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Jan. 4, 5, 6—Oregon Irrigation Congress, Portland.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Pyralin ivory at Putnam drug store. —Adv. 11-29-1f

The finest assortment of White Ivory Goods in Mirrors, Hair Brushes, Hair Receivers, Powder Boxes, Soap Boxes, Combs, etc. This line at Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 12-18-3t

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Front quarter of beef 7 cents and we pay highest prices for hide and sheep pelts. Peoples' Meat Market, 1119 1-2 Adams Ave.—Adv. 12-5-1f

Strayed Range Cattle.

A number of cattle, most all dehorned, with a spur or rowlock brand on left hip; also two with "circle S" on right hip, and small "D. S." on left hip. Will pay a liberal reward for information leading to the recovery of any of the above stock. J. N. CHANDLER, Elgin, Ore. 12-19-2t-pd

Suits! Suits! Suits! 1-2 price.—Jones-Rabone.—Adv. 12-7-1f

For Sale—Wrapping Paper. For putting under carpets, etc. Apply to Observer office. 12-20-1f

F. E. Ware, proprietor of the Club pool hall, has pleaded guilty in municipal court to a charge of permitting gambling in his place of business, and was fined \$100.

Don't overlook our Edison phonograph or a Victrola as a Christmas present for the whole family. \$15 to \$250, on easy terms. Newlin Book & Stationery Co. 12-18

Manicure Roll-ups, Manicure Sets,

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Please step to the Phone Main 40. Free delivery. La Grande Pharmacy. 12-16-2t

Dr. Ralston, physician, surgeon and osteopath is now located in rooms 12 and 13 over Silverthorn's Drug store. Main 21; Night phone Main 81.—Adv. 10-16-1f.

Those Christmas Boxes of Candy—just what you want—only finest made, at 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2 a box. At Silverthorn's Family Drug Store. 12-18-3t

Stomach Trouble and Constipation.

Those who are afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation should read the following: "I have never found anything so good for stomach trouble and constipation as Chamberlain's Tablets. I have used them off and on now for the past two years. They not only regulate the action of the bowels but stimulate the liver and keep one's body in a healthy condition," writes Mrs. Benjamin Hooper, Auburn, N. Y. —Adv.

Drs. Darland, over Putman's.—Adv. 12-5-1f

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

This is not only one of the best and most efficient medicine for coughs, colds and croup, but is also pleasant and safe to take, which is important when medicine must be given to children. Many mothers have given it their unqualified endorsement. —Adv.

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nastics. My motto, "Permanent health through perfect circulation of blood and nerve forces."—Adv. 12-7-1m.

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In a child that is subject to attacks of croup, the first indication of the disease is hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off and all danger and anxiety avoided. —Adv.

Wood Sawing.

Wood sawing promptly done, city or country.

J. J. Murchison. Phone Red 3672.—Adv. 1f Room and board for two. 1008 Third street, near high school.—Adv. 12-8-1f.

Worms Make Children Fretful.

If your child cries out in sleep, is nervous, pony and listless, he may be a victim of worms. Begin treatment at once with Kickapoo Worm Killer. This candy laxative in tablet form kills the worm and removes it quickly and easily. Don't permit your child's development to be retarded by the continued draining of his vitality by worms. Get Kickapoo Worm Killer at your Druggist, 25c. —Adv.

See Mrs. Dunn's China at Harris' Art Store. 12-12-1f

We pay best prices for second hand furniture. DYAL'S FURNITURE CO., 404 Fir St., Phone Black 3351.—Adv. 12-4-1f.

Sewing Machines.

Singer Sewing Machines Agency now in Foley Hotel Bldg. Sewing machines sold, rented and repaired. Phone Red 451. 12-5 1-15-pd

Let us show you our Victrola outfit No. 1 with 20 selections, \$22.50. Newlin Book & Stationery Co. 12-18

Don't miss the dance Christmas night at Rex hall. 12-20-1t

Sloan's Liniment Eases Pain.

Sloan's Liniment is first thought of mothers for bumps, bruises and sprains that are continually happening to children. It quickly penetrates and soothes without rubbing. Cleaner and more effective than mussy plasters or ointments. For rheumatic aches, neuralgia pain and that grippy soreness after colds, Sloan's Liniment gives prompt relief. Have a bottle handy for bruises, strains, sprains and all external pain. For the thousands whose work calls them outdoors, the pains and aches following exposure are relieved by Sloan's Liniment. At all Druggists, 25c. —Adv.

We pay better prices for used furniture. Phone B 1241. Cor. Fir and Jefferson. E. J. Donohue. 12-20-1f

VERSE FOR THE GIFT.

It is not always easy to find an appropriate quotation just when you want it. Here are some carefully selected ones to help you out.

To Send With Books: I thought to myself I would offer this book to you, this and my love together.—Tennyson.

A good book is the precious lifeblood of a master spirit.—Milton. This little paper traveler goes forth to your door, charged with tender greetings. Pray you take him in. He comes from a house where you are well-beloved.—Stevenson.

I have sought rest everywhere and found it not save in little nooks and little books.—Thomas a' Kempis. A jolly good book whereon to look.

Is better to me than gold.—From an Old English Song. With Jewelry or Pictures This ring, O my beloved fair, For me on your slim finger wear, As a perpetual caress To tell you of my tenderness.

—Adapted from Stevenson. A pleasure that can never pall, A serene moment, deftly caught and kept To make immortal summer on your wall.

—Lowell. With Home-Made Gifts Alone, I did it.—Shakespeare. The only gift is a portion of thyself. Therefore the poet brings his own, the shepherd, his lamb; the farmer, corn; the miner, a gem; the sailor, coral and shells; the painter, his picture; the girl, a handkerchief of her own sewing.—Emerson. For thy joy in their making

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Take them, O fond and true, And for his sake who made them Let them be dear to you. —Henry.

With Any Kind of Gift I count myself in nothing else so happy, as in a soul remembering my good friends.—Shakespeare.

The heart of the giver makes the gift dear and precious.—Luther. Good wishes go with this And love, packed in a kiss. —Baldwin.

To reveal its complacency by gifts is one of the native dialects of love.—Mrs. Sigourney.

Consider not the gift of the lover, but the love of the giver.—Thomas a' Kempis.

I send with deep regards of heart and head, Sweet maid, for friendship formed this gift to thee. —Coleridge.

I send thee here a remembrance of all That my heart to thy heart doth recall. —Frere.

Now I am in a holiday humor.—Shakespeare. Presents endear absents.—Lamb.

Your Christmas Shopping. (By William F. Kirk) Do your Christmas shopping early—Get it off your mind.

Later on the clerks feel surly—Now they're nice and kind. Go and get that gift for mother While you have the price. Get that meerschaum pipe for brother While the stock is nice.

Get your sister's furs tomorrow Ere the nicest furs are gone. Even if you have to borrow. Till your next week's pay is drawn. Buy your sweetheart's present quickly.

Get that ring that she'll adore While the stock is scattered thickly O'er the counters in the store.

For your cousins and the others Get the things you have in mind. For their sisters and their brothers Buy before the shops are lined. Then, with all your gifts before you, For each group, lass and lad, When the Christmas sun shines o'er you Buy a paperweight for Dad.

OPPORTUNITIES IN RUSSIA American Business Men Have Openings Says Professor

BY SAMUEL N. HARPER (Professor of Russian Language and Affairs at the University of Chicago) (Written for the United Press)

NOTE—Professor Harper has spent four of the last 12 years in Russia. He has taken advantage of his extraordinary facilities for studying the people and their customs. He has recently returned from Russia.—Editor.

Chicago, Dec. 20.—There is plenty

of room and a welcome for the American business man in Russia today. And clean cut business methods will get him much in the land of the Cossack as in his own United States.

The business man who wants to be "babied" had better stay away. Sitting on the door step of a Russian ministry waiting a handout of juicy orders, will bring only an order to beat it. No use either working on the theory that one has to "cultivate" The American who tries to bribe his way there is a chump.

There is a huge demand for manufactured goods. The demand is large now and, as Russia is comparatively an undeveloped country, the demand will grow.

For complicated machinery this demand will last for a long time. In the case of most staple articles sold on a small margin, the Russian market will be attractive for only a limited time. Russia will soon supply herself with these products. She must do so to become economically independent. She has the raw materials and a huge home market. Every effort will be made to develop home industries, including a high protective tariff.

Despite the high tariff for years vast quantities of manufactured products will have to be imported. Before the war many of these goods came from Germany. Even if after the war there is no trade combination of the allies there will be for awhile a sentiment against Germany.

Russia especially wants Americans to establish factories in Russia. American concerns are going to make their big money in Russia out of Russian branch factories.

Although Americans and others will be encouraged to establish such factories, yet certain restrictions will be put upon them. For Russia has learned something on this point. Before the war there were many German-owned factories employing only Germans. The war came on and these shut down at once.

In future Russia will probably require every foreign owned concern to employ a certain proportion of Russians in every department. However, there is an abundance of Russian labor—good labor, too—and plenty of available administrative and technical experts.

American capital is especially welcome because Russia believes that such capital does not come as the advance political agent of a foreign government. While the opportunities for Americans and American capital are inconceivably large, there are no easy pickings, and Russia is no place for second-raters or cast-offs.

AFTER TOURIST BUSINESS Pacific Northwest Association Is Busily At Work.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 20.—(Special)—To advertise the Pacific Northwest as America's summer playground for the purpose of attracting thousands of tourists to this section, an energetic campaign is being conducted by the Pacific Northwest Tourist association, which was organized recently by representatives of large commercial bodies.

Herbert Cuthbert, of Victoria, B. C., secretary of the association, came to Spokane Saturday and explained the campaign to 150 of the city's leading business men. "Tourists spend \$700,000 annually in North America," said Mr. Cuthbert.

"No other section of the continent has so much to show as do the states of Washington and Oregon and the province of British Columbia. We have already an association, with eight members representing each of the areas named, working out the plan. Support has been assured us everywhere.

"About \$100,000,000 annually in tourist expenditures can be diverted to this territory. We don't ask for a single cent of expenditure that will not be returned many times over. In California, at the mere announcement that other sections were going after some of the visitors whose entertainment constitutes that state's chief industry, \$200,000 was raised for publicity, and a national advertising campaign has been already started."

The association has enlisted widespread support for a proposal to have appropriations of \$50,000 made by Washington and Oregon legislatures and \$25,000 by British Columbia to conduct a two-year publicity campaign exploiting the scenery, climatic and other attractive features of this section.

"Our association plans to place the Northwest's advantages before the public by means of lectures, magazine articles, illustrated booklets and pamphlets, motion pictures and, in fact, by the use of all modern publicity methods," states Waldo G. Pains, of Spokane, a director representing the state of Washington.

"Every dollar that comes into the country through the tourist stays here. It becomes an asset, it is divided between the grocer, the butcher, the shoemaker, the clothier, the hotel man, garage and livery men, sight-seeing cars, the baker, the farmer, the fruit grower, the poultry man, and all workers who are dependent upon these or any other commercial enterprises. It is the only industry that brings money into the country without taking any out. This is a movement in which the entire population of the whole Pacific Northwest may participate, and in which all can help."