

Our Store Will Close Monday, January 29, 1900, at 8 p. m.

CLOSING OUT SALE

The Entire Stock of

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THE STAR CLOTHING HOUSE

A. HECHTMAN, Manager.

OREGON CITY, OR.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. Clowser, of Barlow, was in Oregon City yesterday.

George Looy, of Oswego, was in Oregon City Friday.

Hon. J. L. Kruse, of Wilsonville, was in Oregon City Saturday.

Mrs. F. U. Hall, of Mehama, is visiting her sister, Mrs. I. Farr.

George T. Slaughter, of Marquam, was a visitor in the city Friday.

Mayor Wait and Postmaster Deyoe were down from Canby Tuesday.

William Boekner, a prominent citizen of Highland, was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wise, of Sunny-side, were in Oregon City Wednesday.

Jonathan Hungerford and W. A. Garner were up from Milwaukie Tuesday.

W. S. Rider and H. H. Gregory, of Molalla, were visitors in town Tuesday.

J. W. Roots, a prominent Clackamas farmer, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

George C. Armstrong, an enterprising Redland farmer, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans, of Mulino, were pleasant callers at this office Wednesday.

Cass U. Barlow is now filling the position of a clerk in the war department at Manila.

John F. Risley, a prominent farmer of Concord, near Milwaukie, was in the city Friday.

Miss Bertha Goldsmith is expected home from San Francisco about the first of February.

Charles H. Leavitt and Charles H. Thomas, of Molalla, were in Oregon City Friday.

Charles U. Wilson left Saturday for Spokane, where he expects to locate for the practice of law.

R. B. Hayhurst, who is now located at Lewiston, Idaho, is visiting relatives in the city and county.

H. A. Hennehan, of Milwaukie, passed through town yesterday on his way to Turner, for a short visit.

William Whittington, of Marquam, is in the city, and is seeking for a location for a blacksmith shop in this vicinity.

L. H. Feaster, of Canemah, is assisting the sheriff's office in writing up the railroad overlap delinquent assessments.

Mrs. Willis Powell, of Bellevue, Ore., is visiting her daughters in the city, Mrs. William Carroll and Mrs. M. E. Green.

Sidney Richardson, who is probably the oldest white person born in Clackamas county, is now night watchman at Bandon.

J. F. Clark came down from Polk county Wednesday morning, and returned in the evening. His mother is very low.

George A. Hamilton left Monday for a business trip to Dawson City. He will return as soon as the spring clean-up is completed.

Mrs. S. M. McCown, who has been in business at Waitsburg, Wash., for several months past, returned home on Wednesday morning.

Robert Davis, of Clackamas, who has lived in the state of Washington for the past 20 years, recently returned to his old home at the former place, and was in town Wednesday.

Dan Lyons, who has charge of extensive railroad tunnel work, arrived Wednesday night for a short stay. He started on the return trip last night, accompanied by his family.

Mrs. M. E. Wright, of Meadowbrook, was in the city Wednesday, and stated that the loss to her dwelling by fire a few days ago, was \$1,000. The loss was partly covered by an insurance policy for \$500.

L. Diller, of the Hotel Diller, of Seattle, and a member of the city council, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. M. Diller, and other relatives here during the week. Mr. Diller was a pioneer resident of Oregon City, until he went to the Sound in 1875. In speaking of the rapid growth and solid prosperity of Seattle, as compared with Portland and Oregon City, he said the people of that city pulled together as one man on any policy that would benefit the city commercially or industrially. They sometimes have bitter internal strifes, politically, but when it comes to a matter of Seattle's supremacy in a commercial way, cliques, politics and religion are forgotten for the time being. This might serve as a profitable pointer for Oregon City.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

Don't fail to go to Miss Goldsmith's for one of those hats below cost.

Remember Chaplain Gilbert's lecture at Shively's opera house, Tuesday night, Feb. 6th.

Bert Greenman is home from the Necanicum, having completed the work of putting in racks to catch steelheads.

Miss Celia Goldsmith will leave for San Francisco February 11th. Those desiring to hand in special orders should do so before that date.

Miss Sarah E. E. McMurry and Mark Rowan, of Stone, were married at the residence of the bride's parents, Monday night, Justice of the Peace H. Breithaupt, officiating.

No man of the Second Oregon was more beloved in the Philippine campaign by the soldiers, than Chaplain Gilbert. He will lecture at Shively's opera house on the evening of Feb. 6th.

An extension of 20 feet is to be added to the rear of the Maine restaurant, and the building used as a blacksmith shop is to be overhauled. It is reported too, that some improvements are to be made around the foundation of the armory building.

Miss Sadie Seaver, a member of the Portland Second church, was united in marriage with Thomas E. Dwyer, on the 20th instant. State Missionary Parker performed the ceremony.—Pacific Baptist. The bride formerly resided with her parents at Gladstone.

The theme at the Congregational church next Sunday will be "Our Tempers, Good and Bad," and "Essential and Non-essential Beliefs About the Bible." The special musical features will be a trio in the morning by Mrs. Campbell and Prof. Campion. In the evening the choir will discourse special music.

The Evening Telegram of Portland is a fair sample of fake journalism. About Tuesday noon the Standard Oil Company's building on the East Side caught on fire and burned to the ground. This fact was well known in Oregon City by two o'clock, but no account of the fire appeared in the Telegram of the same day. The Daily Guard, of Eugene, that goes to press early in the afternoon, had a half column account of the fire on the day of its occurrence. The Oregon City edition of the Telegram must be printed about noon. No wonder the cheap politicians get left in the circulation of their interviews.

The published announcement that Father Hillebrand would answer from the pulpit last Sunday the question "Is your church the Bible church and is it the only one?" brought out a large concourse of non-church members to St. John's church. About an hour was spent by Rev. Hillebrand in explaining the facts bearing upon the subject. All seemed pleased with the discourse. The question for next Sunday evening is "What ought to be or is the guide to the true faith?"

The young ladies of St. Paul's Episcopal church will give a colonial social at the Armory on Wednesday evening, Feb. 14.

New wagon, new press drill, new walking plow, single buggy or cash for cattle of any kind. See John Erickson, Barlow, Ore.

Hundred-acre improved farm for sale, quarter of a mile from postoffice, store, blacksmith shop, school and church. Price, \$4500 with crop. For further particulars inquire at Courier-Herald office.

Rev. S. Copley will begin a series of revival meetings at the Evangelical church next Sunday. During the coming weeks services will be held every evening, except Saturday evening, at 7:30. All German speaking people are cordially invited to attend.

Christian Science services are held in Willamette hall every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject for Sunday, Jan. 28, "Spirit." Sunday school at 12:10. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all who desire to attend these services.

Lost—One red steer, 4 years old, with his horns sawed off, small white spot in his forehead, very little white on the back and belly, marked with crop and half crop in left ear, crop and swallow fork in right ear. The finder of said steer will be liberally rewarded. Address John Stiermer, Springwater, Ore.

"London Life," the new English play to be given at Shively's on Monday evening, Jan. 29, is said to be remarkable for many strong emotional scenes that enlist the sympathies of the women of an audience and make them at times, like Niobe, "all tears." All this is greatly heightened by the introduction of a very talented child, little Nessel Lewis, who, if she realizes in maturity the promises of her infancy, bids fair to be one of the greatest emotional actresses of the age.

The English drama called "London Life," which Messrs. Murray & Long are successfully exploiting on this side, has been christened "The Triple Success" by reason of the great hit it is reported to have made in the principal three cities of the world, Paris, London and New York. As a play it is credit with a remarkable depth of heart interest, as well as unusual opportunities for emotional acting. Seats on sale at Huntley's for "London Life" which appears at Shively's Jan. 29.

"London Life" is said to be a play that runs the whole gamut of the human emotions. In it, it is claimed, pathos and humor are so cunningly blended, and in such delicate proportions, that the heart interest with which it abounds is developed in the strongest and most fascinating manner. That this is so is abundantly proven by the fact that it is called a "woman's play." It is well known that the dear creature enjoys nothing so much, when at the theater, as a good cry. For such "London Life" affords them ample opportunity. At Shively's Monday, Jan. 29.

Tuesday afternoon Bob Gardner attempted to imitate the exploits of the rough riders Tuesday afternoon. Borrowing a horse, he attempted to ride up the depot building steps from Seventh street, but failing in this he went to the depot hotel building and made his way up to the railroad track and platform without difficulty. He then rode down the track and returned to Main street by another route. Soon afterward he was placed under arrest by Officer Shaw, and on Wednesday morning was sentenced to 25 days in jail by Recorder Crary. On Monday Michael Clancy was fined \$10 in the same court for riding on the sidewalk, near Elyville.

In the February number of Appleton's Popular Science Monthly Prof. John Trowbridge, of Harvard University, sounds a much-needed warning against the South Sea Bubbles in Science which have been so numerous and disastrous during recent years. The Keeley motor, gold from sea-water, energy from nothing, and many others of the absurd propositions which have recently been used to rob the public, are realized upon.

Cookies, doughnuts, bread, etc., made at Jos. Kuerten's are like home-made.

H. Bethke, the genial butcher, has repurchased the meat market opposite Huntley's, which he sold some time ago to Woida Bros.

You can find every day fresh angel cakes, lady cakes, lady fingers, macaroons, etc., at the only first-class bakery and confectionery of Jos. Kuerten.

A warrant was issued in Justice Schuebel's court Wednesday for the arrest of Rudolph Ageter, of Redland, for threatening to kill one or more persons.

Marriage licences have been issued by County Clerk Dixon to A. Kelenhofer and A. Ripzonski on the 18th, Ed Maker and Halle Boynton on the 20th, Amanda Kauffman and Daniel Roth on the 22nd.

The Reynard house occupied by Mrs. David May, on upper Seventh street, accidentally caught on fire Wednesday afternoon from a defective flue, and was damaged to the extent of \$25 before the fire was extinguished by the firemen. The furniture was damaged to a considerable extent.

The February number of "Everybody's Magazine" is filled with that enjoyable combination of amusing and profitable reading for which the publication is already well known. The "Simple Explanation" for the month is on the subject of trolley-cars, and the writer explains in a remarkably clear and graphic manner just how electricity is generated, and how it runs the car. For a purely scientific subject it has been treated with astonishing simplicity and brevity, and no one can read the article without interest and profit.

There was danger during the late rise of high water that the Sandy bridge on the Bull Run pipe line would be carried away. The bank where the south abutment rests had been washed away, until one end of the bridge structure was resting on a strata of gravel and dirt, only 17 inches in width. County Commissioners Scott and Morton investigated the matter and saved the structure by dove-tailing two large timbers, 100 feet in length into the bridge frame. The other two ends of the timbers are weighted down with heavy logs some distance out on the bank. It is claimed that 50 feet of the bank could be washed away, and the bridge would still be safe for travel.

Mine, apple, apricot, peach pies, etc., a compliment of the season, every day fresh at Jos. Kuerten's.

The only first-class bakery and confectionery in town is Jos. Kuerten's, where you will find always the best at any time.

Wanted—A girl wants work Call at Red Front between 2 and 3 o'clock, p.m.

Special Sale on Shoes at the Park-place cash store.

Kozy Kandy Kitchen, up to date on home-made candies.

J. H. Fleener is prepared to furnish first-class meals and lodgings at the New England Home hotel, opposite express and telegraph office. Satisfaction guaranteed. Under new management.

For new sewing machines and for lowest prices go to Block, the homefurnisher.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lilly, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful deliverance from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever, that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." This marvelous medicine is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular sizes 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Geo. A. Harding's Drug Store; every bottle guaranteed.



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Lincoln's Birthday.

The ladies of Meade W. R. C. are preparing to celebrate Lincoln's birthday on Monday, February 12th, at the armory. An interesting program will be given. Company F will give an exhibition drill, vocal and instrumental music, and speeches by prominent speakers. Full particulars next week. No admission. A cordial invitation to the public.

School Meeting Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the legal voters of school district No. 62 of Clackamas county, Oregon that the adjourned annual school meeting of the electors of the district will be held in Willamette hall on Monday, the 29th day of January, 1900, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the following purpose:

To levy a tax for the ensuing year on all the assessable property within the district for general school purposes.

(Signed) CHARLES H. CAUFIELD, Chairman.

Attest: T. L. CHARMAN, District Clerk.

Dated at Oregon City, Jan. 18th.

Cheney makes stamp photos that will please you.

A few watches for sale cheap at Younger's. Watches cleaned, \$1.

Highest cash price paid for second hand household goods at Bellomy & Busch.

You can still get a hat below cost at Celia Goldsmith's.

Cheney, the photographer, is now making stamp photographs.

A very handsome up-to-date parlor organ at Block, the homefurnisher's.

Special sale of games on at Charman & Co.'s cut-rate drugstore.

For Sale—Cheap—A nine-room house with bath room, and two lots for \$1000. Rents for \$10. Investors should not overlook the chance.

For Rent—Five-room house on Main street; also a room suitable for office or small store. Rent reasonable. For particulars inquire at this office.

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