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ADVERTISING RATES

Professional Cards... per month \$ .50
One square... " " 1.00
One-quarter Column... " " 2.00
One-half Column... " " 3.00
One Column... " " 4.00

Business locals will be charged at 5 cents per line for each insertion.

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MOSIER APPLES RECEIVE PRAISE

Not long ago Mr. M. A. Mayer sent to a prominent physician in New York a box of extra fancy Spitzberg apples. The following letter was received recently by Mr. Mayer, written by the recipient:

"Dear Mr. Mayer:

The box of Spitz apples which you sent arrived in good order. Each one is a little painting by itself, a work of art which masters of the old school would have delighted to put on canvass, and the flavor is something that cannot be painted, and which no man can describe.

Thank you very much for this gift and the good wishes which prompted it.

Sincerely yours, DR. BEAMAN DOUGLASS.

MOSIER CORN ATTRACTS ATTENTION

It has long been known that the soil and general climatic conditions were peculiarly adapted to the raising of fine fruit and certain vegetables; but only recently has it been demonstrated that field corn can also be raised very satisfactorily. It has been the general impression that the nights here were too cold for corn to do well, consequently but little effort has heretofore been made to produce much corn or pains taken to improve the variety. This past season, however, a number of our ranchers, among them being Mr. Arthur Kuhn, of the Grandview district, raised some corn with a view to sending it to the county fair for exhibition. This corn received a prize at The Dalles, and was then sent to the Oregon Exhibit at Chicago. C. C. Chapman, of Portland, had charge of the Oregon Exhibit at Chicago. In a letter which he wrote to Mr. Kuhn, dated Dec. 24, Mr. Chapman wrote: "Your corn attracted a great deal of attention in our exhibit, and we are grateful to you for your co-operation in supplying same."

WASCO STONE FOR FEDERAL BUILDING

The Dalles Chronicle says that Judd S. Fish, secretary of the Business Men's Association, has just received a letter from Congressman N. J. Sinnott, informing him that the assistant secretary of the treasury has sent the representative notice that when estimates for the new federal building in The Dalles are submitted, in them will be included a provision for the use of the blue basalt rock from the quarry in The Dalles. The letter to Mr. Sinnott says:

"By direction of the secretary I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 10th instant, relative to the use of stone quarried in the vicinity of The Dalles, Oregon, for use in the construction of the postoffice building in that city.

"In accordance with your request, the owners of the local quarries will be given an opportunity to submit to general contractors bids for the stonework required. For this purpose an alternate will be included in the specifications contemplating the use of the local material and careful consideration will be given to the matter before the award of the contract.

"The samples of the stone which you recently forwarded to the office of the supervising architect have been placed on file for reference."

The problem of furnishing work for idle men in Eastern Oregon, which is an important question at the present time, is to be solved within a very short time by the commencement of actual construction work on the first 10,000 acre unit of the West Umatilla extension irrigation project. Orders have been received by the local engineers to begin work, supplies are being purchased, camps established

ANXIOUS MOMENTS.

If you carry an unreliable timepiece, you have a good many such moments. If your watch needs attention bring it to us. We can truthfully say you will be more than pleased with our work.

Dependable work and satisfied customers are our best advertisements. W. F. LARAWAY, HOOD RIVER, ORE.



TEST YOUR BAROMETER.

It is a Tricky Instrument and Must Be Treated With Respect.

Don't expect a barometer to tell you the truth about the weather until you have tested it thoroughly. Two common causes for unreliability are air and water mixed with the mercury in the tube. These can be expelled by boiling the mercury.

In order to test a barometer let it hang for a time in the proper position, then gently and with care incline it so that the mercury may strike against the glass tube. If there is no air within you will hear a sharp metallic click, but if the sound is dull and muffled it indicates the presence of both air and moisture. The presence of air alone is shown by minute bubbles.

If at any time the mercury seems to adhere to the tube even in the slightest degree and the convex surface assumes a more flattened form it is safe to conclude that either air or moisture is present. In any of these cases the instrument should be put into expert hands for rectification.

There are several kinds of barometers. The ordinary "weather glass" in common use is more or less unreliable and is easily made more so by careless handling. In fact, any barometer must be treated with great respect in order to retain its usefulness. -Harper's Weekly.

CHURCHES IN CHILE.

They Are Always More or Less in an Uncompleted Condition.

When walking through the streets in any large town in Chile one is immediately struck by the fact that church buildings are always undergoing repairs.

One day you will pass a church which for weeks has had about six ladders resting against the walls. Then another day you will find that they have been changed to the other side. This constant changing of ladders goes on year in and year out, but no use ever seems to be made of the ladders, though, perhaps, a new brick or a bit of plaster will occasionally be added to the building.

There would seem, however, to be a very real reason for the presence of these ladders. The Chilean government, in fact, levies a tax upon church buildings, but only when they have been completed. In order to evade this tax, therefore, no church ever has been completed.

The law surely might be altered, then, for the eternal presence of these ladders—certainly an ingenious idea—does not add to the appearance of the buildings or to the comfort of pedestrians in the streets.—London Answers.

King Robert Bruce's Watch.

In Dalzell's "Fragments of Scottish History" is the following: "The oldest known English watch was made, it is said, in the sixteenth century. There exists a watch which, antiquarians allow, belonged to King Robert Bruce."

In tracing this subject further was found a letter in the Gentleman's Magazine dated Forfar, Aug. 20, 1785, and signed J. Jamieson, who therein states that the watch was offered for sale to him by a goldsmith hawker of Glasgow, who afterward sold it for 2 guineas, and it was next sold for 5. The letter does not trace the curiosity further, but we find in a little work by Adam Thompson, entitled "Time and Timekeepers," that it subsequently found its way into the collection of King George III.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Can Snakes Fascinate Their Prey?

Mr. Fitzsimons answers this question in the negative. The belief in fascination is general, but there seems to be no real foundation for it. "I have had much experience of snakes," writes Mr. Fitzsimons, "and have made it my business to observe carefully their habits and ways, both in their natural condition in the wild state and captivity, and in no instance have I ever known a snake to fascinate an animal in the manner it is alleged to do." He has seen two species, which he mentions, many a time in trees surrounded by a crowd of fluttering, excited birds. But the birds were not, he says, fascinated by the snake. They were endeavoring to intimidate it in order to frighten it from their haunts. —Westminster Gazette.

Visible Sound Waves.

Curious luminous circles or arcs, delicate and perfect in form, have been seen over the craters of Vesuvius and Etna, one at each eruption. A study of this strange phenomenon has been made by Mr. Frank A. Forel, who has witnessed it hundreds of times, and he concludes that these "floating arcs" as he calls them, are really sound waves made visible by an instrument. The rate of propagation of the images seeming to be about that of sound. The appearance is analogous to the air waves seen above heated wires.

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Old Fashion Mill Feed

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Compare them with those you have been getting and - See the Difference -

Cost a trifle more, but worth it.

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Hay, Grain, Mill Feed

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Mosier, Oregon

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E. A. RACE, MGR.

MOSIER OREGON

\$71,000 ROBBERY

Although details have not been given out, a package addressed to a local bank containing \$71,000 in U. S. Treasury notes was taken and a package of magazines substituted. The substitution was not found out till the package reached the bank, when the cashier found the bundle of "Laff" magazines. He started to read some of the stuff and became so interested that he agreed with the bank directors to make up the loss if they would place him on the subscription list of "Laff" for life. In order to get you in a good humor and help you forget even your big troubles, domestic or financial, we will agree to send you "Laff" for one year at the ridiculously low price of 50 cents.

This National Magazine of Fun is making greater strides than any other magazine before the American public today. It is a magazine that will keep the whole family in a good humor. The staff of Laff! contains artists, caricaturists and writers who rank among the best in the country. It is highly illustrated and printed in colors. It will keep the whole family cheerful the year round. You can afford to spend 50c a year to do this. Send this clipping and FIFTY CENTS today to the Publishers of Laff! Dayton, Ohio, for one year's subscription. The regular price is \$1.00, but we are making this SPECIAL OFFER to get acquainted.

Notice to the Public.

The two leading magazines of the Pacific Coast, the Pacific Monthly and the Sunset, have been consolidated under the title of "Sunset—the Pacific Monthly."

It is the intention of the publisher to spare no money nor effort to make Sunset—the Pacific Monthly a credit to the West and a magazine of national value and importance. To introduce it to new readers we will make the following special offer: Send 50c in stamps, and we will put your name on our subscription list for the next four months, and will send you free copy of the superbly illustrated Mid-Winter number, and also the famous Sunset Indian poster, securely packed in a mailing tube. It will make a beautiful ornament for your front room or den.

Send your order to Fred Lockley, Northwestern Manager, Sunset—the Pacific Monthly, Portland, Oregon.

An Exception.

"When a fellow starts to do anything he can always succeed if he only sticks to it!" "Not always. How about you when you start to remove a sheet of sticky paper that you've set down on?"—London Telegraph.

Innocence Faked.

If you want to see a picture of innocent honesty just get a look at a man's face in a street car after the conductor has forgotten to collect his fare.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Shoot with the rifle of concentration and leave the slogan of "scattering" to the other fellow.—Sheikh.

H. G. KIBBEE

NOTARY PUBLIC

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can supply you with anything in this line at most reasonable prices.

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BE CONVINCED

The Dalles - Oregon

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County.

GEORGE EARL, Plaintiff,

vs. IDA R. EARL, Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the 2nd day of February, 1914, and if you fail to so appear and answer or otherwise plead thereto, the plaintiff, for want of any such answer or other pleading or appearance, will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in his complaint, to-wit:

For a decree and judgment hereto, adjudging and decreeing that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved, and that the plaintiff be awarded the custody of the minor children of plaintiff and defendant, to-wit: Willie Earl and George Earl, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable.

This summons is published in the Mosier Bulletin, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in Wasco County, Oregon, for six (6) consecutive weeks, being seven (7) issues thereof, in compliance with an order of the Honorable W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the Honorable Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, which order is dated the 15th day of December, 1913, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 15th day of December, 1913.

FRED W. WILSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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No contentment for satisfaction if you buy of our new line of Underwear and Sweater Coats—direct from the wholesale house. We believe in and practice:—A reasonable price on new goods, No price on second hand goods, for there are none in our stock.

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S. E. FRANCISCO, Proprietor "THE OAKS."



No Bugaboos Down Cellar

Children can save you many tedious steps; but the tired mother hates to send a child into a dark cellar, and children dislike to go there.

No cellar need be dark now-a-days, to terrify children and weary older people. A ray of sunshine from an

Edison Mazda Lamp

conveniently located in the cellar-way will brighten the darkest cellar at the mere touch of a switch.

The new low-wattage Edison Mazda Lamps are the most economical lamps for cellars, halls, closets and other parts of the home which need light only intermittently for brief periods at a time. Try 'em and realize their convenience.

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Now that it is possible to send merchandise by Parcels Post, we suggest that should you need anything in the way of Prescriptions filled, Drugs or Patent Medicines, that you send to

Chas. N. Clarke, The Druggist of Hood River, for them. He can send them to you cheaper than you can get them at home.

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IN YOUR

Home Paper

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County.

PEARL B. CRIGER, Plaintiff,

vs. IDA CRIGER, Defendant.

To IDA CRIGER, the above named defendant:

In the Name of the State of Oregon, You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 5th day of January, 1914, and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the decree prayed for in her complaint, to-wit:

For a decree of the Court forever dissolving and holding for naught the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the plaintiff and the defendant and for such other relief as to the Court may seem equitable.

This summons is published in the Mosier Bulletin, a weekly newspaper of general circulation published in Wasco County, Oregon, for six (6) consecutive weeks, being seven issues thereof, in compliance with an order of the Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, which order is dated the 17th day of November, 1913, and the date of the first publication of this summons is the 21st day of November, 1913, and the date of the last publication of summons is the 2nd day of January, 1914.

FRED W. WILSON, Attorney for Plaintiff.