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Date _____ 1905

Enclosed please find \$_____ for which enter my name for one year's subscription to your paper and the following magazines:

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Items of Personal Interest.

A. U. Bannard is in Portland this week laying in additional stock for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Smith were in Grants Pass Wednesday, from their home on Evans creek, near Woodville, shopping.

Miss Marjory McDougall, who has been visiting friends in Grants Pass for the past month, returned Wednesday evening to her home in Roseburg.

Mrs. Lee Calvert went to Phoenix, Tuesday to spend the day with her sister, and to attend to some business connected with the settling up of her father's estate.

Mrs. J. O. Booth and her daughter Mrs. Amy Holmes, went to Wolf Creek, Wednesday to make a visit of a week or more, at the home of E. E. Dunbar, son-in-law of Judge and Mrs. Booth.

Mrs. H. McCall, formerly of South Dakota but for the past few months residing in Spokane, was in Grants Pass, Thursday, a guest of Dr. R. C. Kelsey. Mr. McCall was on his way to Klamath Falls, where he may locate and go into business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kerr arrived in Grants Pass this week to make this their home. Mr. Kerr has charge of the shoe and clothing department of the R. L. Coe store. Mrs. Kerr has many friends here who knew her as Miss Mary Silsby formerly of Ashland.

J. Stogdill, with his family, has become a resident of Grants Pass, coming from Montrose, Colorado. Mr. Stogdill is a blacksmith and machinist by trade, but expects to engage in farming should he decide to permanently reside in Rogue River Valley.

Arthur Ellison, one of the linemen in the employ of the Condon Water & Power Company, fell Wednesday, by the overturning of a tall step ladder, and severely injured one hand and one leg. The thumb of the injured hand was put out of joint and the muscles strained making it impossible for Mr. Ellison to work for at least a week. He left that evening for his home in Central Point. He expects in the near future to move his family to Grants Pass, as this city is more central to the field of his work.

Miss Harriet Scovill spent Sunday in this city with her parents. Miss Scovill is editor and proprietor of the Canyonville Echo and deserves a great amount of credit for the able manner in which she conducts the paper. Canyonville is one of the older towns of the state but has been dead to the outside world for many years on account of no paper being published there. Miss Scovill is doing her best to let the outside world know that there is such a place on the map, and the Canyonville people should give her liberal support.

OBJECTS AND AIMS OF A DOCTORS UNION

Cogent Reasons for Organization of Josephine County Medical Association.

In accordance with the wishes of the American Medical Association, the profession in Grants Pass have organized a society to be known as the Josephine County Medical Association, embracing every member of the profession in the city.

Primarily, this action is taken, and the organization made, for improvement in the profession. To encourage study, and research and to raise the whole profession to a higher plane, whereby their usefulness to the community may be increased. The American Medical Association is organizing the profession all over the United States on these lines, and it is expected that in the future the standard of medical and surgical excellence will be greatly advanced as a consequence. Also to promote a better understanding and closer social intercourse, and a mutual helpfulness of the profession to each other is another object.

Meetings will be held regularly at the offices of the different doctors in Grants Pass, and it is expected that papers bearing on professional subjects will be read, discussed and original research encouraged. Among other things it is also proposed to do away with some of the evils that have grown up in the profession and have become an incubus on it. Among these is contract practice or lodge work which is to be done away with entirely. Bearing on this point, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, There have been frequent calls on the members of our society to render medical and surgical services to individual members or orders, lodges or societies at contract prices, such prices being ridiculously small, and

Whereas, Some of our members have been prevailed on to render an indefinite amount of service for a definitely contemptible fee, therefore,

Resolved, That the Josephine County Medical Association hereby places itself on record as opposed to the lodge, or contract system so called.

Also in the past, as there has been no difference between the prices for day and night work, it has been deemed advisable by the society to make a small advance in the night fee. Calls made between 10 p. m. and 7 a. m. will be \$3.50, an advance of \$1.00 over a day call, and country work in the night time will be charged for at the rate of \$1.50 a mile one way, an advance of 50 cents over the day rate. In the past many people, knowing there was no difference in price between day and night, have and do deliberately wait until darkness comes on and then send for a doctor, whereas it would have been much better to send in the day time, and the object in this slight differ-

ence in the fee is to discourage night work where possible, and to throw as much work into the day as can be done without working a hardship on patients. With these two exceptions, prices will remain as heretofore.

These changes will go into effect on, and after the first day of January, 1906. The society has adopted the above regulations after much discussion pro and con, and the vote for their adoption being unanimous, and it is hoped that the people of Grants Pass and vicinity will approve of the actions and intentions of the Josephine County Medical Association.

Change in Real Estate Firm.

A change in the personnel in the Oregon Timber, Mining & Investment Company has taken place. Eugene Peirson retiring and his interest being assumed by C. D. Crane. Mr. Peirson will now devote his entire time to his mining ventures.

The Company as now made up consists of W. R. Nipper, E. V. Smith and C. D. Crane. Mr. Crane is a well known mining man of Southern Oregon and he is a hustling business man. Mr. Nipper is an old resident of Josephine county and has been in the timber and land business for several years. Mr. Smith is from Albany last year and has been in the real estate business for years.

SUMMONS.

In The Circuit Court for The State of Oregon, for Josephine County.

Roetta M. Stevenson, Plaintiff, vs. J. D. F. Stevenson, Defendant.

Suit for divorce.

To J. D. F. Stevenson, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the name of the above entitled suit on or before the 29th day of December, 1905, and if you fail to appear or answer the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief prayed for in the complaint, namely: For a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and defendant and for the custody of the minor children of plaintiff and the defendant, to-wit: Lena, Lloyd, and William Stevenson.

This summons is published by order of Hon. J. O. Booth, County Judge of Josephine County, Oregon, made and entered November 15, 1905.

The first publication is November 17, 1905, and the last publication is December 29, 1905.

ROBERT GLENN SMITH and OLIVER S. BROWN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT.

In the matter of the Estate of A. D. Custer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Executor of the estate above named, has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Josephine County, his final account as Executor of the above named estate, and will present the same to the court on Wednesday the 20th day of December, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day for approval. All persons having objections to said account are hereby notified to appear on said day and present the same.

Dated Nov. 17, 1905.

ISAAC CUSTAR, Executor of the estate of A. D. Custer, deceased.

ROGUE RIVER SORGHUM SYRUP

A New Industry Is Established—Sugar Trust to Have An other Opponent!

In pioneer days before the railroad was built and cheap glucose and sugar refinery syrup was brought in, the manufacture of sorghum syrup was an important industry in Rogue River Valley, and the bulk of the syrup used here was made by farmers. The industry becoming no longer profitable the farmers ceased growing sorghum cane and put the land to other crops.

With the coming of the sugar trust the prices of all kinds of syrups has steadily advanced in the last few years until it is again profitable for Rogue River Valley farmers to again engage in the growing of cane and the manufacture of syrup. This season two Applegate farmers ventured to try sorghum manufacture. These men were J. T. Cook and J. K. Kubli of Kubli. Mr. Cook having 1/2 acres to cane and Mr. Kubli about three-fourths of an acre. Their farms are in the famous Missouri Flat, the soil of which is a deep, warm, sandy loam especially adapted to growing cane or corn, both of which grows as thrifty and matures as perfectly as in the Eastern states. Stalks of cane were numerous in both Mr. Cook's and Mr. Kubli's fields that were 10 to 12 feet high. In quantity and quality of juice produced this cane compared favorably with the best that is grown in the East. Mr. Cook presented the Courier office with a sample of his syrup and it is of smooth flavor, and fairly clear in color. This is the first syrup that he has made for nine years and he was somewhat out of practice, and his equipment was inferior. He expects to fit up in better shape next year and expects to be able to manufacture a syrup that will in color and flavor equal the best factory product, but without the dangerous qualities that the latter has.

Mr. Cook has had such a big demand for his sorghum syrup that he will plant a large field to cane next season and go into the business more extensively. Many people prefer sorghum syrup to the factory article as the latter is considered by them to be unhealthy by reason of the chemicals used in bleaching the sugar and in giving the handsome color to the syrup. Sorghum is absolutely pure, as made on the farms, and no fear need be entertained that it will ruin one's digestion.

If the sugar trust continues its high price on its chemically purified syrups, and the railroad holds up the present high freight rates, the manufacture of sorghum syrup is certain to become one of the important industries of Rogue River Valley. And there is a possibility that in addition to supplying the greater part of the home demand, a considerable trade can be built up in the export of syrup to other sections of the Northwest, for this Valley is the only part of Oregon in which cane can be grown profitably.

SOME BARGAIN POINTERS

News Notes From the Business Men to Readers.

Call for Colestin Water.

Luk—at Model Drug Store.

Violin, etc., strings—Courier Building.

Get your cedar posts at 408 Second street.

Souvenir Post Cards—Courier Building.

W. H. Sherman—Real Estate. Telephone 731.

Give your friends a Stage line—the good smoke.

Airtight Heaters for cold mornings at Cramer Bros.

Clothes mended. Mrs. L. S. Holt, 115 Moss Street.

W. L. Ireland, the Real Estate Man, negotiates loans.

Dr. M. C. Findley tests eyes and furnishes glasses.

Bicycle Bells and Lamps at a discount at Paddock's.

If you want to get fish get your tackle at Cramer Bros.

Colestin Mineral Water is best for table use. DePoy sells it.

Go to Branch's Studio (Big Tent) for pictures and frames.

Cedar posts for sale at 408 Second street.

Jersey Cranberries, the good kind.—White House Grocery.

Pencils and Tablets at the Model Drug Store.

Pure Malt Pickling Vinegar—White House Grocery.

Asbestos Sad Irons, Cold handle and hot iron at Cramer Bros.

When you call for mineral water insist on having Colestin Water. All dealers have it.

Universal Breadmaker and Cakemaker at Cramer Bros.

Three gallons oil of Delphus Oil can—\$2.35 White House Grocery.

Colestin Mineral Water is pure and healthful and is the natural product of the spring. You should have it on your table. For sale by the bottle or case at DePoy's.

Colored Post Cards—2 for 5 cents—Music Store.

We have great cutters and Stone Jars at Cramer Bros.

50 styles of Souvenir Post cards for sale at the Music Store.

That Home Grown "Mince Meat"—WHITE HOUSE GROCERY.

See Voorbies for Underwood Typewriters and Typewriter supplies.

You will always find matter of interest in our classified ad column.

Orders taken for fine cookies and bread. Mrs. E. B. Brown, 408 Second street. Tel. 585.

Protect your goats and sheep from depredations of coyotes, cougars, wildcats and other wild animals by using Masters Coyote Exterminator. Warranted to kill varmints every time and to hold its strength for a year. Is a prepared paste that the smell of it will attract a coyote for a long distance. Full directions with each can. For sale at Rotermund's drug store, Grants Pass.

Attention, Azalia Circle.

Members of Azalia Circle are requested to attend the regular meeting November 20th, when a visit is expected by Sophia E. King who is an interesting speaker.

E. L. RIGGS, Guardian Neighbor.

CLOSING OUT SALE

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT

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| \$1.50 grade for | \$1.15 |
| 1.25 " " " | .90 |
| 1.00 " " " | .75 |
| .85 " " " | .60 |
| .60 " " " | .48 |
| .50 " " " | .39 |

FLANNELETTES

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| 12 1/2c grade for | 9 3/4c |
| 10c " " " | 8c |

CALICOES

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| 7c grade for | 5 1/2c |
| 5c " " " | 4 1/2c |

OUTING FLANNEL

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| 8c grade | 6 1/2c |
| 10c " " " | 7 1/2c |
| 12c " " " | 9 1/2c |

A. F. C. GINGHAM

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| 8c grade | 5 1/2c |
| 10c " " " | 8c |
| 12 1/2c " " " | 9 3/4c |

MUSLINS

ALL GRADES AT COST

TABLE LINENS

| | |
|-----------|-----|
| 35c grade | 28c |
| 60c " " " | 49c |
| 85c " " " | 67c |
| \$1 " " " | 73c |

WOOL FLANNELS

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| 25c grade | 20c |
| 50c " " " | 39c |

BLUE DENIMS

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| 16c grade for | 13c |
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TICKING

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| 16c grade | 12c |
| 15c " " " | 11c |

II OZ. DUCK

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| Regular 25c grade for | 20c |
| LADIES' WRAPPERS | \$1.00 grade for 63c |
| 1.25 " " " | 85c |

SHEETS

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| 81x90, 75c grade for | 59c |
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PILLOW SLIPS

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| 36x45, 15c grade for | 12c |
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TOWELS

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|---------------|-----|
| 15c grade for | 11c |
| 20c " " " | 14c |
| 25c " " " | 19c |

SCRIM

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| 15c grade for | 11c |
| 20c " " " | 14c |
| 25c " " " | 19c |

NOTIONS

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| 6 spools of thread | 25c |
| Silk thread | 8c |
| All 5c goods | 3 3/4c |
| All 10c goods | 7 1/2c |
| All 15c goods | 11c |
| All 20c goods | 14c |
| All 25c goods | 19c |
| All 50c goods | 39c |

LADIES UNDERWEAR

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|---------------|-----|
| 25c grade for | 20c |
| 50c " " " | 39c |
| 75c " " " | 59c |

Men's, Ladies' and Childrens HOSIERY

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| 15c grade for | 11c |
| 20c " " " | 14c |
| 25c " " " | 19c |

LADIES' COATS AND SKIRTS at 1-2 price

CORSETS at 2-3 price

LATEST STYLES IN FURS, 1-3 off

KID GLOVES 1-3 off

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, 1-3 off

Gents Furnishing Goods and Shoes

CLOTHING

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| \$ 8.00 Suits for | \$8.00 |
| 10.00 " " " | 7.50 |
| 12.00 " " " | 8.75 |
| 14.00 " " " | 9.50 |
| 16.00 " " " | 12.50 |
| 18.00 " " " | 13.75 |
| 20.00 " " " | 14.50 |

HATS

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|------------------|------|
| \$1.00 grade for | .78 |
| 1.25 " " " | .89 |
| 1.50 " " " | 1.15 |
| 2.00 " " " | 1.45 |
| 2.50 " " " | 1.75 |
| 3.00 " " " | 2.25 |

SHIRTS

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|--------------|-----|
| \$.50 grade | 40c |
| .75 " " " | 59c |
| 1.00 " " " | 79c |
| 1.25 " " " | 85c |

President Suspenders

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| Regular 50c grade for | 39c |
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COLLARS

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| All grades | 11c |
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TIES

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| 50c grade for | 39c |
| 25c " " " | 20c |

SHOES

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| \$1.00 grade for | \$.79 |
| 1.25 " " " | .93 |
| 1.50 " " " | 1.20 |
| 2.00 " " " | 1.50 |
| 2.50 " " " | 1.75 |
| 3.00 " " " | 2.20 |
| 4.00 " " " | 3.00 |

LARGE LINE OF MEN'S UNDERWEAR

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|------------------|--------|
| \$.50 grade for | \$.40 |
| .75 " " " | .59 |
| 1.00 " " " | .79 |
| 1.25 " " " | .85 |
| 1.50 " " " | 1.20 |

Men's Working Gloves

| | |
|------------------|-----|
| \$1.00 grade for | 79c |
| 1.25 " " " | 85c |

Trunks and Suit Cases 1-3 off

Wool Blankets 1-4 off

Mackintoshes 1-3 off

Rubber Goods of All Kinds at Cost

Boy's and Men's Sweaters 1-3 off

GROCERY DEPARTMENT

Large line of Groceries will be Sold at cost

Now is the time to lay in a supply for winter, you will save from 20 to 30 per cent on everything you buy. Our goods are standard makes not sweat shop and racket goods.

Terms Cash No More Credit

SOAPS—Ammonia Benzine--A.B.--5 for 25c; Gasene, 5 for 25c; Laundry Soaps, 7 bars for 25c.

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