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SEE OUR "AD" LAST WEEK. EVERY BABY IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY UNDER ONE YEAR OF AGE MUST HAVE A SOLID GOLD FINGER RING.

Holiday Goods are arriving every day. We have been pretty busy, unpacking, for several days, and we are now prepared to show you the best and neatest assortment of Holiday Goods in Oregon City.

Your money will go farther this year than ever before, if you buy here. We have no old pioneer stock to work off. Our goods are all bright and new.

If you secure your Christmas present here you are sure of getting the very latest designs and the newest goods in the market. We guarantee every article we sell. If not satisfactory, call and get your money.

Come in, look over our stock, and get our prices.

HOWELL & JONES, RELIABLE DRUGGISTS.

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PERSONALS

Eli Fellows, of Highland, was in the city on Monday.

T. B. Kilsin, of Hubbard, was in town on business Tuesday.

Claud Howard, of Mulino, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

F. L. Minto, of Oswego, was in town on business Wednesday.

Charles Robeson spent last week in Portland visiting with relatives.

B. F. Betzler, of Falls City, was registered at the Electric on Tuesday.

H. S. Raney, of Springfield, registered at the Electric on Tuesday.

F. L. Mintie, one of Oswego's prominent citizens, was here Wednesday.

Mrs. Tabor, of Mt. Pleasant, is the guest of friends at Hillsboro this week.

Mrs. Mollie Barlow, of Barlow, was the guest of Mrs. Tom Miller last Saturday.

George A. Brown, of Salem, was in this city the first of the week on business.

Mrs. Frank Rigler, of Portland, visited friends in Oregon City the first of the week.

Mr. Meindl resigned his position in Salem returned to his home on the Abenethy on Tuesday.

D. H. Mosher, a student of State University, is sick with typhoid fever at his home in Redland.

Mrs. P. D. Hull, of Gladstone, has been ill for the past three weeks with an attack of pneumonia.

J. H. Revenue, of Sandy, arrived here on Tuesday, and rode homeward next day through the driving rain.

Mrs. Geo. W. Grace and little daughter left Wednesday afternoon for a few days visit to friends in Portland.

Mrs. George Steele, of Meldrum's Station, was visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Meldrum, of this city, on Tuesday.

George Spees, one of Clackamas county's prosperous farmers, was transacting business in Oregon City Saturday.

R. L. Williams, who is with the Southern Pacific Railway Company, is at the Electric hotel with a badly sprained back.

Mrs. H. Pope, of Portland, visited her niece, Mrs. F. T. Griffith, Tuesday. Mrs. William Kidd and children, of Portland, were visiting with friends in Oregon City Tuesday.

Charles Moore, of Sumpter, who has been visiting relatives in Oregon City, returned to his home Wednesday evening.

Robert Kelland, who has been in Alaska for the past year, is in this city visiting his parents. He will return to Alaska in about a month.

Miss May Kelly, Miss Sale Chase, Miss Fannie and Miss Katie Porter, teachers in Portland public schools, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at their homes in this city.

Mrs. J. A. McGlashan and son, Don, returned Sunday from Illinois, where they have been visiting with relatives for the past two months. It was their intention to remain there, but decided there was no place like Oregon.

J. F. Yost, of Barlow, a farmer and rancher of that section spent Tuesday in Oregon City buying goods and attending to business matters of importance. While here he paid the Courier office a very friendly call.

Mrs. G. W. Shank has sold her farm at Canby, and on Tuesday moved to Oregon City, where she will reside with her son, D. G. Shank, in one of the Linn cottages on Fourth and Center Streets. Mrs. Shank is a mother of W. M. Shank, of this city.

G. W. Kesselring, of Macksburg, one of the prominent farmers of that neighborhood was in town on Tuesday attending to business. Mr. Kesselring says that every thing is in good condition in the Macksburg country since the copious rains of the past week.

Dr. T. E. Beard, of White Wood, South Dakota, has decided to make his home in Oregon City, and will locate here permanently. He has gone to house-keeping on 12th and Jefferson. He will shortly open an office on Main St. Dr. Beard comes highly recommended as a physician and will be quite an addition to the citizenship of this place. The Dr. has his wife and child with him.

Masquerade ball given at the Armory on Thanksgiving night by J. H. Turney was very largely attended, 300 people being in attendance. The masqueraders danced under difficulties. Many handsome costumes were on the floor. Miss Bessie Lyons received the first prize for the best dressed lady and Geo. Woodward for the best dressed man. Several other prizes were given for character and comical costumes.

Miss Lillian Gans, of Liberal, spent a few days last week with relatives in this city. Miss Gans is one of Clackamas county's successful teachers.

Miss Betta Fouts, who is employed in the millinery department of Olds & King's store in Portland, is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fouts, in this city.

Mrs. J. R. Humphrey, who has been the guest of her mother in Woodstock, near New Brunswick, Canada, for the past six months, returned home Wednesday evening.

Among the recent arrivals at the Electric hotel from a distance are: E. G. Gilbert, Centralia, Wash.; J. N. Minn, St. Louis, Mo.; J. W. Howard and wife, Ashland, Or.; H. C. Allen, Salem, Or.; E. R. Wair, B. D. Jones, Chicago; Martin and M. S. Dreyfus, Milwaukee, Wis.; H. L. Christensen, Newberg, Or.; J. M. Monting, Salem, Or.; T. R. Jones, St. Paul, Minn.; G. C. Walker, Walker, Or.; Wm. Brown, pokane, Wash.

A debate between the Oregon City Academy debating club and the Thursday Night debating club of Portland will take place at an early date. The question to be debated is: "Resolved, That the present system of marriage is a benefit to the community." The affirmative will be handled by the Oregon City club, and will be headed by Howard M. Brownell. He will have for his colleagues George Callif and William Page.

Miss Edna and Clara Caufield entertained a large number of their friends at a social dance last Saturday evening. About sixty of the elite of the town were present, who tripped the "light fantastic" till far into the "wee sma' hours" of the morning. The music was furnished by Mr. Frank Turney, and a great time was enjoyed by all present. Mesdames C. B. Moore, L. L. Porter and L. L. Pickens assisted in the arrangements and acted as chaperones. Refreshments were served at midnight.

Special Notice.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Born, November 25, to the wife of J. V. Green, a son.

Every hat trimmed or untrimmed at a great reduction. Miss C. Goldsmith.

E. A. Brady has received a large assorted lot of wines from the Sonoma Rhine Farm in California, selected for Medicinal Purposes.

Receipts in Recorder Henry Stevens' office for the month of November amounted to \$290.40, against \$223.65 for November, 1901.

The sale of Mat Clemens, one mile north of Liberal on Saturday, was not very largely attended, but nearly all property brought good prices.

At his public sale on Monday, R. O. Thomas bid in most of the cattle, which were the object of the sale sale himself. The bids were evidently too low.

The Wilsonville school will have a basket supper Friday night. Miss McNulty, of this city, has charge of the school. W. W. H. Samson will preside as auctioneer.

County Clerk Frank A. Sleight's receipts for the past month, amounted to \$282, against \$197.75 for the previous month. For November, 1901, the receipts amounted to \$374.35.

Everything must go before the holidays. Everything reduced. Miss C. Goldsmith.

On the Agency Plains, in Crook county, where several Clackamas people have located homesteads, a farmer named Brown has struck water at the depth of 27 feet. The absence of springs or accessible streams is the greatest drawback in that section.

The Ladies' Guild of the Lutheran church will hold their Christmas Bazaar on Wednesday, Dec. 10, in the afternoon and evening in the store room north of Huntley's drug store. All kinds of fancy work and useful articles will be on sale at reasonable prices. Coffee and cake will be served.

Great Clearance Sale on every article in the store. Miss C. Goldsmith.

The Clara Mathes Company is filling a week's engagement at the opera house this week. Generally speaking their plays are proving satisfactory. Miss Mathes in the role of the Red Cross nurse was especially good. Mr. Van Cleve is making a decided hit in all his parts. All the members of the company are doing their parts in a creditable manner, and altogether the show is a success.

The St. Agnes Guild of St. Paul's church will hold a Village Fair in Wilamette hall on Friday evening, December 12. Good music. See program in next week's issue.

The members of the Baptist Sunday school will devote the regular time of the morning church service, 10:30 o'clock, December 7, to the observance of Bible Day exercises. All will be made welcome, particularly the parents of the children who attend the Sunday school.

At St. Paul's Episcopal church holy communion will be celebrated at 11 a. m., and a sermon preached by the rector on "Signs or Superstition and Religion." At the evening service at 5 o'clock the subject of the sermon will be "The Opening of the Books." Mrs. J. W. Loder will sing the offertory solo. Everyone cordially welcomed to all services.

Hon. C. D. Latourette has quite a sick son in his boy, Earl. He is threatened with appendicitis. On Wednesday morning his symptoms were so pronounced and alarming that he was removed by the orders of his physicians, Dr. Norris and Sommer to the hospital at Portland, where if necessary he will have an operation performed. Mr. and Mrs. Latourette went with their son to the hospital and one of them will remain with him all of the time until he fully recovers.

J. D. Wright, of Colton, was in town on Tuesday and made the Courier office a pleasant call. Mr. Wright has a complaint to register in regard to the mail service between here and Colton. It seems that the Colton people do not get their Oregon City mail until four days after it is put in the postoffice at this place, and their county papers are until Tuesday reaching them. He claims that much better time ought to be made between here and Colton, and it looks like he is right about it.

Great Clearance Sale on all millinery. Miss C. Goldsmith.

The Hiawatha Mining & Milling Co., of Cottage Grove, Ore., Bohemia district, have recently, during development work, struck very rich ore in large quantities, and the company has decided to place a stamp mill on the property at a very early date and have placed a block of stock on the market to raise money for that purpose and are selling stock at only two cents per share, which no doubt will be worth at least \$1 per share as soon as dividends are paid, which will be in the near future. Don't wait until this block is sold and then kick yourself because you can't get stock for less than \$1 and more per share. Address at once Hiawatha Mining & Milling Co., Cottage Grove, Ore., or see O. D. Eby, of this city.

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