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LOCAL NEWS.

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Mr. E. Buxton, of this city, went to Forest Grove, last week, to attend the funeral of his aunt Mrs. Ellen Rafferty Porter.

Tomorrow examinations will begin at O A C, and as a matter of course many of the students are occupying the anxious seat.

Ralph Lane, who has been employed during the past few months in a wholesale house in Portland, is expected to come home to spend the holidays.

New York Racket Store, second door south of Post Office. New goods, notions, Christmas goods and toys. Also fresh high grade groceries constantly in stock.

Everest's orchestra, of Portland, has been engaged to furnish the music for the ball that is to be given by the Cadet Battalion of O A C in the armory, next Friday night.

Arthur Bemis, of Benton county, was hunting Saturday when a piece of shell upon the cartridge exploded, flew into one of his eyes. Dr. Stark cut it out and hopes to save the sight of the eye.—Albany Democrat.

A. F. Peterson is expected to arrive home shortly, after an absence of many months, during which time he has had contracts for the construction of many fine buildings in the vicinity of Fossil, Eastern Oregon.

The ladies of the Congregational church will hold a Christmas sale of useful and fancy articles, at the residence of Mrs. John Burnett, Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings, December 19 and 20. Refreshments will be served.

The C & E will give a rate of one fare for the round trip from Albany and all points west, to Toledo, to all parties wishing to attend the farmers' institute to be held at Toledo, December 18th and 19th. Tickets good going December 17th and 18th, and returning not later than the 20th.

There is talk of a grand hunting match in the near future. About the holidays last year a couple of matches took place between teams composed of local hunters of renown. Some of the boys have voiced the sentiment that in order to have a hunt for blood on both sides, it would be fitting to select Attorney W. S. McFadden as captain of one team and Mayor M. S. Woodcock captain of the other.

Arch Horning of Yaquina, spent a few days in this city, visiting relatives, last week. Some ten years ago he lost the sight of his left eye, while working in a blacksmith shop, by a piece of iron striking across the eye, and one day last week he experienced a sharp pain in his eye, and presently, found that he could distinguish objects. His eye improved rapidly, and when he came to this city, he could see almost as well as ever with the injured eye.

Friday, Sheriff Burnett arrived home from Salem, whither he had accompanied Sheriff Deering with Elwood Chenoweth, whom they placed in the asylum for the insane. On the way down, the sheriffs kept a very close watch over Chenoweth, as he has given the officials the slip many times before when they were attempting to take him to the asylum. Mr. Chenoweth showed signs of uneasiness just before reaching the end of the journey, but gave no trouble whatever.

At a regular review of Corvallis Tent No. 11, Knights of the Macabees of the World, held on Wednesday night, Dec. 11th the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Past commander, E. W. Phillips; Commander, C. W. Lee; Lieut. Com., W. L. Sharp; Record Keeper, Seth Hulbert; Finance Keeper, Alex. Rennie; Chaplain, Victor P. Moses; Physician, Dr. L. G. Altman; Sergeant, G. W. Moore; Master-at-Arms, H. C. Mangas; 1st Master of the Guards, R. N. Adams; 2nd Master of the Guards, George Whiteside; Sentinel, D. B. Newton; Picket, W. T. Birrell; Musician, Victor P. Moses; Master of Property, Dolph Kerr; Trustee, E. R. Lake.

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Last Friday, Z. H. Davis, of this city, went over to the Big Elk country to oversee some surveying he is having done on one of his ranches.

The dancing club gave a dance in Burnett's hall, Friday night, and the attendance was good. The young folks report having danced to their hearts' content.

Stoney Wells, of Toledo, came out Saturday, for the purpose of attending some business. Stoney says that everything is quiet at the county seat of Lincoln county.

Our dancing population should not fail to attend the hop given by the Cadet battalion of O A C next Friday evening. Everything possible will be done to make the dance the event of the season. The musicians will come from Portland.

A few days ago John W. Simpson, of this city, made a trip to Polk county for the purpose of selling a farm he owned in that county. While there he negotiated the sale all right. His farm comprised 135 acres of choice land and brought spot cash.

Dr. Withycombe, and Professors Kent, Fulton and Coote, of this city, will all deliver papers before the farmers' institute which is to convene at Toledo, Lincoln county, tomorrow, under the auspices of the O A C. Hon. Wallis Nash and others will deliver addresses on this occasion.

Henry Ambler, real estate agent of Philomath recently negotiated the sale of the Seemit ranch, seven miles north of Philomath. Mr. F. E. Stephens, late of Lincoln, Neb., is the purchaser. The price paid was \$1,600, cash, and Mr. Stephens will take possession in about two weeks. The farm comprises 100 acres.

Owing to the fact that the senior class at the O A C were to be entertained by Miss Margaret Snell, there was no game of indoor baseball at the armory Friday evening. The seniors were entertained by Miss Snell at the Episcopal rectory and a most enjoyable time is reported. As a crowning feature Miss Snell took all members of the class to the star course lecture that was given at the opera house that evening.

G. F. Rice and J. White, of Clearlake, Iowa, and J. W. Mallow, of Hazleton, Iowa, arrived in this city last Friday. The gentlemen are on a tour of investigation and have been through a part of the Eastern Washington country before coming to this section. They visited the college farm Saturday and seemed quite favorably impressed with what they saw and learned. It is hoped that they may decide to locate with us.

D. H. Waller was in from Summit, Friday, to secure a license to wed Mrs. Stricker, of the same place. Mr. Waller is a new-comer and could not get anybody to identify him, consequently he was unable to procure a license. However, Clerk Watters supplied him with blanks to have affidavits made by parties at Summit, and in this way the clerk expects to be able to send the license to Mr. Waller today. In case there is no hitch anywhere the marriage ceremony will be performed tomorrow.

We have it on good authority that negotiations are under way for a performance in our city about December 28th by that pleasing musical organization—the Schubert Symphony Club and Lady Quartette of Chicago. Many of our readers have heard this popular company and no doubt everyone knows of the high favor in which its eight years of success has placed it. The great variety and popular character of this company's program has endeared it to the hearts of American music-lovers, until today it stands undoubtedly first in their affections. Their new program is said to be the best they have ever presented, and no doubt their house will be large here if they are secured for an entertainment.

Mack Hemphill arrived in his old home in this city, Friday, after an absence of seven years. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hemphill, of this city. During his absence Mack has been employed as express messenger on the Denver & Rio Grande R. R. He has operated on the various runs. At the time of leaving for a visit in this city his run was from Denver to Grand Junction, a distance of 478 miles. Mr. Hemphill's wife and two children arrived here last summer to visit relatives, but on his return to Denver will accompany him. Mack is looking well and says he is doing well. He likes the country and his work. He sees an improvement in Corvallis since he left home. His leave of absence is until December 31st, but he thinks he will have it extended.

We are closing out all mackintoshes at cost. Nolan & Callahan.

Sterling Silver novelties of all kinds at E. P. Greffoz, The Jeweler. Pictures, picture frames and wall paper—large assortment—at C. A. Barnhart's.

Reductions on all men's and boys' suits, overcoats and mackintoshes go at cost. Klines.

Mud guards put on your wheel at the Bicycle Hospital. The best and cheapest that can be had.

Friday's Oregonian contains an excellent half-tone of Captain Gault of the O A C football team.

Joseph Robinett, of Portland, arrived in this city, Saturday, and is visiting his sister, Mrs. Joseph Yates.

Mr. Wm. Eason was in the city yesterday on his way home to Philomath from a short visit to Portland.

We call attention to the special bargains in tinware offered by Ford & Laws in their ad elsewhere in this paper.

The ladies of the Christian church will give a Christmas sale at the home of Mrs. Humbert on 4th street, Wednesday, December 19th.

Only 8 days more till the drawing for the beautiful organ at Kline's. One ticket given with each dollar purchase. Who will be the lucky winner?

W. B. Sorsby, of Greytown, Nicaragua, has been appointed consul to Kingston, Jamaica. Mr. Sorsby is an intimate friend of Mr. J. H. Harris, and well known in Corvallis.

The Central Telephone station of this city, is to have a new switch-board soon. The old one has been giving quite a bit of trouble of late, necessitating the assistance of J. K. Berry, to repair it.

Mrs. W. S. Carver arrived Friday from Center Chain, Minn., for a two-months' visit with relatives in this city. Mr. Carver is expected here about the first of February, to remain for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lapsley and daughter were expected to arrive in this city yesterday from Brimfield, Ill., for a visit with relatives. Mrs. Lapsley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Moore, of this city.

Miss Philbrick, director of music at the Agricultural College, will give a song recital at the college, Saturday evening, January 4th, 1902, to which the general public will be invited. The program will appear later.

Christmas is near at hand and mistletoe boughs are in evidence in many places of business as well as private homes in this city. The stocks of holiday goods laid in by our merchants this year appears to be unusually large and fine.

Rev. Andrew Carrick, who has filled the pulpit of the Presbyterian church so acceptably for the past four Sundays, left yesterday for Seattle, Wash., for a short visit. He will return the last of the week to occupy the Presbyterian church of Woodburn for a short time.

The O A C football squad was out for the last little scuffle of the season Saturday afternoon. After posing for their picture in front of Mechanical Hall, the two teams had a friendly game of ten-minute halves. We want to serve notice to all whom it may concern, that O A C will be out after the championship next year.

The final number in the Star course of lectures was given at the Opera House Friday evening. This has proved such a popular form of entertainment that Superintendent Denman has promised to provide a similar course in the spring. Friday night's lecture was given by Rev. J. W. Lundy, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Stockton, California, his subject being "Ireland." The lecture was illustrated with 80 beautiful stereopticon views of the emerald isle. These scenes of ancient castles, magnificent mountains, and spots made famous by deeds enacted before the dawn of the Christian era, delighted the audience with little assistance from Mr. Lundy.

The Gus Sun American Minstrels.

The above company, traveling in their own private Pullman cars, will appear at the Opera House Friday, December 20th for one performance only. The company ranks among the best on the road and is certainly worthy of a packed house. The beautiful spectacular transformation first part, the superb music and the even star feature olio acts go to make up the strongest and most elaborate minstrel performance that has ever been witnessed in our city. The scenery and music are alone worth more than the admission fee. Seats on sale at Graham & Wortham's Drug Store. Price 25, 35, 50, and 75 cents.

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Who is He?

The following item taken from the Albany Herald will prove of interest, no doubt, to several of the young ladies of this city and will furnish an excellent opportunity for those who disdain to appear interested in the matter, to do some guessing:

A good item concerning a well known Corvallis attorney has just come to light. The attorney's lawyer is unmarried, tall, good looking, and has a great many lady friends. A hubbub was created in our sister town recently by a beautiful piece of jewelry being sent to the lawyer, presumably from Albany. He winked, but said not a word. His initials, "E. E. W.," were handsomely engraved upon the treasure and the indications were that he had a very close lady friend in this city. Several Corvallis young ladies were on the point of complete collapse and the attorney evidently enjoyed the situation and aided the Albany girl theory. Even some went so far as to say that he had given out the tip first in that direction. Things were rather tropical and the Corvallis eligibles commenced a campaign to learn the truth. They wanted to find out who was the lucky Albany dame and various other things. A searching investigation in this city revealed the fact that the attorney had purchased the present himself and had it mailed to Corvallis. This story is a strict secret, and we cannot give the name of the attorney for that reason.

Married.

In Medford at the home of the bride's parents, on Sunday, Dec. 8, 1901, Mr. Claude A. Riddle and Miss Mayme Issacs, Rev. S. H. Jones, of Jacksonville, being the officiating minister.

Speaking of the occasion, the Ashland Tidings says: "In the growing list of December weddings, that of Mr. Claude A. Riddle, a newspaper man of Grants Pass, and Miss Mayme Issacs, of Medford, is among the most felicitous. The ceremony occurred at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and was performed by Rev. S. H. Jones, of Jacksonville. Tactful decorations of ivy and chrysanthemums greeted the principals and attending guests, and at the conclusion of the ceremony, which made the twain one, a bountiful wedding lunch was served. Mr. and Mrs. Riddle took the evening north bound train for Grants Pass, where they will reside."

Claude attended the Agricultural College in this city for several years. At the time he left college he was the printer of the College Barometer. He is quite well known here and a wide circle of friends extend congratulations and good wishes to both himself and bride.

Miss Philbrick's Recital.

About seventy-five guests of Miss Mary Smith Philbrick, director of the musical department of the Agricultural College, listened to the first recital of her pupils at the college chapel Saturday evening, and attended the reception which followed. The length of the program—eighteen numbers—precludes criticism of individual performances.

Opening with a vocal solo, "Elizabeth's Prayer" from Wagner's "Tannhauser," by Miss Philbrick, the program consisted of piano solos interspersed with duets and vocal numbers by members of the class, and covered a wide range of style and composition, including selections from the masters and the best popular melodies. Deserving attention was the piano solo "The Rustic Festival," Krogman, by little Miss Pearl Horner. It was rendered with a finish and delicacy truly remarkable. There was an evenness of tempo, truthness of technique and lightness

of touch which won the little lady a round of applause.

At the conclusion of the program, Miss Philbrick, assisted by the class and President and Mrs. Gatch, Professor Berchtold, Miss Chamberlain and Mr. Crawford, received the guests. Dainty refreshments were partaken of, Misses Holgate and Gatch serving, assisted by Misses Lulu Spangler and Meryle Simpson.

What'er Pleases

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