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J. Seymour patches is right in Woof!

10.000 when women are retailing a bit of equity in the land. scandal, put it "I say" Instead of Harriet. "they do say." COURTSHIP-a ship that has tw

mates and no captain. . . .

Consider the Doughnut

SIR: This one wasn't bad. Eddle (9) wants to know whether or not all nuts grow on trees. "Sure," I auswered, "don't pester father now, he's reading." "But what trees do dough nuts grow on?" he persisted. "Oh, on the pan tree! !." I came back. Not B. B. bad, oh?

Gettin' 'Em Together (From Le Roy, N. Y., Gazette)

Charles H. Ward of Rochester is to move his natural history museum to Candaigua. He will also remove his family to that place,

Today's Bellringer

Arthur Train, assistant district at torney of New York, tells of once being present in police court when a burglar was discharged by the court. "The judge," says Mr. Train, "turned to the prisoner and asked if he had anything to say before he left."

"Yessir," came the reply, "Kin have me tools?" . . .

Says the Girl on the Film Some men are spendtbrifts-others are spend-thrifty.

LAND GRANT TAXES MUST BE PAID

N a decision rendered recently, Circuit Judge J. W.

Hamilton, in the case of Douglas County vs. the Southern Oregon company, involving taxes due the county from hold services at the school house Sunthat company, held that the tax is "a lien against the land day, January 16. -a definite charge—not against the individual owner, but gainst the land itself."

The Southern Oregon company owns the Coos Bay day wagon road grant, made by the United States in 1869. Practically the same conditions govern as in the Oregon & Mrs. Chester Kubll, a baby boy to California land grant, owned by the Southern Pacific. Mr. and Mrs. L. day of December. When the litigation was begun to cancel the land grants for D. A. Wood and wife of Thompson failure to comply with original conditions, the Southern creek, who have been visiting in Oregon company stopped paying taxes upon the grant, as lowa the past six weeks returned the Southern Pacific did later. The suit was brought to home Monday. determine the validity of the tax liens issued against the Monday and Tuesday in Grants

property. The company maintained that the federal court decision entitled it to an interest of \$2.50 an acre in the land, trip to Central Point Monday. and that as much of the land was assessed at a greater his sister Mrs. Fred Ruch, on Thomp-Subscribers failing to receive + sum, the assessment was void. The court held that the son creck, assessor was bound to assess the property at its real value | O. Ellis of Jacksonville came out against the holders of the legal title, and that if the land on the stage this morning on his way

had been assessed at too high a valuation, the remedy lay, to Murphy. in an appeal to the board of equalization. Over-valuation Thursday after the mail and supplies is a mere irregularity which does not render the assess- and says there isn't much snow in ment void.

The decision will undoubtedly be carried to higher J. Seymonr patches is right in The decision will undoubtedry be carried to higher dancers attended the mask ball at style. The paper says cut away coat courts, but there is little doubt, in view of previous decis- Murphy on New Year's eve, and retails are the rage. His is in rags, ions, but that it will be confirmed, and that both the port having a good time. Southern Oregon company and the Southern Pacific com- B. M. Clute made a business trip SIR: Allow me to suggest that pany will have to pay the delinquent taxes-or lose all to Grants Pass Friday.

Some \$170,000 is due Jackson county from the 440,000 acres in the Oregon & California land grant, and this and

subsequent delinquencies will eventually have to be paid to ket ball teams are having some quite secure title to the land, for the land itself is liable, not the interesting games this season as sevperson happening to own it.

CUT OUT THE FRILLS

PON the ballot to be voted tomorrow is the following being official registrar for the Ap-

amendment, fathered by Councilman Medynski: Charter Amendment, adding Section 72-b to said Charter, enabling and authorizing the City Council to issue bonds and borrow money on the faith and credit of the City to build an addition to the City Hall, the cost of the same not to exceed the sum of \$\$5000.

While the city perhaps needs more room, it has got along very well the past year without it and effected a saving in operating expenses of over \$7000.

There seems to be no reason why the city's indebtedness should be increased at the present time. The city can get along without the enlarged city hall. When it becomes a necessity it should be built by direct levy, a 2-mill tax furnishing the funds, and not increase the already burdensome bonded indebtedness.

Citizens have to cut out the frills in these times and the ity employes can follow suit.



Rev. Bandy, of Jacksonville, will

James Frances, who has been visiting George Huffman on Tompson creek returned to his home Wednes-

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. L. Bouch, both the last

O. E. Rose and daughter spent

Warren L. Mee made a business

Cap Hinkle of Kerby, is visiting

the Steamboat mountains.

Quite a number of the Applegate

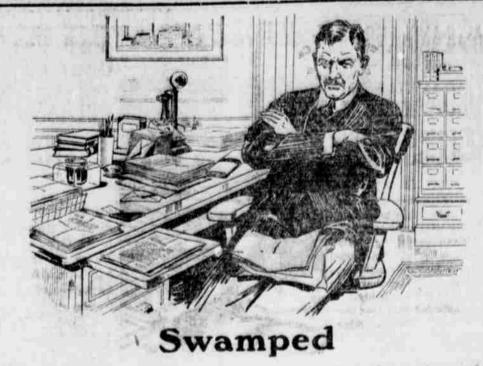
Heck Ager of Grants Pass passed

through Applegate recently on route to Bybee bridge

The Applegate boys and girls' baseral outside teams come to practice with them.

The registration books were opened the 2rd of January, Gladys Rose

A Newark, N. J., cafe proprietor has put up this freshly painted sign: ♦ J. W. Mouthe - open all night ♦



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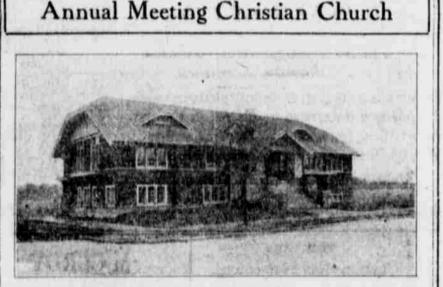
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plegate precinct.

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We see by the papers that the Sultan of Turkey bears the titles of Sultan of Turkey, King of Kings, Bestower of Crowns upon the Princes of the World, Emperor and Sovereign of the Two Seas and Shadow of God Upon Earth. (Gosh! Hasn't the old boy got troubles enough?)

HUH?

*** He moved closer to her on the lounge. His lins almost touched her ear; he felt her soft breath on his cheek. For a moment he said nothing. Then chidingly, he murmured, "You have not said a word for twenty minutes, Nadine." "Well," she replied, "I had nothing to say." Then

the young man sighed and-(Ed. Note-What the young man did next is of no consequence. But what he should have said next is, "Will you marry me, then, at once?" (# 1# 1# illinois boy seized with strange disorder swells up like a balloon. (Nothing strange about it around) Christmas time.) 1 N 1 A

Joyful Tidings! Glad Tydings of Baltimore, Md., spent Friday with his brother, Frank Todings.

YAQUI INDIANS PILLAGE STATE OF SONORA HAMLET

DOUGLAS, Ariz, Jan. 10-Nineteen Yagut Indians looted the village of San Jose, in the Sonora river district, state of Sonora, according to advices reaching here tonight brought from Agaa Crieta, the Mexican town opposite here. The losting occurred Monday.

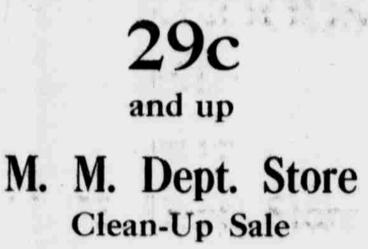
The indians, it was stated held eight residents of the village as hostages while they pillaged residences and stores. After taking food and articles of clothing the Yaquis roleased these prisoners and retired to the mountains, it was reported.

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Every member of a business insti- | who are interested in the social, tution who is interested in its welfare spiritual and business affairs of the attends the annual meetings when church should be there, and this they are held and every member of means everyone. There will be a the Christian church is carnestly re- good program, reports of different quested to attend the annual meeting departments, election or officers, a or the church Thursday evening, Jan- Junch in the basement and a general uary 12, nt 7:30 p. m. and all those good time.

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