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LOCAL CONDITIONS STEADY.

Oregon City may be a slow town. Possibly, when the whole country is forging ahead at a terrific pace, the old town hardly keeps up with the procession.

To be sure, wages are a little lower. A dollar goes a little further. And a steady job, when jobs are scarce, even at reduced wages, is a thing that few are in a hurry to cast aside.

DEFECTIVE FISH LAW

Operations of the United States Bureau of Fisheries may be seriously affected through the failure of the legislature to amend the law making it a criminal offense to fish for salmon within two miles of racks of the Bureau.

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The omission affects only the Clackamas River, for operations on the Columbia cease before October 31, when the open season commences.

HOPGROWERS' ORGANIZATION.

It is doubtful if the hopgrowers will be able to accomplish their purpose of holding up prices by organization.

Hopgrowers will probably have to encounter a similar condition. Their hope may be in effecting a combination that vitally affects the hop-growing of the middlemen.

The tobaccogrowers in the South are combating an unlawful combination by unlawful methods. They have organized raids on the warehouses of the tobacco trust in Kentucky.

Your Hair Contrary?

Is it inclined to run away? Don't punish it with a cruel brush and comb! Feed it, nourish it, save it with Ayer's Hair Vigor, new improved formula.

SOCIAL NOTES FROM NEW YORK NEWSPAPER

New Year Watch Parties. The New Year was welcomed at midnight with the blowing of mill whistles, the tooting of horns, ringing of bells and the firing of guns.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce C. Curry a watch party was held Tuesday night. At 12 o'clock each of the guests was supplied with a horn to make a din for the new year of Old Time.

Willamette Rebekah Lodge gave a watch party in the hall of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows Tuesday night. The attendance was large.

The masquerade ball in the Armory Tuesday night was well attended and the evening enjoyed by passed to the music of a Portland orchestra.

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The following programme was rendered: Opening address, President Schorr; piano and violin duet, Frank and John Busch; recitation, Miss Grace Damback; comic declamation, Ed Miller; recitation, Garfield Schwartz; song, Clara Nobel; recitation, Hazel Kenney; piano solo, John Busch; patriotic German songs, R. Petzold; chorus, children's choir; recitation, Irving Kenney.

After the programme all sat down to a bounteous German banquet, then games and dances were enjoyed.

On Christmas Day, at high noon, a pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Reed. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Lillian May, who was united in marriage to Mr. Wm. H. Karr, of Milwaukie.

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Miss Evann Mason was the hostess at a postal card party Monday evening at her home, 308 Molalla Avenue, the happy occasion being her sixteenth birthday.

When attacked by a cough or a cold, or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS. DIAMOND BRAND. BOWERS OF COUNTERTOPS. Refuse all Substitutes. Ask your Druggist for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS in Red and White.

DIRECTIONS TO PREPARE SIMPLE HOME MIXTURE.

GIVES DOSE TO TAKE

Tells You How to Overcome Rheumatism With Simple Recipe, Which is Easily Made.

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable, yet simple and harmless prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home.

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained.

Inquiry at the drug stores of this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

Lantern Was His Weapon.

Alex Robinson was being released on his own recognizance to appear for examination next Friday in the Justice Court.

Stomach Trouble Cured.

If you have any trouble with your stomach you should take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

HOLIDAY BUSINESS OVER.

Good Demand for Dried Fruit Among the Local Merchants.

After the rush of the Christmas holidays in this city business is somewhat dull compared to the business done last week by the merchants.

There were no turkeys whatever in the markets Monday and Tuesday and those who wished for turkey had to be contented with chickens.

The butter and egg market remains about the same as that of last week. Ranch eggs were retailing Tuesday at 35 cents per dozen.

Hops are moving more freely throughout the whole State and within the past two weeks several large deals have been closed.

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WHOLESALE QUOTATIONS. Vegetables, Fruits, Etc. Onions—Oregon onions, \$2.50 sack; potatoes, 50¢ 70¢ per hundred; Oregon cabbage, 40¢ 50¢ doz.; rutabagas, 1¢ lb.; fresh onions, 40¢ per dozen bunches; horseradish, 7¢ lb.; cauliflower, 40¢ 50¢ dozen; pumpkins, 50¢ doz., medium, 90¢ to \$1 doz., large; CELERY—50¢ dozen; hot house lettuce, \$1 box of 4 doz. heads.

Butter and Eggs. BUTTER—Ranch, 60¢ 65¢; creamery, 70¢ 75¢ roll. EGGS—35¢ dozen. HONEY—12¢ to 14¢ frame. Fresh Fruits. Apples, 75¢ \$1; cranberries, \$11 per barrel. QUINCES, 60¢.

Dried Fruits. DRIED APPLES—7¢ 7¢; prunes, 4¢ to 5¢; silver prunes, 6¢ to 6½¢; pears, 11¢ to 12½¢. Grain, Flour and Feed. WHEAT—55¢. OATS—No. 1, white, 32¢ @ 32.7¢.

GREATEST SACRIFICE SALE! OF SHOES SHOES SHOES

Shoes for the Farmer, the Workingman, the Business man, for men in every walk of life and shoes for their wives, sons and daughters.

OREGON CITY SHOE STORE

ENTIRE STOCK MUST GO AT A SACRIFICE

Read a few of the astonishing prices Men's \$4 and \$5 Shoes reduced to \$1.25 Ladies \$3.50 and \$4 Shoes reduced to 75c Boys and Youths \$2 Shoes reduced to 95c Children's \$1.50, \$1.75, and \$2 Shoes 65c

Sale Opens Thursday, January 2nd Scores of Fine Bargains—All must go

OREGON CITY SHOE STORE

Williams Bros. Transfer Co. Safes, Pianos and Furniture Moving a Specialty. Office in Favorite Cigar Store Opposite Masonic Building. Phone 1121 Res. 1833. Prices Reasonable and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

THE FINEST STEAKS, CHOPS, VEAL, LARD, ETC. TO BE HAD IN OREGON CITY ARE AT BROWN & WELSH'S UP-TO-DATE MARKET 7th STREET, A. O. U. W., BLD'G. 'PHONE MAIN 271

Oh! So Happy!! We have been to I. Tolpolar and bought our Furniture and saved 25 per cent by so doing. You will never know how much you can save until you call and see for yourself. All kinds of Furniture, Carpets, Stoves, and Ranges, and you can save from 25 to 50 per cent at this big Store. You are sure to get what you want here

GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES The World's Best I. TOLPOLAR THE SECOND-HAND MAN OREGON CITY, ORE. Glass Dishes? Oh! Such beauties—and cheap! So cheap you cannot believe it until you see them and ask. Now is the time To buy your STOVES and RANGES "Gar'and" is the mark of perfection in Stoves, Ranges and Heaters.

Meadowbrook. The winds blew and the rain came down and the Meadowbrook bank failed. The Roosevelt prosperity struck the sawmills, and three of the largest have closed down. The dume boss jumped his job and let a drive of ties run into the creek. R. H. Snodgrass let a large drive of shingle bolts go down Milk Creek. Meadowbrook is no longer a dry town, as drinks can now be had in any quantity, without money and without price. Our schoolman left us and went home to find Christmas. It was decided at the last meeting of the council to quarantine against grip, mumps, measles and such other things. Among other mishaps at a special meeting of School District No. 11, John Dennison was elected school director, and that is not all.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable. Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy. It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

The FARMERS MUTUAL F. R. A.

OF PORTLAND OREGON (INCORPORATED 1904) Membership 1700. Sum insured \$1,250,000.00. This association was organized for the mutual protection of its members against loss or damage by fire or lightning on farm buildings, churches, and school houses in the country, and the contents of such buildings. Membership fee is \$1.00. The premium is ¼ per cent in Class I and ½ per cent in Class II, and is good for five years with assessments as necessitated by losses, which never amounted to more than 10 cents on \$100 in Class I in any one year. If desired we also give paid-up, unassessable policies for 75 cents on \$100 in Class I and twice that sum in Class II for three years. If you wish to join and there is no local agent in your neighborhood, send in your name to E. H. COOPER, Oregon City, general agent for Clackamas County, or to J. J. KERN, Secretary, 565 East Yamhill St., Portland, Ore.

GEO. BRADLEY Successor to C. N. GREENMAN Pioneer Transfer and Express Furniture and Pianos Moved to all Parts of the City SAND and GRAVEL Both Phones No. 22 Post Office Bldg. Oregon City, Ore.

John W. Thomas DENTIST Molalla, Mondays

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