

## ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM THE ROGUE RIVER VALLEY

### WINTER ORCHARD WORK IS STARTED TABLE ROCK DIST.

TABLE ROCK, Nov. 20.—Orchard plowing was begun this week at the Modoc orchard.

Wm. Mayfield and son, Howard, valley cattlemen, were in this district Tuesday engaging hay and feeding grounds for their cattle during the winter months.

John Conley of Myrtle Creek was here Wednesday looking for hay. He and his brother, E. M. Conley of Hattie Falls, recently bought the two hundred acre farm known as the Conley estate in the Sams Valley district.

G. C. Nicewood finished hauling baled hay to Medford this week.

The S. C. Collins family are moving to Central Point this week and Mr. Frazer and family are moving onto the Collins farm, which they have leased for the next year. Mr. Frazer is a recent arrival from Iowa where he followed the dental profession.

E. B. Day, the Sams Valley orchardist, stockman and general farmer, was a business visitor here Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Day reports that during a feeding experiment he recently made on his ranch, forty dollars worth of corn produced nearly one hundred dollars worth of pork, figured on the basis of a dollar a bushel, corn and 12-cent pork. Conditions, however, were ideal, the hogs being young and very thrifty, and besides having plenty of the corn they could eat, had plenty of green alfalfa pasture.

John Dodge and family visited relatives in this district Sunday. At the road tax meeting held Monday in the Agate school house, the proposed tax was voted down by a two to one vote. During the time allowed for discussion the two county commissioners and the road engineer spoke for some time in favor of the tax, outlining the needs of the district and showing why a tax was absolutely necessary if we were to have any more road work done in the district. While there was not a voice raised in protest, the decisive vote showed that the people consider that with the gas tax, auto license, general fund road tax, and the state market road tax, they are paying quite enough for roads as it is.

Mrs. M. D. Lydiard is preparing to close up her home here and go to southern California, where she will spend the winter with relatives and friends.

Some of the nicest onions your correspondent has seen in the valley were grown this year at the Modoc orchard.

Miss Evelyn Hamilton and Miss Mary Dunlap climbed upper Table Rock Sunday and enjoyed the strenuous exercise and marvelous view of the valley.

Captain S. M. Tuttle has exchanged his old radio set for a new one of a different make, which he now has installed.

E. E. Fraley is keeping the community supplied with choice mutton, which he is selling at a reasonable price.

Arthur Moore of Upper Elk Creek was through this section one day last week, selling beef.

See Classified Ads get results.

**25 OUNCES**  
for **25 cents**



Same Price  
for over  
**35**  
YEARS  
WHY PAY  
VAR PRICES?  
The government used  
millions of pounds

### WIFE OF PASTOR NELSON GIVEN A PLEASANT SHOWER

By MARY O. CAREY.

EDEN PIRACINT, Nov. 18.—Last Thursday afternoon at the pleasant home of Mrs. J. M. Rader on the highway south of Phoenix, was the occasion of a most delightful shower, given for Mrs. Rev. Nelson. About 65 ladies of the community were present, each bringing a beautiful gift for the little stranger who is soon to bless the home of our pastor and

wife. This was not an invitation affair. It was for all the women of the community, and almost every one of them responded. The array of useful gifts were many and fine. After Mrs. Nelson had opened the many packets and read the many jests and pretty verses, she thanked the donors in her quiet way and was very joyful and happy. Delicious refreshments were then served by the hostess and her bevy of young ladies who helped with the serving.

Another crowded and pleased house is the veranda as to play, "Pirates of Penzance," played at Phoenix again last Friday night. The play will be taken to several of the schools in the county before the winter is over. Work on the senior play, will be commenced next week, and bids fair to be as good or better than the last one.

An up-to-the-minute farmer is one who never turns a furrow until the last minute in the spring. This ac-

counts for the small acreage of fall sown grain.

A fine dairy herd has been shipped in from Willamette valley and are on what was formerly the Cad Ellis ranch, east of Talent. Mr. Foss bought three head of fine milk cows last week.

Mrs. J. M. Rader accompanied Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boyer to Grants Pass last Monday.

Mrs. Poley of Ashland was visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cline Hartley last Thursday and Friday, and was at the shower given for Mrs. Nelson.

Hubert Hugh of Ashland will soon commence on the big poultry house which H. B. Nye of Talent will build. Mr. Nye is intending to have a much larger house than he formerly had, and in all likelihood will do a lot of commercial hatching next spring.

Mrs. Jack Allen of North Talent made a trip over to visit her mother at Rich, last Friday evening.

E. G. Miller of North Medford was a business visitor at the Carey home last Sunday forenoon.

We have a new neighbor in the West House in North Talent, and consequently another young lady in school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Parsons, who have but lately settled in our community, buying the Arthur Ross place west of Phoenix, enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Flinginger and family and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Grubbs and family of their old hometown, Hughton, Kansas. The visitors left their homes late in the summer and toured the northwest thru Yellowstone park, and spent several weeks at Spokane and Seattle. They left this valley for Los Angeles, where they will spend the winter, and will return to their home in Kansas next spring.

Mrs. Denser's mother and brother arrived at her daughter's home last week and will remain with them in

Phoenix for some time. The Densers are moving to their new home in town from the Coleman creek ranch.

Mrs. Baley, mother of Mrs. O. T. Morgan, was quite ill last Friday, and Dr. Malmgren was called but found nothing of an alarming nature, only seemingly a weak and tired condition, perhaps due to her advanced years.

### PROSPECT

There is considerable snow at Union Creek now. However, the ground is still bare at Prospect. Our old-timers predict a hard winter.

At the road meeting held at McLeod, a two-mill tax was voted for the graveling of the road between the Red Blanket ranches and Prospect.

A visit by our county school su-

perintendent, Mrs. Susanne Holmes Carter, was enjoyed by the teachers and pupils of both the high school and the grades.

The Prospect Sunday school is still growing. There were 42 present last Sunday, which broke the attendance record. Mrs. Pearson presided in the absence of Superintendent Cook. Mrs. Babs assisted Miss Stoner, our song leader, with piano accompaniment.

Ed Boothby, the prospect mail carrier, has started the building of a garage and shop, which he will probably not complete before the winter snows commence.

Miss Hazel Pence of Elk creek is a visitor at the home for her sister, Mrs. Tressie Vaughn of Prospect.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—(A. P.)—Closely guarded as to its purpose and program, a meeting of anthracite operators convened here today.

## RUSSELL'S Sale of Coats and Dresses at One-Fourth off Comes at Just the Right Time

### Dress Up for Thanksgiving



EVERY ONE OF OUR FINEST COATS  
FROM \$60 TO \$200 ON SALE AT  
**ONE-FOURTH OFF**

Just at the season when coats are most in demand and when you will want to buy new clothes to dress up for Thanksgiving day. Every one of the gorgeous coats in our big stock, comprising all the newest colors, all sizes, 14 to 46 and the wonderful fur collars, cuffs and trimmings are the most demanded furs, Fox, Wolf, Muskrat, Lynx, Raccoon etc.

- \$60.00 coats now priced at.....**\$45.00**
- \$69.75 coats now priced at.....**\$52.30**
- \$75.00 coats now priced at.....**\$56.25**
- \$85.00 coats now priced at.....**\$63.75**
- \$100.00 coats now priced at.....**\$75.00**
- \$125.00 coats now priced at.....**\$93.75**

#### Women's Fancy Garters 50c

Extra good quality silk and satin covered elastic with pretty bows and the colors are exceptionally pretty too. **50c**  
Regular 59c

STARTLING REDUCTIONS ON ALL OUR  
FINER DRESSES FROM \$35 to \$100 SATURDAY  
**ONE-FOURTH OFF**

Wonderful dresses of fine satin crepe, georgette and Chenille and velvet evening gowns, beautiful wool dresses with fur trimmings, all go into this "One Fourth Off Sale" just at the height of the apparel buying season. But we must clear up our stocks to get ready for Christmas business—these prices are sure to close out these garments quickly.

- \$35.00 dresses now priced at.....**\$26.25**
- \$39.75 dresses now priced at.....**\$29.80**
- \$45.00 dresses now priced at.....**\$33.75**
- \$50.00 dresses now priced at.....**\$37.50**
- \$55.00 dresses now priced at.....**\$41.25**
- \$65.00 dresses now priced at.....**\$48.75**

#### Indestructible Chokers 50c

Indestructible choker beads in six different colors. All with a good stone set white gold clasp. **50c**  
These are usually \$1, our price.....

## 10 Dozen Pure Linen Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs 15c Each

### BIG REDUCTION ON PIECE GOODS WANTED NOW

- 27-inch extra heavy outing flannel in a very pretty range of patterns and colors. Regular price 22 1-2c yard.....**17 1-2c**
- 36-inch fine quality outing flannel that is our regular 25c grade, out for Saturday selling, yard.....**22c**
- Genuine Devonshire cloth in both the light and medium dark colors, sells regular at 35c, Saturday, yard.....**29c**
- Plisse crepes in windsor quality that is fast color and worth 29c at other stores. Plain and figured, yard.....**25c**
- All wool Challie in both light and dark colors. Fine for all women's or children's winter garments. Regular \$1.25.....**89c**

### Coatings Half Price

- Now is an opportune time to purchase the material for that new coat. All coatings selling at just half price as we have only a few days to clear out the stock before Christmas and we want quick action.
- \$2.25 coating selling at.....**\$1.13**
  - \$3.95 coating selling at.....**\$1.98**
  - \$4.50 coating selling at.....**\$2.25**
  - \$7.50 coating selling at.....**\$3.75**
  - \$8.50 coating selling at.....**\$4.25**

### GIRLS' DRESSES GREATLY REDUCED NOW

"Ladlassie Cloth" a very heavy winter weight cotton dress of guaranteed fast colors and in tan, light blue, open, green, red and brown checks and plaids. These are regular \$3 dresses and the price is very low **\$1.98** for all sizes 6 to 14.....

Wool dresses for girls from 6 to 14 years in very becoming styles for the little Miss, either for school or dress wear. Many pretty models to select from and all good fall colors. These dresses are at least one-third less at..... **\$3.50 and \$5**

#### "Neverdarn" Silk Hose

An excellent wearing fibre silk hose for women. Oriental pearl grey, beige, rose beige, blush and black, all the best colors and in all sizes from 8 1-2 to 10. Regular 65c hose **50c** at.....

#### "Ironclad" Children's Hose

ODD SIZES AT JUST HALF PRICE  
Sizes 6 to 8 only, but these wonderful wearing hose at "Half Price" ought to interest every mother who buys those sizes. Regular 59c **29c** hose.....

Be sure to see our men's and boys' ad on page 5 which has economy news of interest to every one who desires to be well dressed and be economical also.

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• PHONE 31

### OREGON CITY 100% VIRGIN WOOL BLANKETS ARE AS FINE QUALITY AS ANY BLANKETS MADE

You'll like the wonderful quality of Oregon City Blankets, the long soft fleecy wool naph and the marvelous coloring. The colors are of such variety that you can match your draperies which adds materially in carrying out your drapery scheme.

The Oregonian Price \$12.50 The Hudson Bay Price \$13.50