married at the home of the bride's par-Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. B. Gillis and Miss Gertrude of Salem, are visiting with Mr and Mrs. Robert Burkhart, of this city.

Roseburg.

W. W. Cardwell has returned from Miss Kate Buick returned Friday from a visit in Portland.

Mrs. Claude Grimes is visitling relatives in Grant's Pass. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Sherman left this week for their home in Portland. Frank 8, Godfrey left Tuesday for Portland, where he will probably lo-

Mrs. Birdie McKinstry, of Portland, is

visitiing here with her father. H. C. Burb Brockway returned Sunday from

three months' visit at his old home Ripley, N. Y. Mrs. J. H. Minkler has gone to San Jose, Cal., on a visit to her daughter, who resides at that place.

Mrs. W. Cochran and daughter, Miss Cochran, of Portland, have arrived and will remain here permanently.

Mrs. Hannah Josephson left on Wednesday evening's train for a visit with her children, who are attending school in San Francisco.

Wednesday evening, Judge M. D. Thompson united in marriage Mr. as Bledsoe, of Leona, and Miss Eva Spencer, of Drain. The groom is in-terested in the lumbering business at Leons, while the bride is one of Drain's most esteemed young ladies. The new couple took the midnight train for Portwhere they will spend their honey-

Baker City.

M. L. Crawford, returned last week from Portland with his bride,

Mrs. W. C. Cowgill left a few days since to visit her sister in Portland, Mrs. J. Thomas Anderson arrived in the city a few days ago, and will remain several weeks, visiting her mother, Mrs. I. B. Bowen, Sr.

Mrs. Stockbridge, daughter of Mrs. Yan-tis, left last Thursday for New York to take up her dramatic studies at the Frohman School of Art.

The Alpha Literary Club met this at-ternoon at the Chamber of Commerce rooms and opened the Public Library and supply a long-felt want. The old High Five Club of four years

standing was entertained last Saturday night by Mrs. Harry Bowers. It was the first meeting of the season, and a most enjoyable evening was the result. After the prizes were awarded a very elaborate luncheon was served.

The Minnesota Club of Bachelors an-tertained a few friends last Thursday, and won the admiration of all the ladies, The guests were the Misses Johnson, Gray, Stewart, Catlin, Mrs. C. A. Johns and Mrs. Parker, the chaperones of the party. The gentlemen were Mesars. Wal-brum, Sederling, Hill, Parker, Johns, Milier and Breck.

Oregon City. Mrs. Leslie L. Porter is visiting relatives

in Corvallia. Mrs. Harry S. Moody is visiting rela-ives in Walla Walla. Miss Mary Glenson is visiting her cousin, Miss Burns, at Rockwood.

Mrs. P. H. Hatch, of Portland, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Kelly. Mrs. Leavens, of Seattle, visited her on, General-Secretary Leavens, of the Y M C. A., this week.

Mrs. Laura Conyers arrived Monday from Clatskanie, and will spend the Win-ter in Oregon City.

Attorney Corwin S. Shank, of Seatt was in town Saturday, the guest of his brother, W. M. S. Shank. Mr. A. Goldsmith, of Eugene, is visiting his daughters, Mrs. H. Bollack and the Misses Goldsmith, in this city.

The Young People's Society of the Presbyterian Church gave a very enjoyable social Tuesday evening at the residence of Miss Burse Reddick.

McLoughlin's Cabin, Native Sons of Oregon, will give a hop in the Armory on the lath of this month. Everest's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion.

Hillsbore

C. Blaser enjoyed a hunting trip at Arlington this week, C. B. Gates goes to Heppner this week for a three months' visit. T. C. McNamer, of Dawson, visited with

friends here Wednesday. Mrs. R. D. Gilbert, of Salem, is the guest of Miss Marie Tongue. Charles Mason, of Glencoe, left for Eng-land last Saturday, to visit relatives. W. D. Bradford and two sons have gone

to Hooulam, Wash,, for the Winter, George Biersdorf has returned from Sumpter where he spent the Summer. William Pointer, of Salem, visited this week with his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gardner celebrated

their golden wedding in this city last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tilton, of Tigard-ville, have gone to New Zenland for per-

Mrs. A. E. Reames, of Jacksonville, is

here, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Tongue. Mrs. Letitia Smith returned this week from Pendleton, accompanied by her niece, Miss Fay Beagle, who is visiting with the Misses Imbrie.

Medford.

U. J. Wileke returned recently from a visit in Josephine County. Judge J. R. Nell, of Jacksonville, visited Medford friends this week. Mrs. R. E. Everett visited Grant's Pass Mrs. R. T. Burnett, of Ashland, spent

er, Mrs. Sears, of this place, A. E. Rothermal, who has been visiting

relatives here for several weeks, left Mon-day for his home in Pennsylvania. Byron B, Stevens visited his sunt, Mrs. L. S. Webber, several days this week. He was en route from Albany to his home in Chillicottie, Mo. Leat Friday evening the citizens of Med-

ford gave the students of the Medford Academy a reception in the new building, into which the academy had moved that day. The exercises were short. Mayor Crowell addressed the school and Miss Ella Dedge responded on the part of the acad-emy. Music and games were then given way. The attendance at the academy is sway. The attendance at the academy is increasing steadily. There are now 62 regular pupils in the academic and commercial departments, and 38 in the musical department. There will be four terms in the school year, commencing September 10, November 18, February 10 and May 10. The fourth term will be only about 2½ months on account of the Summer heat. The students at the school are from different parts of Southern Oregon and

rent parts of Southern Oregon Northern California, Jackson, Klamath, loos and Josephine Counties are already excepted. The students have started a illbrary, and are fitting up for books. A football team has been organized, and is now practicing for the Winter games. A literary and debating club has been formed

silver set and parlor lamp were presented to them,

Pendleton.

Mrs. Charles Eppinger is visiting rela-tives in Baker City.

Mrs. Dean S. Tatom is home from a visit with her parents in Ione. Mrs. O. E. Boettscher has returned from

Dr. C. W. Faull and wife, of Baker City, are visiting Mrs. J. P. Bushee.

Mrs. Norval Jones, nee Miss Nanc Cameron, is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. Phil Metschan and daughter, Miss

Lillian Metschan, were guests of Mr. and

young ladies and gentlemen on Wednes-day afternoon, at her home, on Locust

Mrs. Charles J. Smith and Mrs. W. H.

Fowler entertained a number of friends

on Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. Smith, on Lewis street. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and ferna, and at the close of the afternoon dainty refreshments were served.

At the home of Colonel and Mrs. William Parsons, Miss Ethel Parsons and Miss Clara Porter entertained a few young friends with a Halloween party on Thursday evening. They were assisted by Mrs. William House, Miss Fanchon Borie and Miss Delia Beagle. A very

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Tsylor gave a Halloween dinner party at their home, on College street, in honor of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Judd, and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Jackson. The dec-

orations were very artistic and appro-priate, the sideboard being decorated

with jack 'o lanterns, while the table

McMinnville.

Dr. J. F. Caioreath visited with friends

here the past week. Mr. J. C. Cooper returned Sunday from

Mrs. J. B. Handley will spend the Win

Mrs. M. J. Washburn, of Senttle, is vis-

Mr. John Rennie, of Eugene, spent Sun

Mrs. John Berry arrived home Monday

with chrysacthemums.

a brief stay on the Sound.

ter with relatives in Ashland,

ting her many friends in this city.

day with his parents at this place.

ecorations were vellow pumpkins filled

visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. R. Alexander during the week. Mrs. C. B. Wade entertained a

mencement of the third term.

Miss Elia Hendrick returned Wedne day from an extended trip in the East. Mrs. Thomas Rogers returned this week from a visit with her sister at Hopewell. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cable, of Browns-ville, visited with their sons in this city on Sunday.

ting her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. J. Hoberg, of this place. Miss Ida Griffin, of Portland, visited in this city a few days last week with her friend, Miss Maude Hembree. Mr. and Mrs. William M. Macy, of Day-

Mrs. W. W. Nelson, of Newberg, is vis

ton, seent the past week in this city, the guests of their plece, Mrs. J. W. Hobbs. Miss Marguerite Thomas, of Selma, Ala. who has been engaged to assist Miss Trumbull in the musical department of the college, arrived in this city Wednes-

Ashiand.

Mrs. Herman Soloman has returned from a visit to San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Norris have returned from their trip to San Francisco. Mark Munson, state Congregational missionary, was here during the week. Mrs. George Engle has returned from

CELEBRATED THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

MR. AND MRS. LEWIS HASTINGS.

home on Sixteenth and Kauffman avenue. Lewis Hastings was born in Lawrence, Conn., November 2, 1829, and his wife, Sarah Adamson,

near the same place, on September 9, 1835. They were married November 2, 1851, at Payetteville, Ind. Four children were born to them,

and four generations were present on this day. The children surprised their parents, by giving them a big dinner, at which a handsome

VANCOUVER, Wash., Nov. S .- Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hastings celebrated their 50th weedling anniversary November 2, 1901, at their

Mrs. D. Wilson left during the week

for a two months' visit with relatives in

Mrs. J. P. Gilmore is visiting her son

and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wright Gilmore, at Klamathon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Westacott, of Sa-em, who have been visiting here, left for

Miss Mabel Palethorp returned from

Portland Wednesday, after a visit of sev-eral weeks with friends there.

Mrs. A. P. Hammond, accompanied by her grandson, Howard James, returned from San Francisco Thursday.

Mrs. A. B. Griggs, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Morris, re-

turned to her home in Albany Thursday,

Mrs. W. B. Pracht, who has been visit-

ing her mother, Mrs. C. B. Patrick, at Sacramento, returned to Ashland Monday.

Mrs. F K, Burrell, of the City of Mex-

son, of Talent, were visiting friends here

Forest Grove. Miss May Cole has returned from Bay

Joseph Bailey returned to Pendleton,

Rev. Daniel Staver has returned from

James T. Shannon, returned Monday,

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Shipley, have re-

Hon, Ira Purdin and family have gone

to California, for the Winter.

Milton Smith and family, of Pertiand,

visited David Smith here, during the week,

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Myers, of Port-land, visited the family of W. H. H. My-ers, here, last week.

Mrs. Rev. J. M. Morrison, returned to

Albany, Thursday, after a three weeks'

visit with her daughter, Mrs. Dwight

Grant's Pass.

George Slover, who has been in Portland for some time, returned on Monday.

Mrs. B. McArthur left on Thursday for

Los Angeles to visit her sister, Mrs. S.

W. H. Dana, superintendent of the Cop-perstain mine, on Mount Reuben, returned

San Francisco Tuceday.

Center.

last week

Pendleton

from Baker City.

turned from Seattle.

Thursday evening.

friends in Hepner.

til Sunday evening.

Eastern and Southern States.

week from Fort Wright.

Mrs. M. G. McCorkle returned home

WASHINGTON.

Vancouver Barracks,

Miss Laura Carpenter was the guest of Mrs. Farnsworth this week.

Lieutenant-Colonel John F. Stretch, of

Captain and Mrs. Siviter left this week.

and will be gone a month before joining the Twenty-eighth at Manila.

Major and Mrs. Eastman entertained at luncheon this week Mrs. Farnsworth,

Colonel Richard, who has been so ill that he was not expected to live, has

begun to improve, and there are now

Several of the ladies of the Twenty-eight will not go with the regiment, but

remain at Vancouver Barracks until it

Centralia.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Stahl visited Port-

Miss Leveds Jackson has returned

from a short visit to her mother at Ho-

this week to her home in Seattle.

Mrs. J. A. Thompson and daughter,

is known where the different battalle will be stationed in the Philippines.

Booth entertained informally Sunday last Captain and Mrs. Farns-worth and their guest, Miss Carpenter.

Miss Carpenter and General Burke.

strong hopes for his recovery.

land on Tuesday.

Pennsylvania.

eighth Infantry, arrived this

from Springfield, III., on Friday. The Iting friends in this city, returned this THE TASTE FOR READING work on the mine will be pushed forward week to their home in Tacoma.

Mrs. M. A. Root returned on Friday from Des Meines, Iowa, where she has spent about a year.

Colonel George C. Yoran, of Eugene, spent Monday in town looking after mat-James Chiles, after being two years in the Alaska mining fields, returned from Dawson on Sunday. He has done well gives good reports of several other of

The Halloween ball at the Opera-House was the first party of the seeson, and was largely attended. All the arrangements were well carried out, and the decorations of ghosts, hotgoblins and grisning skulls very striking. Dancing was kept up until a late hour. The new orchestra did very acceptable work.

Mrs. J. W. Cook and children are guests of Canby relatives.

Miss Luiu Hopkins arrived home Wednesday from a three months' visit in Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Toose attended

Mr. Leo Weir, of this city, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Knudson, in Spokune,

Mrs John Leitch, of Aberdeen, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Mrs. H. H. Barton, who has been visit-ing with the family of G. C. Farr, at Boise City, returned home on Friday.

Birge, in this city, has returned home Near this city, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. McElfresh, on Sunday, No Near this city, at the home of Mr. and united in marriage to Miss Beulah Mafers connected with Company H. O. N. G. Weaver. Rev. Robert Arkley performed James Chiles, after being two years in the ceremony which made the young people man and wife. tastefully attired in a dress of cre lansdown and white silk, with Califor orange bloscoms. The groom wore the regulation black. Mr. Young is a resident of Oakland, Cal. After the ceremony and congratulations, the bridat party partook of a dainty wedding broakfast. The rooms were tastefully decorated with white carnations, by and California forms. California ferns. The wedding was private, only relatives and intimate friends being present. After the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Young left on a short visit to the several Sound cities.

Chehnlis.

Mr. Nucy Nathan was in Portland Sun-

Mrs. Charles Robinson was a Tacoma Mr. Fred S. Bowen, of Portland, visited the family of Mr. St. John over Sunday. Mrs. H. H. Scribner, who has been in Tacoma for some time, returned home Friday.

Mrs. L. J. Wagiey, who has been visit-

Mrs. L. J. Wagley, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Briggs, at Carbonado, arrived home Monday.

The Chehhils friends of Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Dickson attested the high esteem in which the latter are held here the past wask by remembering them in a substan-School, at a meeting in through Superintendent Westendorf, presented Mr. Dickson with a beautifully engraved gold and silver salad fork and apoon. Friday night of this week the members of Mr. Dickson's Chehalis congregation, together with a number of the friends of the church here, met by artificially the entire attention of Mr. Reed since he retired from public life to that of compiling and editing "Modern Elloquence," one of the greatest literary productions of the age. This publication, in 10 volumes, is now offered to the people of The Oregonian's territory at a popular price that places it within the rangement at a neighboring home and then surprised the Dickson family at the rectory. A fine dinner-set was presented on this occasion. The following evening a special convocation of the Chehalis Masonic lodge was held and Mr. Dickson added a serviceable range to his list of testimonials which his Chehalis friends had presented. The affairs passed off most happily in every particular, but genuine regret is expressed on all sides that Chehalis is to lose the most popular minister who ever filled a pulpit in this

Walla Walla.

Louis McMorris has returned from Illinois, where he spent the Summer. Mrs. George H. Sutherland has returned from an extended visit in California. Miss Lulu Drumheller, of Spokane, is visiting her uncle, Jesse Drumheller, W. W. Baker has gone to Pasadena, Cal., to attend his wife, who is quite ill

The new young men's club, the X. P. C., gave a very enjoyable informal hop at Union Hall Friday evening. Wednesday evening Mrs. Andreas Bard

at that place.

entertained a large number of friends at an old-fashioned guessing party. Thursday evening Mrs. S. C. Wingard gave a dinner in honor of Judge C. H. and will meet once a week. About 20 an extended visit to relatives in Douglas the social given by the Elks in Salem more new students will enter at the com-Hanford. It was a very elaborate affair Thursday afternoon Mrs. Albert Gold-man and Mrs. Ben Goldman gave a large day evening from a visit with and most elaborate "at home" at the ca-pacious residence of Mrs. Goldman. The Mrs. S. I. Guiss and children visited large rooms were elaborately decorated with potted plants, cut roses, crycanthe-mums and geraniums. The holieses relatives in Salem, from last Friday un-Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wilcox have re-turned from an extended tour through the were assisted in entertaining nearly 200 society ladles by Mesdames Sharpstein, Dooly, Compton, Paxton, Turner, Stine, C. P. Upton and Burford. Delicious refreshments were served during the after

Vancouver. Mrs. W. R. Dunbar visited relatives at Athena, Or., during the week. Mrs. Elizabeth Bolen, of Woodland, Wash., is visiting Mrs. L. A. Bozarth. Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Stahl, of Centralia Wash., visited friends in Vancouver on

Judge Daniel Kelly and wife, of Kelso, Wash., spent several days in Vancouver during the week.

Mrs. A. McGolderick, of Portland, and Mrs. Logan, of Eastern Washington, vis-ited friends in this city last Thursday. Mrs. Francis, of Portland, and Mrs. Flizgerald, of Los Angeles, Cal., were guests of Dr. and Mrs. N. J. Taylor last

Mrs. J. M. Hitch, of Omaha, Neb., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Stewart for several months, left the first

North Yakima. C. Dameyer, of Seattle, visited relatives

here this week. G. H. Roush returned yesterday to his ome in Goldendale. Lee Hart, of Seattle, was in the city

s short time last Wednesday on his way home. He is spending the Winter at Dr. Frank C. Lewis has returned from Wenatchee.

The social event of the week in North an extended visit to his old home in Yakima was the wedding of Captain Mar-shall Scudder and Miss Anna R. Meyer, Rev. Benjamin Parsons, after a short visit with relatives in this city, has re-turned to his home in Carbonado. The marriage was solemnized at St. Michael's Episcopal Church at noon Wed-nesday by Bishop Lemuel H. Wells, of Spokane. Miss Bessie Scudder acted as Miss Lila P. White, who has been visiting Miss Edith Mead in this city, returned bridesmaid and Del Hiscock as best man, Miss Minnie Warren, who has been The bride was given away by her brother, Court Meyer. The church was beautifully decorated. Mr. and Mrs. Scudder visiting Miss Blanche Elisbury, in this city, has returned to her home in Seattle.

will be at home in this city after No-

STANDARDS OF GOOD LITERATURE AND SUCCESSFUL ORATORY.

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there is a taste in dress or a line some of discrimination in the choice of one's the books he reads, and nothing, pernsps, affords the stimulus for mental activity and material intellectual advancement as

week by remembering them in a substantial manner. Mr. and Mrs. Dickson are soon to move to Tacoma to reside, and Mr. Dickson will take up Episcopal mission work in that city. Friday afternoon the boys and girls of the State Reform School, at a meeting in the chapel, through Superintendent Westendorf, presented Mr. Dickson with a heautifully and the chapel.

a popular price that places it within the reach of the masses. It is sold at a re-markably low price, the terms of payment are easy, and it is a set of books that will grace any home. The following letters from those received by The Ore gonian during the past week best attest the appreciation of the excellence of "Modern Eloquence" now being offered for distribution through the medium of The Oregonian:

For a Christmas Present. WALLACE, Idaho, Oct. 28, 1901.

The Oregonian Publishing Company Portland, Or.-Gentlemen: I have filled out the acceptance blank for "Modern Eliquence," but am so sure we will accept the books that I enclose postoffice money order for \$10 as the first payment, instead of the & you require. My brother and I are purchasing this set as a Christmas gift to

the firm. Yours respectfully, (MISS) FLORENCE R. ANDERSON. N. B.—We wish the three-quarter Per-sian Morocco binding, and kindly give us credit for \$10 payment. F. R. A.

More Than Satisfactory. LEWISTON, Idahe, Nov. 1, 1901. Oregonian Publishing Company, Portland.

Gentlemen: The set of "Modern Ele quence" received in due time, and after a thorough investigation find them more than satisfactory. I remit herewith \$5 as

first payment.

Yours very truly, CHRIS F. OSMERS.

He Took It on Faith. PENDLETON, Or., Nov. 6, 1901. Oregonian Publishing Company,

Portland, Or.— ear Sirs: Enclosed please find Portland draft for full amount, less 5 per cent, for which please send me your "Library of Modern Eloquence," in accordance with your letter of October 7. I understand these books are sent, for the price, delivered here.

Very respectfully E. D. BOYD.
P. S.—You offered to send these books for examination, free of expense to me, and subject to my inspection, for 10 days, but as I am satisfied that your representations must be correct, and relying upon them, I send you the total cost and ask you to send the books to my address above.

. . Would Not Take \$100. SEASIDE, Or., Nov. 3, 1901. The Oregonian Publishing Company, Port-

land, or. -Gentlemen: It is a little late to acknowledge the receipt of the set of "Modern bloquence" which you sent me, but better late than never.

I am well pleased with them, and would not take \$100 for them if I could not se

cure another set like them.

Enclosed you will find 28 cents in stamps for which please send me for your pamphlet on Lewis and Clark Expo-sition in 1966.

Yours very truly, H. B. CORNELL,

TRACING SLANG PHRASES.

some of Them Go Back to Classical Greece and Rome.

New York Press A learned German philologist recently has been tracing so-called slang phrases through the labyrinth of various

are of ancient and some of classical origin, like the famous phruse, "He's a brick." As most every one knows, this brightated from the reply of the King of Sparta, who, when asked where were the walls of his city, replied that Sparta had 56,000 soldiers, "and every man is a brick," It was once the custom in France to serve to a guest who had outstayed his welcome to a gpost who had outstayed his welcome a cold shoulder of mutton instead of a hot roast, as a gentle bint to terminate me visit. Hence the expression, "To give the cold shoulder." Each in the days of "Good Queen Bess," a shoemaker named Hawkins committed suicide by standing on a bucket to bring him pearer to the convenient rafter which he had selected for his hanging place. Having made fast the rope he kicked the bucket away and a accomplished his purpose. Hence to "kick the bucket." There is a taste in liferature, just as "kick the bucket."

the books he reads, and nothing, pernaph affords the stimulus for mental activity and material intellectual advancement as the effort made to inderstand the merits of the standard literature of the day.

Many literary works of real merit are written in a style that places these books far beyond the comprehension of the average reader. The secrets of successful oratory are force and effectiveness of delivery and the sholte of the language only as may be easily undistanted by the average well-informed listener. The streatest orators are the men who know how to use the plainest language to the best effect. Men' in the first rank as successful orators seidom use big words, and their conclusions are all so clearly and simply drawn that the force of their utterances appeal alike to the student and to the word and the word of the man whose analytical powers of the checks. But it is certain the word of the checks. outcome of the word and not the word of the checks. But it is certain the word





