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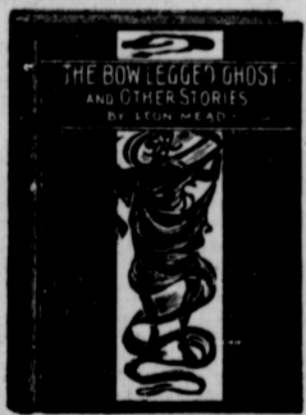
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### PERSONAL AND LOCAL.

Geo. W. Short is again on the sick list.

Wm. Piening went to Medford Wednesday morning.

N. Eartman was a passenger for Jacksonville Wednesday morning.

Miss Annie Birdsey is very sick at the residence of Prof. P. H. Daily.

Remember the Mask Ball of the A. O. U. W. in the Brick hall on February 14.

J. W. Marksbury went to Medford Wednesday morning to transact some business.

M. Obenchain returned to California the first of the week where he has work in a mine.

Miss Myrtle Hitch was in the city Monday night from Tolo to attend the I. O. O. F. ball.

Miss Jessie Nyswaner was down from Medford last Monday night attending the I. O. O. F. ball.

Miss Floy McNeil returned to Ashland Friday morning to take up her studies at the Normal.

Allie Klipple and Mattie Sowden were down from Medford to attend the ball last Monday evening.

G. T. Hurschburger of Medford is in the city employed as chief mixologist at the Gold Hill Bar.

Mrs. A. R. Merritt has been under the care of a nurse for several days this week but is improving nicely.

T. P. Kahler was in the city several days the first of the week renewing his acquaintance with old friends.

Mrs. N. Moon returned to her home Tuesday morning after having visited in this vicinity several weeks.

Mrs. M. J. Purkepile came down from her home in Central Point last Thursday evening to visit her son a day or so.

E. W. Starr and wife and A. T. Drisko and wife were the guests of the editor and family Sunday and Monday of this week.

T. M. Reames, E. A. Reames and Sheriff Orme of Jacksonville were in the city on professional business the first of the week.

Mrs. H. A. Mears returned from an extended visit with relatives in Denver, Salt Lake city and the east last Tuesday evening.

The order for the bills for the A. O. U. W. mask ball to be given on Wednesday evening February

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14, 1900 has been placed. Arrangements have been made for the supper at the Gold Hill Hotel which is assurance that it will be a swell affair.

A. R. Merritt has been busy this week packing his stock of goods in this city getting it ready to ship to his new place of business at Woodville.

Miss Allie Klipple came down from Medford Thursday evening to help institute the Degree of Honor which was organized here last night.

Miss Fannie Piening left Tuesday morning for Ager California where she will take the stage for her new home on the Klamath reservation.

Harry Andrews has discontinued the club room in connection with his confectionery store and will handle choice fruits and vegetables in place thereof.

Miss Maggie A. Barker arrived in the city last Thursday evening and proceeded to institute a lodge of the Degree of Honor on the following evening.

J. H. Beeman was the holder of the lucky number that drew the \$25.00 due bill at Reames Bros. establishment last Tuesday evening. The thirteenth number taken from the box being 578.

Paul Norby returned to his work in the mines of northern California the first of the week after having spent the holidays with old friends and relatives.

Mrs. W. M. Colvig came down from Jacksonville last Thursday evening to look after the care of Miss Anna Birdsey and to visit her daughter Mrs. C. L. Reames.

Mrs. Geo. R. Hammersley had a severe accident last Saturday, while crossing a creek she in some way slipped spraining her arm and bruising her body severely.

### DEGREE OF HONOR INSTITUTED.

Last night the ladies of the members of the A. O. U. W. met with a number of the brothers of the lodge and proceeded to institute a lodge of the Degree of Honor under the supervision of Miss Maggie A. Barker, G. C. of H., of Albany and Miss Allie Klipple of Medford. There were thirty-four on the charter list who were instructed with the mysteries of the order. The following are the officers elected for the ensuing term; Mrs. P. H. Daily, Past C. of H., Mrs. L. B. Churchill, C of H., Mrs. A. L. Vincent, L. of H., Mrs. Carl Phelps C of C., Miss Maggie Miller, Recorder, Mrs. Amy Crawford, Financier, Mrs. A. J. Olsen, Receiver, Mary Downing, S. U., Mrs. Rosa Norby, I. W., Clarence L. Reames, O. W., Miss Lulu Newton. A to C. of H., Mrs. W. R. Walker, R. M. of H., Mrs. E. M. Purkepile R. M. of H.

Miss A. A. and Cora Grenniger went to Ashland this morning to enter the Normal.

Miss Hillie Klipple and Miss Maggie Barker were passengers for Central Point this morning.

Will Wright and wife were down from Central Point to help institute the lodge of the D. of H.

### CITY DADS MEET.

Last Monday evening the city board met in regular session in the city hall with Mayor Marksbury in the chair. All the councilmen answering to roll call. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

On motion the following bills were reported by the finance committee and warrants ordered drawn: S. Rosenthal \$1.55, A. L. Haryey \$1.55 W. H. Stichel for building flew in city jail \$5. J. L. Hammersley for attorneys fees \$5. Reames Brothers for oil for street lamps \$11.20, A. J. Olson for marshals salary \$25.00 W. A. Carter for services as city recorder and for hall rent \$12.00. The bill of J. W. Hays for freight on pipe and fixtures was laid over, but was on motion taken up again and reconsidered and allowed with the understanding that the bill be investigated later on by the finance committee.

The recorder was instructed to draw a warrant in favor of himself to be forwarded to the Ashland Bank in payment on the interest of the bonds issued for the water system.

The ordinance to prevent the obstruction of the streets and alleys of the town was read the third time and on motion placed on its final passage receiving the unanimous vote of the council.

On motion all the street lamps except the one in front of the Gold Hill Hotel were ordered dispensed with. There being no further business to come before the council a motion was made to adjourn.

A LIVELY MEETING.—Wednesday night there was a good turnout to the meeting of the McKinley Republican Club in the school house hall. Carl Phelps, P. H. Daily and F. K. Churchill were elected delegates to the State League meeting which will meet in Portland on the sixth of next month. P. H. Daily, W. A. Carter and A. J. Olsen were appointed as a committee on resolutions.

"A young man came into our store yesterday suffering from a severe attack of cramp colic," writes B. F. Hess, miller and general merchant, Dickey's Mountain, Pa. "He had tried various home remedies without relief. As I had used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I gave him a dose and it soon brought him out alright. I never saw a fellow so rejoiced. Sold by Emery Eastman, Gold Hill, or Ben Haymond, Rock Point.

WATER IN THE MAINES.—Thursday evening the water was turned into the water mains by the contractor and by night quite a pressure had been obtained.

Notices for the location of placer and quartz mines, etc., for sale at THE NEWS office.

In another column is the announcement that Harry Andrews has discontinued the Club Room at his store. We are pleased to note this change as many ladies who were desirous of trading with Harry were prevented on account of the Club Room.

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