

New To-Day.

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PLENTY OF MONEY TO LOAN AT lowest rates. C. H. Dye.

MONEY TO LOAN AT 6 AND 7 per cent. Farm security. O'Ren & Schubel.

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MONEY TO LOAN—I HAVE SEVERAL sums of money belonging to private individuals which I am authorized to loan, on long time at 6 and 7 per cent. Cost of loan will be made very reasonable. H. E. Cline, attorney at law.

Mrs. Harley Stephens and two children leave today, Friday, for San Francisco where she will join her husband, who has been seriously ill for two weeks.

Mrs. Johnson, who resides at Bolton, is reported to be seriously ill at her home, and Miss Nora Dillmore, of Bolton is slowly improving after a long illness.

George G. Hess, of Stone, was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Hess is planning to move to Beaverton, in Washington county, where he will operate a stock ranch.

Charles Scott, of Woodburn was in the city Thursday. Mr. Scott has been for quite a time in the mines in Mexico. He came to Oregon this time to attend to straightening up his father's estate and will very shortly return to Mexico.

Mr. C. F. Webster, of Lewiston, Idaho, was in Oregon City Tuesday on his way home from the Philippines. Mr. Webster was one of the boys who worked for Uncle Sam in the late war and he is now coming home for the first time since the war. He says that the Philippine islands afford a great field for future industry and will probably grow rapidly in population from now on.

Mr. Leroy DeTrux, accompanied by his wife and mother, arrived in this city Tuesday, where they will reside. Mr. DeTrux is identified with the Oregon City Enterprise and is a thorough newspaperman. He has been engaged in newspaper work for many years in Chicago, New York and several of the larger cities of the East and his extensive experience will render him an invaluable man.

steadily growing and much interest taken in the work by the members. A chorus has recently been formed and will soon be heard in public in Oregon City. The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. T. F. Ryan.

Mr. Maxwell, of Wallace, Idaho, has been in Oregon City the past week looking for men to go to Wallace with him and work in his mine. Mr. Maxwell needs men in the near future and he wants only sober and reliable men. He says that in the past his men have been men of bad habits and unreliable, and from now on he must enlist men in his work whom he can depend upon.

Saturday, January 24, 1903, Warner grange had installation and the following officers installed: Master, Geo. Lazell; Overseer, A. W. France; Lecturer, Geo. Randall; Steward, Marshall Lazell; A. Stewart, Tom Kelland; Treasurer, Miss B. H. France; Secretary, Dave McArthur; Gate Keeper, Mr. Gardner; Pomona, Blanche McCord; Flora, Emma Wilhelm; Cress, Ollie Frederick; L. A. Stewart and Fannie France; Chaplain, Mr. Dick. The officers were installed by Brother Boyland, of Oswego, after which followed the banquet.

On the evening of February 21 the firemen of this city will hold their annual ball at the Armory, at which time good music and a happy crowd of young people will be present. Every year on George Washington's birthday these young men give their ball and this one if possible will surpass anything of former times. The best of music will be furnished and a most delightful time is assured. Every young man in the city is invited and requested to come and bring a lady or two. Remember the time and place.

A special meeting of the city council was held Wednesday evening for the purpose of passing three ordinances, one for the annual city levy, and one for the purpose compelling the chief of police to collect and inspect all licenses of second hand stores, billiard and pool rooms, saloons, drays, express wagons and steam wood saws and all other occupations which are required to pay license. Also an ordinance making an annual levy under the "Bancroft Bonding Act" for the third annual payment on sewer assessment for sewer district No. 2 in Oregon City.

One of the stage stories that will ever remain among and true to audiences is "Uncle Tom's Cabin," a sumptuous production of which, under the able management of Leon Washburn, will be given at the Shively Opera House on January 31, when every one who has the opportunity of witnessing the same will acclaim it as one of the best yet given by any company. Time, effort and expense have not been spared in its staging, or selection of cast and the minutest detail has been carefully prepared. There is no story of book or stage that so delights the juvenile mind, and it is to be hoped that every boy and girl may have their wish to see it gratified.

Several years ago there was promised the public of Oregon City a series of lectures which was remarkably well patronized so far as the promises could be fulfilled. But the most attractive numbers of the course never appeared. Some persons have been associating that course of entertainments with the Congregational church because the lectures were given there. The Saturday Club hereby announces that any persons securing course tickets for Dr. House's lectures will have their money refunded if the entertainments as announced will not be given. The course will open next Tuesday evening with "Quo Vadis."

Miss Mary E. Conyers is making preparations to give a concert in this city on Tuesday evening, February 24, in Woodmen hall. The program will be given by Mrs. Walter Reed, Portland's favorite contralto, Mr. Dom Zan, who sang in concert here last fall and Miss Veda M. Williams, of this city. The Dentrick Club chorus will make its first appearance at this concert. The chorus is composed of 15 of the best voices in the club and will add much to the affair. Little Marion Lawrence, of Portland, will appear on the program in an instrumental solo. She is but seven years old but plays with good style and much expression. Much interest is being manifested in this musical treat and a very pleasant evening is assured.

Last week, owing to the fact that we were unable to obtain information about the late Abner Hart, there was little said about him. We wish now to write a fact or two about him as he was well known in these parts. Mr. Hart was born in Ohio, Feb. 16, 1828. He remained in Ohio, farming principally, till he turned his steps westward and settled in Southern Oregon and continued to pursue his trade of a husbandman of the soil. In 1884 Mr. Hart moved to a farm five miles from town and here he married Mrs. Porter. Mr. Hart has been suffering from ill health for quite a while and recently was obliged to undergo an operation from which he never fully recovered. He leaves to mourn his death several children, among whom are Mrs. Peter Nehren, Mrs. J. R. Myers and Mrs. S. Green.

All kinds of underwear at cost. Racket Store.

Dress Making. For first class work on tailor and dress suits call on Miss Cox, recently from the East, over Mrs. Sladen's millinery store.

How's This? We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. WARDING, KINMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Testimonials free. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The First Skaters. It is very doubtful which race first skated, for traces have been found among prehistoric remains all over northern Europe indicating that the art was practiced by primitive peoples. The Eskimo of the farthest north are also found to be in possession of runners carved from walrus bones.

Skating is mentioned by a Danish historian about 1141, and Fitzstephen in his "History of London" says that in the twelfth century young men fastened the leg leashes of animals under their feet by means of thongs in order to slide along the ice. This statement is confirmed by the pair of bone skates of the period now in the British museum. It is likely, however, that these early Londoners got the idea from Holland, probably via Lincolnshire, where skates have been used on the frozen fens from very remote times.

Paul the Tyrant. Paul I. of Russia was very deaf and also very tyrannical. One day an aid-de-camp, intending to please him, approached and cried in his ear, "I am glad to see your majesty, that your hearing is much improved!" "What is that you say?" growled the czar.

Raising his voice, the aid-de-camp said, "I am glad that your majesty's hearing is so much improved!" "Ah, that's it, eh?" chuckled the czar, and then added, "Say it once more."

The aid-de-camp repeated the words, whereupon Paul I. thundered, "So you dare to make fun of me, do you? Just wait awhile!"

Next day the aid-de-camp was on his way to the mines of Siberia.

Phonetic Spelling. The teacher of a country school was "hearing" her spelling class recite. She had just "given out" the word "Aaron," which, according to her instruction, had been spelled in this fashion: "Big A, little a, r-o-u."

The next word was "gallery." The pupil said: "G-a-l, gal-g-a-l, gal," two or three times and halted. Then, after hard thought, he added: "Big gal, little gal, e-r-y, gallery."—New York Times.

Panics. As for panics, every one you pick shall have a different character. Some are perverse, like basifal babies, and will not look you in the face. Some are confiding, and some are even bold. Go and study them if you are an unbeliever, and you shall find that many things that we call human traits are found in almost equal proportions to plants and animals.

Expensive Headgear. Father (examining his son's expense account at college)—Young man, what do you mean by charging up half a dozen bottles of whisky to wearing apparel during last term? Son—Oh, that's all right; I used that stuff for nightcaps.—Town and Country.

HUNTLEY BROTHERS POPULAR PRICE DRUGGISTS BOOKSELLERS STATIONERS CHARACTER LAST DAYS of JANUARY SALE The other day a drummer came in and offered us what he said was a first rate Sub-Nitrate of Bismuth at \$1.55 per lb. We are paying \$2.15 for Squibb's Sub-Nitrate of Bismuth. Here was a chance to save 60 cents per lb. on a much prescribed drug. But Squibb's Drugs have the confidence of all physicians, and justly; they have proven their superiority and therefore we stick to them, because we know that they produce the best medicines. Almost every day we turn down just such propositions offering cheaper drugs; as we did this one. Human safety is too important to risk cheap drugs on—just for the saving of a few cents. We fill prescriptions right or not at all. There are grades and qualities in drugs and chemicals, just as in shoes and dry goods and clothing. One druggist buys one grade, another buys another grade. It depends entirely on how high a standard of excellence the druggist sets for himself, and maintains. You see, a man may, through force of circumstances buy a \$2.00 pair of shoes instead of a \$4. or \$5. pair, knowing that he is not getting the best shoe; but with drugs it is different and he doesn't have any opportunity of testing the drugs, and could not tell their therapeutic worth even if he did examine them. He must rely implicitly upon the character of the drug store. Our Drug Store is known as the Quality Drug Store—If you want the best—let us put up your prescriptions and serve you as your family druggist.

Personal Mention James Phlegley, of Canby, was in Oregon City Thursday. Silas Hedges, of Salmon, was a visitor to the city Saturday. Tom P. Randall has returned from a few days visit up the valley. Mrs. Brownell and son Ambrose went to Salem Tuesday to visit friends. C. C. Smucker, of Needy, was in Oregon City on business Tuesday. Louie Braman, of New Era, was on the streets here one day this week. Mr. Denny, justice of the peace at Viola, was in Oregon City Thursday. Mr. George Johnson, of George, was one of the prominent farmers in Oregon City Monday. J. W. Draper, the landoffice attorney, is bed ridden this week with a serious throat trouble. Dr. C. B. Smith and wife, of Eagle Creek, went to Salem Tuesday to visit the legislature. Walter McKenzie, a young student at Forest Grove, was visiting with Charles Gadke Sunday. Thomas Clark, of this city, returned this week from a few days visit with friends in Albany. James Root, of Clackamas, is back from a short stay at Salem, where he attended the legislature. Herbert Green, who lives at Carus, and Ben Faust, of the same place was in the city Wednesday. Herod Chidate, of Elliott Prairie, a prominent farmer of that place, was in Oregon City on business. Hon. Geo. McBride and Hon. T. A. McBride are attending the Oregon legislature at Salem this week. C. E. McWhorter, of Spokane, who has been a newspaper man for some time, was in Oregon City Thursday. Max G. Cohen, attorney and counselor-at-law, of Portland, was in the city Thursday attending to legal business. Austin Craig, of Whitney, Oregon, a prominent newspaper man, was in Oregon City Thursday looking after business. Hon. W. S. O'Ren returned Thursday from Salem, where he attended the legislature in the interest of the initiative and referendum. The concert that was to have been given by St. Paul's church on Friday evening of this week is postponed until further notice. A. R. Bradbeck, of Hanover, Penn., an old school friend of Rev. E. S. Bollinger, spent a few days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bollinger. E. Jones, who runs a ranch at Beaver Creek, and Henry Hornsbuch, one of the most well-to-do farmers of Carus, was in Oregon City Wednesday. Mr. Clarence Bands, of Pasco, Wash., a brother of Messrs. Hal and Ernest Bands, of this city, was in Oregon City Sunday visiting brothers and parents.

Local Events.

Great clearance sale on all millinery. Miss C. Goldsmith

Selling Hose at half price. Racket Store.

Blanke's, Shaker Flannel, Outing Flannel, Table Linen and Corsets at cost. Racket Store.

Abbott, the Optician, of Portland, will be at the Electric Hotel, Oregon City, Saturday, Feb. 7th. Glasses ground to correct the defects of which the human eye is heir.

The themes at the Congregational church next Sunday will be "Life's Equilibrium" and "Some Secrets of Happiness." The public is most cordially invited to all the services.

J. M. Price, the up-to-date clothier and furnisher, is making some decided improvements in his store. A large glass wall case in one of the new novelties which is being installed.

Report is received from San Francisco that Mr. Harley Stevens, who has been seriously ill at that place for several days, is picking up considerably and bids fair to recover very soon. His wife and children will start for San Francisco in a few days.

Professor Griffith, the well known and noted Phrenologist, of Portland, will close a very instructive course of lectures Saturday evening. His subject will be "Love, Courtship and Marriage." The model wedding will be a feature worth witnessing. At Willamette Hall, 8 P. M.

I wish to state to the public that the preparation sold by A. McLeod for separating butter from cream and which he claims I have recommended, is in my opinion not what he claims for it. I have put no money in it. C. E. SPENCE.

It will be of interest to the many friends of Mrs. McMillen to know that she is holding her own and possibly gaining a little strength. Mrs. McMillen has been suffering with cancer for a long time and for many weeks has been making a gallant struggle against the advances of her dreaded disease.

A great many of the citizens of Oregon City have invested money in the Le Roy Mining Company of the Bohemia mining district, and owing to recent developments and large bodies of ore which have been recently uncovered, the stock has been taken off from the market and all of those who have invested will be pleased with their investment.

The Fertile Musical club met at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Miller Monday evening and a very interesting program was enjoyed. The club is

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