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TOWN TOPICS.—One of the most annoying features that actors have to contend with, are the cries which sometimes come from noisy wags in the house. These usually provoke the mirth of an audience, but are demoralizing to the nerves of the persons at whom they are directed. One of the most amusing of these experiences is told by Comedian William Keller of the "Town Topics" company. The incident occurred in the course of a scene in Richard the Third, between Edwin Booth as Richard and Miss Lodusk Young as Lady Anne. Richard offered his sword to Katherine and on bended knee besought her to kill him if she would not pardon the wrongs he had done her. Anne, with the sword in her hand raised her eyes towards the gallery and exclaimed, "What shall I do? Direct me heaven." In a boyish voice, the answer came down from one of the nut-strewn seats of "heaven," "stick him." At Shively's opera house, March 27th. Tickets on sale at postoffice.

THE FIRST PAPER.—There is in the private office of George T. Clark, the librarian of the San Francisco free public library, and which may be seen upon request, a rare publication, says the San Francisco Call. It is a copy of the first newspaper published on the Pacific coast, and with it are issues of the same paper. It is the Oregon Spectator, the first number of which appeared in Ore-City, Or. Ter., Thursday, February 5, 1846. It was issued by the Oregon Printing Company, J. Fleming manager, and edited by W. G. T'Vault. The papers in the collection run from the date of the first issue to and including the 20th of January, 1848. These papers contain much of interest about the early history of Oregon, and they were at one time the property of the Rev. R. E. Parrish. The Oregon Spectator was issued several months before the first California publication, which was the California, which first appeared at Monterey on the 15 h of August, 1846.

MEDICAL EXAMINER.—Dr. W. E. Carll of Oregon City was last Thursday re-appointed by Gov. Lord as a member of the state board of medical examiners, to succeed himself, for the full term of five years, ending February 28, 1902. Dr. Carll, it might be interesting to state, is a democrat, but not one of the wild-eyed, shouting sort; he is a sound-money democrat, of which class Oregon still has a very handsome representation.—*Salem Statesman.*

If you want to fare well, trade at The Fair. See their goods and prices. Do not try to solve the problem—how they can sell so cheap. But take advantage of the opportunity, and make your purchases there. Goods sold at less than manufacturer's cost. A general assortment of dry goods, clothing, hats, underwear, umbrellas, blankets, etc., etc., 2nd store north of the Oregon City Bank.

The Diphtheria Case.

Editor Courier:

While we have no desire to take sides in the differences between our local physicians relative to the recent case of diphtheria in this city, the welfare of the community and the tissue of falsehoods published in the Press of last week, renders a plain, straightforward statements of the facts absolutely necessary.

Dr. Strickland was first called in the case and pronounced it diphtheria and dispatched to Portland for sufficient diphtheria antitoxic to treat the case. In the meantime. Drs. Carll, Somers and Paine, in the absence of the attending physician visited the case and denied that the case was diphtheria. Dr. Strickland learning of the occurance at once telephoned for Dr. E. B. Miller, secretary of the state board of medical examiners, to visit the case. Dr. Miller arrived in a few hours and had no hestitancy in declaring it diphtheria of very severe form.

Dr. Norris of this city and Dr. G. M. Wells, professor of diseases of children. of the medical department of the University of Oregon, also saw the case and both confirmed the diagnosis of diphtheria.

The patient was given the new diphtheria antitoxic, which is urged exclusively in diphtheria, and he has completely recovered under that treatment, which itself is a complete vindication of the attending physician in his diagnosis and treatment of the case. One of the dissenting physicians put in circulation the report that he had received a telephone message from Dr. Miller saying that he had upon further consideration come to the conclusion that the case was not diphtheria. Dr. Miller upon being informed of this false statement immediately wrote Dr. Strickland very emphatically denying it.

Annual Corporate Meeting.

The annual corporate meeting of the shareholders of the Willamette Saving and Loan Association will be held at their office in the Bank of Oregon City building on March 20, 1897, for the purpose of

1. Eletting nine directors.
2. Electing three auditors.
3. Reading annual reports.
4. Transacting such other business as may be legally brought before such meeting.

The polls will be open from 6 p. m. to 8. p. m. E. G. CAUFIELD, Pres.

Attest: H. K. JONES, Sec'y.

Dog License.

All persons owning dogs must procure a license for same for six months ending September 1st, 1897, at once. License can be procured from H. E. Straight, city treasurer. March 10th, 1897.

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Good English Breakfast Tea 20c or 3 lbs for 50c at Horton's.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Born, to wife of Matt Justin on Tuesday, a girl.

All wool suits to order from $12.50 up at Louis Friedrick's.

The Oswego pipe works started up on Monday with 50 hands.

Mrs. Frank Campbell has been quite ill during the past week.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson visited her mother at The Dalles during past week.

Col. R. A. Miller and wife attended a family reunion at Salem last week.

J. E. Jack of Marquam was at the county seat on court business last week.

W. C. Cheney of Victoria, B.C., spent a few days in the city during the week.

P. F. Morey and wife and Miss Morey returned Wednesday from a trip to California.

A. B. C. Denniston, Portland agent of Great Northern R. R., was in the city Saturday.

E. F. Driggs left last week for New York City, where he will take a course in Columbia college.

Mrs. S. M. McCown returned Wednesday from a trip to Eastern Oregon in the interest of the state W. R. C.

People buy Hood's Sarsaparilla year after year because it does them good. It will do you good to take it now.

Ed. Cook will be tried before Justice Schuebel Friday for cutting timber belonging to O. I. & S. Co. of Oswego.

I. L. Hoffman of Oregon City was granted a state certificate to teach on Monday by state board of education.

Call at Mrs. Sladen's and see the turbans and flowers for spring wear. The new violets and roses are now in.

A number of the postal clerks on their annual tour of the U. S. visited Oregon City and its places of interest on Saturday

The Oregon City woolen mills bought 58,000 pounds of wool at La Grande the first of this month, paying 8c per pound.

If you want to show your form to a good atvantage get a fine fitting suit made at Louis Friedrick's the fashionable tailor.

Mrs. H. J. Burford of Brownsville has been visiting her son. Sherman, who was down with diphtheria or a similiar disease.

Mrs. Sarah M. McCown completed her bond of $10,000 and entered upon her duty as clerk of school board on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Robinson returned Tuesday from Cascade Locks, whe she attended the wedding of her brother, Frank Hall.

As a result of the religious revival at Marquam last week there were about 80 conversions, 60 of which joined the Methodist church.

Reuben Welch of Portland has been spending the week at the Jenning residence below the city and fishing in the Clackamas for salmon trout.

R. G. Pierce left this week for British Columbia to look after the interests of M. Cleveland, his brother-in-law, who was accidently killed there recently.

A man by the name of Baker, living on the west side, is very ill from a complication of diseases, and the Foresters have engaged a nurse to take care of him.

Next week Chief of Police Burns will commence taking up dogs that have not been licensed. This is the last call and you should not be surprised if a canine of yours is missing.

Mrs. E. E. Charman will give a musicale at her residence on Friday evening in which all of her pupils will take part. Invitations are issued only to friends or relatives of pupils.

My arrangements is to command your notice and promise you the best styles and finest line of millinery ever brought to Oregon City. Exact date of opening will be given later. Miss C. Goldsmith.

At a meeting of the school board Saturday the superintendent was authorized to suspend pupils who should refuse to give information they might possess regarding offenses committed by other pupils.

Licenses to wed issued on 9th to Marie A. Thompson and Emil G. Sanders; on 12th to Louisa Landeck and Frederick Kemrath; on 13th to Clarabelle Hill and Geo. E. Batdorf; on 15th to C. L. Martin and John Estes.

A pantomime social will be given next Wednesday evening, March 24th, at the Methodist church. First class music will be furnished by the Miller Bros. of Portland. Admission 10c. All are cordially invited to attend.

Miss C. Goldsmith has just returned from California, where she has personally selected the latest and most attractive line of millinery ever brought to Oregon City. Exact date of opening will be stated later.

A party was given Wille Jones at the M. E. parsonage last week at which the following were present: Clarence Osborne, Millie Cruse, Art Sitton, Nettie Cruse, Cal Hutton, Olo Risdon, Roy Nordite, Vona Walker, Barton Barlow, Jesse Jones.

W. J. Shaw, who threw a rock through a door in the residence of R. M. Dement, near Barlow, plead guilty to the charge of defacing property and was sentenced by Justice Schuebel on Saturday to pay a fine of $15, in default of which he was sent to jail.

Geo. B. Fox & Co. of Molalla have moved their stock of general merchandise to Barlow and disposed of their property and other interest at Molalla to Robbins & Son, who will move their stock to the store vacated by Fox & Co., after the same has has been repainted.

Horst, Lachmund & Co. Saturday filed a contract with E. L. Baker, of Sherwood, for 10,000 pounds of 1897 hops at 9 cents a pound. Seventy-five dollars were paid on execution of the contract, $400 are to be advanced for picking, and the balance at the time of the delivery of the crop.

Charles Miller, aged about 12 years, son of J. N. Miller, was run over by the freight train on Wednesday evening, and was obliged to have a leg amputated above the knee. He and some others had been in habit of jumping on train below town and riding to the depot. He was taken to Gladstone hospital.

The Bolton literary society held its usual meeting on Saturday evening of last week On account of the sickness of some of the members, the debate was postponed until the next meeting, and a program of songs and recitations was rendered, winning great applause from all present. The program for the next meeting was read and accepted.

Deputy Assessor W. W. Myers is making a most laudable effort to assess all city property on the same basis, that of comparative value in the locality in which it is situated. On his assessment roll the man with a six-bit pull or a corporation has no advantage over the poor man who toils early and late for $1 50 per day. All honor to such a servant of the people.

Mrs. R. Prier has removed her confectionery stand to the Caufield block, near Straight's grocery, where she has a much better store and will continue to keep a full line of candies, nuts, fruits, tobacco and cigars. Mrs. Prier is the pioneer in this line in this city and her many friends and customers will be pleased to see her in more commodious quarters.

Philip Nehren, aged 70 years, died in this city Wednesday. He came with his family from Germany to Oregon City in 1866, and spent the remainder of his life here. Five children survive—Maggie (Mrs. E. Matthies), Gertrude (Mrs. John Back), Peter, Henry and Frank. Mrs. Nehren died 12 years ago. Funeral services will be held on Friday at 9:30 o'clock at Catholic church.

Clackamas county will probably not pay to the state treasurer more than 15 per cent of the state tax levied for 1896, until another session of the legislature shall be held and the usual appropriations made. The 15 per cent of the sum levied on Clackamas county by the state would be $2734.77 to be paid this year, instead of the full $18,231,826. Several other counties intend to do the same. State Treasurer Metschan says taxes must be paid in to him.

Suits made to order and finished in workmanship like manner from $12.50 up at Louis Friedrick's.

At the ladies' and children furnishing store on the hill, opposite the park, may be found a good line of dress lining, lace, embroideries, infant wear, etc.

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