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15.00 Suit..... 11.00	1.65 Suits now..... 1.20	WILL SURPRISE YOU.	snappy styles. All go at cost
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SPECIAL ON LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS—We have several garments, good colors, new and snappy, we will close at 20 PERCENT LESS THAN COST Now is your time to buy a bargain.

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HOOD RIVER APPLES IN SOUTH AMERICA

Issac A. Manning writes as follows to the Salem Statesman from Cartagena, Colombia, South America:

"No one who has spent all his life in the same neck of woods can imagine the pleasure one who is away from home feels at encountering an old friend where least expected, but when this condition meets one, pleasure from home and the old friend come together—it certainly is noteworthy. I remember recently, just as I was going aboard a steamer lying at the pier here, I met at the foot of the gangway an old friend from Nicaragua. We had no idea of meeting, for he did not know I was here and I had little thought but that he was still in the mountain town of Matagalpa, where I had left him in 1885. That we passed a pleasant evening together is not to be wondered at. His accounts of all the happenings among our friends there interested us greatly and we interested him by showing him some of the sights of this quaint old city.

But this by way of preface. This afternoon my wife and I were visiting some friends here, enjoying a cup of afternoon tea, when we had another great surprise and pleasure. This could only be appreciated by an Oregonian who had been deprived of Oregon apples for a rather long time. It seems that a box of apples had been sent to the piermaster here by the Atlas Steamship manager at New York, for a New Year offering, and the lady we were visiting gave us a few. And they were Hood River apples! Newtown Pippins and prime in quality! They were beautifully packed, each apple wrapped separately, and could have been no better when they first came from the tree.

And right here I want to commend the Hood River packers for their careful manner of putting their apples on the market, and to say that this is the most important thing, next to growing good fruit, in the apple business. This is also true of everything else. Well-packed fruit carries well, looks well in the market and this good customer. The grower and shipper profit by careful attention to this feature and I am sure the Hood River apple growers will continue to find their business profitable so long as they pay attention to this feature of the apple business and no longer.

I have had occasion to find fault with bad packing and also with "short weights," in some articles exported from the United States to these countries, but I am glad to have no complaint to make of Oregon products, as yet, except in that there are very few of them to be found here. One thing I have not found here is the Oregon prune, the local demand rather being for an inferior French product, largely, no doubt, because the Oregon product is little known or not at all.

I recently made a report on this very matter and it will reach Oregon prune growers. Our western products are almost unknown over on this side, except canned salmon, and I guess that is found pretty much everywhere in the world.

Will stay in Hood River

The remedy that makes you eat, sleep and grow strong, called **Paino Tablets**, will be sold regularly by **Williams' Pharmacy**, Hood River. These great nerve and constitution builders cost only 50c per box, six boxes, \$2.50.

Health Talks in Bakeries.

Chief Sanitary Inspector Ball, of Chicago, is about ready to start a squad of inspectors upon the big task of forcing the bakeries of Chicago to come within the provisions of the new ordinance of November 11.

"Inspection cards are now in the hands of the printers," said Mr. Ball. "At first, I will send out half a dozen inspectors, increasing the force as occasion may demand. There are 1,100 licensed bakeries in Chicago and probably a few have been skipped by the license officers.

"We will visit all and enforce rigid compliance with the new ordinance." The new law provides among other things:

That every bakery shall have sanitary arrangements sufficient for the protection of the health of the public and employees.

That ventilation facilities shall be modern and everything clear, even to ceilings and woodwork.

That all walls shall be lime-washed, calcined or newly painted.

That no person shall sleep in a bakery or adjoining rooms.

That no one shall expectorate on a bakery floor or sidewalk.

That smoking, snuffing or chewing tobacco shall not be permitted.

That no person suffering from a contagious or infectious disease shall work in a bakery.

Cataract Cure, Cooper's Nine C's.

There are thousands of people who suffer with Cataract, but do little or nothing to remove the dread disease. This neglect permits the disease to inflame the Mucous Membrane and may affect the nose, throat, lungs, stomach, bowels or bladder. Cold aggravates Cataract and if allowed to become chronic it leads to Bronchitis and also to Consumption. Fully forty per cent of the deaths in America are from diseases of the air passages. Use the **Nine C's** and be cured. It is also a sure cure for Croup, Bronchitis, Colds and LaGrippe. If used as you derive no benefit, your drug will be returned. Sold in all Drug Stores.

MUSTACHE MUSINGS.

You can tell the nationality of any man, by clothes? Why, no, but simply by the style of hair beneath his nose.

The German count is known at once. By his mustache? Gewiss! You notice how the thing is trained?

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In picking out an English lord You'll never make a mistake. Because you know he wears his hair his lip like

The Frenchman is not picked because He dresses like a sport. But by his well waxed black mustache. That bushy straight and short—

To tell the woolly westerner Is simple quite. I wish For he's the man whose coarse mustache Hangs carelessly like

—F. P. Pitzer in Judge.

Not Really So.

"I wonder why it takes pay day so long to come round," growled the first clerk.

"It really doesn't," replied the other. "It only seems long when you're short, and the shorter you are the longer it seems."—Pittsburg Post.

Chronic Constipation Cured.

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it today and you will feel better at once. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Clarke's Drug Co.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS COUNTY COURT

County court met in regular session on this, Wednesday, February the 5th, 1908. Those present were: Hon. A. E. Lake, judge; H. J. Hibbard, commissioner; C. H. Stoughton, commissioner; S. Bolton, clerk.

The following proceedings were had, to-wit:

In the matter of the report of the viewers and surveyors on the proposed county road, petitioned for by E. Heudershot et al., report read in open court, first time.

In the matter of the report of the viewers in the J. H. Koberg road of public easement, report read in open court first time.

In the matter of the petition of A. E. Thompson et al., for privilege to build telephone line along certain county roads. Petition granted.

The following bills were examined and clerk ordered to draw warrants in payment of same:

L. W. Davis, work road dis 17	\$100.00
H. Glenn & Co., supplies	44.25
Irwin Hedson Co., supplies	47.00
J. B. Croesen, assisting drawing jury, justice court	3.00
J. M. Filloon, same	3.00
J. Donth, same	3.00
Mt. Hood Milling Co., lumber roads	6.34
Ward & Robertson, use ambulance, etc.	11.50
Remington Typewriter Co., supplies	2.70
W. H. Hicks, supplies roads	30.29
John Coyle, work roads No. 10	30.50
J. E. Kennedy, supplies roads No. 30	10.45
Woodcock & Kennedy, supplies roads No. 28	36.41
J. J. Luckey, supplies roads No. 5	22.35
The Optimist, printing and supplies	308.25
A. W. Davis, surveying roads	15.20
J. H. Shoemaker, viewing roads	15.00
E. A. Griffin, viewing roads	10.00
Sisters of mercy, care pauper W. Hayner, supplies roads	1.15
Lane & Sexton, supplies roads	23.10
John Cary, load pauper	8.25
D. D. Wilder, photos E. J. Peikius	3.00
A. D. Moo, printing proceedings	9.00
News-Letter Publishing Co., supplies	12.00
F. H. Leunberg, Ex Sta grade papers	6.00
P. P. Underwood, attending school board convention	2.00
E. L. Johns, same	2.00
F. McCoy, same	2.00
F. A. Reichlein, same	2.00
Geo. Otey, same	2.00
J. W. Mathews, same	2.00
Ben Wilson, same	2.00
J. W. Moore, same	2.00
John Hix, same	2.00
B. C. Brown, same	2.00
Leon Roudan, same	2.00
J. T. Neff, incidentals	10.40
Henry W. Lange, supplies pauper	50.00
H. H. Mohr, work for indigent	10.00
Dr. Thomson Townley, medical service pauper	12.00
Greenlee Co., lumber roads	11.50
W. S. Gribble, supplies road No. 35	4.00
Mrs. H. N. Drethick, care pauper	4.00
C. H. Stoughton, services commissioner	40.00
H. J. Hibbard, same	68.20
F. B. Friendley, work roads	67.00
Henry Lorenzen, supervisor road district No. 11	67.00
I. C. Niekelsen, supplies	11.15
A. S. Ganning, supplies roads	10.80
P. N. Bohn, supplies	9.50
J. A. Doubtit, fees justice peace	38.00

J. H. Harper, constable fees 33 00
 E. Hostwick, witness justice court 1 50
 Wm. Pugh " " " " 1 50
 Wm. Brown " " " " 1 50
 Harry Lauson " " " " 1 50
 R. Jarrett " " " " 1 50
 Day Sullivan " " " " 1 50
 J. T. Hart " " " " 1 50
 Jack Scanlon " " " " 1 50
 Jim Brown " " " " 1 50
 J. C. Ward " " " " 3 70
 R. Neill " " " " 3 70
 C. K. Thomas " " " " 3 90
 Chas. Miner " " " " 3 90
 J. M. Falloon, fees justice peace 15 35
 Owen Mathews, witness justice court 1 50
 John Crute, same 3 00
 R. V. Gibbons, same 3 00
 F. C. Sexton, same 3 00
 A. E. Crosby, supplies papers 10 75
 Sexton Walther Co., supplies roads 17 70
 Chronicle Pub. Co., printing and supplies 80 00
 Saufert & Coudon Tel. Co. use phones 3 00
 S. Bolton, stamps and expressage 20 90
 Guy Woodworth, money road district No. 3 100 00
 Whereupon court adjourned
 A. E. Lake, Judge.
 H. J. Hibbard, Commissioner.
 C. H. Stoughton, Commissioner.
 Attest: S. Bolton, Clerk.

Time to Act.

Don't Wait for the Fatal Stages of Kidney Illness. Profit by Hood River People's Experiences.

Occasional attacks of backache, irregular urination, in danger of many serious ailments, are common early symptoms of kidney disorders. It's an error to neglect these ills. The attacks may pass off for a time, but return with greater intensity. If there are symptoms of dropsy—puffy swellings below the eyes, bloating of limbs and ankles, or any part of the body, don't delay a minute. Begin taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and keep up the treatment until the kidneys are well, when your old time health and vigor will return. Cures in Hood River prove the effectiveness of this great kidney remedy.

Wm. Boorman, Sherman street, Hood River, Oregon, says: "I was feeling quite miserable when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, but I am glad to say that they quickly cured me of the complaint. My kidneys were very weak and the secretions gave me a great deal of annoyance, as they were entirely too free in action. My back was very lame and caused me much suffering whenever I bent over or attempted to regain a correct position. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of all this suffering and it gives me pleasure to recommend them to others."

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NOTICE OF SALE OF BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that the board of directors of the Hood River Irrigation District in Wasco county, Oregon, will sell the bonds of said district in lots of \$100 or multiples of said sum, to \$20,000, at 10 o'clock a. m., Saturday, the 21st day of March, 1908, at the office of said Board of Directors at the residence of Percy A. Smith in said District, and that sealed proposals to said bonds in the lots or amounts above specified will be received by said Board at said place for the purchase of said bonds until the day and hour above mentioned, at which time the board will open the proposals and award the purchase of the bonds to the highest responsible bidder, the board reserving the right to reject any and all bids, bids to be accompanied by a certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bonds for which the bid is submitted.

Said bonds shall be payable in money of the United States in ten series as follows, to-wit: At the expiration of 12 years, six per cent of the whole number of said bonds; at the expiration of the 15th year, 7 per cent; at the expiration of the 18th year, 8 per cent; at the expiration of the 21st year, 9 per cent; at the expiration of the 24th year, 10 per cent; at the expiration of the 27th year, 11 per cent; at the expiration of the 30th year, 12 per cent; and shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of January and July of each year.

The principal and interest shall be payable at the place designated in the bonds and bid proposals given the option of having said bonds payable at Portland, in the state of Oregon, or at New York City, in the state of New York, and said bonds will be issued in accordance with the election of the successful bidder.

Said bonds shall be each of the denomination of not less than one hundred dollars, and shall be in negotiable form, and coupons for the interest shall be attached to each and signed by the Secretary.

Dated at Hood River, Oregon, this 5th day of February, 1908.

C. E. MARKHAM, Secretary.

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