

Town Topics

The Louis W. Bruns company, jewelers and silversmiths, 232 Morrison street, now have their store in shape for business.

The University Park W. C. T. U. held a reception for the Sunday school officers and teachers Friday evening, November 27, at the home of Mrs. M. J. Hatfield.

A suit for \$25—Not a law suit, but the best suit of clothes made to you, particular measure, in the latest style out of up-to-date material and by good workmen, in the city.

The Portland Riding academy has been purchased by S. E. Kramer, a horseman well known throughout the northwest.

Stelway Pianos for Christmas—Sherman, Clay & Co. have just received a large shipment of Stelway pianos, grands, art grands, uprights in ebony and mahogany.

Honorable J. O. Davis, national lecturer of the Modern Woodmen of America, will address an open meeting of the Modern Woodmen and their friends at the Seaside-Hiawatha building.

Plain talk—Dellara, 291 Morrison, saves you just \$1 on every pair of men's and women's shoes purchased here.

L. M. Hickok lately with the Columbia Trust company is now president of the American Trust company, which has just opened offices at 200-204 Chamber of Commerce.

Steamer Jesse Harkins for Camas, Washougal and way landings, daily except Sunday. Leaves Washington street dock at 2 p. m.

Commencing November 23, the German-American bank will keep open Saturday evenings from 7 until 9 o'clock for the accommodation of such customers as may wish to make deposits or have access to the safe deposit vaults.

Title Guarantee, Oregon Trust accounts and German-American certificates bought at the highest cash prices; also Home Telephone bonds. Cohn Bros., 130 First street, corner Yamhill.

This will remind you that now is the time to have your hair matted, renovated and returned the same day. Phone Main 474. The Portland Hair Factory, H. Metzger, proprietor.

Davis & Kilburn of 249 Morrison street, carry a very attractive line of holiday goods, books and stationery—just what you want for Christmas.

I'm in on walnut culture in Oregon; get free booklet before buying walnut lands. T. Withycombe, 609 Commercial block, Portland, Or.

Satisfaction—Our aim. Norgard & Nove, tailors, 169 4th st., near Morrison.

Dr. Clara Macfarlane, osteopathic physician, is now at 311 Swetland building.

Dr. H. A. Sturdevant, dentist, 708 Swetland building, Main 5944; A-4531.

Geo. Rubenstein, the optician moved to 139 Third, opposite Baker Theatre.

Groceries below cost all week. Closing out sale. Third and Jefferson.

D. Chambers & Son, opticians, 321 Morrison, cor. Sixth, are the best.

W. A. Wise and associates, painless dentists, Third and Washington.

Groceries slaughtered. Third and Jefferson streets.

Kelly's Family Liquor Store, Park and Morrison. High grade wines and

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

In selecting gifts for Christmas, at Heitkemper's you will find the greatest choice, highest quality and lowest range of prices—while everything in the house is backed by 20 years of unquestioned reliability.

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Lowest Priced Jewelry House for Fine Goods 286 Morrison Street

FALSE CLAIMS TO THE BARRED

Contests on Siletz Lands to Hereafter Be Rigidly Investigated Before Honest Settlers Are Troubled—Scheming Practice to End.

Men who file contests on homestead claims in the Siletz country from this time on will have to be sure that their grounds for contest are valid and that they have their evidence in hand before they file, or they will find themselves in hot water with the land department.

Orders have been sent to Oregon land offices and to C. E. Glavin, chief of the field division work of the land department, to the effect that no contests shall be allowed until Mr. Glavin has had a personal investigation which will satisfy him that the contest is made in good faith and upon sufficient grounds.

Appeal to Washington. So notorious did the practice become that the settlers appealed to the Oregon delegation in congress for assistance.

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FRUIT GROWERS TO MEET TUESDAY

This week is horticultural week in Portland and 600 or more fruitgrowers from the states of Utah, Idaho, Washington and Oregon and the province of British Columbia will be in the city.

Good News for the Deaf.

A celebrated New York aurist has been selected to demonstrate to deaf people that deafness is a disease, and can be cured rapidly and easily in your own home.

WHERE TO DINE.

Chicken dinner with ice cream, 50 cents. Empire restaurant, 193 Third. A special 50c chicken dinner today at Hall's restaurant, 320 Wash. st.

SAVE \$27,000 IN THE WEEDS, HE SAYS

Electric Company's President Says New Lighting Bid Will Make Money for City If Claim to Deduction for Outages Is Dropped.

Fresh fuel has been added to the controversy between the city executive board and the Portland Railway, Light & Power company over the city's lighting next year by the statement of President Josselyn that if the company's bid is accepted it will mean a saving to the city of \$27,000 for the five years the contract is to run—provided the city will drop its contention that the bill for 1908 be reduced for outages.

A significant feature of President Josselyn's statement is that "No official of this company has been authorized to state that we will not drop our bid for incandescent lighting if a new contract is not entered into with this company."

ABUSED FRIENDS

The most abused piece of machinery as well as the most complicated is the watch—abused by the wearer and often abused by the repairer. The ordinary watchmaker can repair any American watch and make it keep time, for if any part is broken it is easily replaced with a new piece from the factory.

On the basis of the present number of arc lamps installed, this would effect a saving to the city of about \$5,750 per annum, or \$2,800 for the five years. If the increase in arc lamps is in like proportion for the next five years to that of the last five years, the saving to the city for the five year period, by acceptance of our proposal, would approximate \$40,000.

Norris Safe & Lock Co.

Has removed from 70 Sixth street to the large and commodious room, corner Sixth and Ankeny, formerly occupied by the Commonwealth bank.

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All guaranteed pure white and perfect, set in Ladies' and gentlemen's settings. \$100 Diamond Ring.....\$85.00 \$75 Diamond Ring.....\$60.00 \$50 Diamond Ring.....\$45.00 \$25 Diamond Ring.....\$25.00 \$10 Diamond Ring.....\$10.00

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LOUIS SIMPSON. Born in Schleswig, Holstein, Germany. Learned his trade there. Worked in Switzerland, Berlin and Hamburg.



RALPH TARTARO. Staples the jeweler, has six very fine watchmakers and it is not necessary to send the most complicated watch out of the city.

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TOMORROW IS WASHDAY AVOID ITS TROUBLES by sending to the Union Laundry Co. WHERE LINEN LASTS FAMILY WASHING Rough Dry 5¢ per Pound By the Piece 1¢ 7/8 CALL MAIN 398 OR A-1123 LACE CURTAINS 30c PER PAIR

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Science demonstrates that the vital processes of digestion, respiration, circulation, etc., are dependent upon electricity, and that the delicate nerve currents are essentially electric in character.

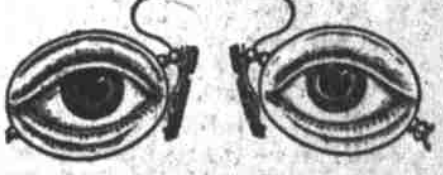
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