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Singers, Dancers and Fun Makers, in their

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Be sure to see this clever team, direct from the Pantages vaudeville circuit. You'll laugh till the tears roll down your cheeks.

Your last chance to see the Portland Rose Festival, Face to Face, The Red Man and Trollbatten Falls.

Keep your eye on FRIDAY NIGHT. Something doing.

Admission Only 10c-15c

Attention, Pioneers.

The 33d annual reunion of the Pioneer society of Southern Oregon will be held at Ashland, Or., on Thursday, the 26th day of August, 1909. We hope to have the pleasure of greeting you on that occasion, together with your family and friends. It is desirable that the annual reunions of the society be perpetuated. Professor B. F. Mulkey has agreed to deliver the address to the pioneers and their friends at that time. Come and bring your badges with you. Respectfully yours,
 * SILAS J. DAY, Secretary.

Prepaid Railroad Orders.

"Something which is of considerable interest to the public generally and which is perhaps not generally known is in effect between stations of the Southern Pacific company and all points in the United States. By means of this system tickets may be purchased at Medford from any place in the United States and mailed or telegraphed direct to the party wishing to come here. Sleeper accommodations and small amounts of cash in connection with these tickets may also be forwarded at the same time."

It is absolutely impossible for you to secure a better grade of tea or coffee than the Southern Oregon Tea and Coffee House carries.

Another shipment of fresh fish today at the Rogue River Fish Co.'s market. They also carry a full line of imported sausage, German sirloin, Italian salami and macaroni, as well as the following brands of cheese, viz.: imported and Wisconsin Swiss, Wisconsin cream brick, Edam, Roquefort, Sop Sago, Neufchâtel, German breakfast, Lamberger, Fromage de Camembert, Fromage de Brie and Bon Marche. 121

The Evening Party.



Old Gentleman (who looks cold)—How shall I stir the fire without interrupting the music?
 Wag—Oh, between the bars, of course.

Ready For the Exhibit.



The Miss—My! If only de push could see me now!

Eating Up Principal and Interest.



—New York Herald.

In Hard Luck.



Willie Walker (gazing at one of the secret marks of his order)—Here's a go! I've lost me code book and can't remember whether this means "bulldog" or "a free meal."

Easiest Way.



He—I never know how to take you.
 She—Well, you might try the solitaire method.—Kansas City Times.

For Whom are You Sowing

If you pay house rent for the landlord. If you are paying for your home for yourself and family.

Let us help you reap the reward of the money you have been paying for rent, by building you a home and allowing you to pay for it in easy monthly payments and low rate of interest.

We will furnish money to build Churches, Parsonages, homes or business houses, or pay off debts on real estate. Moneys can be returned any time, thereby stopping interest, or we give you nine years to return any loan, either large or small. We also allow you 3 percent interest on all advance payments. We give you three months grace on all notes without a fine. We can arrange with farmers for annual payments. If these terms suit you, call and see us at the Real Estate Office of

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Weather Forecast.

Cooler tomorrow.

Delicately Put.



"I say, old man, would you advise me to stop up here and eat a biscuit or go below and make a hearty meal?"
 "Well, old man, I should say it all depends on whether—er—ahem—you discard from strength or weakness."

Misapplied Energy.



"Why don't you stop loafing around and do some work?"
 "Why, my dear, I am working hard trying to think of something to do!"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

A Self-Maid Man.



—Harper's Weekly.

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Sunday at Christian Church.

Yesterday was a good day at the Christian church. Notwithstanding the fact that a large number of people are in the mountains, the audiences were quite good at all the services. In the morning the pastor spoke on the theme "Doubling a Preacher's Power." The leading points of the theme were: Doubling one man's power is the same as employing two men. Any church can do this by observing the following simple conditions: (1) by standing loyally by their minister at all times, by making it a matter of conscience to attend all the regular services of the church, by speaking well of their minister at all times, talk him up, not down, by giving him ample time for study and communion with God, by listening with attention and sympathy; by continued and generous financial support; by observing these few simple things the power of any minister and church will be doubled. The evening theme was "The Plan of the Disciples of Christ." This is a plea for unity. It is a plea for loyalty to the Christ. This plea is progress, and it is a plea for love. When the united forces of Christendom are loyal to the Christ and his teaching very rapid progress will be made toward the millennium. Love will bring this about, for love is the greatest thing in the world.