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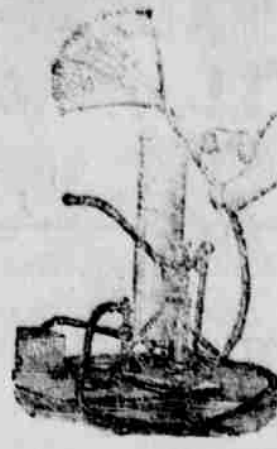
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TUESDAY, . . . . . JAN. 26, 1897

#### WAYSIDE GLEANINGS.

Random Observations and Local Events of Lesser Magnitude.

Do Not Forget The minstrels at the Vogt this evening.

About twenty Elks will leave tonight for Heppner, to assist in installing a lodge of their order at that city tomorrow night.

Ward, Kerns & Robertson have the largest stock of timothy, wheat and wild hay kept in the city, for sale. Call and see it. Jan 25 2w

The sun has shone in a half-hearted way most of the day, but it was not strong enough to raise the temperature above the freezing point.

The city council met last night and levied a tax of 5 mills. The assessed valuation of city property is \$1,202,575, and the tax should raise \$6012.

The Oregonian really ought to mark those pictures, so that its readers, suffering humanity, might know whether they represented "before" or "after taking."

The Georgia Minstrels arrived on the local train, coming in their private car. Their band furnished some good music between 12 and 1 o'clock at the corner of Second & Washington.

People are hard to satisfy. A week ago all the people of the state wanted a new house, and now the thing has developed into twins, they are still dissatisfied. Truly, we have too much of a good thing.

The Salvation army is preparing for a special time Saturday evening, in the presentation of their slum work as it is carried on in the large cities of this and other countries. An admission of 25 cents will be charged at the door.

Dr. Hartman, an expert miner from Groveland, N. Y., was shot and instantly killed at Chetso, a small mining camp in California, near the Oregon line, on the 21st. He and a man named Jones had a dispute growing out of a dog fight, when Jones picked up a Winchester and killed him.

Mr. Lydell Baker will deliver the second of the course of lectures given under the auspices of the committee of ladies of the Congregational church tonight. The subject is, "The True versus the False in the Monroe Doctrine." Mr. Baker is a brilliant young gentleman, and those who hear him will enjoy a genuine treat.

Mr. J. B. Eddy of the railroad commission, has purchased a half interest in the Roseburg Plaster. We would gladly welcome him back to the field of journalism, but we fear that welcome like his purchase, is somewhat premature. It seems at least possible just now

that he and his confreres will hold over for two years longer.

The weather is cold here, but we cannot complain on that account, for the same condition prevails all over the country west of the Mississippi. Montana seems to be the center of the cold region, the wave rolling away in all directions. According to the weather bureau, the cold snap is to continue for some time. It was not unexpected here, but as usual got its work in by bursting exposed water pipes, and doing all kinds of mischief.

Work is being pushed on the big irrigating ditch at Hood River, and it is expected that it will be ready to furnish water by the last of May. The big flume crosses the river about a mile below its head, and the bridge to carry it was completed Saturday. There remains about three miles of flume to be built, the balance being ditch. Work is being done on this, and it will probably be completed before the flume is. The ditch will carry about 4,000 inches of water, irrigating 15,000 acres.

Jack Frost was out again last night with his magic brush and left some beautiful specimens of his artistic work on the big windows. At Pease & Mays he painted a beautiful mountain scene, the peaks rising above one another, and covered with heavy timber. On one of Harris' windows though he left his masterpiece. It is the top window next to John C. Hertz place, and on it is a perfect bush, the stalks and leaves being true to nature. It would be impossible to describe it, but it was the prettiest thing of the kind we ever saw.

L. Rorden is busily engaged in moving his stock of goods into the Vogt block, where he will have elegant rooms. The rooms at present occupied by him will be used by Pease & Mays for their grocery department. Carpenters and masons are at work under the direction of C. J. Crandall, remodeling the shelving in the Pease & Mays store, and will, as soon as Mr. Rorden finishes moving, cut an archway through between the two rooms. When completed, Pease & Mays store will be one of the largest and best equipped in Eastern Oregon.

Mr. J. M. Cockerline has completed the ditch from 15-Mile creek to his mill at Boyd, and now has one of the finest water powers in the country. The ditch is a mile and a half long, five feet wide on the bottom, and carries at present two feet, in depth, of water. At the mill he has obtained a fall of sixty feet, and is thus insured abundant power. Heretofore he has been compelled to let the water accumulate and then run the mill on this gathered head. The increased fall obviates all this and furnishes power enough to run the mill steadily, with some to spare.

"Love is not what it used to be," sings the poet. Well, perhaps the poet is right, for love has, no doubt, changed, as have a great many other things. But there is one thing in particular that has not changed and positively remains the same, and that is the

excellence of the entertainments presented by the Georgia University Graduates, who will appear at the Vogt tonight. The annual visit of the minstrels is always classed as an event of the theatrical season, and unusual enthusiasm has been aroused this time through the fact of the "always reliable" show coming with even a stronger company than ever before. It would require too much space to mention the names of the entire company; however, it is sufficient to say that an enjoyable performance may be expected, for the Georgia University Graduates never disappoint.

#### Teachers' Institute at Dufur.

The good people of Dufur and vicinity were entertained and instructed by the convening of sixteen teachers at the sixth local teachers institute, held in Dufur on the evening of the 21st and during the day and evening of the 22d inst. Supt. C. L. Gilbert was present, and in his graceful, earnest and thorough way presided. During the first evening A. J. Brigham, Dr. Dietrich, T. H. Johnston and J. E. Conner addressed the large audience on the subject of education. Justice Brigham stirred up a hornet's nest by alleging that moral culture necessarily must be given by parents. Mr. Johnston caused an audible smile by saying that he had been compelled, by lack of education, to hold subordinate positions to those who were his inferiors physically, mentally and morally; but either his grit or cheek enabled him to survive. It was quite evident from the remarks that the wide awake, energetic people of Dufur are far from satisfied with their old and inadequate schoolhouse, and that an up-to-date building will ere long add to the beauty and usefulness of this charming town. Supt. Gilbert called special attention to the importance of Dufur as an educational center.

During the next day quite a number of visitors enlivened and cheered the teachers as they struggled and sweated (this last applies to Prof. F.) through the intricacies of mental arithmetic "What Shall Teachers Read?" grammar and language lesson, methods in teaching orthography, writing (vertical and oblique), methods in primary geography and moral culture. The methods of each as conducted by P. P. Underwood, Nellie Hudson, Aaron Frazier, Maud Peabody, E. S. Hinman and Aaron Frazier respectively.

A packed house of attentive listeners greeted the performers on Friday evening, and for two hours listened to the inspiring strains of music, to recitations, ranging from the very grave to the most ludicrous, readings, both sad and gay; an address, contrasting results under the old style of rude log cabins, severe school masters and crude text, with results obtained under the new style of well-furnished houses, affable school teachers and superior text books; and lastly to the reading of a most excellent school paper, The Evening Star, full of things, wise and otherwise. When Waldo Brigham read of the hurried descent of

his shirt-clad hero right into the midst of the merry candy-makers, and their precipitate flight on seeing that he was not "dressed for company," it was hard to tell which blushed the harder, he or his young lady hearers. The many happy hits at the Lazy Man's Club in The Evening Star provoked the appreciative laughter of the audience, and caused more than one of its members to wince. If THE CHRONICLE would furnish its readers with more entertaining reading than its dispatches from Salem, it would be well to procure a copy of The Evening Star and sharpen the office scissors.

As usual, the musical talent of Dufur furnished charming music, free of charge. The following teachers were in attendance: Nellie Hudson, Hattie Stirnweis, Maud Peabody, Edith Peabody, Annie Frazier, A. Frazier, Ed Hinman, Alice Powell, Hattie Allen, J. and R. O'Brien, O. K. Butler, O. H. Kerns, Will Walker and Roy Butler. TWO PEAS.

#### Miss Griswold at the Vogt.

The house which greeted Miss Griswold last night at the Vogt was not such, in numbers, as her high elocutionary powers should warrant; but those who attended were mostly lovers of the art, and therefore fully appreciated the opportunity to hear her. They were not disappointed, but enjoyed every number; those showing the most talent, as well as careful training and study being "The Last Ride," Poe's "Raven" and "Robert o' Lincoln." Her conception of "The Raven" was somewhat different than is generally given, but seemed to meet the approval of the audience, which was spell-bound; while her bird imitation in "Robert o' Lincoln" was so pleasing as to call forth a storm of applause. Her grace and ease on the stage were particularly noticeable, and so well did her gestures weave themselves into each recitation, that the prominence which is often given them was avoided. The music of the evening gave the program a pleasing variation, the piano solos of Miss Georgia Sampson being so well executed as to have done credit to professional performers. The two solos "Love's Old, Sweet Song" and "Time of Apple Blossoms," by Mr. Chas. Clarke were very pretty. Charlie has a fine voice, and with training will make an exceptionally good singer.

#### The Cold Weather.

The dispatches this morning show that the cold spell has been general, reaching from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the lakes to the gulf. In Texas a general blizzard has prevailed, doing much damage to stock. At Chicago the thermometer registered 20 below, at Cincinnati 10, at Indianapolis 14, and the same at Detroit. At some points in Wisconsin it was 31 below, and Minnesota points showed 32. In Iowa it ranged from 18 to 22 below. In Missouri it is 18 below and the Missouri river is frozen over. In the Dakotas and Oklahoma a blizzard prevailed all day yesterday with the mercury at 30 below.

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