AN AFRICAN REMOUNT CAMP

Our Cowboys Brag, but, Like Our Bronchos, They Also Perform.

London Mail.

Where Afric's sunny fountains
Roll down their golden sand.

Bishop Heber did not know South Africa. Whatever may be the natural features of the country to the north of Zambesi—there may be sunny fountains and golden sand—to the south of that grand river sunny fountains and golden sand are so rare that few have seen them. The principal rivers in Cape Colony, Natal, and the new sister colonies too frequently assume the appearance and consistency of pea soup. When the pea soup period terminates the rivers dry up or dwindle into a driblet of water in a wild waste of rocks or of dreary stretches of yellow sand.

Naauwpoort as a township, or camp, is Euclid's definition of a line in tin, wood, and brick—it is length without breadth. The houses stand mostly in a long strip on each side of the railway; from south to north they would not exceed a mile in length. Tents, piles of straw, hay, provisions, wood, ammunition, are to be seen within the town. If the Boers look down from the top of some neighboring kop, their mouths must water at the sight of so many eatables for man and beast.

Not only is Naauwpoort a center for military operations and for provisions, it is one of the main remount depots in the midlands of Cape Colony. At the present moment there are something over 3000 horses here, and their numbers are being steadily added to. Thousands of horses from the United States, South America, and Australia, not to mention the hardy Afrikanders, have passed through this remount department. Whole regiments of cavalry, not one regiment, but threes and fours together, pass through and are supplied with fresh mounts. Men who have spent years on the ranches of Arizona and in other states are to be found in this remount department—men who shave and wash once a month, whether they require it or not, they say—who give a strong nasal accompaniment to their spirited conversation, and who seem to be never so happy as when mounted on an unbroken colt or tricky filly. One from Arizona, whose acquaintance I made—Buck T— his name was—rode what he called a bronco; a dark brown beast, whose coat seemingly never saw brush or comb. This was the animal which had performed wondrous feats "out West" and was ready to repeat them.

At the remount department the wilder horses are broken and accustomed to the saddle. When the remount horses are taken out for exercise, it is not in twos and threes, but in troops of many hundreds. A thousand splendid semi-wild horses tearing across the veldt at full gallop form a magnificent spectacle. It is when handling a great number of horses like this that the skill and daring and the extraordinary prowess of horsemanship of the "boys" from the West are seen. They may brag, but they can perform.

DAILY METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Dec. 29.—Maximum temperature, 38; minimum temperature, 29; river reading, 11 A. M., 3.5 feet; change in 24 hours, —0.7 feet; total precipitation, 5 P. M. to 5 P. M., none; total precipitation since September 1, 1901, 14.46 inches; normal precipitation since September 1, 1901, 18.77 inches; deficiency, 4.31 inches; total sunshine December 28, 1901, none; possible sunshine December 28, 1901, 8 hours 42 minutes.

PACIFIC COAST WEATHER.

STATIONS.	Max. temp.	Precipitation last 12 hours	Wind. Velocity	Wind. Direction	State of weather
Astoria	40	0.00	8	NE	Clear
Baker City	36	0.00	*	NW	Clear
Bismarck	40	0.00	6	W	Clear
Boise	40	0.00	*	W	Clear
Eureka	54	0.00	*	NW	Pt. cloudy
Helena	46	0.00	*	W	Clear
Kamloops, B. C.	40	0.00	*	SE	Pt. cloudy
Neah Bay	44	0.00	14	E	Cloudy
Pocatello	38	0.00	*	S	Clear
Portland	38	0.00	12	NW	Clear
Red Bluff	62	0.00	*	W	Pt. cloudy
Roseburg	54	0.00	*	E	Cloudy
Sacramento	50	0.00	*	NE	Cloudy
Salt Lake	34	0.00	*	NW	Clear
San Francisco	58	0.00	*	N	Clear
Spokane	38	0.00	6	.....	Pt cloudy
Seattle	40	0.00	*	NW	Cloudy
Walla Walla	42	0.00	*	SW	Clear

*Light.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

There has been a general fall in pressure in the states west of the Rocky Mountains during the past 24 hours, and a storm is apparently approaching this district from the ocean.

Fair, cool weather has prevailed today in the Pacific Northwest, and it is generally clear this evening in this district, except in Western Oregon and Northwestern Washington, where it is foggy.

Temperature changes during the last 24 hours have been small and unimportant.

The indications are for cloudy weather in this district Monday, with showers in Western Oregon and Washington.

WEATHER FORECASTS.

Forecasts made at Portland at 8 P. M. for 28 hours ending midnight, December 30:

Portland and vicinity—Increasing cloudiness with showers; southerly winds.

Oregon—Cloudy to partly cloudy, with showers in west portion; winds mostly southerly.

Washington—Increasing cloudiness, followed by showers; southerly winds.

Idaho—Monday, fair south; showers north portion; southerly winds, except in south portion, where they will be variable.

A. B. WOLLABER,
Acting Forecast Official.

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," 10 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.

AUCTION SALES TODAY.

At residence, Mt. Tabor, Hunter Station, 10 A. M. S. L. N. Gilman, Auctioneers.

Today, at residence, 353 Glisan street, near 16th st., at 10 A. M. Geo. Baker & Co., Auctioneers.

MEETING NOTICES.

A. & A. S. RITE.—A general meeting of the order will be held tomorrow evening, at 8 o'clock, to consider a subject of the greatest importance. It is expected that every member who can do so will attend.

PRESIDING OFFICER.

DIED.

LITCHFIELD—In this city, 660 Washington street, December 30, 1901, Albert H. Litchfield, aged 36 years. Funeral notice later.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

CARLSON—In this city, December 29, 1901, at the family residence, 763 Albina avenue, Allen W. Carlson, aged 10 years 11 months and 6 days. Funeral services will be held from the residence today, at 10 A. M. Services private. 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. D.

AMUSEMENTS.

MARQUAM GRAND THEATER—CALVIN Heilig, Manager. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday nights, December 30, 31, January 1, with a New Year's day matinee, Mr. Jefferson de Angelis, in "A ROYAL ROGUE," an operatic comedy. Evening prices—Lower floor, except last three rows, $1.50; last three rows, $1. Balcony, first three rows, $1; second three rows, 75c; last six rows, 50c. Gallery, first two rows, 85c; all seats in rear, 25c. Boxes and loges, $10. New Year's day matinee prices—Entire parquette, $1; entire parquette circle, 75c; entire balcony, 50c; gallery, first two rows, 35c; all seats in rear, 25c; boxes and loges, $7.50. Seats now selling.

CORDRAY'S THEATER—

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING SUNDAY, DEC. 29. MATINEES NEW YEAR'S AND SATURDAY.
HARRY BERESFORD,
Under sole management of J. J. Coleman, in
Geo. H. Broadhurst's
BEST FARCICAL COMEDY,
"THE WRONG MR. WRIGHT."
"THE WRONG MR. WRIGHT."
"THE WRONG MR. WRIGHT."
A CONTINUOUS LAUGH.

THE BAKER THEATER—Geo. L. Baker, Mgr. Phones Oregon North 1076. Columbia 506.

All this week, special matinee New Year's day. Hundreds turned away yesterday. The real comedy hit of the year,

"THE IRISH PAWNBROKERS,"
With Mazie Trumbull
and the two American Macs.

Nothing but fun. All smiles. Evening prices, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Matinee prices, 10c, 20c, 30c.

FREDERICKSBURG MUSIC HALL—

SEVENTH AND ALDER STREETS

DE CAPRIO'S ORCHESTRA.

FLYNN'S LONDON GAIETY GIRLS,
In Burlesque.

Armless Wonder.
HUBER.

NEW TODAY.

FRIEDMAN BROS.' SHOE CO., ST. LOUIS; samples shown at room 710 Dekum bldg., 3d, cor. Wash., until Jan. 5. R. R. fare paid. W. L. Philp, rep.

MORTGAGE LOANS
On improved city and farm property, at lowest current rates. Building loans. Installment loans. MacMaster & Birrell, 311 Worcester blk.

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

MONTAGUE & KING, 226 STARK STREET, offer bargains in improved and unimproved real estate in central locations in the city, and homes in suburbs, at very low prices.

A partial list includes:

A 12-room modern house, choice location, near car line; house two stories and attic, cement cellar; attractive grounds, with fruit trees and shrubbery; for $20,000. See this if you want a fine home, in excellent condition.

For $14,000—Choice dwelling, 12 rooms, finely finished in hardwood, fine grounds, on one of the best streets in the city.

In South Portland—House of 8 rooms, well finished, lot 100x100 feet, sightly and central, $3200.

On Yamhill street—Two houses, one of 10 and one 9 rooms, lot 100x100 feet, beautiful location, $10,000.

House of 6 rooms and one lot on Thurman st., a bargain for $2500.

In suburbs—A fine 5-room cottage, lot 50x100, $800.

In East Portland, on Hawthorne ave.—Five lots at $500 each, and two blocks in rear north of Hawthorne ave.; lots at $250 each.

In Lincoln Park—25 lots at $125 to $250 each.

In Holladay's Addition—Lots at $800 each.

In Portland (West Side)—Lots on Willamette Heights, choice lots, on macadamized street, with sewerage, gas, electricity and city water; no building restrictions; at from $1000 to $1500 each.

In Goldsmith's Addition—Lots at $1900 to $2100; fine locations.

Two lots on 23d, between Kearney and Lovejoy, $4000.

On Salmon and Nartilla streets, King's First Addition, close in—Lots at from $1500 to $2000.

Houses rented, and a general rental and collecting agency for real estate.

MONTAGUE & KING, 226 Stark st.

Why pay rent when the Oregon Mutual Home Society will buy you a $1000 home? You can pay installment $5.35 per month, without interest. Full particulars at 606 Commercial building, city. Telephone South 1091.

FOR SALE—90 ACRES OF LAND, ONLY 8 miles from the city; very rich soil, well watered; only one mile from R. R.; will sell in 10, 20 or 30-acre lots. C. F. Plympton, Agent, Alisky building.

HOUSE, 8 ROOMS; VERY DESIRABLE AND strictly modern; just being completed; Al location, West Side; for sale at a bargain. Apply to owner, 107 Sherlock building.

THE WHOLE OR PART OF 48-ACRE FRUIT farm; partly in city limits of Portland; convenient to street-car; suitable to plat; a snap. M. Billings, 229 Morrison st.

MOUNT SCOTT REAL ESTATE OFFICE, Lents, Or. All kinds property cheap. Take Mount Scott car; fare 5 cents. O. R. Addition.

$25 LOTS ON ST. JOHNS CAR LINE; HIGH, sightly and level; a limited number only. Brown, 392 Washington st.

SNAP—EASY TERMS, 440 ACRES OF LAND, house, 2 barns; $2000. M 61, care Oregonian.

SNAP — VACANT LOT, 10TH AND HALL, $1800. Phone Main 44.

FOR SALE—FARMS.

A SNAP! $3000 FOR 30 ACRES, 40 IN CULTIVATION, house and barn, beautiful orchard, very productive place, only nine miles from Portland; 161 acres, all in cultivation, good house and barn, fine orchard, one mile from creamery and railroad station, only 12 miles from Portland; $60 per acre. Charleson & Staub, 245½ Morrison, room 12.

168 ACRES, 120 ACRES IN CULTIVATION, balance pasture, under good fence, soil rich black loam, good buildings, 4 miles to railroad station, Polk County, a special bargain; $30 per acre. I have other farms for sale ranging in size from 40 acres to 880, and in price from $6.50 to $35. W. O. Waddel, 205½ Morrison st.

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 MacMaster & Birrell, 311 Worcester block.

FOR RENT—FARMS.

RANCH FOR RENT—15 ACRES IN CULTIVATION; 1000 cords of wood; 2000 railroad ties to cut, ½ miles from railroad station. 171½ Front st., room 2.

FOR RENT—10 ACRES BY GRESHAM, very cheap. Call at 33 North 6th, after 8 P. M.

TO EXCHANGE.

WILL TRADE SEATTLE AND CHEHALIS property and cash for stock of merchandise. Wm. Murphy, Chehalis, Wash.

EXCHANGE—FINE GOLD WATCH FOR BICYCLE; must be a good wheel. 773 X st.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

SEWING MACHINE CLEARING SALE—149 new machines will be sold at 20 per cent discount. Wheeler & Wilson, New Domestic, Conquest and Service machines. Sale begins Monday, Dec. 30, and ends Feb. 1, 1902. S. S. Sigel, Agent, 335 Morrison st., cor. Seventh, Marquam building, Portland, Or.

FOR SALE—FOUR HORSES, 1400 POUNDS each, fine condition; two sets heavy harness; one Studebaker wagon, 3-inch skein and 3-inch tire, Maxwell & Knapp, room 2 Chamber of Commerce, Portland, Or.

KEEP WARM THESE COLD NIGHTS AND order your coal from Western Feed & Fuel Co., 154 Fifth st. north. Both phones. All kinds coal. Prompt delivery.

AN ELEGANT LOT OF SINGER, NEW Home and White machines, used a short time, at a great bargain. J. S. Crane, 350 Morrison st., Lewis bldg.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, BEAUTIFUL BLACK walnut combination folding bed, with mirror, mattress and bedding, complete. Call 545 4th st., city.

New TYPEWRITERS, all makes, RENTED and SOLD. Expert repairing. Office supplies. Coast Agency Co., 205½ Stark st.

FOR SALE—ANGORA GOATS (BILLIES, bannies and wethers); also Cotswold sheep (rams and ewes). Edward L. Naylor, Forest Grove, Or.

SAFES — ONE HALL, 1800 POUNDS; ONE Diebold, 1500 pounds; one National, 1300 pounds. 205 Second st.

ONE GENERAL ELECTRIC MOTOR, FIVE-horse power; in perfect order. Call S. L. Brown, 15 Union ave.

Wolfstein buys and sells all kinds wagons, buggies, harness, farm implements. 227 Front.

4 upright pianos, $125; 2, $40 each; square, $10; organ, $5 to $35. Upstairs, 104½ First st.

FURNITURE OF ONE FURNISHED BEDroom for sale. Room 6, 23½ Union ave.

BOOKS BOUGHT, SOLD AND EXCHANGED at the Old Book Store, 220 Yamhill.

FOR SALE—ONE JERSEY COW AND TWO heifers. 27 East 15th S.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

R. R. SHOVELERS, $2; TEAMSTERS, $2; fallers; bucksrs; barkers; swampers; buckers, 50c per M.; planer and sticker man, $3; 2 mill carpenters, $2.50; yard men, $1.75; 6 men and teams, R. R., $4; 4, city, $4; one haul wood, 50c cord; machinists and patternmakers, $3 to $3.50; land clearers, $60 acre; woodchoppers, 80c to $1; farm hands and milkers, $20 to $25. Canadian Employment Co., 226½ Morrison. Branches, 247 Burnside and 51 North Third.

WANTED—COMPETENT SKILLED HELP IN all lines of clerical work, both sexes, to register with us; selections made daily. Now called for: First-class bookkeeper; office boy, good penman for large firm; A1 clothing salesman and others; no fee until situation is secured. Investigate. Clerks' Registration Bureau, Labbe bldg.

WE want men in this city and throughout the state who have had experience as solicitors in life insurance or kindred lines, with references and records as producers; to such we give liberal contract; large income assured to workers; mornings. American Investment Co., Inc.; branch office, 2 Chamber of Com.

WANTED FOR U. S. 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. For information apply to Recruiting Officer, Third and Stark sts., Portland, Or.

Red Cross Employment Offices, 128 First st., furnishes good and reliable help free to the employer. All women's work free. A big, modern employment bureau, well located. Oregon telephone Grant 811, Columbia 487.

CAPABLE BUSINESS MEN TO REPRESENT a strong financial institution; only men of good address and ability need apply; liberal contract; advancement. 30-31 Hamilton bldg.

Men to learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required. Positions guaranteed. Tools donated. Wages earned while learning. Catalogue free. Moler Barber College, San Francisco.

TWO MEN, WITH EXPERIENCE IN SOLICITING life insurance, for old-line company; state references. P 55, care Oregonian.

HEADQUARTERS FOR COOKS, WAITERS and bartenders. California Wine Depot, 148 Fourth. Peter Loratl, proprietor.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SALESMAN; BIG wages; city and country. 215 Commercial blk.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

COOK, SMALL CAMP, $25, CALL SUNDAY; cooks, R.-H. and hotels, $30 to $40; waitress, Heppner, $18 to $20, fare paid; waitresses, city, $15 to $18; housework and plenty of other work. Canadian Parlors, 226½ Morrison.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS COOK; NONE other need apply; no children; keep second girl. Apply cor. St. Clair and Wayne, Mrs. R. L. Durham.

WANTED—GIRL FOR SECOND WORK AND sewing; also one for cooking and general housework. Apply in morning, 332 10th, cor. Market.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL IN COOKING and general housework; three in family; good wages. Apply 95 20th st., corner Flanders, Monday.

WANTED—50 GIRLS FOR BUCKINGHAM Concert Hall, Tacoma, Wash; fares advanced. Bohemian, 4th, near Wash., room 7.

ALL KINDS OF EMPLOYMENT FOR YOUNG women may be obtained at the Employment Bureau of the Y. W. C. A., Macleay bldg.

IMMEDIATELY — COMPETENT SECOND girls, cooks and housekeepers. St. Louis Agency, 230½ Yamhill. Phone Black 2881.

THOSE IN NEED OF WORK CALL AT THE Girls' Club, Mrs. Porter, President, room 18 Russel building, Fourth and Morrison.

TWO EXPERIENCED WOMEN COOKS FOR hotel, first and second. For particulars call at 71 North Ninth st.

WANTED—A LADY TO TAKE CARE OF boy, one year old; terms moderate. Y 60, care Oregonian.

WANTED—COMPETENT COOK; NONE OTHER need apply; references required. 190 King street.

WANTED—GIRL FOR COOKING AND GENERAL housework; no washing. Apply 221 N. 24th.

ACME EMP. BUREAU, 185 MORRISON. Help free to employers. Phone North 2381, Col. 287.

AMATEUR SINGER WANTED; SALARY $25 week. Newman's Theat. Agency, 7th & Alder.

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; good wages. 234 10th st.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework. Apply 146 North 17th st.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO ASSIST IN light housework. Apply 348 7th st.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply 425 Tenth, corner Hall.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply 871 Corbett st.

COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply to 369 10th st.

GIRL WANTED TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork. 128 N. 17th st.

WANTED—GIRL TO WORK IN HOTEL Rhein. 232 Front st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

Bookkeepers and Clerks.

WANTED — BY TRAVELING SALESMAN, well acquainted with trade in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, two or three good lines; salary or commission. F 55, care Oregonian.

CIGAR SALESMAN, WITH ESTABLISHED trade with large dealers who buy direct from factories. Address, with full particulars, H. C. Fisher, Fisher bldg., Chicago.

WANTED—POSITION BY A RELIABLE, EXperienced bookkeeper, collector or solicitor. Q 56, Oregonian.

Miscellaneous.

ARE YOU IN NEED OF A MAN YOU CAN put anywhere in your mill or shop, running, repairing or building and setting up any kind of machinery for working wood, or at office work, salesman or collector, or in your store? Would act as traveling salesman, or would consider a proposition of taking charge of a business for a share of the profits. Address J 48, care Oregonian.

YOUNG MAN, MARRIED, OF SOBER, INdustrious habits, desires position in office or store; thorough business education; five years' experience in general merchandise; especially anxious to enter employ of wholesale grocery house; willing to work and begin at the bottom; good city and country references given; personal interview solicited. Address P 60, care Oregonian.

WANTED—POSITION IN WASHINGTON OR Oregon by teacher of wide experience, with good references; any grade, tenth down. Address E 55, Oregonian.

STUDENT ATTENDING SCHOOL WANTS A position as a janitor in office or light work in evening. N 60, care Oregonian.

GOOD JAPANESE BOY WANTS COOK, help do housework, small wages, in family. 231 Burnside st.

JAPANESE BOY WANTS SITUATION TO DO cooking and housework in family. 65 North 30 st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Bookkeepers and Stenographers.

ACCURATE AND RELIABLE YOUNG LADY stenographer; five years' experience, desires position; can furnish A1 reference. A 58, Oregonian.

WANTED—LETTERS TO WRITE OR ANY stenographic work, by experienced stenographer; work done reasonably. G 57, Oregonian.

COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER WOULD like permanent position or partial day engagements. L 59, Oregonian.

STENOGRAPHER—OPEN FOR POSITION January 1; three years' experience; best of references. P 56, Oregonian.

Housekeepers.

A CAPABLE, ENERGETIC WOMAN WOULD like position as housekeeper, nurse to invalid lady, traveling companion or seamstress; locality no object. Good city references. W 58, Oregonian.

WANTED — 100 LADIES TO WEAR THE "Ultra" $3.50 shoe. "It's comfortable" and fit for a Queen. M. Billings, 229 Morrison st., between First and Second.

Dressmakers.

DRESSMAKING AND PLAIN SEWING AT your homes or 107½ Third st., room 4. Shirt waists specialty.

Miscellaneous.

WANTED—POSITION TO DO GENERAL housework by good girl; no washing. 246 North 17th, corner Morrison.

WANTED—BY YOUNG LADY, A POSITION to work for room and board with elderly couple. B 54, Oregonian.

WANTED—WORK BY DAY. PHONE CLAY 144, or 133 Meade st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

Miscellaneous.

SITUATION WANTED BY YOUNG GIRL TO assist in housework; small wages. G 60, care Oregonian.

WANTED AGENTS.

PROFITABLE WORK OFFERED AGENTS in every town to secure subscriptions to the Ladies' Home Journal and the Saturday Evening Post. We want agents who will work thoroughly and with business system to cover each section with our illustrated little booklets and other advertising matter, and to look sharply after renewals from old subscribers. The pay is first rate, and at the end of the season $20,000 will be given the best workers as extra prizes for good work. How well some of our agents have succeeded is told in a little booklet we would like to send you—portraits of some of our best agents, with the story of how they made it pay. The Curtis Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED—NICE PLACE TO BOARD AND room by lady employed, with heat, light, use of phone, mantel bed; West Side; central; not exceed $20 a month. F 57, Oregonian.

WANT TO RENT—SEVEN-ROOMED MODern house; West Side; possession March 1; permanent tenant. Postoffice box 716.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIVATE family by young man; references first-class. Address D 60, Oregonian.

WANTED—THREE OR FOUR UNFURnished housekeeping rooms. Address O 60, Oregonian.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

ZIMMERMAN, 214 FIRST ST., WILL PAY more than any one for second-hand furniture and stoves. Will also take same in trade for new goods. Phone North 1046.

WANTED TO LEASE FOR FOUR OR FIVE years, one or two corner lots between Holladay ave. and E. Burnside st., along car line. E 59, care Oregonian.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR MEN'S CASToff clothing and shoes. 62 North 3d. Phone Hood 517. Orders promptly attended to.

WANTED — ONE-HORSE DELIVERY COVered wagon, light. Apply 201 Chapman st. Phone North 486.

WANTED—TO BUY A GOOD SECOND-HAND hall rack. B 51, Oregonian.

FOR RENT.

Rooms.

THE PALMER HOUSE, S. E. COR. PARK and Alder sts., formerly the Spalding; under new management; the most complete apartment-house in the Northwest; steam heat, gas, porcelain baths, every modern convenience; rates 75c per day and upward. Furnished housekeeping suites a specialty.

PORTLAND WOMEN'S UNION; 14TH YEAR; rooms, with board; use of sewing-room; use of library; Woman's Exchange; Industrial School. Address Mrs. C. E. George, Superintendent, 519 Flanders st.

THE PLEASANTON, 288½ Third st.—Fine furnished rooms, en suite, single or housekeeping; sunlight in all rooms; most reasonable terms. Transient solicited. Phone South 251.

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

The La Porte, 170½ Third, cor. Yamhill—First-class, clean, neat rooms, $1.25 per week up; transient, 25c day up; transient solicited.

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT PARLOR, with sleeping-room; also single rooms; private family; heat, bath. 255 5th st.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOM—EXCELLENT location; every convenience; reasonable. 312 Clay, near Sixth. Phone West 557.

WELL - FURNISHED FRONT ALCOVE room; all conveniences; rent reasonable; suitable for two gentlemen. 256 11th.

THE BONITA — ELEGANT FURNISHED suite, suitable for 2 or 4 gentlemen; also single room. 89 7th, near Stark.

ONE OR TWO ROOMS, ON FIRST FLOOR, partly furnished, with privilege of cooking; ladies only. D 55, Oregonian.

FOR RENT—LARGE, NEWLY FURNISHED front room; small private family; one block from car line. 707 First.

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ALCOVE room and kitchen; gas, bath and phone; no children. 533 Yamhill.

MANHATTAN COURT; NEW BRICK BUILDing, steam heat, new furniture. 311½ Stark.

ROOM WITH ALCOVE, SOUTHERN EXposure. 395 Morrison st., corner 10th.

NEATLY FURNISHED ROOM, SUITABLE for one or two. 431 Salmon st.

Rooms With Board.

FURNISHED FRONT ROOM FOR TWO, with board or use of kitchen; also two unfurnished housekeeping rooms; terms reasonable. Address J 61, care Oregonian.

THE COLONIAL, SELECT FAMILY HOTEL, 165 10th st.—Suite, second floor, front; also single room; table and service first class.

COMFORTABLE ROOMS AND GOOD BOARD; terms reasonable; permanent boarders wanted. 215 12th st., cor. Salmon.

NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH OR without board. 34 East Pine, corner 7th; private family.

FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, DOWN STAIRS, with board; also table board. 93 11th st.

FOR RENT—ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT board. 350 Madison, cor. Park.

BOARD AND ROOM, PRIVATE FAMILY. 180 16th, near Taylor.

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD, 225 Eleventh.

Housekeeping Rooms.

886 CORBETT ST.—THREE NICELY FURnished housekeeping rooms, with bath, on Third st. car line, opposite Children's Home; private family; reasonable rent; no children.

FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED ROOMS; light housekeeping; use of phone, bath and storeroom; references. 160 Grand ave. north.

$10 PER MONTH, WITH WATER AND TELephone; 3-room flat; pantry and woodshed; furnished for housekeeping. 669 Hood st.

CHEAPEST FURNISHED AND UNFURnished housekeeping rooms in city. 204½ Washington, and 301½ Water St.

FOR RENT—NEWLY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms; small private family; one block from car line. 707 First.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPing, with use of bath. 295 17th st., corner Columbia.

92 17TH, COR. FLANDERS — FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; private family; no children.

The Graham, 545½ Wash.—Sunny suites; gas ranges, porcelain bath, etc. Telephone free.

FOR RENT—JAN. 1, FOR 2 MONTHS, 3 nice housekeeping rooms. Call 545 4th st.

84 TENTH ST.—FOUR NICELY FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; hot and cold water.

FINE FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms; steam heat and gas. 95 11th.

TWO OR THREE FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms. 187 West Park st.

Houses.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Proposals Invited.

PROPOSALS FOR OATS—DEPOT QUARTERmaster's Office, 36 New Montgomery St., San Francisco, Cal., December 24, 1901.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., January 8, 1902, Pacific standard time, and then opened, for furnishing 4000 tons oats, subject to increase of 50 per cent if desired by this department. Preference will be given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of price and quality being equal (including in the price of foreign production and manufacture the duty thereon), and such preference will be given to articles of American production and manufacture produced on the Pacific Coast to the extent of the consumption required by the public service there. The United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Information and blanks for proposals will be furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals will be indorsed "Proposals for Oats," and addressed MAJOR C. P. MILLER, Quartermaster, U. S. A., Depot Quartermaster.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL RECEIVE sealed bids for the purchase of the Max Barrell stock of merchandise, located at No. 169 First street, Portland, Or., consisting of boots and shoes, rubber goods, furnishing goods and clothing, of the inventory price of about twelve thousand dollars ($12,000), together with fixtures used in connection with said stock, until 12 o'clock, January 3, 1902. Certified check for 10 per cent of amount bid must accompany each bid. Inventory may be seen on application at my office. Property subject to inspection during business hours. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

R. L. SABIN,
Trustee Estate of Max Barrell, in Bankruptcy, Front and Ankeny sts., Portland, Or.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Lighthouse Engineer, Portland, Or., until 12 o'clock M., Jan. 14, 1902, and then opened, for erection of light station at Lincoln Rock, Alaska, in accordance with specifications and drawings, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information, may be had upon application to W. C. LANGFITT, Captain, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A., Engineer 13th Lighthouse District.

FRENCH BARK HENRIETTE, AT PRESENT sunk in Astoria Harbor—Proposals wanted to list vessel alongside dock or to beach her, to enable discharge to go on. Proposals also wanted for discharging necessary cargo, at rate per thousand feet. Both proposals to be submitted in writing by 2 P. M., Dec. 31, 1901, to Kerr, Gifford & Co., Portland, Or.

Stockholders' Meeting.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING — NOTICE TO Stockholders of the Portland City & Oregon Railway Company—Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the Portland City & Oregon Railway Company that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of said company will be held at the office of the company, in the City of Portland, Or., on Tuesday, the 14th day of January, 1902, at eleven (11:00) o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and to transact such other and further business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated at Portland, Or., this 25th day of December, 1901.

W. H. HURLBURT, President.
W. T. MUIR, Secretary.

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