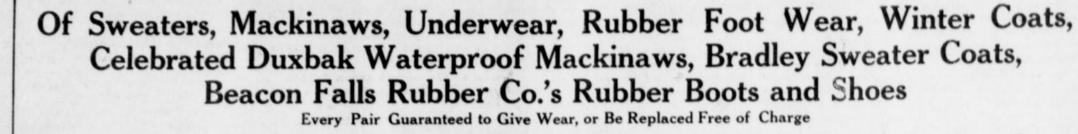
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-Now Ready--Fall and Winter Lines



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Booth's Visit Recalls Cockfight Senatorial Candidate and Judge Benson Laugh Over Early in the barn. At this juncture Booth's

'80's in Douglas County

Jucklins," he would still have taken plary, as well as the street gamin- birds started, the two gleefully watch- stantly. That ended the series for a place among the foremost writers just like baseball and other sports. of stories of American home life, for The visit of Robert A. Booth, can- hardest scraps ever fought between Such victors in some classes are

-who may also be a republican candidate if the ballots are re-The two were youths together. They planned business deals on each other's advice; they instilled into each other an ambition for the service of the stateand they pitted game cocks against each oth

It was along in the early '80's that was principal of the Normal at Drain. At the same time was postmaster, express agent and merchant at Yoncalla. Incidentally, he operated a sawmill in the Douglas town, Booth and Benson were friends, even in that early

day, and when Benson was presented

with a game cock by a friend in Call-

fornia,, he had to impart the glad tidings to Booth-who proceeded to

instruct an express messenger to get

After the preliminaries had been

arranged Benson, one evening, put

him the best game cock he could.

their way to the train the following norning, made arrangements to finish

rn, with plenty of daylight, and it was fast enough for the most fastidious. Once during the fight Benson's entry, evidently knocked silly, flew from the scene of the fray to a rafter coster commenced a lusty crow of victory.

This evidently brought the Benson rooster back to its senses, for it swooped down, and picking the Yon-

ed what promised to be one of the all time.

it is the universal opinion that there didate for United States senator, is two male specimens of the gallus awarded all sorts of honor, but it was enjoyed by no person in Klamath bankiva. The word "promised" is a different fate that met Benson's Falls as much as by Judge Henry L. used advisedly, though, for Mrs. game cock. After Benson came to

Klamath Falls the game cock endeared itself to Rev. John Hunsaker, an early day minister here, and father of Bob Hunsaker. Hunsaker took the game bird to his home-and then the slaughter commenced. The game cock proceeded to kill every other rooster on the place, aggravating are beginning to wear a very worried will be among the first to suffer. Mrs. Hunsaker to such a point that look these days. They all share Genshe beheaded the warrior, and prom- eral Sherman's opinion of war. They ised to disown any relative of hers are wondering where they are going



(Herald Special Service)

staged in a tght, and it War Is Cutting Into the Gate **Receipts of Major Leagues**

Had Opie Read written only "The but that it can effect the most exem- light a couple of candles and get the calla pride on the head, killed it in- Managers, Though Loath to Admit It, Say That Blame Is Partly the Neglect on the Part of the **Newspapers** These Days

By HAL SHERIDAN (Written for the United Press)

who derive their living therefrom.

pressed, that the war across the pond

a lot of bickering and quarreling be-

troubles, the aforementioned mag- doubt it.

rily as in years gone by.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20 .- Baseball financial stringency, and they know event you'll probably have to look at magnates, Fed., major and minor, that when money gets scarce they what used to be the market page to see a little item, with a one-line head. Common sense -- some baseball reading about as follows: 'Cliants Lose Again powers still show signs of having that articlo-tells them that fans, and even 'After winning the pennant in the who would dare cast a vote for Ben- to get off if this big European scrap away from the ball orchards when the secutive time, the Giants lost the thirty-third degree "bugs," will stay National League for the fourth con-50 cents and six bits that they hand world's championship to the Athletics

Reticent as they are to admit that in there will be needed to keep the of Philadelphia." anything at all will hurt the great and family larder supplied. Baseball isn't Ye gods and little fishes! Canst grand American game of baseball. a necessity-except to the athletes imagine the situation

Where baseball will get walloped may, and probably will, unless some



Robert A. Booth

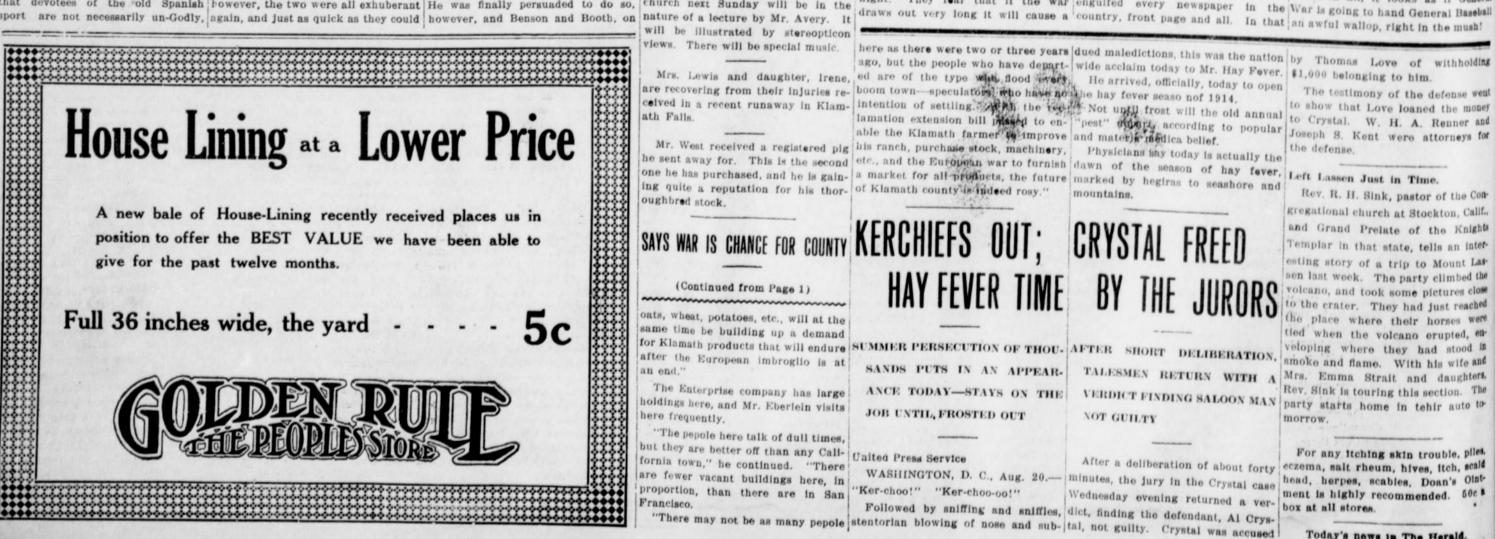
is more human interest shown in this homely tale than in any other prohis feathered scrapper in a sack, and duct of Read's gifted pen.

took the train for Yoncalla. He was And what character makes this met with open arms by Booth, who Booth, noting the absence of the men book such a favorite? Needless to say hustled him to the Booth home for from the dining room, also went to to that it is "Lemuel Jucklin," a devout dinner. That dinner may not have the woodshed, and discerned two wild-Christian-but an ardent lover of taken up much more than the usual ly excited young men and two highly game cocks.

amount of time, but to the two game enraged game cocks hopping about "I believe the Good Book from cock owners, it seemed that acons had the room in the feeble glow of the kiver to kiver," he would say, but elapsed from the time they sat down candle light.

after seeking solace in the Scriptures, until they had an opportunity to slip 1t was at this point that Mrs. Booth grain or hay. The crops are good he would have to watch a battle be- away from the table and into the "intervened," and her views on cock- this year. The June frost did little tween "Sam" and "Bob" before peace woodshed during the chance absence fighting, as she pronounced them, of mind fully returned. of Mrs. Booth from the room.

Now, all this is passed out to show Once they gained the woodshed, hesitated about remaining all night. that devotees of the old Spanish bowever, the two were all exhuberant He was finally persuaded to do so, sport are not necessarily un-Godly, again, and just as quick as they could however, and Benson and Booth, on nature of a lecture by Mr. Avery. It



MT. LAKI, Aug. 20 .- Most of the ranchers are busy either cutting their

damage in some sections. were so bitter that the embryo jurist

Henry L. Benson

church next Sunday will be in the

GOOD CROP-LECTURE SUNDAY their second year out, combined with for the club owners and players. NIGHT-OTHER NEWS NOTES tween players and owners, has given have obligingly boosted along the war times; extra editions are put out

isn't doing them a bit of good. That the hardest will be in the world's one-Baron Rothchild or Andy Carsome concession, from a B. B. owner, "serious" (apologies to you-know-me- negle-calls this European battle Al). This annual battle in the fall royal to a halt. Here's why in a nut-This has been a mighty tough year between the two pennant winners in shell: on ye national pastime, anyway. The the major leagues, as we all know, This bloody mess across the post

MT. LAKI FARMERS REPORT A great strength shown by the Feds on has been a veritable golden harvest is putting all newspapers and press associations to an enormous expense.

baseball a terrific wallop. The turn- cause of the game by playing this at a big loss, more men in all depart-

comes to pass?

world's "serious" stuff all over the ments are required, and business a front pages. This year, with Europe bad, cutting down on the advertising Old General Public seems to be get- involved in the greatest war the world Naturally a lot of money isn't going

ting wary of the once great sport, be- has ever known, it isn't hard to im- to be spent "covering" some such lieving that like everything else, it is agine what will be done to baseball. mere thing as a world's series. And

It is possible there will be sporting if the newspapers don't give the world Now, with this war thing coming pages left in some newspapers by the series its usual amount of space, that down on the top of all their other time the world's series is started. We will be another blow at the attend-

ance at the parks.

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but

But come to pass

The evening service at the Mt. Laki nates are passing many a sleepless War news by that time will have All in all, it looks as if General

night. They fear that if the war engulfed every newspaper in the War is going to hand General Baseball

Today's news in The Herald.