DECADENCE OF THE COWBOY

Severe Shock to the Feelings of Northern Montanians.

Butte Inter-Mountain.

Northern Montana is bewailing the decadence of the cowboy. Justly, it would seem, if there be truth in the report that two border outlaws chased a dozen members of the Diamond R. round-up outfit for 20 miles in terror-stricken search for refuge, to the town of Culbertson. Think of it! Twelve doughty knights of the plain, blue of lip and wild of eye, spurring their horses to incontinent flight over sagebrush and bunchgrass, and ever and anon turning their wan faces backward over shivering shoulders for a look at their relentless pursuers. Picture in your mind's eye the scudding of a dozen jackrabbits, close pressed by a pair of ravenous wolves! Oh, the horror of it!

The report from Culbertson says that the cowboys were unarmed, excepting one or two guns in the whole outfit. It is a harsh allegation, and public judgment should be suspended pending the receipt of further particulars. If it be proved true—ah, well, we of Montana must blush for the shame of it! The traditions of the gun are dear to the Western heart. It has barked defiance to law and order, it has been the chief property of the cowboy comedy of "shooting up the town" and it has furnished rag-time music for many a tenderfoot to dance by. Has the westward course of empire relegated the "shoting iron" to the scrap pile? Has it gone the way of the brown buffalo and the preserved Indian? Will it no longer dangle in menace from the belt of the bold vaquero? It would seem so, for the report has it that the Diamond R. outfit was unarmed.

All the world will join in the Northern Montana wail. The iconoclast, Time, has shattered the idol of the "wild and woolly West." The long locks of the cowboy have been shorn; his goatee is preserved only as a memory on the aging face of Buffalo Bill Cody; his buckskin habiliments have given way to overalls and jumpers and his bravery is bound between the yellow covers of a nickel novel.

Twelve cowboys chased by two bandits! They will not believe it in the East, where the popular idea of the cowboy is still somewhat awesome and picturesque. Here in Montana, swallowing our pride, we will henceforth look upon him as a herder of cattle and brander of calves—our calfboy.

Aunt Mehitabel (reading the police court news)—Well, well! there's one thing I'd never do. If I had 50 children I'd never name one of them Allas. Seems as if they're sure to go wrong.—Judge.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, July 22, 8 P. M.—Maximum temperature, 85; minimum temperature, 57; river reading at 11 A. M., 8.7 feet; change in 24 hours, —2; total precipitation, 8 P. M. to 8 P. M., 0; total precipitation since September 1, 1899, 35.68; normal precipitation since September 1, 1899, 46.19; deficiency, 7.51; total sunshine July 21, 1900, 15:11; possible sunshine, 15:11.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

The pressure continues to increase along the coast from San Francisco north to Vancouver Island. The barometer is lowest over Southern Idaho. Thunder showers occurred this afternoon in Northern Utah and cloudiness has increased in Southern Idaho, Nevada and Northern California. The temperature continues high in the North Pacific States, and the following maximums were reported: Walla Walla and Boise, 98 deg.; Spokane, 96; Roseburg, Baker City, Kalispell, 90; Pocatello and Red Bluffs, 88; Portland, 86. The indications are for much cooler weather throughout the North Pacific States Monday, with thunder storms in Southern Idaho.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Western Oregon and Western Washington—Fair and much cooler, except near coast; southwest winds.

Eastern Oregon—Possibly thunder storms; much cooler; southerly winds.

Eastern Washington and Northern Idaho—Possibly thunder storms; much cooler; southerly winds.

Southern Idaho—Thunder storms and much cooler; southerly winds.

Portland and vicinity—Fair and much cooler; southwesterly winds.

EDWARD A. BEALS, Forecast Official.

MEETING NOTICES.

MARTHA WASHINGTON CHAPTER, NO. 14, O. E. S.—Regular meeting this (Monday) evening at 8 o'clock. Social. By order of W. M.
M. HOWATSON, Secretary.

HARMONY LODGE, NO. 12, A. F. & A. M.—Stated communication this (Monday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work. By order W. M.
A. J. MARSHALL, Secretary.

DIED.

NEWMAN—In this city, July 22, 1900, Blanch Newman, aged 26 years. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

KONRAD—The funeral services of the late Prof. Wm. Konrad, who died in this city July 21, 1900, will be held at the family residence, 168½ 10th street, today at 2 P. M. Friends invited. Interment at Lone Fir cemetery.

EDWARD HOLMAN, Undertaker, 4th and Yamhill sts. Rena Stinson, lady assistant. Both phones No. 507.

Finley, Kimball & Co., Undertakers. Lady assistant. 275 Third st. Tel. 9.

Floral pieces; cut flowers. Clarke Bros. 289 Morrison. Both phones.

NEW TODAY.

LACE CURTAIN BARGAINS.
Three patterns of $3.00 and $3.50 values for $1.50, today only.
I. GEVURTZ & SONS
The Homefurnishers, 173-175 First.

HAIR MATTRESSES
Special this week, 30-pound, all-hair mattresses, guaranteed, $10.00.
WM. GADSBY
Corner First and Washington Streets.

ANTON SLIM, teacher of violin, string quartets for entertainments. A. O. U. W. Temple.

Wellington Coal.
Pacific Coast Company. Telephone, 229. 240 Washington street.

COPP'S MINING LAWS
Latest edition just received.
J. K. GILL CO.

Mortgage Loans
On improved city and farm property, at lowest current rates. Building loans. Installment loans. Marmaduke & Birrell, 317 Worcester blk.

MORTGAGE LOANS
On improved city and farm property.
R. LIVINGSTONE, 224 Stark st.

Mortgage Loans
On improved city property, at lowest rates.
Title Guarantee & Trust Co.
7 Chamber of Commerce.

CHICKEN DAY
We have them by the hundred—fine, fat Spring and hens, from 20c up. So come early.
Eggs, fresh Oregon ..... 20 c
Hams, best 12½c
Hams, picnics ..... 10 c
BUTTER.
We are receiving hundreds of rolls of fine dairy butter, and if you intend to pack any it will never be cheaper—30c to 50c roll.
FRUIT.
Apples, Gravenstein ..... 75c to $2c
Peaches, Crawford ..... 40c to 75c
Peaches, Oregon ..... 40c to 50c
We have a full line of all kinds of fruit at wholesale prices, so favor us with your Saturday order, and save 20 per cent.
PACIFIC MARKET & GROCERY CO.,
Both phones. 149 First.

CLASSIFIED AD. RATES

"Rooms," "Rooms and Board," "Housekeeping Rooms," "Situations Wanted," 15 words or less, 15 cents; 16 to 20 words, 20 cents; 21 to 25 words, 25 cents, etc. No discount for additional insertions.

UNDER ALL OTHER HEADS except "New Today," 20 cents for 15 words or less; 16 to 20 words, 40 cents; 21 to 25 words, 50 cents, etc.—first insertion. Each additional insertion, one-half; no further discount under one month.

"NEW TODAY" (gauge measure agate), 15 cents per line, first insertion; 10 cents per line for each additional insertion.

ANSWERS TO ADVERTISEMENTS, addressed care The Oregonian and left at this office, should always be inclosed in sealed envelopes. No stamp is required on such letters.

The Oregonian will not be responsible for errors in advertisements taken through the telephone.

AMUSEMENTS.

ALISKY'S WINTER GARDEN CAFE, THIRD AND MORRISON.
There is no abatement of the tremendous patronage. Fourth of July is over, and still it continues. Tonight there will be a popular Sunday 50-cent dinner, never before equaled in this city. The demand for reserved seats was so great, the management had to decide that first come, first served. The dinner will open promptly at 5 P. M., continue until 8 P. M. The orchestra has been augmented for Sundays, and a select musical programme will be given until midnight. The 26 electric fans are keeping things cool and comfortable, to which next week, on the arrival of the big motor and fan, there will be added ventilation through and direct to the roof. Manager Harvey says things must be right and up to date. Portland says we want the Winter Garden, and they must have it. To please them no expense will be spared to perfect everything as fast as brains and labor can accomplish it.

Tonight prompt, courteous and efficient service will be given by the new corps of waiters. The dinner will be up to the highest expectations, and, with the fine musical programme no one can fail to enjoy themselves.

NEW TODAY.

LOS ANGELES BELGIAN HARE CO., 50 Fifth street, Portland, the best-equipped rabbitry in Oregon. Only a few of the scored hares advertised last Sunday left. Pedigree and score card furnished with each hare. We have bred does and does with young and four scored bucks at stud. Call and compare our stock and prices with the very best you know of before buying. Stock and pedigree guaranteed. Belgian hare sundries for sale.

FOR SALE—EASY TERMS; NICE 6-ROOM cottage, West Side. Also ½ block in Couch, on car line. Parrish & Watkins.

Knight's Drug Store
Opposite Oregonian building, 126 Sixth. Drugs and medicines. Prescriptions a specialty.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

$1300—5 ACRES, HIGHLY CULTIVATED; good orchard and small fruit, small house; 3½ mile Woodstock.

$1900—5-room house, full lot, on main street, Lower Albina; small payment down.

$800—Good business lot, Lower Albina. A snap.

$1700—10-room house, lot 50x125, good location and sightly, near Irvington racetrack.

$1300—One of finest building sites in Upper Albina; splendid view of city and river, 100x100; two blocks to car line.

WHALLEY, room 7 Benson building.

SEASIDE PROPERTY—WE WILL, FOR the remainder of the season, sell lots on the beach at Pioneer for $35, $55, $75 and $100 each, on easy installments. This beautiful resort has a frontage of two miles on the beach, adjoining Tioga on the north, and is without exception the most desirable seaside property on the Northwest Coast. For full particulars, call on Lambert & Sargent, at Briscoe's Cottages, or address Lambert & Sargent, 203 East Washington street, Portland, Or.

WE HAVE PROPERTY OF ALL KINDS and in all parts of the city and suburbs, for sale at lowest prices, and can make better terms than others, as we handle property owned principally by mortgage companies. Call and see our list, as we have some special bargains on hand, and will drive you out to see the property. It will cost you nothing to look it over. Grindstaff & Blain, 246 Stark street.

RAILROAD AND MILLMEN—WE HAVE FOR sale the finest location for manufacturing purposes on the Coast, being two fine tracts at Linnton, just outside city limits; one 1200 feet deep-water front, and running back to N. P. Railroad; and one 1220 feet deep-water front, and running back to St. Helens county road. Will sell 400 or 800 feet. Grindstaff & Blain, 246 Stark.

FOR SALE—GOOD 7-ROOM HOUSE, 453 Hall street, corner 13th street, with 50-foot frontage on each street; this property is in a very desirable neighborhood, and we offer same for $2000 on favorable terms. Atkinson, Wakefield & Co., 227 Stark street.

FOR SALE—3 VERY CHOICE LOTS IN Tabor Heights, within one block of terminus Morrison-street car line; size of each 100x135 and 100x198; will be offered at special prices for the next few days. Atkinson, Wakefield & Co., 227 Stark street.

FOR SALE—WE OFFER AT A GREATLY reduced price a very choice lot on the west side of Seventh street, between Mill and Montgomery streets. Atkinson, Wakefield & Co., 227 Stark street.

IF YOU WANT ONE OF THE MOST DEsirable quarter blocks on Portland Heights, call on us. It is going to be sold. Grindstaff & Blain, 246 Stark.

$350—BEAUTIFUL BUILDING SITE, 100x250, west slope Mount Tabor, facing two avenues. Riggen Real Estate Co., 30-31 McKay bldg.

$3000—CHOICE 40-ACRE FARM, 5 MILES from Portland; high state of cultivation. Riggen Real Estate Co., 30-31 McKay bldg.

FOR SALE, CHEAP, FOR CASH—HOUSE and two lots, Fulton Park; one lot in Sellwood. A. Lind, 344 First street, city.

CHEAP; FOUR COTTAGES, CORNER LOTS, East 11th-street car line. Inquire 250½ Front, cor. Clay.

HOUSES built and sold on installment plan, any part city. Dammeier, 811 Marquam.

TO EXCHANGE.

TO EXCHANGE—120-ACRE FARM IN MARION County, Oregon, for desirable cottage at Seaside. Address H 75, care Oregonian.

BELGIAN HARES FOR SALE.

BELMONT RABBITRY, 148 EAST 24TH ST., Portland—Orders booked this week only for service of our famous imported buck, "Duke of Teck," score 95, at $10; Britain Chief, $5. A few choice does, bred, $15 to $20; one fine Lord Nason buck, $10.

BELGIAN HARES AT CUT RATES; LARGEST stock, best strains; lowest prices. Portland Belgian Hare Ass'n, 289 4th, near Yamhill.

TIMBER LANDS FOR SALE.

WE HAVE FOR SALE A 10,000-ACRE TRACT of spruce and fir on the Umpqua River. We buy and sell timber lands on commission. Hartman, Thompson & Powers, 1 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

YOUNG TEAM, 1800 POUNDS EACH, AND new wagon; now engaged on $6 day job. Call Krebbs brick yard, near No. 2 reservoir, H. L. Rosenthal, owner.

Typewriters, all makes, rented and sold; expert repairing; office supplies and desks. Coast Agency Co., 206½ Stark st. Both phones.

TWO CARLOADS RIGS; PART RUBBER tire; old ones in exchange; 500 set harness, 75 second-hand rigs. S. Tveninson, 211 Wash.

GOOD TEAM HORSES, WEIGHT 1300 LBS. each; wagon and harness; also steam wood saw. C. E. Bennett, 127½ Fourth st.

THE MODEL STABLES, COR. FIFTH AND Davis sts., will board your horses for $15 per head. The best of care given.

FOR SALE—WASHBURN GUITAR, CONcert size; equal to new; a bargain. Address Guitar, care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—THOROUGHBRED COCKER Spaniel pups. 661 East 26th street. Take Woodstock car.

FOR BEST FIR, OAK AND ASH WOOD GO to Pioneer Wood Yard, foot of Morrison st. Phone 180.

$10 FOR A NEW GAS COOKER; $2 CASH, balance $2 per month. Gas Co., 174 Fifth st.

Magic lanterns, new, second-hand, moving pictures. Bullard & Breck, 121 Post, San Fran.

"HONEY-MOON" GUM; ASSORTED FLAvors. Sold by all leading dealers. Ask for it.

SOLID GOLD RINGS, GUARANTEED ONLY $1 each. Uncle Myers, 143 3d, near Alder.

Good pasture for horses or cattle at 1004 Milwaukie st., or inquire at 128 Third street.

NATIONAL CASH REGISTER, FOR SALE cheap. Graves & Co., 128 Sixth.

FOR SALE—FARMS.

THE CELEBRATED "HENRY LONG Farm," at Chehalis, considered by many to be the best money-making farm in the state, will be sold by the administrator Sept. 1, either in parcels or as a whole, to the highest bidder. Full information by addressing W. B. Allen, box 217, Chehalis, Wash.

FOR SALE—CHOICE FARM OF 10 ACRES on Scholl's Ferry road, 4 miles from Portland; all in cultivation; with good house, barn and outbuildings; wagons, farm implements and stock. Atkinson, Wakefield & Co., 227 Stark street.

FARM AND STOCK RANCH IN GILLIAM County, 1 mile from railroad, 1050 acres; good range, 700 acres in cultivation; good water; cheap for cash. Call or write Walter F. Allen, room 606 Commercial blk., 2d and Wash.

IMPROVED FARMS FOR SALE IN ALL parts of Oregon and Washington; payments made to suit purchasers. For full particulars as to various properties, apply to Marmaduke & Birrell, 317 Worcester block.

FOR SALE OR RENT—TWO GOOD FARMS, good house and barn, orchard and hay; crop of about 50 tons hay can be cut on the shares this year. C. Heimann, Woodstock.

A SMALL FARM FOR SALE OR TRADE. Inquire room 4, 290½ Morrison.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

100 R. R. LABORERS, NEW WORK, $2; board $1.25; cook, book-tender, $60, board, one $5 to $3.50; rigging runner, $2.25; rockmen, $2.25; hotel baker, $25, board, one at $18 to $22; farm hand, E. O., $25; watchman, $30, board; fallers, $2.75; buckers, $2.50; barkers, $2.25; rafters, $2.50; swampers, $1.50 board; woodchoppers, $1.40; teamsters, mill and yard men, $2; horseshoer, $2, board; farm hands, $20 to $30; laborers, city, $2; boat cook, $40; waiters, dishwashers; other work. Call Canadian Agency, 250½ Morrison.

WANTED FOR UNITED STATES ARMY—Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 21 and 35, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Recruits are specially desired for service in Philippines. For information, apply to recruiting officer, Third and Stark streets, Portland.

MAN AND WIFE, WITHOUT CHILDREN, on gentleman's place near city; man as gardener; woman as laundress; permanent position, with good home. Apply Tuesday, between 11 and 1, at 251 Seventh street.

WANTED—A FEW FIRST-CLASS WEAVERS and two good hand jack-spinners, to work nights on fine cassimeres and flannels; good wages paid. Apply by letter to Eagle Woolen Mills Co., Brownsville, Linn County, Or.

WANTED—MAN WHO HAS HAD EXPERIence in retail crockery business. Address, giving experience, age and references, D 79, care Oregonian.

WANTED—ONE OR TWO GOOD STOVE-plate molders; also a plater and finisher. Apply to Albion Iron Works Co., Ltd., Victoria, B. C.

WANTED—1000 MEN TO DRINK WEINhard's Columbia beer; nice and cool. Free from 7 P. M. to 11:30 P. M., 180½ Fifth st.

WANTED—STRICTLY FRESH RANCH eggs, at Kruse's Grill-Room, Stark st., opposite Chamber of Commerce.

Cast-off second-hand clothing wanted at 87 N. 2d. Prices no object. Oregon phone Clay 513.

HOUSES WANTED.

A FAMILY OF THREE ADULTS WISH TO lease a large, comfortable and well-located unfurnished house; might buy a decided bargain. Write full particulars and terms to Cash, care Oregonian.

FOR RENT.

Rooms.

THE SPALDING, S. E. COR. PARK AND Alder sts., under the management of the owner, Helen H. Spalding—The most complete apartment-house in the Northwest; choice rooms, for gentlemen or gentleman and wife; furnished housekeeping suites a specialty.

THE PLEASANTON, 288½ THIRD ST.—FINE furnished rooms, en suite, single, or housekeeping; sunlight in all rooms; bath included; most reasonable terms; transient solicited.

THE DREXEL, 341½ MORRISON—UNDER new management; nicely furnished rooms, single or en suite, $1.50 per week up; transients accommodated.

LARGE FRONT ROOM, WITH BOARD; suitable for two; bath and phone; private boarding-house, 324 Columbia street, corner Sixth.

THE NEWCASTLE, S. E. COR. THIRD AND Harrison sts.—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished; all modern conveniences, references.

THE OCCIDENTAL, 215 FIRST AND MORrison—Rooms, suites, single; housekeeping; every convenience; $1 week and upwards.

364 TAYLOR STREET—PLEASANT, COOL rooms; bath, phone; two blocks Portland Hotel; reasonable; no children.

321 10TH, CORNER SALMON—PLEASANT connecting rooms, other rooms; modern; reasonable; kitchen, if desired.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE and en suite. First National Bank building, First and Washington sts.

PLEASANT, NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM, $1; private family. 232 Madison street, opposite City Hall.

THE STEVENS, 480 ALDER—FURNISHED rooms; all modern improvements; no children.

GILMAN HOTEL—Brick bldg., central; furnished rooms, $1 week and up. 1st and Alder.

230 FIFTH ST., NEAR CLAY—NICELY FURnished rooms; bath and phone; reasonable.

Rooms With Board.

PORTLAND WOMEN'S UNION, 12TH YEAR; rooms with board; enameled bath tubs; use of library; Woman's Exchange; Industrial school; address Mrs. R. C. George, superintendent, 520 Flanders street.

HOTEL VENDOME—COOL, AIRY ROOMS; porcelain baths; best table board; first-class service at low prices; very central location. Corner 13th and Alder streets.

SUMMER BOARD OUT ON THE CLACKAmas; terms reasonable. Address Mrs. A. Dedman, Clackamas, Or.

WELL-FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH BOARD, for gentlemen. 129 14th, between Alder and Washington streets.

170 13TH, BETWEEN YAMHILL AND MORrison—Newly furnished rooms; also excellent table board.

215 12TH—FURNISHED ROOMS, SINGLE or en suite, with first-class table board; English family.

FINE ROOMS, GOOD TABLE BOARD. 291 11th street, between Yamhill and Taylor.

ROOM AND BOARD; USE PHONE AND bath. 131 10th, near Alder.

ROOMS, WITH BOARD; REFERENCES REquired. 348 10th.

ROOMS, WITH BOARD. HESPERIAN, 533 Morrison st.

Housekeeping Rooms.

FOR RENT—FLAT OF THREE DESIRABLE rooms, well furnished; private residence; modern; central. 484 Burnside, corner 13th, near Washington.

425 TAYLOR—DESIRABLE FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; private family. Inquire after Sunday. No children; bath.

231½ Market—Light, clean, airy rooms, furnished complete for housekeeping; respectable. Phone West 492.

360 ALDER—THREE NICELY FURNISHED rooms, for housekeeping; use of phone and bath; electric lights.

TWO OR THREE WELL-FURNISHED connected rooms; bath and phone. 240 Park street, corner Main.

TWO CLEAN FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms; pantry and bath; no children. 69 North 13th.

164 PARK ST.—HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, complete; gas range, hot and cold water.

Houses.

FIVE-ROOM, HARD-FINISHED COTTAGE; all conveniences. Call Friday, 2 to 4 P. M., 651 Fourth street.

A MODERN 9-ROOM HOUSE, 12TH AND East Washington sts. Apply at 107 Grand ave.

288 14TH ST.; 7 ROOMS; GOOD LOCATION; near school; low rent. Key 290.

NICE 5-ROOM COTTAGE, 356 LINCOLN ST. Inquire at 352 Lincoln.

Furnished Houses.

$10 PER MONTH; 5-ROOM COTTAGE, ALL nicely furnished complete for housekeeping. 110 Pettoyer st., near Hood.

NEW SIX-ROOM HOUSE, NICELY FURnished; rent very reasonable. Call 668 East Morrison.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED, 435 ALDER. Parrish & Watkins.

Summer Resorts.

The Kutzschen House, Seaview, Wash., is one of the best family houses on the beach; prices reasonable; reduction made for families. Address Mrs. Kutzschen, Seaview, Wash.

FOR RENT—COTTAGE AT GEARHART Park, partly furnished; terms very reasonable. Apply J. Waterhouse, Gearhart, Or.

GEARHART PARK—WELL-FURNISHED 6-room cottage for August. Address G. Cellars, Gearhart Park, Or.

FOR RENT—SPRAGUE COTTAGE, OCEAN Park, completely furnished. E. J. Sprague, Nahcotta, Wash.

PRIVATE BOARD AND ROOMS. MRS. Sarah Chamberlin, Long Beach, Wash.

Houses for Rent—Furniture for Sale.

NEW 7-ROOM HOUSE FOR RENT; CARpets, stoves and kitchen furniture for sale. Call 549 Fourth st.

Stores.

364 WASHINGTON ST., NEXT TO PARK. Inquire of Sam L. Beary, 327 Morrison st.

FINANCIAL.

MONEY LOANED ON BICYCLES, PIANOS, furniture and other securities. W. A. Hathaway, room 40 Wash. bldg. Phone Main 781.

LOANS WITHOUT PUBLICITY ON REAL or chattel mortgages, personal or salary security, at low rates. C. W. Pallett, 212 Commercial block. Tel. Grant 680.

$200,000 TO LOAN AT 5½, 6, 7 PER CENT. City and suburban property for sale and rent. Agent for Westchester Fire Insurance Co. Wm. G. Beck, 521 Morrison st.

LOANS ON FURNITURE, PIANOS AND other securities; lowest rates; private. S. W. King, room 48 Washington building.

LOANS ON FURNITURE AND SECURITIES. Thompson's cut-rate ticket office, 128 Third.

LOANS on chattels, salaries, etc., low rates; see us first. Mann & Co., 604 Dekum bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS FROM $5 TO $500, on all classes of security. R. I. Robertson & Co., room 5 Washington building.

MONEY TO LOAN IN SMALL SUMS ON chattel security; terms reasonable. William Reid, 226 Abington building.

MONEY TO LOAN ON ALL KINDS OF SEcurity. Wm. Hoff, room 8, Washington bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN, 6 per cent, farm or city property. O. M. Smith, 814 Ch. of Commerce.

LOANS WITHOUT PUBLICITY ON FURNIture, pianos, salaries, etc. Can be paid in installments, reducing interest. Rates lower than the lowest. F. W. Graves, Mer., 124 6th, near Wash. (ground floor). Tel. Oak 1331.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST — SUNDAY EVENING, A SUM OF money, between Perkins Hotel and the end of the car line of City & Suburban Railway. A suitable reward will be paid for the return of same to Wertheimer's cigar store, Fifth and Washington.

$10 REWARD FOR INFORMATION AS TO Bertha Robinson's whereabouts. For particulars telephone Union 901 or 5162.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Proposals Invited.

PROPOSALS FOR RETAINING WALL—Office of the City Water Works, Portland, Or., July 17, 1900.—Sealed proposals, addressed to Frank T. Dodge, Clerk of the Water Committee, and indorsed on the outside of the envelope "Proposals for retaining wall," will be received at this office until 3 P. M. Wednesday, July 25, 1900, for furnishing materials and labor for the construction of a retaining wall of timber, brush and stone, at the Sandy River crossing of the Bull Run pipe line, a point about 23 miles southeasterly from Portland. Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of proposal obtained at this office. Proposals for said work must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent of the amount of the proposal, payable to the order of the Clerk of the Water Committee of the City of Portland, Or., as liquidated damages in case that the bidder, if awarded the contract, should fail or neglect to execute the contract and furnish the required bonds within five days after notice of the award. The right to reject any or all bids, or to call for new proposals, is expressly reserved by the Water Committee. By order of the Water Committee of the City of Portland, Or.
D. D. CLARKE,
Engineer.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED PROposals, addressed to C. C. Huntley, Oregon City, Or., for furnishing material and building sewers in Oregon City will be received by the committee on streets and public property until 2 o'clock P. M., on the 26th day of August, 1900. Plans and specifications can be examined at City Recorder's office, at Oregon City. The committee on streets and public property reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
C. C. HUNTLEY,
R. F. STORY,
C. W. FREDRICH,
Committee.
Oregon City, July 21, 1900.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, OFFICE of the Governor of District of Alaska, Sitka, Alaska, July 18, 1900.—Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 2 o'clock P. M., August 18, 1900, from responsible asylums or sanitariums, west of the main range of the Rocky Mountains, for the care, custody and treatment therein of persons legally adjudged insane in the District of Alaska during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1901. Satisfactory bond for performance of contract when awarded will be required. Further information will be supplied on application to the Governor. JOHN G. BRADY, Governor of Alaska.

PROPOSALS FOR SLABWOOD — SEALED proposals are invited for furnishing slabwood to the Portland Hotel for one year from August 1, 1900. Bids will be opened July 23, at 10 o'clock A. M. For specifications apply to Chas. H. Gayhart, Sec.

WANTED—TO LET A CONTRACT TO THE lowest bidder for digging or boring a well. For further information address H. J. Prosser, Troutdale, Or.

Stockholders' Meeting.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Coeur d'Alene Development Company, for the election of a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may regularly come before them, will be held at the office of the company, rooms 501 to 504 Chamber of Commerce building, Portland, Oregon, on August 6, 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M.
GEORGE F. HOLMAN,
Secretary Coeur d'Alene Development Company.
Portland, Or., July 12, 1900.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING — THE ANnual meeting of the stockholders of the Title Guarantee & Trust Company will be held at the offices of the company, in the Chamber of Commerce building, Portland, Or., on Tuesday, July 24, 1900, at 8:00 P. M.
J. THORBURN ROSS, Sec.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE AND BUSINESS of 50-room hotel in Marshfield, Or.; only one other hotel in the city; I enjoy large transient patronage. After conducting the business successfully for 26 years, I want to retire; reason, ill health. Address J. L. Perry, prop., Marshfield, Or.

FOR LEASE — 3 ACRES WILLAMETTE River front, on S. P. R. R.; central location; long time; manufacturing, mills, warehouses. Address M. Bane, 374 East Clay st., Portland, Or.

FOR SALE—TOBACCO, CIGAR, ICE CREAM and confectionery store; owing to sickness in family, must close out at a sacrifice; good location. Call afternoon, 322 Williams ave.

BUSINESS FOR SALE; NO COMPETITION; U. S. patent ventilating hygienic hat; cheap, light, handsome, new; novel; prevents baldness and catarrh. F 72, care Oregonian.

A BARGAIN — A GOOD-PAYING SALOON for sale in Portland's business center, on account party leaving city. For information call at 203½ Yamhill st.

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