

Morning Daily Herald

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JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

Coming! Miss Neely Stevens! Richard III to-night. Concert Grand Piano!!! Circuit court next week. A \$10 suit for 47 at P. Cohen's. The Portland exposition closes to-day. A \$15 overcoat for \$10 at P. Cohen's. Fine bleached celery at Mueller & Garrett's. Fresh butter at the Willamette Packing Co.'s. Secure your seat for Keene at Will & Link's. New stock of gold headed canes at F. M. French's. A fresh keg of pickled pigs feet opened this morning at Blackburn & Pironi's. Nine dressed spring chickens only twenty-five cents at Mueller & Garrett's. Miss Sadie E. Nelson, of Ashland, has accepted a position in G. W. Simpson's store. An additional reduction in all kinds of goods in spite of the McKinley bill at P. Cohen's. W. F. Read, E. J. Lanning and C. G. Burkhardt left yesterday for the Santiam mining district. At the coming piano concert the reserved seats have been placed at the nominal price of 75 cents. Benton county flour, the best in the market, at \$1.05 per sack, cash, at Blackburn & Pironi's. \$1.50 will buy you a pair of those elegant eight-button length un-dressed Montclair kid gloves at the Ladies' Bazaar. Just received the extra length and evening shades in gloves, also lace handkerchiefs and fans at the Ladies' Bazaar. A young woman wanted to act as companion and nurse to young lady, an invalid. Apply between 2 and 4 P. M. at the office of Dr. Ellis. Senator John H. Mitchell has arrived in Portland from Washington. His stay on the coast is necessarily brief, not to exceed a month. A very pleasant surprise and birthday party was tendered F. M. French at his residence Thursday. The occasion was in honor of his 38th birthday. Encourage the small manufacturing concerns. A dozen small concerns are worth more to a city than one large one employing the same number of people. Farmers have all their summer-fallow ground seeded, and many are now plowing stubble land and sowing it. The weather so far, this fall has played just right for the farmers to get their work done. John C. Freund, the famous critic of New York says the commendation Miss Neely Stevens has received from Liez, Wm. Dunlow, Kullak, Mozakowski and Scharwenka are deserved and are completely captivated by her in one evening. The "American Musician" said, she will always please and the favorable verdict of Boston's press will be confirmed wherever she goes. French Tanny Wafers. These wafers are a sure and safe specific for all kinds of female troubles and will remove all obstructions to the monthly periods, no matter what the cause. They are just what every woman needs, and can be used safely. For sale by the Livingston Medical Co., manufacturers, Portland, Oregon, also from our sole agent, J. A. Cumming, druggist, Blumberg block, Albany, Oregon. A WONDERFUL ARRAY. New Goods in Quantities To Suit the Most Fastidious. In the matters of extent and quantity, Mr. W. R. Graham, Merchant Tailor, has just received a stock of elegant suiting goods that is simply unsurpassed. They embody both English and American manufacture of all wool cloths that are simply superb, and will work up into suits of the very best and most fashionable make to be had anywhere. The goods are in almost endless variety of style and pattern, so that the taste of every individual can be exactly met. Lovers of the handsome goods can receive a great treat to go and examine these just for the sake of seeing them. They were purchased and shipped before the McKinley bill went into operation, so that no extra tariff charges will be added. GOOD PURE WATER. The Only Perfect Way of Purifying Water is by the Passer Filter. The most essential article to promote good health is good, pure water. It is well known that, of course, that no water, in its natural state, can be absolutely pure, but in cities it is impossible to get the natural water that is even relatively pure. The only recourse then is to use artificial means to purify the water. A filter is the best and only economical means of accomplishing this end. There is no question upon this point whatever, and our enterprising merchants, Messrs. Smith & Sanders, deserve great credit for taking up the famous Passer filter, which is acknowledged to be the best in the world. Its use gives absolute purity of water.

ASSESSMENT AND TAXATION.

Features of a New Law Formulated by the Senatorial Committee.

The senatorial committee appointed at the last session of the legislature has been in session in Salem for nearly two weeks for the purpose of devising a more equitable system of assessment and taxation and to formulate a bill to be presented before the legislature at the approaching session. The committee has about completed its labors, and it is said has agreed upon these propositions: First, it is decided that all assessments shall be made as if made on the 1st of April of each year. An assessor, when dissatisfied with the lists furnished him, shall be authorized to examine the taxpayers on the roll. County assessors shall be made boards of equalization, and assessors shall be required to attend meetings when matters concerning taxation are under consideration. If any person fails to list his property, or to answer the questions propounded to him by the assessor, the assessor shall be authorized to double his taxable property, and the Board of Equalization shall have no right to make any deductions therefrom. The Board of Equalization shall not reduce any assessments, unless the applicant or his duly-authorized agent, or the assessor, then and is examined under oath as to the amount and value of the property he possesses, or represents as agents. The committee will advocate the establishment of a state board of equalization to review the work of the county boards and to arrive at the necessary rate of taxation. County assessors will be required to assess property at full market value, instead of 33 1/3, as at present, and the boards will make such reductions as are equitable and just. Upon the foregoing propositions the members of the committee are agreed. There seems to be some difference of opinion, however, regarding the advisability of repealing the mortgage tax law and not allowing deductions for indebtedness. The members of the State Board of Equalization are to be elected in the same manner as circuit judges, each to hold office four years. The committee will probably meet again some time before the convening of the legislature. Marble. The Grant's Pass Courier says: Numerous parties have informed the Courier that they knew of Marble ledges in Josephine county but so far no effort has been made to develop or utilize any of them. Mr. Jacob E. Padlock of the Grant's Pass Marble Works tested a piece which came from a ledge about three miles from this place. It is a dark clouded variety and received a beautiful polish. It worked somewhat harder than the Vermont marble, but so far as we could judge, received a polish equal to it. Mr. Padlock offers to dress and polish, in the finest style of the art, a beautiful monument of Josephine marble, and send it to the world's fair to be held at Chicago, if parties having quarries will bring him blocks of suitable size. This is a chance parties owning a noble beds should avail themselves of. There is a fortune in a good marble quarry. A Curious Riddle. The Astorian says: J. H. Miller, of Dayton, Wash., is in the city adding to his list of fossils and curios. He has in his collection a unique carving in black slate, in the form of a pipe, on the stem of which reclines the form of a man, with his head resting against the bowl of the pipe, and over his prostrate body stand the imitation of some feline beast which has seized the man's hand, and seems about to devour it. The curio is said to have been found in an Indian grave in Tillamook county. Some peculiarities of the carving makes it possible that it may be the handiwork of some of the early white settlers, hunters or trappers. Missionary Meeting. There will be a missionary service in the United Presbyterian church this (Saturday) evening at 7:30 P. M. Rev. W. S. Owens, D. D., general secretary of the board of home missions, who has had the oversight of that work for several years, and has traveled extensively in the states of the northwest, will give an address in reference to the needs of the field—the progress of the work and the present duties of the church. Rev. A. G. Wallace, secretary of the board of church extension and editor of the United Presbyterian, will speak of the work of church building in the missionary fields. These brethren will supply the pulpit of Dr. Irvine morning and evening to-morrow. Two Runaways. A team belonging to George Miller became frightened yesterday afternoon and ran away, going down Seventh street like the wind, with Mr. Miller in hot pursuit on horseback. They ran out of town and were captured without doing much damage. S. W. Rose's team also ran away on Second street. The damage was nominal. Keene. To-night the eminent tragedian, Mr. Thomas W. Keene will be the attraction at the opera house. Ten years ago, Keene played the leading characters in the Shakespearean drama gives Mr. Keene a strong claim to popularity, and wide recognition by American critics secure for him a place among the most illustrious tragic actors. You can save money by buying your children's dresses ready made at the Ladies' Bazaar.

THE MORTGAGE TAX LAW.

A Practical Application of its Repeal by an Oregon Farmer.

A correspondent of the Salem Journal says: "As there is now considerable discussion as to the propriety of repealing the mortgage tax law, I wish to call the attention of tax-payers in the rural counties to the manner in which the repeal will affect them. "In the exhibit of the assessment of Polk county as published in the State-man of the 21st inst., I find the following: "Total amount of taxable property of Polk county, \$2,832,980; total amount of mortgages, \$512,475." So it will be seen that nearly one-fifth of the taxable property of Polk county consists of mortgages. Repeal this law and very few of these mortgages will be taxed in Polk county, and at least one-sixth of the present assessable property of the county will be withdrawn from the assessment of next year; and the tax now collected on this one-sixth will have to be placed on the balance of the property—that is, if there was no mortgage tax law. Each tax payer in the county would have one-sixth more to pay. If his tax is now \$30, without the law it would be \$35. If the money loaned on mortgages is not such profit earned in the county where the mortgage is recorded? And there is where it should be taxed. Those clamoring for the repeal of the law are not actuated by considerations of justice, but they want the last dated mortgages to be taxed in the county where the owner resides and away from the county where the records, so that like other credits, these mortgage securities can be set off and not taxed at all, and the tax now fixed on them be loaded on the backs of the already over-loaded producing farmer. OLARA MORRIS AS "CAMILLE." A Splendid Realization of the Drama Given Before a Large Audience. Never before was the story of "Camille" more faithfully portrayed upon the stage than was Clara Morris' presentation of it at Turin hall last evening. The tale, though of doubtful sentiment, has often been told, and never does it fail to excite the sympathy of the audience for the self-sacrificing and loving woman whose place in this world is but at best a brief death. Miss Morris last evening was at her best, and her work, especially in the death scene, was true to nature. Apparently the actress was living the life as laid down her lines and her portrayal of the part was almost beyond criticism. At times she was intensely dramatic, but her enunciation was simply perfect and every word was spoken in that clear, distinct, natural voice so pleasing to all audiences. J. M. Colville as Anand and Duval made a strong impression by their artistic work, especially the gambling scene where his dramatic talents had full scope, and he made the most of them as he lunged the gold he had won at the woman he loved. The entire support was excellent and it is seldom that a company of such marked ability is carried by a star. Mrs. Grace Gayler as Madame Prudence, Milton Willett as Olympe, Abelo Barrason as Niclette and Ella Claug as Naumie, besides the Monsieur Duval of Eugene Jeppou Court de "Arville" Walter Kelly, the Gaston of Howard Covery and the Gustave of Franklyn Roberts were all worthy of mention; but there is only one Camille, and that is Clara Morris. This evening the star will appear as Miss Milton, and to-morrow as Renee de Moray. "Camille" will be presented for the last time on Saturday evening.—Seattle Telegraph. They Would Elope. A few days ago a young couple, living in the eastern suburbs of this city who were matrimonially inclined, and the young lady not being of a marvellous age attempted what they considered the only way "out of it"—elopement. They started to leave the city in a buggy intending to board the train at Millers, but the vigilant papa was too much for them, and they were stopped without even getting outside of the city limits. This is the second time they have tried to commit "two-a-side" with disastrous results. And thus the old adage—"The course of true love never did run smooth" is again verified. Last Evening's Lecture. Bishop Becker was greeted by a crowded house at the W. C. T. U. hall last evening. The lecture was highly entertaining and instructive, and those present were well pleased. He will lecture in this city again in about two weeks. Something Nice. Ladies if you want something nice for dinner to-morrow, go to Blackburn & Pironi's and get some of those juicy cakes, jams, jelly rolls, cream puffs, cookies, etc., all baked fresh this morning. Use Beegs' Dandelion bitters for indigestion, dyspepsia and all kindred diseases. The only water filter that gives perfect satisfaction is for sale by Matthews & Washburn. For a fine silk umbrella with a gold or silver handle call on French, (the corner jewelry store.) MARRIED. McCAUSTLAND-HOLLIDA—At the residence of the bride's parents, on May 22, Mr. E. J. Caustland and Miss Cora Hollida were united in matrimony. They will make their home in this city.

THOMAS W. KEENE.

An Able Presentation of "Richard III." This Evening at Popular Prices.

The San Jose Mercury says: Thomas W. Keene, the old California favorite, appeared before a good-sized audience at the California Theatre last night in "Richard III," and his representation of the character was most admirable and the audience appreciated his highly artistic work from the start. Mr. Keene has played the part of Gloucester time and again, but in his acting there is nothing which is not full of life and vigor. His aim is to excel and to make each succeeding performance an improvement upon the other if there is to be found room for improvement. There are, however, few, if any, places in which the acting of Keene can be improved upon, and in many he is as near perfect as it is possible to be. The controlling power of ambition which causes Gloucester to commit crime after crime in order to wear the crown is powerfully represented. The utter contempt of human life and all sentiment of every sort is presented in a masterly way. The part in which he plays upon the vanity of a Lady to a degree that she forgives the murder of her husband and bestows her love upon his murderer is the work of a master, and the hearty applause of those who witnessed the scene last night showed that they realized the greatness of the effort. A most striking and realistic feature of the performance was Richard's dream, where the spirits of his murdered victims appeared and foretold his defeat. His representation of this scene was superb. In the scene on the battlefield with Richmond last night an accident occurred which added to rather than marred its effectiveness. In the heat of the combat Keene's sword was broken in really two, one piece falling over into the orchestra. The combat was continued with the broken weapon, however, and another sword was finally substituted without the loss of a stroke. The Richard of George Leacock was first-class and he showed himself to be an actor of ability. Miss Lavina Shannon was as good a Lady Anne as one could wish to see, and the Elizabeth of Miss Henrietta Valders was a prominent meritorious feature. Frank Henning as King Henry IV created a most favorable impression. He is an actor of real merit and ability which gives promise of a brilliant future. The other members of the company performed their parts well and are all deserving of favorable mention. The attraction of this evening will be Richelieu, and the merit of the company deserves to be recognized by a packed house. Reserved seats, \$1; gallery, 50c. Miss Stevens is a pianist gifted with talents and perfected technique.—Vossische Zeitung of Berlin. The piano recital at the Congregational church by Miss Stevens the gifted young pianist, was an artistic success, and the young lady established herself as a mistress of technique.—Washington Critic. The average yield of wheat in Oregon according to the secretary of agriculture's report, was 15 bushels to the acre of barley 20 bushels to the acre and of oats 30 bushels. Miss Stevens proved herself to be a pianist of remarkable talent and an exceedingly interesting player. Her performance of "Capriccio Espagnol" composed by her could hardly be improved upon by any pianist.—Boston Post. Her touch is singularly clear, clean and elastic. She plays with rare intelligence, and her technical attainments are sufficient for the demand of the day.—Boston Herald. FOR SUNDAY. A fat hen, Sweet potatoes, celery, A fat goose, French peas, asparagus, Mushrooms, cranberries, Nice spring chicken, Off shore mackerel, Swiss cheese, A fine pheasant, And all the good things of life, nice and fresh at Mueller & Garrett's, the leading grocers. A Sure Cure for the Whisky Habit Dr. Livingston's Antidote for Drunkenness will cure any case of the liquor habit in from ten to thirty days, from the moderate to the drunkard. The antidote can be given in a cup of coffee without the knowledge of the person taking it. The Antidote does not injure the health in any way. Manufactured by the Livingston Chemical Co., Portland, Oregon, or from J. A. Cumming, Druggist, sole agent. Notes of Albany Cigar Factory. If you want a real choice smoke try our 10 center. Why smoke a Chinese made cigar now that you can get a far superior one at J. Joseph's cigar factory, made by white labor? Try our celebrated 5 cent Havana filled with labor cigars. We make a specialty of selling cigars of our own make by the box at factory prices. Fine Merchnant and Briar pipes and a full assortment of smokers articles. Holiday Book. Ladies call Mrs. Hyman's and give your order for the juvenile book for Christmas. The latest out. Jefferson Mill. Goins & Thomas, run the Jefferson Flour Mill, and have flour and feed of all description on hand. Send in your orders.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

French keeps railroad time. Clocks at Will & Stark's. Celery at C. E. Brownell's. Fresh oysters at John Isom's. Wilcox & Conn, photographers. Try a glass of Celery phosphate Capes and jackets at E. C. Searls. Quench your thirst at the new soda fountain. Go to Wilcox & Conn for photographs. If you want a good clock, call on Will & Stark. Go to Jas. F. Powell & Co's for fresh groceries. See those stylish stockinette jacket's at Read's. A fine line of gentlemen's shoes at E. C. Searls'. Oysters in every style at John Isom's. Secure a good picture at Wilcox & Conn's. Lace curtains from \$1.50 per pair up at E. C. Searls'. Silk umbrellas at French's jewelry store. A large line of clocks just received at Will & Stark's. A full line of trusses for sale at Cumming's drug store. Elegant Lotion render the skin soft and beautiful. Spectacles for every one at French's jewelry store. A fine line of library lamps on sale at C. E. Brownell's. All the latest in cloaks and jackets at W. F. Read's. Egan & Achison are selling monuments at Portland prices. Caps and jackets at the lowest prices at E. C. Searls'. We make 'em while you wait. Oyster cocktails at Boenick's. Gentlemen, get one of those fine dress shirts at E. C. Searls'. Black silk warp Henrietta from \$1.25 per yard up. E. C. Searls'. Furnished rooms to rent near college. Inquire at this office. A fine line of Artists materials just opened at J. A. Cumming's drug store. G. W. Simpson has just received a fine line of scalotte jackets in all styles. We make a specialty of fine cakes for parties and weddings. Blackburn & Pironi. A very large assortment of new prints, gingham, strong cloth, etc., at W. F. Read's. Call and see the late styles in beauty viling and handkerchiefs at the Ladies Bazaar. Novelties in wash dress fabrics. The largest stock in the city at Samuel E. Young's. Go to Cumming's drug store Blumberg block, for your artist's supplies. Try Mueller & Garrett's fine roast coffee; once used, always used. Piano that gives perfect satisfaction you can find at Mrs. Hyman's. We have a fine line of school shoes at popular prices. E. C. Searls'. Another invoice of the famous Benton county flour at Blackburn & Pironi's at \$1.05 per sack. Floor matting of the very best quality and at reasonable rates can be found at Fortmiller & Irvine's. Reges liver pills are a mild laxative and act directly on the liver and kidneys as well as the bowels. All druggists. Call now and give your order to Mrs. Hyman for the juvenile book so they will be here for Xmas. Fortmiller & Irving have a large line of lace curtains, renaisance, Madras and chenille table covers, which they are selling very cheap. Before purchasing your Artists materials examine the new stock just opened at the drug store of J. A. Cumming, successor to H. C. Hubbard. Some of the latest styles of elegant bed lounges can be seen at Fortmiller & Irving's, as they have just received a large invoice. If you want a durable monument go to Egan & Achison, who are handling nothing but the best grades. Have you seen those beautiful cement walls in the cemeteries, put up by Egan & Achison, at half the cost of stone. It is not surprising that Matthews & Washburn sell the most stone in the fact that they carry the line of goods at prices that convince even the skeptical. Messrs. Will & Stark have just received a new line of beautiful silverware, solid gold watches, rings and jewelry of all kinds. Call and see their fine selections. Secure your railroad, steamship and sleeping car tickets to all points North, South and East via the Union Pacific railway, and save time and money. Ticket office on Broadbain street. Don't fail to visit the Ladies' Bazaar when you get ready to buy your new fall hat or bonnet. Their elegant styles and superior quality of goods, together with the low prices, are the wonder of the town. Dried Fruit. I am prepared to pay the highest market price, in trade or cash, for choice dried fruits of all kinds. SAMUEL E. YOUNG. Take the Union Pacific railway for the last, thirty-five hours quicker than any other transcontinental line. Elegant new dining cars, Pullman palace sleepers, free family sleeping cars run through to Denver, Omaha, Council Bluffs, Kansas City, St. Louis and Chicago. C. G. Rawlings, city ticket agent, foot of Broadbain street.

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