

Hard Heads. A duel among native Australians affords a droll study of physical endurance and natural courtesy.

The duel then proceeds somewhat on these lines: The aggrieved one stands forward, hands on knees, and invites his opponent to test the soundness of his club on his (the challenger's) head.

Hence These Tears. "Mamma," said the happy young wife, "do you think it was just the thing to sit there and weep as you did at our wedding?"

Lodges. A. O. U. W. meets every Saturday evening in the A. O. U. W. Temple. Rebekahs—Willamette Rebekah Lodge No. 2 meets second and fourth Friday of each month.

Disillusioned. "I'll never say another word about the advantages of a European education for girls," said the woman from the west.

High Price For Straightness. One of the difficult problems in practical mechanics is to make a "straight edge." How difficult it may be judged from an incident which occurred in the shops of J. A. Brashers, the astronomical instrument maker.

Spilled Ink. When ink has been spilled, the first thing to do is to remove as much of the liquid as possible with a damp cloth. Then dip a clean rag into some skimmed milk and sponge the stain.

Madrid's Slums. Madrid abounds in slums, which are even greater eyesores than those of Whitechapel. There are labyrinths of narrow old streets, bordered by the most uninviting hordes, and from the squallor of these abodes spring the components of the ferocious mobs which are the bane of the city.

The Latest Yarn. A Pittsburg drummer tells this new yarn: I always carry a bottle of Kemp's Balsam in my grip. I take cold easily and a few doses of the Balsam always makes me a well man.

The Chinese are very fond of foreign song birds. Forty years ago, when canaries were first introduced to that country, a pair cost \$12; now they have multiplied to such an extent that a pair can be bought for 75 cents.

It is estimated that there are 240,000 women domestic servants in London, and that 10,000 of these are always out of situations or changing their places.

Sunday Services.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN IMMANUEL CHURCH—Corner Eighth and J. Q. Adams streets; Rev. Ernest J. W. Mack, pastor. Sunday school at 10 A. M.; weekly services every Thursday at 8 P. M. German school every Saturday from 9 to 12. Everybody invited.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, CATHOLIC—Rev. A. Hillbrand, pastor. On Sunday mass at 10:30 A. M. Every second and fourth Sunday German sermon after the 8 o'clock mass. All other masses English sermons. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Vespers, apologetical subjects and Benediction at 7:30 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. H. Ober, pastor. Morning service at 10:45. Sunday School at 10:00. Class meeting after morning service. Evening service at 7:30. Epworth League meeting Sunday evening at 8:30. Prayer Meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Strangers cordially invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. A. J. Montgomery, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at 10 A. M. Young People's society of Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. Seats free.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH—Corner of Eighth and Madison street, Rev. S. Copley pastor. Services every Sabbath at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Sunday School 10 A. M. Prayer meeting 8 P. M. All are welcome.

ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. P. K. Hammond, Rector. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Service every Friday evening at 7:30. Other services as may be announced. All seats free. Strangers cordially invited.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ZION'S CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. F. Sack, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, corner of Main and Eleventh streets—Rev. E. S. Bollinger, pastor. Morning service 10:30; Sunday school 12; Junior Endeavor 5; Y. P. S. U. E. prayer meeting 6:30; evening service 7:30.

Christian Science meetings at Willamette hall, Sunday morning service, 11 o'clock; Sunday school, 12; weekly meetings, Wednesday evening at 8, except first week of each month, when meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Court Robin Hood No. 9, Foresters of America, meets first and third Friday in the month in Red Men's Hall.—W. B. Stafford secretary; F. T. Rogers, chief ranger.

Meade Post No. 2, G. A. R., meets first Monday evening and third Saturday afternoon in each month at Willamette Hall.—G. A. Harding, commander.

Clackamas Chapter No. 2, E. A. M., meets on the third Monday of each month in Masonic Hall.—M. Bollack, secretary.

Pioneer Chapter No. 28, O. E. S. meets the second and fourth Tuesdays in each month at Masonic Hall.—Miss Jennie Rowen, secretary.

Oregon Lodge No. 3, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday in Odd Fellows' Hall.—T. F. Ryan, secretary.

Falls Encampment No. 4, I. O. O. F., meets first and third Tuesday in each month.—J. A. Stuart, secretary.

Redmen—Wacheno Tribe No. 13, Imp. O. R. M., meets Saturday evening 7:30, at Red Men's Hall.—N. M. Moody, C. O. R.; Chas. Woodward Sachem.

Multnomah Lodge No. 1, A. F. A. M., meets first and third Saturdays in each month at Masonic Hall.—T. F. Ryan, secretary.

Mead Relief Corps No 18, meets at Willamette Hall the first Monday in every month at 2 o'clock P. M. and the third Monday in every month at 7:30 o'clock P. M.—The Auxiliary meets at the Armory building the 1st and 3rd Saturday in each month at 3 o'clock P. M.—Mrs. Rosina Fouts, president.—Mrs. Mary L. Bradley, secretary.

Artisans meets first, second and fourth Thursdays in each month at Red Men's Hall.—J. T. Searle, secretary.

Catholic Knights of America St. John's Branch No. 647, meets every Tuesday of the month.

Tualatin Tent, K. O. T. M., meets in Red Men's Hall, on second and fourth Wednesdays.—G. H. Hyatt, record keeper.

Willamette Falls Camp No 148, W. O. W. meets 1st and 3rd Fridays in the Willamette Hall.—C. C., Sol. S. Walker and clerk G. Olds.

Lone Pine Lodge, No. 53, A. F. & A. M., Logan, Or., meets on the second Saturday in each month from the 1st of May to 1st of November at 2 P. M. and from 1st of November to 1st of May at 10 A. M.—A. E. Lewellen, W. M., Geo. C. Armstrong, Sec.

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