# LOCAL JOTTIDGS.

The "overland flyer" arrived on time last Monday.

Mr. Wm. Percival, of this city, is seriously ill.

Stuben Powell, of Linn county, was in the city last week.

Miss Maud Stout is teaching the Crowley school this fail.

The Misses Nash, of Amity, entered the Normal this week.

Attorney John J. Daly, of Dallas, passed through the city Sunday.

Gid. King, of Silverton, arrived in town Monday to attend the Normal.

T. S. Hansaker conducted services in the Christmn church here last Sunday.

The seniors commenced their short addresses in chapel this (Friday) morning.

Sheriff Wells and family were visit ing Henderson Murphy and family last Sunday.

C. V. Murphy will commence teach ing the school at Antioch next Monday.

Mr. Wm. Darby, of Stayton, was visiting Miss Edith Hargrove last Bunday.

Mrs. J. F. Delaney, of Newport, was visiting her parents, W. Waterhouse and wife last week.

Rev. J. W. Shreve has been appointed to preach in Lewisville, and moved to that place last week.

Marvin Murphy and family, of near Holley, were visiting relatives in the city the first of the week.

It will be a great step in advance when railway employes are always armed but never "losded."

J. L. Murphy arrived home Tuesday from the Nestucca where he caught about 450 pounds of salmon.

Oscar Russell, who has been very ill with fever for about four weeks, we are pleased to state, is slowly improving.

Miss Anna Doolittle, who has been sojourning in our city for several months, departed last Monday for Chicago

W. T. Hoffman and A. N. Fulkerson departed from town last week to teach school this winter. Mr. Hoffman at Amity and Mr. Fulkerson near Sheri-

In Scandinavia, Switzerland, and Germany over 95 per cent of the population are able to write, in Great Britain, 90; in France, 85; and in the United States, 92

An Emotional Role. - She-Why were you so awkwaru and embarrasse when you proposed to me? He-I was trying to look not so sure of being accepted as I felt

Klamath, an Oregon horse, son of Almont, won the free-for-all trot at Sacramento recently, the best time be ing 2:13], the fastest trotted on the const this year.

Ross Matthews has returned from an extended visit with friends in Illinois. He visited the World's fair during his stay.-Eugene Guard. Mr. Matthews attended the Normal here two years ago.

Mrs. F. C. Woods, of Dallas, has been elected as art teacher at the Normal, and without a doubt will give abundant satisfaction, as she has very much ability and has had several years expee in teaching. The Young Peoples' Society of Christian Endeavor is gaining in interes and profitable meetings are being held The time of meeting is 6:15 p. m., and all the young people are extended a cordial invitation to attend.

### Miss Mary Robinson, of Portland, is visiting with the Misses Etta and Ella

Miss Office Efficient, of near Princyille, Crook county, is visiting with her aunt, Mrs. Ike Dempsey, of Rickreall.

The establishment of juvenile re-formatory schools in Great Britain in 1869, caused in ten years a decrease of

fifty-three per cent in youthful crime.

## The Price Would Be Higher.

James F. Clark, of Cooperstown, New York, said to be the largest hop grower in the world, in a private letter to Mrs. Clara Zimmerman, of this county, writes: "I must say you Pacific coast hop growers are cussed fools for contracting your hops at sixteen and seventeen cents. By that means you feed the English market and keep the price down. But for this hope would be forty cents. I was offered twenty-seven cents for my hops before picking."-Corvalits Times

The "Hard Time" Social.

Last Saturday evening the "hard times" social was held, and a very good crowd was present. The pro gramme opened with a selection by the tadies' cornet band (?) which pleased Great amily Rewspaper everybody. Then came a recitation in which the ladies joined in the chorus, which was followed by a solo with chorus. A recitation by a win miss(?) on woman's rights was also highly entertaining. The programme ended with music by the band. Then came the refreshments, consisting of bread and milk, which were of the best quality, and everyone said it was delicious. The social part of the programme was one of the leading features of the evening and was enjoyed by all, especially the young folks who made things lively with a few games. The social was a success, and the ladies are well pleased with the patron they received. Mr. Waterhouse esp ally has their thanks for the free u his hail. The receipts were about \$13.

In the Wrong Chair.

In the Wreag Chain. Uncle Treetop (on his way to den-tist's office)—Most likely it'll stop ach-ing by the time I get in the chair. If it does, I swan I'll pretend I've made a mistake and tell him I want a hair cut.—New York Herald.

# Don't Answer That Letter

On poor paper, because it should be your aim to make a favorable impres ion on the person to whom you write and to do this you should use a good quality of paper. Call at the Normal Book Store and

examine the Capitola papeterie, only 15c. for 24 envelopes and 1 quire paper neatly put up in paper boxes.

Also the Unique, 25c. Whiting's Cameo, 50c.



When a minister so far forgets himself as to speak crossly to a brother before the whole congregation, there is evidently something wrong with the The ardor of a certain meetminister. ing was dampened not a little by such an occurrence

Several of our merchants are doing good work by having gravel hauled in front of their business houses on Main street. Now if the town would order the center of the street graveled that street would be in first-class condition during the winter.

W. T. Haley, who is recently from the East, and brother of our townsman Max Haley, will deliver a free lecture in the Normal chaper next Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, on The World's Fair and Some of Its Lessons. Everybody cordially invited.

Rev Arthur Royce, a '92 graduate of McMinnville college, was married Sept. 4th, to Miss Mitchell Haines, also a graduate of that year, of Bonanza, Oregon. Mr. Royce and bride have located in McMinnville on College side. He is supplying the South Yamhill and Monmouth churches two Sundays of each month .-- Yamhill Reporter,

Whiting's Cabinet, 3 shades, 3 boxes

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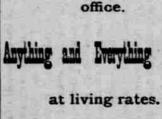
### MONMOUTH JEWELERS.

We have on exhibition this week a We have on exhibition this week a complete assortment of precious and senif-precious gems, among which are included: White, pink, brown and tiger-eye Cameo or Intaglio, Amethyst, Topez, Sapphire, Ruby, Emerald, Gar-nets, Turquoise, Opals, Moonstones, Pearls and Rose-diamonds, which will be mounted in any style at lowest prices. First-class work guaranteed. Descontfully



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OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between und 4 Fraser has been dissolved by mu-consent, and that all notes and accounts said firm are payable to L. B. Fraser & L. GROUND, L. B. FRASER, amouth, Or., Sept. 12,135.



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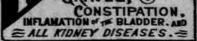
of farming implements .-

### The Union Pacific now lead with reduced rates to eastern points, and their through car arrangements, magnificently equipped Pullman and Tourist sleepers, free reclining chair car and fast time, makes it the best line to travel. Two trains leave from Portland daily at 8:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The rates are now within reach of all, and everybody should take advantage of them to visit the World's Fair and their friends in the east. Send for rates and seedules of trains, and do not purchase tickets until after consulting M. O. Potter Independence, or W. H. Hurlburt, Ass't Gen'l Pass. Agent, U. P. Portland Oregon.

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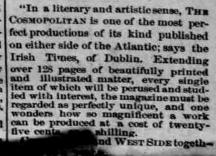
Purely ont of curiosity, we have counted the illustrations, some of them full page, in the current issue of THE Cosmopolitan; says the Methodist Recordof London England. They numbed 129; but if there were none' the literary character of the magazine would amply character of the magazine would amply juftify its immense circulation. Some of the best known names in American literature appear in the list each month, besides English writers of such names, for example, as Sir Edwin Arnold From every point of view, we regard the magazine as unique".

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### Of Interest to Sportsmen.

Mr. W. H. Hurlburt, A. G. P. A., Union Pacific system, Portland, Oregon, has just received a supply of books alled "Gun Club Rules and Revised Game Laws," This publication contain a digest of the laws relating to game in the Western states and territories, Mr. Hurlburt will be glad to mail you one of these books upon receipt of two stamps to cover postage. W. H. HURLBURT, A. G. P. A., Portland, Oregon.



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