

PERSONAL DOINGS IN THE LOCAL FIELD

Items Gathered From Here and There.
Sense and Nonsense.

J. P. McDonald was a business visitor at Portland this week.

Dr. B. L. Sears was a professional visitor to Portland Tuesday.

Buy your Hallowe'en party supplies of Vernonia Drug Co.

Newspeed trails by airplane makes 248½ miles per hour. That's going some.

New 6-room house, close to High School, only \$950.00; easy terms.—G. B. Richmond.

Folks who can't argue without losing their tempers should learn to agree to everything that is said.

You are surely growing old when you cannot drop the old habits and form new ones.

3 big lots near High School; very choice. All for \$650.00.—G. B. Richmond.

School children, students or homes wanting a good new blotter can get them at the Eagle office free.

Whatever you do, use your brains; that is what you have them for, if you are in doubt ask someone who knows.

Halloween Time, Parties, suppers and gatherings, Goblins, black cats and mysterious creatures. Also pumpkin pie time is fast approaching.

We despise the class that grinds the soul of the many for the ease of the few. The sooner these individuals are put out of business, the better.

Will Joseph B. Hulse write to his mother, at 636 University Ave., Reno, Nevada.

Photos 50c a dozen, two positions, this trip only. Brown Bldg., next to Hall's store.—C. E. Koentz, photographer, Vernonia.

Vernonia and Forest Grove should be a unit to revive the Inland Double Loop Highway.

The Echo Furniture and Undertaking Co. are moving their stock here, will occupy the Louis Brown Building to be known as Vernonia Furniture and Undertaking Co. The new store will be opened on or before Nov. 1st.

Lanterns, pumpkins, place cards, invitations, everything for your Hallowe'en party.—Vernonia Drug Co.

Jas. Miller and E. E. Jewett of Berkenfeld, were business visitors here yesterday. Both of them are connected with the Nehalem Lumber Co. at that place.

Coyle Bros. have started construction on a 16-foot addition on the south end of their meat market building. The ground floor of the new building will be occupied by the ice plant which they expect to install soon. C. H. Uffe has the work in charge.

The Lunch Box restaurant has closed its doors, and will remain inactive until the completion of its new building, which will be located just west of the Richmond real estate office. The Vernonia Drug Co. will occupy the building just vacated by the restaurant, and will move in immediately upon the arrival of their fixtures, show cases, etc., which have been ordered for some time. They will then have a first-class drug store in every respect. Mrs. A. Lester will move her restaurant into the building now occupied by the pharmacy.

H. M. Kran was in Portland a few days last week.

G. B. Richmond was at Portland on business several days last week.

C. O. McLees and wife moved Tuesday into their neat new cottage just southwest of the Harten Hotel.

R. V. Shaw and wife arrived from Portland this week, and expect to become permanent residents of Vernonia.

Mrs. Mary Roberts was called to Canada one day last week on account of the serious illness of her youngest daughter.

Alfred Johnson has moved his family to Manning for a short time, where he has the contract for erecting a water tank for the P. A. & P. railroad company.

Mr. and Mrs. Folger, Mr. and Mrs. Lindley and Louis Detrow composed a party who were fishing in upper Nehalem river Sunday. They report moderate luck and have no big stories to tell.

There is no truth in the statement that a hydro-electric plant will increase taxes. It is absolutely foolish to talk of. It will, however, induce more people to locate here, which would reduce taxes.

RESOLUTIONS

We, the teachers of Columbia County in annual Institute assembled, realizing the vast importance that education must play in our nation and state and that this to function properly must come thru our public schools do hereby adopt the following resolutions;

First: Be it resolved that we, the teachers of Columbia County do heartily endorse the efficient administration of our present Superintendent of Public Instruction J. A. Churchill, and do heartily pledge our support for his reelection in November.

Second: Be it resolved that we are in sympathy with the work of the O. S. T. A. Realizing the need of a state organization, and that only in unity there is strength, we feel that every teacher should be a member of the O. S. T. A., and also the county division of the organization.

Third: That we indorse the present system of annual Teachers Institutes.

Fourth: Believing that the public schools are the best means of producing efficient American citizenship, be it resolved that we recommend the adoption of the compulsory Education Bill.

Fifth: Be it resolved that this institute go on record as favoring some form of State insurance for teachers, and be it further resolved that the O. S. T. A. be asked to back a measure of this nature at the next annual session of the legislature.

Sixth: Resolved that this institute tender Miss Elizabeth Perry, our County Superintendent, a unanimous vote of thanks for the very excellent manner in which this Institute has been conducted, and also for her wise choice of speakers and instructors.

Seventh: Resolved that we express our thanks and appreciation of the kind and courteous treatment accorded us by the people of St. Helens, and the teachers of the St. Helens schools.

Especially do we wish to thank the committee who provided the very delightful entertainment of Wednesday evening.

—Communicated.

THE KNOCKER vs. THE BOOSTER

WHEN the Creator had made all good things, there was still more work to do, so He made the beasts and reptiles and poisonous insects, and when He had finished, He still had some scraps that were too bad to put into the Rattlesnake, Hyena and Skunk, so He put these together, covered it with envy, suspicion and jealousy, marked it with a yellow streak and called it A KNOCKER

THIS product was so fearful to contemplate that He had to make something to counteract it, so He took a sunbeam, and put it into the heart of a child, and the brain of a man, and then wrapped these in civic pride, covered it with brotherly love, gave it a mask of velvet, and a grasp of steel, made it a lover of fields and flowers and manly sports, a believer of equality and justice and called it A BOOSTER

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But Indian Summer was exceptionally nice this year.

The sheriff is putting "punch boards" over Columbia county out of business.

Alfred Hansen has a right to be proud of the plate glass front in the new Economy Store. Mr. Hansen designed the front and it's a good job.

Mrs. Lee's new variety store next to the shoe store in Vernonia hotel building, is a drawing card for ladies and school children. A library is also installed for the use of the public. Ladies, have you called there yet?

L. S. Wilson, of Vernonia, and May V. Gregory, of La Center, Wash., were married Sunday morning by Justice W. D. Smith at his office. The only witness was John Thompson, an old friend of the groom. The couple will make their home at Vernonia, where Mr. Wilson is engaged in the timber business.—Hillsboro Independent.

There was an old geezer who had a lot of sense; he started up in business on one bone and eighty cents. The dollar spent for stock and the eighty for an ad, brought him in three lovely dollars in a day, by dad! Well, he bought more goods and a little more space, and he played that system with a smile on his face. The customers flocked to his two by four, and soon he had to hustle for a regular store. Up on the square, where the people pass, he gobbled up a corner that was all plate glass. He fixed up the windows with the best that he had, and told them all about it in a half page ad. He soon had 'em coming, and he never quit, and he wouldn't cut down on his ads one bit. And he's kept things humming in the town ever since, and everybody calls him the Merchant Prince. Some say it's luck, but that's all bunk—why, he was doing business when the times were punk! People had to purchase, and the geezer was wise—for he knew the way to get 'em was to advertise.—Cottage Grove Sentinel.

NEW BRIDGE FINISHED

The new bridge over the Nehalem, out of town west, is completed. Mr. F. Ovesen, who had the contract and built the new bridge, will now start on the bridge east of the city, which will be raised, newly timbered and practically new when he gets through with it.

The bridge just completed is a beauty, and eliminates three sharp curves.

NEEDS NOT NEEDED

Many lines of business are needed in Vernonia; many new enterprises, more people, industries, etc. We could mention many, but on the same line, there are business concerns of certain kinds a plenty. We would not advise new things where it wouldn't be a paying proposition and for the present Vernonia does not need another grocery store; we don't need a furniture store or any more hardware stores. We are supplied with a good dentist, physician, cabinet shop, shoe maker, confectioneries and barbers, garages and machine shops.

Water, Light and Power. We can have all by spring. Citizens, do we want them? Then let's quit arguing over trifles and vote yes. The light and power will cost the city nothing, and only houses wanting it will be served.

MOVES INTO NEW STORE

The new store building for the Economy Store is finished and all the stock moved in. This week an opening sale is being inaugurated and many are admiring the new location. The large plate glass front is the first of its kind for the city and a few such buildings will give us quite a metropolitan appearance.

FRESH COW FOR SALE

Big Shorthorn cow with calf by side. Twins. This cow has had twin calves four times in succession. Enquire, W. C. Eichman, six miles up Rock Creek. 2t pd

THE MASQUERADE

A crowded hall was ringing with music and merry making at the mask ball in Vernonia hall last Saturday night. They came from near and far and many beautiful as well as comical costumes were in evidence. For the best costume, Mrs. V. Vingie received first prize; the best sustained character, Thelma Pettiohn, and most comic, E. L. Maston, as the hobo.

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