has been as well as what should be accomplished. It is impossible for the newspapers to publish everything that takes place regarding the securing of irrigation, therefore those who desire full information should attend the meeting and familiarize themselves with the subject as it presents itself to those who have land and desire water to cover it.

There appear to be many erroneous reports regarding the details of irrigation under the various plans which have been discussed. Attend the meeting and get the facts and then you will have an opportunity to act as well as to protect your own interests. All agree on one point, irrigation is the thing needed to make agriculture and fruit growing a success in the Rogue River Valley therefore it is important that the people generally, act together so as to commence the construction of the ditches and insure irrigation for the season of 1909.

Since writing the above article on the North Dakota U. S. Government Reclamation scheme and the Garden City project, we have found the cost per acre which those settlers pay for water rights. The following is a full list of government projects now being carried out and the cost for water rights under each. These figures are reliable and certainly must be interesting to our readers at this time. They should be placed before the meeting of farmers at the Commercial Club on Monday next.

Following are the projects with cost per acre:

- Uncompahgre, Colo., \$35.
- Sun River, Mont., \$25.
- Huntley, Mont., \$30.
- Lower Yellowstone, Mont.-N. D., \$33.
- Shoshoni, Wyo., \$32.
- North Platte, Wyo.-Neb., \$32.
- Truckee-Carson, Nev., \$26.
- Hende, N. M. and Urton Lake, \$27.50.
- Carlsbad N. M., \$30.
- Rio Grande, New Mex.-Tex.-Mex., \$30.
- Belle Fourche, S. D., \$33.
- Salt River, Ariz., \$35.
- Yuma, Ariz.-Cal., \$35.
- Minidoka, Idaho, \$26.
- Payette-Boise, Idaho, \$60.
- Garden City, Kan., \$30.
- Umatilla, Ore., \$60.
- Klamath, Ore.-Cal., \$30.
- Sunnyside, Wash., \$45.
- Pieton, Wash., \$60.
- Okanogan, Wash., \$35.
- Milk River, Mont., \$25.
- Strawberry Valley, Utah, \$30.
- Orland, Cal., \$40.
- Trenton-Baford, Williston and Nees, N. D., \$30.

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## COMING HOME FROM FOREIGN LANDS

H. B. Miller, of this place was in Honolulu Monday on his way home from China, where he has been for several years, holding the responsible position of American Consul-General at Yokohama. It is probable that Mr. Miller will spend the summer on his farm on Rogue River a few miles below Grants Pass. Close attention to duty has greatly impaired his health and he has many times said that a summer in good old Oregon was just what he desired and needed. His numerous friends will be glad to welcome his return.

De Witt's Little Early Risers, pleasant little pills that are easy to take. Sold by Model Drug Store

### Carson Loses Horse.

One of the gray driving horses owned by Carson & Son had to be shot on Tuesday of this week on account of a broken leg. E. L. Churchill had taken a party of eastern persons out to show them the vineyard and when they reached the lane leading to the Carson home the horse was standing near the gate. It did not appear to be afraid of the automobile and when the machine was stopped to let the riders out the horse came down to it, but suddenly turned and jumped over the six foot wire fence. It got caught in the wire in some way and the leg was broken at the ankle, making it necessary to shoot it.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is especially good for piles. Recommended and sold by Model Drug Store.

### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between E. E. Brewster and J. D. Graham, under the firm name of Graham & Brewster has been dissolved and that the undersigned will not be responsible for debts incurred by said Brewster. The business will in the future be conducted under the firm name of Graham & Son.

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