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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1897.

THE TRAMP NUMANCE.-Oregon City, like many other towns along the railroad line, has been overrun with tramps of done. The tramp problem is a serious one to deal with. First it must be rein refusing to assist the many who come air in that vicinity is redolent with its this way some who are really deserving fragrance. are refused help because of the unworthy character of the many. A very large majority of tramps will not work when an opportunity is offered them, but in the spirit of Blackstone, it is better to feed six worthless tramps than to allow one deserving to go hungry. No honest tramp, however will object to working for what he needs to sustain life, and if all those who come this way and make application for food were required to work on the streets to pay for what they receive, the city would at least get rid of the worthless kind, for that class would the worthless kind, for that class would not step in Oppon City or any other not stop in Oregon City or any other place where they know they would have to work. The result would be that those deserving ones would work and the city or its citizens would not be the loser, while the genuine hobo would soon seek another route or pass through our town unnoticed. Many good bonest men are forced to tramp, but that character of man is always willing to work.

SHOWS NOT PROFITABLE .- "Oregon City seems to be establishing a reputation as a poor show town," is the casual remark nowadays, and indeed there may be some foundation for the assertion. On Monday night of this week the Pollman and Gentner Great Sensational Novelty Co. were billed for a performance in Willamette hall, but up to 8:30 the audience consisted of six persons and the show was declared off and the aggregation of humbugs left town without paying their bills. On Tuesday evening the Greater New York Comedy Co. were on the boards for a performance at Shively's opera house. The town was thoroughly billed and the company, consisting of 10 or more players were on the scene, but alas the audience which assembled did not consist of more than come off. Those who had purchased quality. The shrubs and small fruits are 000 daily for the second week of Decemtickets had their money refunded. This cured also. company would no doubt have put on a good show, for they bore evidence of being genuine show people. Perhaps one of the reasons why Oregon City is considered a poor show town is because so many fake shows have been here to humbug the public.

land office has been sending out circulars to all homesteaders in this land district better element of citizen everywhere. wagon dropped into a chuck hole, throwwhose five years time has elapsed, call The quality of their entertainment is ing Mr Stone, who was driving, ont. ing their attention to such fact. Five such that it receives the hearty endorse- This frightened the horses and they ran years residence must be proven in each ment and co-operation of people who away, finally striking a stump into case, but seven years is the limit from seldom venture to attend a performance which Mr. Richardson was thrown and the time of filing within which proof of any kind. A little wholesome amuse- killed instantly. Deceased was about must be made, except in cases where the ment is necessary to the moral, physical filing was made prior to 1894. In 1894 and intellectual welfare of any com- 1847. He had lived in this county for congress passed an act giving homestead munity. A little relaxion, a "forgetting many years. claimants who had filed prior to the pas- of ourselves" for a time is a cheap tonic sage of the act an additional year, but and can be had by attending the Schuthis act does not apply to filings made bert concert here on Jan. 3. after that time. So that all those persons who filed prior to 1894 have eight years within which to make proof.

buildings and machinery have been ing how tough they can be, but to the favorably known to Oregon City people, ing paper of the city.

Oregon City Enterprise. made and the men are on the ground to lad who has a clean record of sobriety, cient amount of beets can be raised in wanted that valley to jestify the large expenditure which will be necessary. Those very important matter.

used for is not known, but they are pro- time bably intended to take the place of the thousands of dead ones now lining the trails in that section. One of Cook's employees gives it out that they are to be eaten. Doubtless some of them may be, for it there ever was a place where a horse steak would taste good, it is in

MIGHT SAVE TROUBLE .- The Seventh street steps are sadly in need of repairs. The constant tread of many feet has worn the steps off until they slope downward to such a degree as to make them really dangerous these frosty mornings. Several persons have experienced more or less severe falls during the week and the city might avoid a damage suit by having them repaired. The steps are made of square blocks and all that is necessary to do in order to make them perfectly safe is to turn them over, entailing but slight expense to the city and adding greatly to the convenience, if not to the safety of many of our people.

CHRISTMAN BLOOMS,-Oregon weather is in such marked contrast with Eastern weather that one has to look up a calendar in order to satisfy himself that Christmas is at hand. The sky is clear, with just a touch of frost in the morning and late, and more or less pilfering has been a good, bracing atmosphere at night. In the yards and lawns about the city roses are in full bloom, while the lawn in front membered that often good deserving of E E. Charman's residence there is a men are obliged to take the road, and layendar clematas in full bloom and the

Remedy for the Coulin Moth.

An old pioneer of Oregon and Washington, who has been intertested in fruit culture all his life, writes as follows says the Hood River Glacier: I have been hearing of the serious

damage done to the apple crop at Hood River by the codlin moth, which has impelled me to write and try to benefit your locality by giving you my observations and experience. As nature's insect destroyer, there is nothing better and c-rtainly is the best forest cleanser known. It is a crustacean, with bones on the outside, and is a real vertebra animal, with I don't exactly know how many joints, and a pair of legs to each joint, and is considered poisonous in tropical countries. It cannot swim nor fly and has some very potent enemies, which destroy it in some parts of the world. Flocks of sheep or goats will destroy

Rev. Homer. T. Wilson,

The noted lecturer of Fort Worth, Tex., gradual return of prosperity. says of the Schubert's under date of Jan. 11th, 1897: "Their entertainment is firstclass-will please, delight and uplift the most fastidious audience." Among their warm friends the Schubert Sym-Notice to Homesteaders.—The local phony Club number the leading minis- from Viola for Oregon City. When ters of the United States, as well as the

Boys That are in Demand.

An exchange very truthfully remarks ing before valley audiences in its first that every boy and young man in tour with phenomenal success. College THE LAGRANDE SUGAR FACTORY .- town is spotted and when vacancies ap- boys sing with a swing and a dash. Leading citizens of LaGrande have pear in offices and other places of res- Their mirthful melodies ring out in gleelabored earnestly for more than a year ponsibility, they do not go to those who ful abandon, brimful of fun and suggesto bring about the establishment of a put in their time smoking cigarettes, tive of unlimited mischief. The club's beet sugar factory. Every detail for the swearing on the street corners, and see-baritone soloist, Mr. I. M. Glen, is

prosecute the work of construction. But honesey and hadustry, or to one who will at this late date a question has arisen do all in his power for his employer. A which has heretofore been overlooked, staight, clean maniy boy never has to and that is as to whether or not a suffi- hunt long for a job. He is always

Child Burned to Death.

A very sail assident occured in the who are familiar with the country and family of C. H. Warden on the west side the productiveness of the soil think a of the river last Monday which resulted sufficient amount can be produced, but in Mary Ellen, the 2 year old child being neverless proceedings have been stopped burned to death. The mother had gone until an investigation can be made, a to a neighbor's leaving her two children in the house. In a little while a neigh-Houses ron Foon .- Joseph Cook is in bor in passing the house heard the childthe Willamette valley buying horses, it ren screaming, and on going inside disis said, for shipment to Skaguay. He covered that the ciothing of the little was last heard of at Engene where he one had caught fire. He immediately was advertising for horses weighing extinguished the flames but too late to from 800 to 1400 pounds. He has an save the child A physician was sumorder, but for just how many he does moned but could do nothing to save not tell. What the animals are to be ber life and she passed away in a short

Card of Thanks.

I desire to extend my heartfelt thanks to the members of Falls City lodge No. 59. A. O. U. W., also to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted in laynig to rest our belo ed wife and mother and for other considerations so kindly bestowed. NAMUEL ROAKS AND FAMILY.

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Killed by a Runiway.

Last Wednesday morning Matthew Richardson accompanied by his daughter and son-in-law, William Stone, started some distance this side of Viola the 75 years of age and came to Oregon in

A Great Musical Treat.

The Glee Club of the University o Oregon will give a concert in Shively's, Thursday, Dec. 30. This club is appear-

having sung several times at the Chau-Reports to the postoffice department tauqua last summer. The impersona tions of Chas. Galloway, who is a son of Receiver Galloway, have made a decided hit everywhere. Admission, 25 ley's postoffice stand Tuesday, Dec. 28.

Masonic Officers Elected. Multnomah lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., elected the following officers Saturday evening: Master, D. W. Kinnaird; senior warden, John Humphrey; junior warden, J. E. Hedges; treasurer, W E. Carll; secretary, T. F. Ryan; tyler, C. A. Nash. After the election of officers, send for sample pages. J. H. Walker, retiring master, was presented with a pastmaster's jewel, beautifully wrought in old gold. The different Masonic bodies of the city will hold a public installation on Monday evening December 27, St. John's day

Royal Arch Masous.

Clackamas chapter, No. 2, Royal Arch Masons, has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing Masome year: High priest, Max Bollack; king, C. J. Buchanan; scribe, P. F. Morey; secretary, A. S. Strange; treasurer, A. W. France; captain of the host, J. H. Walker; principal sojourner, Max Schulpius; royal arch captain, C. A. Herrmann; master of the third veil, M. E. Bain; master of the second veil, J. R. Humphrey; master of the the first veil, L. E. Jones; tyler, D. W. Kinnaird.

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