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Tonight's mail out of Portland will carry one of the largest single consignments ever sent out by the Commercial Club. The shipment will weigh two tons and will cost \$50 in postage.

The largest part of the consignment will consist of 5000 copies of the New Year's Oregonian, which were donated to further the publicity work of the Commercial Club by H. L. Pitcock, manager of The Oregonian.

Letter of Mr. Pitcock.

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 22, 1906.—Mr. Theodore B. Wilcox, Commercial Club, Committee, Portland, Ore.: I take pleasure in notifying you that the Commercial Club, at the disposal of Mr. Richardson, 5000 copies of the New Year's Oregonian for 1907. The value of these papers is \$1000.00. To accept these papers as a contribution from The Oregonian, in furthering the publicity work of the Portland Commercial Club, work that has been so ably directed by Mr. Richardson for a number of years past.

# BIND INMATES AND PILLAGE DWELLING

Trio of Burglars Rob Home of W. W. Beardsley in Center Addition.

MAKE HAUL OF \$85 CASH

Aged Couple and Hired Girl Tied on Bed With Clothesline and Told to Make No Outcry on Pain of Death.

While burglars were preparing to bind and gag Mrs. W. W. Beardsley, an aged invalid, after ransacking the house from top to bottom and secur-



DIAGRAM ILLUSTRATING HOW W. W. BEARDSLEY'S STORE AT CLAREMONT AND EAST FLANDERS STREETS WAS ROBBED.

The burglars entered the upper store room window. At the point of a pistol they forced Lucy Carrington, a domestic, to descend the stairs into Mrs. Beardsley's bedroom. There they bound the three with their hands and feet and then rifled the cash drawer of \$85, finding nothing in the safe. They then left the store by the front door.

# GIVE BENEFIT CARD PARTY

Women's Club to Raise Money for Educational Loan Fund.

At the meeting of the Women's Club yesterday arrangements were completed for the benefit card party which is to be given next Friday afternoon in 52½ St. Mary's church. The committee contributing to the educational loan fund of the State Federation. This is considered one of the most worthy objects of the club over worked for, as it will help educate the young women of the state and help them to secure a better position in life.

# NEW BRANCH ESTABLISHED

Portland Public Library Takes Over Sellwood Association.

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The Portland Library Association has taken over all the affairs of the Sellwood Library Association, and the library and reading-room on Umatilla avenue is now under the charge of the association. This relieves the Sellwood Library Association, which started the reading-room, from further responsibility. The library took place the first of the year. It is the intention of the extension committee of the Portland Library Association to obtain the present quarters, rent the building and provide it with 1000 books, together with reference books, place in charge a capable librarian and keep it open in the afternoons and evenings every day. To provide for keeping 1000 books, additional shelves will be furnished and probably the entire lower portion of the building will be occupied. The back room will be reserved as a study-room and the front room will be used as at present for a general reading-room. This is the first step toward making the Sellwood library a permanent branch with a book depository. The Sellwood Library Association, which has maintained this library under difficulties suc-

# MAPS OF GREAT VALUE

State Should Aid Government in Topographic Survey Work.

Portland, Jan. 11.—(To the Editor.)—Professors of the State of Oregon should give their support to the measure to appropriate \$250,000 a year to be used by the United States Geological Survey to complete the topographic map of the state. These maps are of great value and are the advantage of being absolutely correct and reliable, and when published, they can be secured on an individual basis for 5 cents each, whereas the work has been created at a cost of \$100,000 a year. At the present time Oregon is down on the list of states which have active topographic maps. It is believed that the result that the Government has surveyed and published maps of 120 quadrangles in that state, and is rapidly completing more areas, while Oregon has but 10 to her credit. To any one who has ever used the maps, their usefulness is at once apparent. They are a treasure to the geologist, and a great detail of the country represented. The geological folios are complete and give all details of topography, geology, soil, etc. The sheets are in a convenient size and are of great value to the geologist, farmer, etc. The maps are of great value and are the advantage of being absolutely correct and reliable, and when published, they can be secured on an individual basis for 5 cents each, whereas the work has been created at a cost of \$100,000 a year. At the present time Oregon is down on the list of states which have active topographic maps. It is believed that the result that the Government has surveyed and published maps of 120 quadrangles in that state, and is rapidly completing more areas, while Oregon has but 10 to her credit. To any one who has ever used the maps, their usefulness is at once apparent. They are a treasure to the geologist, and a great detail of the country represented. The geological folios are complete and give all details of topography, geology, soil, etc. The sheets are in a convenient size and are of great value to the geologist, farmer, etc.

# GOOD WORK FOR CHARITY

German Aid Society Receives Annual Reports—Officers are Elected.

The following officers have been elected by the German Aid Society for the ensuing year: President, J. Schmalz; vice-president, Charles J. Schmalz; secretary, C. H. Schmalz; treasurer, J. Schmalz; trustees for three years, John Griebel and Wilhelm Isensee; revisors, C. H. Schmalz, Wagner, and Wilhelm Isensee. The annual reports of the trustees and agents of the German Aid Society for the past year for their treasury for benevolent purposes—care of needy families, clothing, provisions, medicines, etc. \$116. In addition to donations of \$60 to the Children's Home and \$200 to the San Francisco relief fund. Since the society was organized in the year 1871 its benevolent work has been most successful. Carefully enough, only a small percentage of the good work done by the society is known to the public. Contributions to the society membership consist of \$3 monthly dues of 25 cents, and particulars of the work can be obtained from the President, J. Schmalz, or the secretary, C. H. Schmalz, or the treasurer, J. Schmalz. The society is now saving those participating in its benevolent work from becoming public charges.

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# DRINKS ALL HE WANTS

And Drinks It Whenever He Wants It.

"I want what I want when I want it." A Michigan man, who perhaps never heard Postum along the way, wrote the other day concerning Postum Food Coffee. "I am well and hearty. I drink all the Postum cereal coffee I want and whenever I want it. The more I drink the better I feel."

"I was broken down in health with acid dyspepsia, as the doctors called it; had been sick for five years and failing all the time. I would drink coffee for breakfast and then blow up, my stomach would be so full of acid I'd belch up gas and have the water break."

"Then would come heart burn, and a burning and cramping in my stomach, all night would keep me awake. Then I'd go to two or three days without eating, with some improvement. But as soon as I would eat anything and drink coffee, I'd be as bad as ever."

"About three months ago I got so bad I thought I'd have to stop everything. I had read about Postum and when I read I told my wife not to make any more for a while. I thought I'd see for myself."

"In two days I was well without coffee and I was as good as cured. The doctor (The reaction of the coffee drug) I bought a package of Postum and my wife made it strictly according to directions. You should see such the effect. The whole family now use Postum, and I haven't sour stomach or bloating, rest well at night, am well and hearty. I even eat my food. I don't get any more of that coffee."

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Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book "The Road to Wellville" in page 7.

# CARS TAKE FIRE FROM OIL

THE DALLIES OR, Jan. 11.—(Special.)—Two cars loaded with kerosene and oil, which were being hauled by the O. R. & N. line were burned near Wyeth this morning, becoming ignited from oil which had leaked from an engine. For a while the whole train was surrounded by the flames, until the burning cars could be cut out.

# OAK GROVE CLUB MEETS.

Judge M. G. Munly of Portland, ad-

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# TONIGHT



MME. Steinway Piano

The World's Greatest Contralto, will sing at the Armony tonight, and will give a magnificent programme, assisted by the incomparable Steinway Piano

And a mammoth pipe organ. It was the ideal of the Messrs. Steinway, away back in the early years of the last century, to produce an instrument capable of effectively blending its tones and at the same time assisting such wonderful singers in the rendition of the music they may select. The successful accomplishment of this object, together with the production of a piano that could at the same time withstand all the demands of the world's most famous pianists, is an answer in itself of why the Steinway stands today and has always stood as the criterion of all piano manufacturers. The Companioning Pipe Organ to be used tonight has been selected by the Madame because of its adaptability in accompanying certain numbers of her programme in which the best effect can only be obtained on a pipe instrument of its character, and the "House of Quality" is certainly to be congratulated on having this famous singer select both of the instruments for her use from them. But this is merely characteristic of the world they have in stock. The Madame also selected a small Baby Grand for her use during her stay at the Portland. These instruments can be seen after the concert at the Messrs. Sherman, Clay & Co.'s warerooms, corner of Sixth and Morrison.

dressed the Oak Grove Improvement Association Thursday night on the work of Mr. E. Cone, Fred Harris, Sr., J. Broetje, Charles Hingman, Thomas L. Moore, L. G. Allen, and others. The following committees were appointed: Transportation, H. Lett, J. Story, Judge M. G. Munly, Dr. McIntyre. Public utilities, E. Cone, Fred Harris, Sr., J. Broetje, Charles Hingman, Thomas L. Moore, L. G. Allen, and others.

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