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That means, have all the requisits for satisfactory abusions. Our toilet sets are handsome enough to please the most fastidious and critical eye and to be an ornament to any room. The form, design and ware are all of the finest, to fine to be equalled in Oregon City or excelled elsewhere. All our customers are twice suited, with the price, and here is the whole logic of buying. There are no gaps in the all-round completeness of our crockery display, including Dinner, Tea, Toilet and Water Sets. We received another shipment of our popular Hop pattern. **BELLOMY & BUSCH, The House Furnishers.**  
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When You Have Purchased \$10 Worth of Goods

The frame and glass will be furnished you for \$1.25.

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Delivered to all parts of the city from the

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...AT REASONABLE PRICES...

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SUCCESSORS TO RANDALL &amp; MEYER.

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and Building Material.**

Lowest Cash Prices Ever Offered for First-Class Goods.

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**A Drop in the Bucket**

May be, but there's more to follow. Better come our way early, and go hand-in-hand with comfort through all the rainy days to come.

**MACKINTOSHES**

Blue, Black and Brown, with capes or without.

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Real rain-defiers, with the prettiest handles in town.

**Charman & Son...**  
Dealers In General Merchandise.Headache bad? Get Miles' Pain Pills.  
Ripans Tabules cure bad breath.Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder  
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.**Fish**

Salt Mackeral  
" Salmon  
" Herring  
" Codfish  
Smoked Halibut  
" Salmon  
" Herring

**Canned Fish**

...OF ALL KINDS

**E. E. WILLIAMS,**  
The Grocer.**CANBY.**

The snow fell here to a depth of six inches.

With the exception of cordwood shopping there is but little doing.

Albert Lee is finishing his new house for a harness shop, it is said, but the intention was at first to make it the Big Sickle store.

Parties living near Canby intend soon to swing off into matrimonial bliss.

The Southern Pacific company is having a large quantity of gravel loaded here.

Mrs. H. Gribble has had the woodshed rebuilt which burned about six weeks ago.

George Lee has gone to the Santiam to work for his uncle, Millard Lee, in Roseburg for his health.

From the war talk flour has taken a jump to 70 cents a sack or \$2.90 a barrel.

Mrs. Riggs is still sick at the Good Samaritan hospital, Portland, and it is feared she will have to stay there for some time to come.

Mrs. Atkins died on the 17th and was buried at the Canby cemetery.

Good apples hereabouts are few.

J. D. Cox has returned from California. He reports fine winter weather there with very little rain up to the 17th, when he left.

F. Zelinger has started a shoeshop in connection with his photograph gallery. Shoe repairing has come down half.

The political pot is heating up. The republicans held a grand rally here on the 10th. They want the governor to call an extra session so they can finish their work. They want another grab at the taxpayers as it looks as if it would be their last chance. The democrats stand a better chance this year than ever to make a clean sweep if they will rally lively. The people's party has held three meetings here. This town seems to be headquarters for office-seekers. They all tell you they have fought and almost died and now are ready to die in behalf of the country if

you will give them your due consideration. Poor taxpayers, where is your tax money coming from; 40 mills on the dollar and not enough yet! Where is the honest man going to get off at? The people's party doesn't seem to help any January 25.

NERO.  
REDLAND.

Where is the little city of Redland? It is situated eight miles east of Oregon City, four miles south of Linn, three miles west of Viola, two miles from Linn's Mill and about 5280 miles from New York.

G Davis was at Linn's Mill last week. J Wright visited our vicinity.

Mrs. S. C. Linn and J. E. Linn were visiting Mrs. Leek.

Mrs. F. E. Linn and wife went to Tremont Saturday.

B. W. King of Fehlerville was in our vicinity.

Ed. Baleys was in Oregon City on Saturday.

There will be a drama and minstrel show at Linn's Mill on February 11th. Admission 10 cents. Dance after performance. Also a handsome present for the prettiest girl. Lovely lassies, come and shake your feet.

Mrs. Cora Leek gave a dance at B. F. Whiteman's which was a grand success, there being a number of good-looking boys and bewitching lassies, who returned early Sunday morning.

Some of our young folks were at Mr. Wolf's to a dance a few days ago, and I needn't say they had a good time.

Say, boys, do ye know that sideburns in fashion? Fort a fact, they are.

G Armstrong was in Oregon City on Friday.

Miss Emerson of Portland is visiting Miss Ernestina Spees.

January 27.

ENGINEER.

**SUNNYSIDE.**

John Welch is cutting wood for the school. His bid was the lowest, \$1.47½ per cord, the contract calling for 10 cords.

The protracted meeting at Happy Hollow closed the 22d; 17 conversations reported.

Rev. Thomas Wiles is assisting in a revival at Clackamas this week. Rev. C. A. Willis of Oregon City filled his appointment here on Sunday.

In the item I sent two weeks ago about a fruitless hunting trip to Columbia Slough, I unintentionally omitted to state that John Welch was fortunate enough to secure four snipe.

The warm weather has started the grass to growing.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Free Methodist church will be held here February 7 to 10. The annual society meeting will be held on the 9th, when the delegate to the yearly conference which meets at Gresham April 2d, will be elected.

An addition should be built to our district schoolhouse, as the building is too much crowded for good school work.

January 28.

JUXTA.

**CLACKAMAS.**

Superintendent Gibson visited our school one day last week. He made a very interesting talk.

Mr. Jones (and wife) of Brooks, brother of Mrs. C. F. Clark, visited here Thursday and Friday of last week.

George Johnson was the guest of his uncle, M. Johnson, over Sunday.

J. A. Talbert has gone on a hunting and trapping expedition east of the

mountains, to be absent about a month. Marion Johnson is confined to his bed by sickness.

C. F. Clark is at the county seat this week attending court as a juror.

Messrs. Barton and Webster of Portland, employees of the Oregonian, came up on their bicycles Sunday. They own an 18-acre tract at Riverside, 12 acres set in prunes.

Mrs. Cook led the Epworth League last Sunday evening opening with a song service.

The funeral service at the interment of Mrs. Foster was largely attended. Mr. Gray delivered the sermon.

The school board visited the school Tuesday.

Mr. Mulligan of Selwood and Mr. Wiles of Sunnyside began a series of revival meetings last Monday at the M. E. church.

Miss Laura Johnson is visiting at Oswego this week.

A number of the young folks gave a surprise party at the residence of W. H. Paddock last Saturday evening. There were present, Milo Thomas and Myrtle Rickman, Willis Johnson and Rose Rickman, Robert Cramer and Cora Johnson, Charles Cramer and Maud Smith, Frank Talbert and May Johnson, and George Johnson. They had a good time, and especially on the road homeward, which they found obstructed with rails and railroad cars.

January 29.

ANON.

**COLTON.**

There is spelling school to-night at the Gorbett schoolhouse. Notwithstanding the bad weather the house is crowded.

Last Sabbath the young people met at Mrs. Dix's to sing. They are to meet at Mrs. P. Bonnev's next Sabbath.

Mr. Gorbett has a sick horse. Mr. Lafferty lost a horse.

Wm. Edgecomb I hear is not much better.

Mr. Gorbett has the Anderson sawmill running in fine order since putting in new machinery. Mr. G. has had considerable trouble with the mill.

Last week Coltonites were surprised to see the pleasant countenance of Miss Julia Oswalt, a resident of this place some years ago. She has had her share of ups and downs since we met her last, the having buried a mother, a brother and sister in that time.

A number of school children here have sore throat, not dangerous but enough to keep them out of school.

Last spring, P. Bonney was passing along on the common a quarter of a mile from any house, when he found a little chicken. He brought it home and it proved to be a pullet and he got a mate for it. It had laid 33 eggs last week and was still laying. Who can beat that for a spring chicken?

The people of this place are looking forward with some interest to the speaking of Mr. Fitch on Saturday night in the alliance hall of Canyon Creek.

January 25.

PIXY.

**CARUS.**

Mr. Graybill wants to sell out and go back to Kansas again. He is not satisfied to stay long in one place.

Mrs. Kidd, the mother of Mrs. Crowley, died of old age at the home of Joe Eaton last Tuesday morning at 5 o'clock. Rev. McLaughlin preached the funeral sermon at the M. E. church at 10 o'clock Wednesday the 29th. She was buried in the Oregon City cemetery.

There is some talk of another chunk being cut off school district No. 28 and going in with No. 102.

We here Pete Adams has two horses sick with the staggers.

C. Spangler has put the doors and windows in his new house and is now finishing the inside.

There will be a populist club organized at the schoolhouse in district 102 on Saturday evening.

Preston Cooper is hauling lumber for a new chicken coop.

Mr. Erickson will soon build a new barn.

January 27.

GRANGER.

**SPECIAL SCHOOL MEETING.**

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 62, of the county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, that a special school meeting of said district No. 62 will be held at Pope's Hall, in Oregon City, in said district, on Friday the 31st day of January, A. D. 1896, at the hour of 7:30 p. m. This meeting is called for the purpose of levying a tax upon the assessable property, real and personal, within said district No. 62, to be used for the payment of the interest on the bonds of said district, and for general purposes.

Dated this 15th day of January, A. D.

T. S. LAWRENCE,  
Chairman Board of Directors.

THOS. F. RYAN, District Clerk.

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