

Local AND Personal

A Daily Chronicle of those who come and go, and events of Local interest.

Knights Templar

Malta Commandery No. 4 Masonic Hall Stated conclave, Wednesday evening, Dec. 5. Election of officers; also work in Order of Temple. Refreshments afterwards. Visiting and sojourning Sir Knights courteously invited. Conclave at 7:30 sharp.

F. H. JOHNSON, E. C. W. H. DAY, Recorder.

Cliff Payne makes drawers.

Birth

Born to Mr. and Mrs. L. Broll, December 4, 1923, at their home on Mountain avenue, an eight pound son.

Large loaf—quality bread 10c. Bon Ton. 34-tf

Yes we make suits in our shop. We have expert cutters and tailors at Orres Tailor Shop upstairs. 76-8

Virgin wool suits and overcoats \$20 and up, at Paulserud's. 78tf

Poultry Arrives at la Wells Fargo

Prize Ancona fowls aired their lustrous throats this morning when they came to the end of their journey from an Ancona Poultry Farm at Yoncolia. They are to visit the Winter Fair and a number of the shiny black birds crated securely will be viewed by scores of feathery fowl friends this week at the Chautauqua.

Business Visitor

E. R. Grieve was in Ashland yesterday from Hornbrook on a business trip.

Swifts—Bacon, Botted Ham, Chipped beef and lard. Get it at Detricks. It's the best. 53-tf

Have your clothes cleaned and repaired before the Holiday rush

Paulserud's. 78tf

Business Visitors in Jacksonville

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lamkin drove to their farm at Montague yesterday. Roads and crops in the valley are in very fine condition, and according to reports Oscar Huber has the contract to pave the highway north of Hornbrook to the state line and indications point that construction materials are now being laid preparatory to doing the work early in the spring.

Have a fit at Orres. Tailors for men and women. Upstairs. 4-tf

Darling Studio—Sittings evenings by appointment. Phone No. 8. 75tf

In Ashland Yesterday

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kincaid were business visitors from Nell Creek.

Our famous Tamales are always good. Try one—Rose Bros. 69-tf

To Winter in California

Mrs. Lou Dorman, of Portland, who has spent two weeks at the home of her cousin, Mrs. J. M. Beaver, has gone south for the winter. She left here last night after a pleasant stay in Ashland.

Tillamook cheese, cream cheese, cottage cheese, milk and butter. We sell the best. Detricks. 53tf

Big reductions in Suits and Overcoats tailored to your measure for Christmas at Orres tailor shop upstairs. 79-3

Many beautiful gifts at Darling Studio. 75-tf

Oak Street Resident Ill

O. H. Cole, a resident of several years standing on Oak street, is confined at his home with a lame hip. Mr. Cole fell about two months ago and has not recovered entirely from his injury.

Garments Reline—remodeled and repaired at Orres Tailor Shop—upstairs. Phone 64. 76-8

Are you hard to fit? Have your suit tailored to measure at Paulserud's. It costs no more.

Our hand dipped Imperial Chocolates represent the best—Rose Bros. 69-tf

Mr. Automobile Owner—Do you know there is a difference in automobile rates? You can save money by insuring with me. Yeo, of course. 77-tf

Milwaukie Odd Fellows to erect new lodge hall.

TEN MILLION ILLITERATES HERE; MEANS GRAVE LOSS

By S. W. STRAUS President American Society for Thrift.

TEN MILLION people in the United States who can neither read nor write! Twenty million illiterates and near-illiterates!



One finds these amazing statements in a recent survey of illiteracy conditions in the United States compiled by the Literacy Commission of the National Education Association. In view of the fact that our nation soon devotes an entire week to the special consideration of educational matters, it is well to have this concise statement of exact conditions placed before us at this time.

Perhaps no aspect of real national thrift is of greater significance from the standpoints alike of national duty and opportunity than this situation. In a general way the illiterate is out of the race. He doesn't count. His possibilities for personal success are negative. He adds little or nothing to the nation's economic welfare. Furthermore, as it is pointed out by the Literacy Commission, semi-barbaric conditions exist in illiterate sections. Moral standards are extremely low. The sanctity of the marriage vows is disregarded. So-called business is carried on through a crude system of barter and trade. Neither gold, silver nor paper money exists as a medium of exchange.

These points only suggest briefly some of the many national disadvantages of a large illiteracy population. We give thought and attention to the development of our great natural resources. We are endeavoring in every way to develop our nation physically. But we are exemplifying a poor type of national thrift and enlightenment when we neglect the moral and material advantages that would accrue from a more intensive and comprehensive educational policy. Addison wrote: "The philosopher, the saint, the hero, the wise, the good, the great man very often lies concealed in a plebeian whom proper education might have distinguished and brought to light."

The material, mental and moral waste represented by twenty million illiterates and near-illiterates in the United States is beyond calculation.

Fresh Homemade Candies at Rose Bros. 69-tf

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Large size Brunswick phonograph with twenty records. Big bargain if taken before Christmas. Owner must sell. Phone 10F2. 80-1*

LOST—Tuesday night, brown leather bag from car in front of Nat. FINDER leave at Tidings office. Reward. 80-2

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

FOR SALE—Netted Gem potatoes, another car, per hundred pounds, \$1.75. Plaza Market. 80

If a city which has a large fire loss per capita annually was recognized as a poor place for an industry authorities would very soon vestment, it is probable that the see that steps were taken to guard against destruction by preventable fires.

Meeting is Important

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the church parlors. All are asked to come that can as there is a lot of business to be transacted.

We deliver the goods. Service is our motto. Detricks—phone 62. 53-tf

Try our fresh kippered salmon "Detricks." 53-tf

Visit Shale Deposits

A party consisting of A. S. Dudley, I. E. Vining, Judge C. B. Watson, D. Peruzzi and L. N. Woodside visited the shale deposits yesterday afternoon. The trip was made in the Peruzzi machine and roads to the deposits were in good condition, tho a snow storm and rousing wind turned the top of the mountain into a semi-

Switzerland. Progress is interesting and stimulating, according to the visitors.

Brady Elected

Jack Brady, senior in commerce at O. A. C. has been elected to Lincolnian debate and oratorical society and has made the senior inter-class debate team.

Lay in your winter supply of potatoes from our fresh shipment of Netted Gems, per hundred pounds \$1.75. Plaza Market. 80

Mine is Satisfactory

G. J. Bodfish, representing a large corporation from San Francisco is in Ashland looking over mining properties. Mr. Bodfish, who is a mining engineer, has passed favorably on the Rising Hope mine, formerly owned by G. W. Davis. The mine indicated is located nine miles west of Hill

and it is understood that a mill located on the claim will be opened within sixty days.

Buy him a tailored to measure suit or overcoat for Xmas. Come in and select the cloth and arrange for us to take his measure—at Orres Tailor Shop upstairs. 79-3

Netted Gems, the better cooking potato, during Winter Fair! \$1.75 the hundred pounds. Plaza Market. 80

Other Guests

Wm. Nelson, Jr. of Klamath Falls, was a guest at the Hotel Columbia yesterday. Melvin Hixson and Fred Hixson, of Nampa, Idaho, were guests yesterday. C. Z. Perr is here from Cushman.

Thanks for expression on salt rising bread. 80tf

Return Home—George Robison has returned from Lodi, Cal., where he went recently to visit his mother. He states that his mother is improved.

Yes real salt rising bread. 80tf

Salt rising bread will stand the test. 80-tf

Barn Being Built

A modern thousand dollar barn is being erected by Roy Stoefler at his farm west of Ashland. According to statements, Mr. Stoefler has purchased twelve head of cows and will probably enter into dairy business.

Mr. J. R. Elliott has taken over from Mr. Elhart, the Agency for the San Francisco papers. Phone 79-2*

Hand decorated articles, luncheon sets, handkerchiefs, aprons, pillow cases, towels, etc. at the P. E. O. charity bazaar tomorrow at J. P. Dodge & Sons Store.

Oh boy! some flavor! Salt rising bread. 80-tf

Visitors from Rogue River—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. MacClaren and Miss Tillie Anderson were guests yesterday of friends in Ashland. Mr. and Mrs. MacClaren have returned to their home in Rogue River, but Miss Anderson plans to visit a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robertson.

Fresh fruit cake and mince meat ingredients—brown sugar, citron, spices, orange peel, lemon peel, walnuts and so forth. Detricks. We deliver. 59-tf

Swenson & Peebler Winter Fair and Christmas Furniture Sale Begins Thursday, December 6

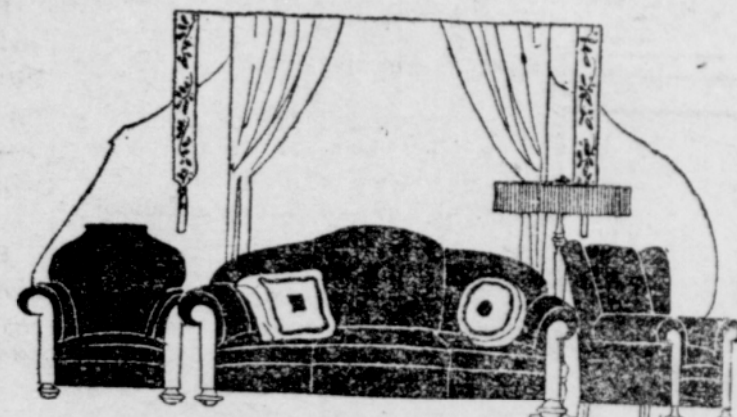


Furniture

A Gift for the Family

—a fine living room suite of Davenport, Chair and Rocker, overstuffed, and upholstered in beautiful French tapestry. Davenport and Chair have separate cushions, strong springs and deep stuffing. Surely a gift every member of the family and any guest will enjoy.—Regular price \$275.00—

CHRISTMAS OFFERING \$198.00



For Mother

—a new Rug that is one of the requisites of the home she loves, and the generous spirit she has to share her own gift with all the family. It is easy to find out just as easy to have it delivered at the proper time. Rugs, room size, from

\$6.50 TO \$150.00

Dining Room Needs

—whatever they may be, can be filled completely here from our up-to-date and popular styled dining room displays. They range from the conventional to the complete period suites to suit the most fastidious tastes and requirements.

FROM \$86.00 TO \$298.00

For Dad

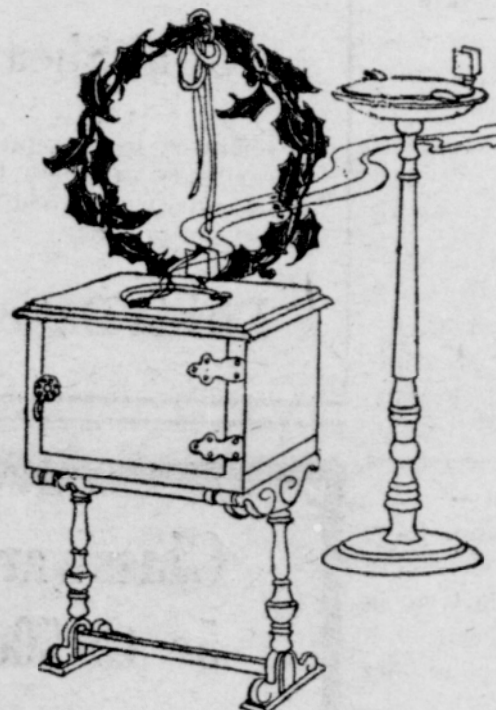
—all dad wants, generally is something to let him know he has been remembered, with some little thing personal. Most men cherish the idea and hope of some day having a good Easy Rocking Chair. Prices range from

\$7.50 TO \$65.00



Gift Chairs

—one thing none will miss if chosen as a gift for father, mother, grandparents, or friend. A big selection from which to choose. We will deliver.



For the Kiddies

—trinkets, toys, wagons, trains, mechanical entertainers, tricycles, games, b. eds, dressers, dolls, doll buggies, stoves, for boys and girls. We notice the older folks enjoy them, also. We will lay them aside for you.

For Daughter

—nothing pleases her more than a beautiful cedar chest in which to store against moths and rust, fineries and individual lingerie. A fine piece of furniture for any home. A good selection from

\$11.50 TO \$35.00

Sellers Kitchen Cabinet

—one thing most women would rather have than fine gold. One means less labor, more recreation, less fatigue, pleasanter home life, less doctor bills, more health. Delivered Christmas morn.—Regular Price \$57.00—

CHRISTMAS SALE PRICE \$44.00

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