

Side Dishes

R. F. D. means Rural Free Delivery. The mysterious tall and short men must have dissolved partnership.

The new football rules are not a failure. Half a dozen deaths are reported already and the season has only just opened.

When you hear a lady say she remained single from choice, don't be so rude as to ask her from whose choice she remained single.

When they place a tax of telegraph, telephone, electric light, barber and bean poles, then will we have a pole tax that is a pole tax.

A Medford man telephoned to a store in that city the other day and told them to send up a bushel of oats, not telling them where to send the oats or who they were for. They telephoned back from the central office and asked who the oats were for. "Don't get gay," said the man, "they are for the horse, of course."

An Ashland editor, whose eyesight is very dim, saw an object crossing the walk in front of him the other day and thought it was a cow. "Shoo-o-o, get off the walk!" said the editor. He was informed later that it was a lady he had tried to shoo off the walk. On his way home that evening the editor mistook a cow for a lady and lifted his hat and exclaimed, "Good evening, Miss -----, how do you do?" Freeberg for spectacles.

Central Point being a dry town, a man who happened along the other day filled up on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and as a result he had fourteen kinds of nightmare that night. He put up at the hotel, and a noise in his room brought Mr. Pleasants to the scene and he found the man standing in a chair holding an umbrella over his head. The man thought he was about to jump from a balloon. Moral: Never substitute cough medicine for whiskey.

Here is a puzzle that puzzles everybody and staggers even the school marm now in convention assembled: Take the number of your living brothers, double the amount, add three, multiply by five, add to it the number of your living sisters, multiply the result by ten, add the number of deaths of brothers, and subtract 150 from the result. The right number will be the number of deaths, the middle will be the number of living sisters, and the left will show the number of living brothers. Try it and see.

A farmer living near Gold Hill went to Portland the other day and put up at a hotel that night. He was told to pull the string in his room when he wanted water. The farmer, becoming thirsty during the night, got up and pulled the string—the wrong one, of course—and as he happened to be standing directly under the shower bath sprinkler, he got more water than he had use for, and to cap the climax he was charged extra for a shower bath. What he said of Portland on his return to Gold Hill is not fit for publication.

One of Gold Hill's young ladies went to a grocery store in that town the other day to get a few pounds of flour. She took along a pillow-case—or what she supposed to be a pillow-case—to put the flour in, but when the young man behind the counter went to pour the flour into the "pillow-case" he discovered that the blamed thing had two outlets to it and wouldn't hold flour nor nothing else in the grocery line. When the young lady saw the predicament the young clerk was in she exclaimed, "I guess I made a mistake." She took her flour home in a paper bag and the clerk kept the "pillow-case."

Recent Inventions of Merit.

A bartender in Denver has patented a new cocktail which is said to be harmless. A few dashes of liquid rubber serves to insulate the stomach of the drinker from the deleterious effects of the ordinary concoction of this nature.

A New York flat dweller has taken out a preliminary patent on an iron bar, three feet long, with spikes on the end, which, when promptly used on the head of an impudent janitor, will silence him for a period varying from one week to eternity.

Music lovers will rejoice in a new clothes-wringer shortly to be placed on the market, which will wring clothes and at the same time grind out selections from popular operas of the day. It is called "The Parsifal Wringing-erol," and will cost five dollars.

A New Haven tailor has applied for a patent on a pair of hired men's trousers. The seat is made of buckskin and contains four invisible percussion thumb-tacks, with the points running inward, thereby making it impossible for the wearer to sit down while he should be working.

An ingenious old maid of Waltham, Tennessee, has taken out a patent on a collapsible sofa, which, by the pressure of a button, will cave in amidstships and throw a bashful young man at one end into such close proximity with a willing young lady at the other that he cannot help coming to time if he has the slightest spark of true manhood in him. The girl presses the button.—Judge.

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The Central Point Creamery has made good. In operation but a few weeks, the fact has been fully demonstrated that the plant is not only capable of turning out a top-notch product, but that it is actually doing so. A few facts gleaned from the management recently may be of interest to HERALD readers, many of whom are interested, directly or indirectly, in the success of modern Central Point's pioneer manufacturing institution. The creamery is now turning out something more than 1000 pounds of "Fancy" grade butter each week and the term "Fancy" as applied to butter, means something more than "High Grade" or "First-class" in quality. "Fancy" butter means the BEST, the very TOP-NOTCH in quality.

The butter has been introduced in the markets of every town in the valley and in every case has given perfect satisfaction. One firm in particular, in a neighboring town, that has persistently refused to handle any other Rogue River Valley product, but has shipped all of its supply from a creamery situated in a famous dairying section of California, has, after handling a few cases of the Central Point brand, written the management, "Send us some more; it is good enough for us." And in this case that means that in the opinion of this firm it is the BEST.

One firm of grocers in the Rogue River Valley, and outside of Central Point, already handle about 400 pounds of the Central Point brand every week and they are more than pleased with the results. A shipment was made this week to a firm in Linn County who had heard something about the "Central Point" brand.

The creamery is making a great start and every Central Pointer may well be proud of its record. It's a good advertisement for Central Point.

**Will Pay Promptly.**

The management of the Central Point creamery wish to announce that patrons will be paid in full for cream furnished up to October 31st, as soon as the accounts can be made up after the first day of November. The work of making up statements will necessarily take a few days, but all patrons may expect payment before November 10th.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.**

The undersigned, having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Isaac Simpkins, deceased, by order of the County Court for Jackson County, Oregon, sitting in probate and having qualified as such, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of said Isaac Simpkins, deceased, to present said claims with proper vouchers attached to the undersigned at Woodville, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice. Dated at Woodville, Oregon, October 1, 1906. OSCAR SIMPKINS, Administrator of the estate of Isaac Simpkins, deceased. Date of first publication Oct. 4, 1906.

**Bybee Ranches for Sale**

From and after this date, I will sell to the best advantage, and for cash, all or any portion of those two certain ranches known as the Bybee River Ranch, at the Bybee bridge on Rogue River, consisting of 1240 acres, and the Bybee Antelope Ranch, consisting of 1500 acres. With the Bybee River Ranch will be sold that portion of the crop upon the part purchased. This ranch is partly under irrigation and more can be put under irrigation. Address me at Agate, Oregon. 12-1f F. E. BYBEE.

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TRAINS FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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Leave Central Point - - - 11:09 a. m. 10:40 p. m.

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**CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**  
E. A. La Dow, pastor. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Ladies Aid Society meets regularly every Wednesday afternoon at 3 p. m. at the home of its members. Choir practice every Friday night.

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