

Entered as second-class matter August 4, 1922, at the post office at Vernonia, Oregon, ander the Act of March 3, 1879

COLUMBIA COUNTY

VERNONIA, OREGON, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1923

Volume 2, Number 16

Paul Robinson, Editor and Owner

Lagle

Advertising Medium of a Big Pay Roll Community

MOUTHPIECE of the NEHALEM VALLEY

HAVE WE MISSED YOU OR HAVE YOU CALLED?

Merchants Tire of Waiting for Rock Creek Juice and Install Own Plants.

IN VERNONIA STORES

ELECTRIC LIGHTS NOW

stallation of private electric my" of our special prepared lighting plants and the ex- to fit your particular busipreviously installed.

tric lights emanating from the following houses: Fenner's, Sesseman's, Berger- EVANGELISTIC son's, The Mecca, Emmett & Culver's, Mike's Shop, the Drug Store, Lane & Co., White's Lunch, two theaters, Nehalem Hotel, Mill's Garage, Vernonia Hotel, Model Market, Corey's, Mellinger's Thomas' and The Hazlewood.

Our streets are still unlighted, however, and are dark enough to cause many accidents.

HOW DO YOU FANCY SUCH TALK?

The past week we have heard remarks and rumors, or plain gossip, about the supposed existence of a "house of ill fame" 'n Vernonia. We overheard three men on the train Sunday talking and commenting unfavorably on "Vernonia's Red Light District." Is it near your part of town? Does our council know any thing about it? Better investigate.

We have secured several Christmas ads for our spec ial. At this writing we have 16 pages of Vernonia ads secured. If you have not Vernonia business build- come in with your copy ings are now pretty well place do so this week. We lighted by the recent in- have an illustrated "dum-

tension of several that were ness that we have been working on for weeks. Ev-We noticed one night this ery business in town should

week the radiance of elec- have a page ad in that issue

MEETINGS

At the Grange Hall, com mencing last Tuesday night, Rev. G. Schmid is conducting revival meetings that are attracting many interested citizens. Mr. Schmid



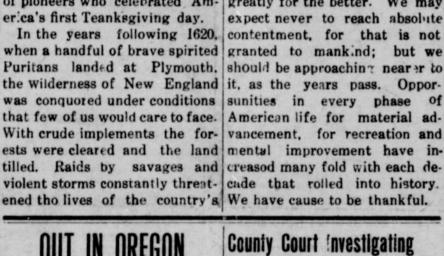


THANKSGIVING

when a special day is set apart with painful effort from the stubfor Thanksgiving, we may well born soil, those early day famipause and contrast the many lies were so grateful that they things that now make our lives halted their activities for a day worth living with the conditions to give thanks. Life now is not that confronted the little group entirely easy, but it has changed of pioneers who celebrated Am- greatly for the better. We may

OUT IN OREGON

"The Courier is grateful for a



first settlers. Yet after harves-At this period of the year ting the meagre crops, wrung

ALBERT OF FOR VERNONIA We hear considerable talk in Vernonia favorable to a "City Manager." The growth of Vernonia and the assured bright prospects necessitate progressive heads and sound busines prin-Men with vision are ciples. needed. We must build with a true knowledge of what we will be in a few years' time. We know of no better plan for cities of this calibre than a capable city manager. We acknowledge the need of one here. He must be a man who can devote del., until further notice. I all of his time to ci y affairs: a

sewer lines are properly put in:

and in best condit on; that prop-

er building restrictions are en-

that the proper advertising of

the city, etc., is properly attend-

money. At present we know of

time, and Vernonia's men are all

All Cities Have Them

But that is no reason why you should

velcome the stranger with a garbage

poor railroad crossings-ugly, un-

sightly entrances to your city. Right

welcome ou are going to give the

It takes

to boost for the job.

busy.

CITY MANAGER TALKED

Frominent Vernouis Man Seeing the Country. Now in Washington, D. C.

WOOD

WRITES US

Elmo, Mo., Nov. 14, '23 Vernonia Eagle,

Vernonia, Ore. My. Dear. Mr. Robinson:

I receised the papers sent me. Pelase send The Eng.e to Washington, D. C.; gen'l am continuing on my way man who can see ahe .d: a bustomorrow to Washington, iness man who can see to it that visiting in Penn. a d Ohio. While waiting for developthat our streets are wide enough ments in my case I will visit Philadelphia and New York forced; that light rates are just; and then return to Washingthat the water is kept pure: and ton. Will then start out sidewalks are of cement; and visiting in Chicago and the scenes of my boyhood ded to. It's a big job, requiring days in Iowa, then on to one always on hand. Such a Omaha, Den /er, Los Angelman will more than make his es and San Diego, Cal.. vissalary and save the city much Iting with my schoolmste there. no one man in Vernonia we want

I am having a very nice time. Very nice weather here at present, but for all that I continue to think of Oregon. The principal crops here in Missouri are corn, hogs and cattle. I am visiting my brothers-in-law hrap, old shacks, broken pavement, an i two nephews here.

Trusting that Vernonia now is a good time to take stock of will continue to progress, I one of your tourist selling assets - the am well and all O. K.

You's Very Truly,

Miss Ruby South of Portland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. South at Graham's Siding.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wharton spent the week end at the H. C. McGregor home in Portland.

Subscribe for THE EAGLE.



ciled with grade and grower's name and address on the sack to conform to of profession and business is rep- of the county, same as Vernonpassed by the last session of the Leg- play ads are counted for the Court is fair to all parts, and in islature. Merchants will be held responsible and their co-operation is respectfully requested in the law enforcement. Stencils may be had by

A. L. MORRIS. Potato Inspector for Columbia County, Warren. Ore.

Thanksgiving Greetings

We wish each of you---each patron and friend----the best Thapksgiving tn years

We wish, too, to assure you of our keen appreciation of your patronage and loyalty.

BANK OF VERNONIA Vennonia, Greecen incomment of the second

copy of the Vernonia, Oregon,

is a young christian preacher that holds his audience. He is a splendid talker.

enclosing 25 cents to

1 bakery, 6 restaurants and

ages and machine works, 3 hard- burg road. ware stores, 1 drug store; 4 meat and fish markets, 3 painters and paper hangers, 1 laundry. 1 bank, 3 grocery stores, 1 millinery store, 2 dray lines, 1 theatre, 1 music teacher, 3 lumber mills and yards, 2 town- bail in Vernonia last summer. site and real estate firms, 2 den- was hit on the knee by a ball tists, 3 doctors, 1 lawyer. 3 ice At the time it was quite painfal, cream parlors, 1 wood yard. 3 but alter several minutes of first plumbers, 2 blacksmiths. We'll aid service and care he went on bet one thing; Vernonia gets playing the game. This week business for many a mile. The we hear that Mr. Roberts, who town seems to be up in arms a- is now in Los Angeles. will un gainst the liquor traffic, judging dergo a surgical operation up

by the paper and the paper ac remedy the effects of the accitually uses "heads" on the front dent here that was not thought page. A news item from the much of at the time. Courier is reprinted about Mrs. R. A. Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. County Court Ap-Fred Wall, D. S. Purdee. It seems that out in that country

the politicians do not hang on untill they die of old age, or are choked off, the accounts of resignations of two public officals being mentioned in this one paper-Conroe, Texas, Courier.

Catholic Servics.

Mass and Sermon on the Third Sun-lay of each month, at 11:30 A. M. Week-day Communion Mass to be an-JOS, P. CLANCY, Pastor.

The County Court was in town Eagle; a fine weekly paper, out Wednesday. Judge Pailip, Comhave recently moved. We can in search of a crusher site. They judge a town by its newspaper | went up Rock Creek in search of Vernonia is live burg, we say, suitable rock. The Court was The Eagle does not use a Lino- amazed at the growth of Vertype or a big press however. nonia and realizes that it will be Vernonia is a one-paper town, a good sized city this time next which speaks well for it, and it year. They are trying to keep appears that nearly every kind up with the growth of this part the Federal Grading Law and the Act resented in its columns. Dis- ia is trying to keep up. The following; 3 dry goods stores. Vernonia, the Judge says, is a central distribu ing point for all hotels, 2 furniture stores, 6 gar- the roads this side of the Pitts-

Vernonia for Rock Crusher stranger-the first impression you are oing to make u on him. Bear down heavy on the property owner who seems to delight in placing a black eye on your community by his shiftwhere a number of Conroe people missioners Fullerton and Miller, lessness. If he takes no pride in his NEW ORGANIZATION town, if he will do nothing for his town, you dont want him. He is a rumbler and a complainer and a knocker. He's a spoiled spot in your midst. Look out that the decay does not spread. A city cannot stand still. Either it will go into the discard as a city that fails to attract, or it will cities in which the true American Grange hall home-owner is proud to call "My City" Mr. Case, in Oregor Business

> Lew Emmott and wife, of Hillsboro, visited at the home of Roy Emmott Sunday.

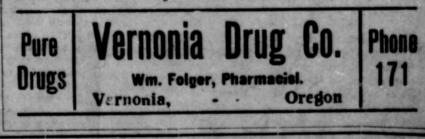
Albert Word.

FOR VERNONIA

Last Saturday night the "Sons of Veterans" was organized in Vernonia, the row and take its place among those meeting place being the Their next meeting will be Dec. 1st. All sons and grandsons of civil war veterans are invited. It is a good and worthy organization.



Both Children and Grown Folks are subject to many kinds of sickness during the winter. As a protection we offer a number of remedies which every family should have at hand



points Assessor The County Court has appoint-

ed W. S. Roberts as assessor to take the place of Mr. Blakely who recently resigned on account of ill health. Mr. Roberts is very capable.

Harry Jenson and wife spent last week at Clatskanie fixing up their residence there.

Glen Roberts, while playing

BOTHERS

INJURY