

SOCIETY NOTICES.

Oregon Lodge, I. O. O. F. No. 3. Meets every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock p. m. in the Odd Fellows' Hall, Han street. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

Multnomah Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M. Holds its regular communications on first and third Saturday of each month, at 7:30 p. m. Brothers in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the W. M. P. PAQUOT, Secretary.

Meade Post No. 2, G. A. R., Department of Oregon. Meets first Wednesday of every month, at 7:30 p. m. at Odd Fellows' Hall, Oregon City, Commander.

Falls City Lodge No. 59 A. O. U. W. Meets every second and fourth Monday evening in Odd Fellows' building. All sojourning brethren cordially invited to attend. C. O. T. WILLIAMS, M. W.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. J. C. READ, Pastor. Morning service 11:00; Sunday school 12:15; evening service 7:30. Regular prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Monthly covenant meeting Saturday before first Sunday in each month, at 1 o'clock p. m. A cordial invitation extended to all.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, CATHOLIC.—Rev. P. J. FRIZZARONI, Pastor. On Sunday high mass at 10:30 a. m. First Sunday of each month low mass at 8 a. m. Second Sunday of each month, a German sermon. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Vespers and Benediction at 7 p. m.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL Church.—Rev. G. A. ROCKWOOD, Pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school after morning service. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor every Sunday evening at 6:50 prompt. Rev. RUDOLPH STUBBINS will preach in German at 10 a. m. All are cordially invited to these meetings. Seats free.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. W. A. WILLIAMS, M. A., Pastor. Morning service at 11; Sunday school at 12:15; evening service at 7:30. Young people's meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30; prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Strangers cordially invited. Seats free.

ST. PAUL'S P. E. CHURCH.—Rev. JESSE C. TAYLOR, Rector. Service every Sunday morning at 10:30; each alternate Sunday evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9:30 every Sunday morning. Service every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., with lectures. Seats free. All welcome.

The house of representatives was at a dead-loss last Thursday on the direct tax bill, and the day was spent in roll calling.

MAKING THE DEAF HEAR.

System of Education Given by the Various Schools for Deaf Mutes. There are doubtless a large number of children born deaf, or who have become deaf since birth through the evil effect of measles or scarlet fever or some other of the kindred scourges of childhood, who are going through the world as deaf mutes for lack of knowledge, on the part of those that have the care of them, that schools exist to which they may be sent almost free of charge, and sometimes quite free.

In these schools deaf children are not only taught to speak and to know what other people are speaking, but they acquire a thorough education in all branches, and in addition receive instruction in sewing, in the use of tools and a general industrial training, so that when they leave school they are quite prepared, if need be, to earn their own living by their own hands or head.

It would seem that no parent could be indifferent to the possibility of having the system of education given by the various schools for deaf mutes, if aware of their existence. The little people, who might otherwise go through the world aided only by signs, here acquire language so completely that it is only in the dark that they are returned to their world of silence, being deaf only as the hero of Joan Paul's Titan became blind, after sunset, and returning to all the pleasures of sound with the lighting of the lamps. The children thus educated are no odds of those other children provided by partial nature with better means of making care of themselves. Comparison of graduates of deaf mutes schools and of those of other schools shows no difference whatever in proficiency and intelligence, and in mingling with the world afterward the deaf mute pupils are not accompanied by any painful sense of deficiency. In fact, the more they mingle with the world, as in the case of other youth, the more self-confidence and the larger vocabulary do they acquire, and they are more injured by receipt of exceeding sympathy than they are by the withholding of it, many of them complaining of the tendency to magnify their misfortune, which almost ceases to be a misfortune to them when they find themselves readily understood for all that goes on about them, finding their way about, and often going to church, to concerts, to theatres, and taking as much enjoyment as those do who are in the possession of all their senses.

Indeed, many educated deaf mutes who have acquired language, and who have any superior intelligence of their own, claim that they have an advantage in their deafness itself; for it has obliged them to concentrate in thought and quiet work, and to avoid the amount of "ferret" which is by others dispersed in the world of attending and detaching sound, and they are, they are apt to think, and that not without reason, the deeper and broader, readier and better, for the occasion of one of their senses. When Mr. Fawcett, lately a high passenger official of Great Britain, became in his early boyhood entirely blind, it is said that he resolved that he would go through life exactly as if he saw, and he carried out his intention, as we all know, so far as that was a possible thing, and a large share of his self-reliance was due to this determination. It would be well if all people robbed of one of their senses formed the same resolution, and carried it out but half as well.

But long before children who are shut out from all actual sound are old enough to make any such determination for themselves, and while they can only see with a poignant pain that they are different from other children, ignorant of any means by which the difference may be cured, it is the duty of parents to supply to them, as far as may be, every deficiency of their senses. This, to a certain extent, can be done at home, and a similar success has attended the practice of treating the deaf child exactly as if it could hear, so that, almost as if by intuition, it has acquired the art of speech to a limited extent. But so that extent is very likely to remain limited, the rest of the deficiency can only be supplied by schools having no other object than the instruction of the deaf, and it is at once to be seen that every guardian of such a child is under an obligation to the child to inform himself about such schools, and to give the child the advantages to be gained from them, even if he is so doing the child in so far as to become a beneficiary of the state. The debt to the state is not a serious one, since it is for the interest of the state that every member of the community shall be brought to the highest perfection.—Harper's Bazar.

An Englishman has discovered the ancient pyroclastic quarries, where the Romans obtained the stones used in their famous buildings. The quarries are sixty-six miles from the Nile and 3,950 feet above the level of the sea.—New York Tribune.

A Tom-tom Epidemic. Some day near the window of restaurant—Just smell cat soup, Jimmy, Halo's cat food. Jimmy (holding his nose)—I ain't smellin' no cat soup, Lenny, it 'ud spite me appetite for do'rn' chicken.—Life.

Will Richards in Dakota produce an earlier to-bee, hairless, noseless race?

Children Cry for

White Swelling. Mr. M. S. Hamlin, one of the best known insurance men in North Carolina, writes from Winston, as follows: "Ever since I was seven years of age I have had what the doctors call hip disease, and which I call white swelling. My hip was drawn out of place. There was a swelling at the knee-joint, where there is a profuse running, which has been there for years. Of course this has greatly deranged my system, together with surgical operation on the leg bone. I tried every known blood purifier to build up my system, but none did me good until I took S. S. S. I use it every spring. It always builds me up, giving me appetite and digestion, and enables me to stand the long, trying, unrelenting, hot summer days. To me there is no such medicine for purifying the blood and building up the wasted system as S. S. S. On using it I soon became strong of body and ease of mind. My color returned from a pale, worn look to a healthy, robust complexion. Mr. G. N. Frazier, of Farmersville, Texas, writes: "About Aug. 1st, 1885, an eruption appeared on my arms and legs, which passed the usual and seemed to affect my physical constitution generally. On the advice of a physician at this place, I daily commenced using S. S. S. Scientific. I can hardly say that after using three weeks I had the eruption removed. I had been on Ross and Sain Derrasse's medical tree. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Drawer 3, Atlanta, Ga.

Silver-Plated Ribbons. "Rather neat, eh?" A Broadway dealer in fancy goods was showing a reporter a handsome purple ribbon on which his initials were written in silver letters. "You want to know how that was done? Well, I'll tell you. Make a solution of nitrate of silver, and add a little gum to it so that the liquid will not run. Then, with a camel's hair pencil or a quill pen, draw any sort of ornamental figure on the silk. After the drawing is dry, hold the ribbon over a vessel containing water, zinc and a little sulphuric acid. In a short time the silver will be reduced and adhere quite strongly to the fabric. By this plan almost anything can be written on silk. A picture could be painted in silver and there is no end to the fanciful designs that might be made."—New York Mail and Express.

The Greeks' Family Affection. Family affection is, perhaps, the noblest characteristic of the Greek character. Nowhere else, I think, does one see fraternal love so strongly developed, nor the women of the family so tenderly cared for. Should the father die the brothers take his place, and so long as a sister of marvellous age remains unperished and unweaned they will not think of taking a wife themselves.—Boston Herald.

In Commercial there are \$5,000 acres of the best silver-plated to be had.

Notice of Final Settlement. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I have filed my Final Report to the County Court of Clatsop County, State of Oregon, in the matter of the Estate of George W. Wier, deceased, and the Court has appointed May 21st as a day and time for the hearing of objections to the same, if any there be, and for the settlement of said Estate. D. E. COOPER, Administrator of the Estate of George Wier, deceased, March 22nd, 1888.

Notice of Sale. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that in pursuance of an order of the County Court of Clatsop County, State of Oregon, and Deeds to be recorded under said order, the interest of George Wier, deceased, L. W. Wier, on the 24th day of April, 1888, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m., at the farm house of the said George Wier, deceased, about two miles east of Astoria, Oregon, will be sold to the highest bidder in public sale for one-fourth interest in all of the tract of 20 acres in the southeast corner of said lot, between the said line of said estate and the wagon road running from Oregon City to Portland through said claim. The sale to be made at 20 cents per thousand feet for all timber suitable for saw logs, the proceeds to be paid in cash with substantial security to pay the purchase price on the measurement of said timber, dated March 28, 1888. JOHN WINE, Guardian of minor heirs of George Wier, deceased.

Masters Sale. In the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. The Justice Mortgage and Trust Investment Company, Limited, vs. No. 1011. S. E. Sprague, C. E. Sprague and H. M. Case.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of the decree of said Court, made and entered in the above entitled case on the 14th day of March, 1888, I, George H. Durham, Master of the County of said Court, will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption, as upon execution issued upon a judgment of law, at the front door of the Court House of Clatsop County at Oregon City, in the said County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1888, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, all the right, title and interest which the said defendants, S. E. Sprague and C. E. Sprague had at the time of the mortgage set out in the bill hereto, of, in or to the premises described in the said mortgage and in the bill hereto as follows: The West half of the East half, and the East half of the West half of Section one to Tax map three South of Range two East of the Willamette Meridian, containing 328.24 acres, situated in Clatsop County, State of Oregon, in execution of said decree and in payment of the expenses of this sale. Said decree is for the sum of \$274.50, and interest and costs due the plaintiff, and \$82.50 with interest due the defendant Case.

GEORGE H. DURHAM, Master in Chancery of said Court. April 24, 1888.

Administrator's Notice. I have been duly appointed by the County Court of Clatsop County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of George Wier, deceased, late of said County. All persons having claims against said estate will present them to me within six months from the date of the office of Johnson, McCown & Ideman, Lawyers in Oregon City, Oregon. A. F. MILLER, Administrator. Date: April 3, 1888.

Pitcher's Castoria.

Notice. Notice is hereby given that all persons having County Orders lying in the County Clerk's office which have been issued prior to April 1st, 1882, are hereby required to receipt for said orders and present them to the County Treasurer within 30 days from date of this notice and if said orders are not soiled for within said time the Clerk is hereby authorized to deliver said orders issued prior to April 1st, 1882, and not received for to the County Treasurer for cancellation. Done in Pursuance of an order of the County Court duly made and entered of record at the April term, 1888. Witness my hand and Seal of County Court the 28th day of April, A. D. 1888. W. J. WHITLOCK, County Clerk.

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