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## BUILDING LOAN ASSOCIATION

Local Capital Will Form a Loan Association to Help the Cause.

The time has come when Echo must sit up and take notice and recognize formidable competition on the west. Echo has not increased her population so much in the past few months as she should considering our great and prosperous community, and therefore some of our citizens have begun to try to ascertain the reason why.

Some of them assert, and it is a fact which cannot be denied, that should a man want to live in Echo at the present time it would be impossible for him to do so as there is not a half-way respectable vacant house in the town, and several of our good citizens are now living in shacks, but that is the best they can do under the circumstances.

In view of the above conditions several of our citizens propose to organize a building and loan association so as to give good people with small means or those who do not feel like taking money out of their business, an opportunity to build themselves a home.

The details of this building and loan association have not yet been worked out but from the people who are behind the move it is safe to predict that it will organize on a sound and sensible basis and that its officers and directors will be selected from among Echo's most conservative and substantial citizens.

The association will fill a long felt want in Echo and this paper stands ready to do all in its power to help in any possible way. Give us the houses and watch Echo grow.

### Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy Never Known to Fail

"I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy since it was first introduced to the public in 1872, and have never found one instance where a cure was not speedily effected by its use. I have been a commercial traveler for 18 years, and never start out on a trip without this my faithful friend," says H. S. Nichols of Oakland, Ind. Ter. For sale by Dorn & Dorn druggists.

Show-going people in general look forward with pleasure for the annual visit of the Eller show which comes to Echo August 30th. He always brings a clean, wholesome entertainment, and his company is composed of ladies and gentlemen.

## SCHOOL COMMENCES SOON

Listen For The Bell, It Has a Musical Sound.

The first Monday in September our schools will open their doors and bid you come for all things are ready. The High School is specially prepared to give you a practical course of training in the shortest possible time. If your time is limited, special pains will be taken to enable you to get the most out of it that will be of real practical value. The High School is the best equipped of any graded school in a place of like size in the state, and there are but few places of three times its size that equal it. Our town is pleasant, social advantages first class with a high moral atmosphere all the while prevailing. We proffer the opportunities freely, and it is yours to accept them with profit. Make ready and start with the opening of school. Be always on time, employ your talents wisely, and life has an allotted place that you can acceptably fill with profit.

We have enough men who have come to Echo and purchased land to hold for speculation. Not so many such as some places, but every community in Oregon is held back by that sort of thing. Echo wants home builders. Echo wants workers; men who will grasp the handles of the plow and make two hundred blades of grass grow where none grew before; men who will shovel water around from an irrigation canal that trees and vines may shade their hearthstones. Men who are willing to earn their bread, and who do not expect to speculate upon the needs of their fellows. Common, ordinary, children loving, home builders. Room here and hereabouts for ten thousand such men.

### English Etchings.

London has eighty-eight public libraries.

In 1885 three persons were cremated in England. Last year the number was 795.

Women convicts in England are addressed by their first names instead of by numbers, as men are.

Recently at the Lambeth county court a creditor said, "He is a very difficult man to catch, so I invited him to lunch and served him with the summons then."

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## WILL BUILD SUBMERGED DAM

The Western Land & Irrigation Company to Build a New Dam

The first car of lumber has been received for the four hundred foot submerged dam to be built next month by the Western Land & Irrigation Company, one mile above town.

The plans for the dam were drawn especially for the company by Hon. J. T. Whistler, of the Reclamation Department and the work will be under the supervision of W. B. Hinkle. It will require 100,000 feet of lumber, 800 piles and several cars of cement to do the work. When completed the company will have one of the best dams in the country.

Every little country village has an ambition to become a trade center and a boom city, with no special natural features or geographical advantages. Under such conditions what is most needed is some enterprise on the part of its local capitalists. They must make the first advance in the uncertain field of development. They must capitalize small factories and see that they are kept employed. When the local business is finally developed and proves to the world that they are successful, then outside enterprises will be sure to step in and enjoy your prosperity with you. Just like a fellow who finds a favorite fishing hole and catches fish, and all the other fishermen who see that he is catching will drop their hooks right by the side of the lucky fisherman. The business men of any town should stop talking and hoping for others to do something for the town. They should get together themselves and prove to the world that they have a money making town. No outsider will want to fish in our swimming hole until we prove that they can catch fish.

The movement for national credit to be extended to the reclamation of arid and swamp land is blocked by the Cannon of Illinois, and the corporation imbecility typified by Aldrich of the state of Standard Oil, but the time will come when the pressure from the west will be irresistible. The Republican party needs the votes of the west worse than the voters of the west need any party.

## DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Mrs. Clark Fisher of Trenton personally conducts one of the largest foundries in New Jersey and supervises the biweekly casting herself.

The Duchess of Manchester, formerly Miss Zimmerman of Cincinnati, recently entertained two royal guests, King Edward of England and King Alfonso of Spain. The affair took place at Biarritz, France, where the two rulers met.

Mrs. Jennie F. Metcalf of Winchester, England, with twenty-five competitors, recently took an examination for the position of private secretary in one of the largest tea houses in the world. She was receiving the appointment for three years at a salary of \$1,500 and expenses.

Mrs. A. A. Anderson of Greenwich, Conn., has given \$3,000 toward a parish building to be devoted to the social and educational purposes of the deaf and dumb. The house is to be three stories in height and to contain rooms for entertainment, handicraft and physical training.

When Miss Helen Mirogobsky made her debut as a member of the Purcell society she was attired in a simple black gown relieved by the conventional white hair ribbon. Her costume was further accentuated by the black ring which crowned her jet black hair. It is said that Miss Mirogobsky is extremely beautiful.

### German Cleanings.

In Berlin nearly all the repairs of the principal streets are carried on at night.

In Berlin the theaters have been provided with hot rooms for the women. These are lockers large enough to admit the most lapping hats.

Emperor William has issued a "private cabinet order" expressing his displeasure that at dances, dinners and other entertainments owners of his army smokes in the presence of ladies and asking that they cease the practice.

Leipzig has been so troubled with malaria that the city authorities have determined on a campaign to stamp out mosquitoes. Every household will be asked to kill all the insects in his own apartments, after which inspectors will go around to see that thorough work has been done.

### Short Stories.

The world consumes 2,000,000 needles per day.

The coal bill of the United States navy during 1908 amounted to \$5,545,000.

The crater of the extinct volcano of Mount Hood will be utilized as a powder magazine by the army in its defense of Honolulu.

Authoritative opinions hold that the number of sheep in all countries in the world decreased from 100,000,000 in 1873 to 300,000,000 in 1908.

The first permanent station for airplanes to be opened in New York is to be built on the roof of the Hotel Astor. The proprietor is about to spend \$20,000 in devoting 63,000 square feet on the roof of the building to the airship station.

### Things Theatrical.

Panny Rice, it is said, meditates a long retirement from the stage.

Kyrie Bellew is to spend his vacation in a tour of Spain and cruising in his yacht.

Eugene Walter has written a play for Frederic Thompson with the thrilling title of "The Assassin."

Clyde Fitch had an offer made him from Madrid for the Spanish rights to his version of "The Blue Mouse."

Box Beach's novel "The Barrier" is to be produced next season, with a cast headed by Guy Standing and Theodore Roberts. It will be under the direction of Klaw & Erlanger.

### Recent Inventions.

A new incandescent flashlight brought out in England uses a cluster of rods which glow when the gas is lighted instead of a mantle. Greater durability and brilliancy are claimed.

A patent has been granted upon a device to strengthen the hand muscles, consisting of weighted rods connected with the fingers to offer resistance when the fingers are moved.

A recent French invention is a yarn humidifier. The yarns pass through a swiftly revolving tube in which there is water, and by centrifugal force this column of water forms a collar around the yarn.

### Proverbs.

A dog's friendship is better than his hate.—Welsh Proverb.

Better a master be feared than despised.—Dutch Proverb.

Better slip with the foot than with the tongue.—Italian Proverb.

A friend to everybody is a friend to nobody.—Spanish Proverb.

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## ECHO SHOULD HAVE LIGHTS

Why Can't We Get An Electric Light Plant Here?

Winter is coming and the long dark nights will soon be staring us in the face, and we will have to gather up our old coal oil lamp from the corner and then light a match to see if we have a light. The city should put in the lights, but if they won't do it they should then give a franchise to some one who will. It will be no trouble to secure the lights as the city can get the money and have the plant in running order in sixty days.

If every citizen will help a little we will have an electric light plant in time for the long, weary evenings. There is nothing more cheering than good lights in a dark town. When you leave your home to visit with your neighbor you will not then be stumbling over boxes and trash left in the street or carrying an old greasy lantern, and the evening will be much more pleasantly spent. Your store will not be dark for the want of cleaning the lamp chimneys. Now if we want to still remain in the same old rut doing nothing, and saying to anyone who will try to do something, "I will help, but go and see what the other fellow will do first," we will be without lights until doom's day. The thing to do is to say I will give so much, and sign then. That will lessen the burden of the man doing the soliciting.

### What is Best for Indigestion.

Mr. A. Robinson of Drummond, Ontario, has been troubled for years with indigestion, and recommends Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets as "the best medicine I ever used." If troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial. They are certain to prove beneficial. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. Price 25 cents. Samples free at Dorn & Dorn Drug Store.

While Mr. Eller does not especially feature his band and orchestra, they are conceded to be two of the finest musical organizations traveling.

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