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S. W. Roth, editor of the Retailers' Journal, of Chicago, was one of the speakers before the retail grocers at Davenport Iowa, last week. He pleaded with the retailers to use the newspapers of their home cities more generously than they have been doing. "See what the mail order houses and department stores are doing in the way of advertising," Mr. Roth said. "The Retailers are building up the mail order houses by their negligence. They are building up the business that is right at their own doors for the mail order houses. The narrowness that exists among retailers is due to the fact that everyone is afraid to help the other man. My position is that it is without helping yourself. The way to control the home trade and prevent it going to the large centers is to use the home newspaper; to advertise not one day, but every day."

The Masonic lodges of Boston and Worcester and a few other in various parts of Massachusetts are to receive charts of King Solomon's Temple at Jerusalem. The charts will be presented to the lodges through the Boston Herald. They are gifts of Mrs. Aaron Morley Wilcox of Washington. Mrs. Wilcox presents the charts because of a movement in Massachusetts looking to the restoration of the ancient temple at Jerusalem and in placing the charts with the Herald for presentation to the lodges in memory of her husband Mrs. Wilcox expresses the hope that the temple may at some time be restored to its original form.

The Farmer's Union is an organization that is increasing all over the state. Eastern Oregon will be organized this spring and in the fall Western Oregon will be drawn in line. This organization has peculiar and business-like methods of proceeding, and claims to have busted the cotton trusts in the South. It has already accomplished marked consideration from the railroads in Washington, and is an organization that is making the various forms of graft and imposition fastened on the farmers sit up and take notice.

Evangelist Dan Shannon, in his farewell sermon at Hood River, is said to have scored soundly the people of the apple town, the press and the officials as grafters and mercenaries. Since the collections taken up for proclaiming salvation "free" had, during his stay, aggregated \$1000, he may be said to have committed that unseemly break of courtesy described as "looking a gift horse in the mouth."

Under the auspices of the State Board of Geology a complete survey of the deforested lands in Washington will be made this summer. The appropriation made by the last legislature for the geologic board was \$30,000, out of which the sum of \$5,000

has been set aside for this purpose. The work will be directed by Prof. Landes, state geologist. At his solicitation a careful study of the state's cement resources will also be made.

This is the time of year when, because of recurring national anniversaries we hear a great deal of talk about being ready to die for one's country. Fortunately there is no demand now for that sacrifice, but to live for one's country is always in order. That is best done by obedience to its laws, reverence for its institutions, the cheerful performance of the duties of citizenship and a clean, upright and useful life.

Twenty-one divorces were granted in one day by the Spokane county superior court. It would help these matters immensely if the state could stop the courting of a lot of people before it gets to the matrimonial stage, and thus prevent all this troublesome courting the state for divorce.

A scientist says the day is coming when it will be possible to foretell earthquakes. Good. That will give us a chance to make use of our airship and get off the earth till the trouble is over.

The Rev. Mr. Carmichael made it easy for the medical fraternity to discover that he was insane. Had his case been left to expert witnesses there would always have remained a doubt.

In Oregon the ten-inch hat pin is to be the limit, but as few mashers will care to have even ten inches of pin jabbed into their anatomy, the limit will doubtless be a plenty.

This country has made such progress in the way of furnishing brick and stucco houses that we shall probably never have another president who was born in a log cabin.

A Boston woman, we are told has "embraced twenty-three different religions." It may be that up to the present time she has not found any that reciprocated.

If Roosevelt becomes the head of the world's conservation congress, the problem of what to do with our ex-presidents will be very satisfactorily solved.

Aunt Carrie Nation smashed a London tobaccoist's window and was let off with a small fine. Aunt Carrie has had hard work making a martyr of herself.

Another ingenious has sprung into fame by inventing an egg beater which can also be used as an ice cream freezer and churn. Wonderful age, is this.

The doctors having discovered a man who has two hearts, the question has been raised whether he is now entitled to two wives.

Sousa announces that ragtime music is dead. If so it has left a very active ghost to continue the disturbance.

Learn a lesson in modesty by studying the character of John R. Binns, the young Marconi hero.

Senator Tillman is accused, also, of overworking his forking privilege.

Strayed from my place north of Athena, one brown filly, 3 years old; one black yearling filly with one white hind foot. Will pay reward of \$10 each for information leading to their recovery.

Oliver Dickenson, Athena, Oregon.

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**FOOT-SCHULZE**  
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Style and quality perfect  
**\$4**  
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Forty-two acres of finest land on the reservation, all in timothy except 10 acres of wheat. New house, one and a half acres in strawberries. Fine fruit land, good water. With the place goes 70 acres of barley and 40 acres of wheat on leased land, a four-horse team, harness, two wagons, and household goods. Enquire at the Press office.

### For Sale,

Four header beds with nets. Inquire of Geo. Dunlap, Athena, Ore.

### Wheat Ranch For Sale.

160 acres, one-fourth mile from Waterman station; all in fall grain; good buildings and well improved otherwise. Address, E. J. Zerba, Athena, Ore. Box 63.

### Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin express thanks for the many kind acts of friends and neighbors during the illness and death of their infant daughter.

### EXECUTRIX NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Desire St. Dennis, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the above entitled court executrix of the last will and testament of Desire St. Dennis, deceased, and has qualified as the law directs. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers within six months from date hereof to me at the office of Lowell & Winter in Despain Block in Pendleton, Oregon.  
Dated this 20th day of May, 1909.  
Sarah Agnes St. Dennis Executrix.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for Umatilla County.  
In the matter of the estate of Ole Thompson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all persons whom it may concern, that B. B. Richards was appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Ole Thompson, deceased, on April 14th A. D. 1909, and has qualified as such; all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified and required to present them, with proper vouchers as required by law, to him at his office in Athena, Umatilla County, Oregon, or at the office of his attorneys, Peterson & Wilson, at their offices at Athena or Pendleton, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice, which will appear in the Athena Press on Friday the 23d day of April A. D. 1909, and will appear once each week therein for four consecutive weeks.  
Dated this 23d day of April A. D. 1909.

B. B. Richards,  
Admr. Cum testamento annexo.  
Peterson & Wilson,  
attorneys.

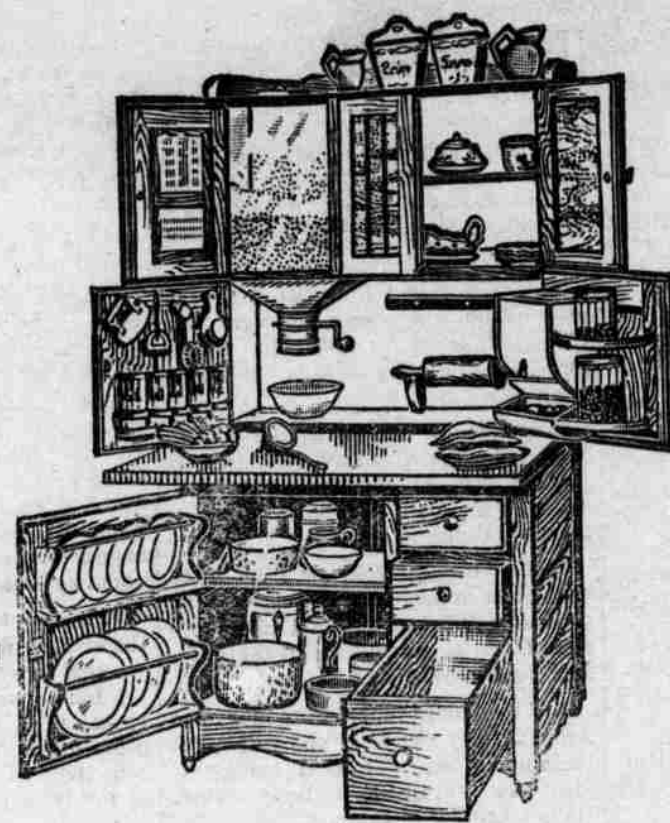
### Swept Over Niagara.

This terrible calamity often happens because a careless boatman ignores the river's warnings—growing ripples and faster current—Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape fatal maladies—Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see Backache fly and all your best feelings return. "After long suffering from weak kidneys and lame back, one \$1.00 bottle wholly cured me," writes J. R. Blankenship, of Belk, Tenn. Only 50c at all druggists.

### Up Before The Bar.

N. H. Brown, an attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt., writes: "We have used Dr. King's New Life Pills for years and find them such a good family medicine we wouldn't be without them." For Chills, constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache they work wonders. 25c at all druggists.

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These prize kitchen designs are the result of \$1,000 in cash prizes offered by McDougall to the architects of America for the best design of an ideal kitchen. The prize designs have been reproduced in colors, will be presented to every housewife who will call at this store for them this week. They will give you many ideas that you can utilize in your own kitchen and will show you how to make your kitchen more convenient and more attractive.

### McDougall Kitchen Cabinets

contain many features that cannot be had in other cabinets at any price. Before you buy a cabinet you should examine the complete line of McDougall cabinets now on display at this store. See for yourself the many advantages they possess, and do not let anyone tell you that any other cabinet is as good as the McDougall.

### Special Sale

### Easy McDougall Club Terms

We are now forming a McDougall Kitchen Cabinet Club, which will make it easy for every housewife to own a McDougall Cabinet. By joining you can select any cabinet you desire and secure it upon a small payment down—the balance of the purchase price to be paid in easy weekly payments.

Do We will also present each housewife, who calls, a CREDIT Call  
Not CERTIFICATE GOOD FOR \$1.00 on the purchase price of at  
Delay to buy, but come and see the McDougall display. Once

An expert demonstrator at my Furniture Store,  
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Shaving, Haircutting,  
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