The Ladies Aid society meets

Mr. Bailey is helping Dick

who he is talking to, if he does

PICKED AT ORENCO

week a committee was appointed

to draw up a charter for a com-

mission form of government for

The poultry club held a meet-

A liberal reward will be given

this conumdrum properly. Why

Mr. and Mrs. John McGee

The bible class held their regu-

had a most enjoyable time.

Sunday.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Miss Bertha Dorris, a teacher

land visitor last Saturday and

The spelling contest under the

auspices of the Washington

County Teacher's Association

last year was such a success that

arrangements are being made to have another contest this year.

Wesley Didn't Like French. John Wesley had a very poor

opinion of the French language. He once wrote: "I was more than

ever convinced that the French is the poorest, meanest language in

Europe, that is it no more comparable to the German or Spanish than

a bagpipe is to an organ and that,

with regard to poetry in particular, considering the incorrigible un-

couthness of their measures and

their always writing in rime (to say

nothing of their vile double rimesnay, and frequent false rimes) it is as impossible to write a fine poem

in French as to make fine music

Maude Was Willing.

A strict housewife said to a new maid, "I forgot to tell you, Maude,

that if you break anything I'll have

But Maude, whom two days had heartily sickened of her berth,

replied, with a merry laugh: "Do it, ma'am; do it. I've just broke the

hundred dollar vase in the parlor, and if you can take that out of \$4-

for I'm leavin' at the end of the week-why, you'll be mighty clev-

He Called the Turn.

"I came," announced the inti-mate friend of the family, "to make

"But," they protested, "you

haven't been here to dinner lately."
"I know that," he replied, "and I thought if I called that defect

An invitation was promptly forth-coming.—New York Press.

Whipped Cream.

"Look here," shouted the irate

neighbor over the fence, "your

youngest son has been stoning my

cats and pilfering my apples! He

"Don't talk that way about my son," blurted the fond parent. "Why, he is considered the cream

"The cream, eh? Well, I'd like

to see him whipped." - Chicago

to take it out of your wages.'

upon a jewsharp."

er."-Argonaut.

my dinner call."

might be remedied."

is a scamp!"

of our family."

ing Tuesday evening and adopt-

is seldom.

Orenco.

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GALES CITY.

Robert Lilly, who was called to McCloud, Calif., to attend the afternoon. This is the first funeral of his brother, returned meeting for some time and it is home Wednesday of last week. hoped the members will all be

Rev. A. G. Dixon, of Portland, present. gave us an interesting sermon Sunday.

Ruth Lilly of Forest Grove, spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Jane Lilly.

James Churchill was doing business in Portland Saturday.

Railroad talk is becoming the leading conversation here of late. We have understood that the United Company will again start building to be used as a black- the public. The Bison 101 specwork on the road through this section of the country in the early spring. We hope this is true, but would much rather see a road from Forest Grove through here than from anyother way and still live in hopes that a branch road will come through here from Forest Grove.

WEEKLY WORD OF WATTS

The school will hold an enter- ed a constitution and by-laws. The tainment next Friday evening. club starts under auspicious cir-Admittance will be 25 cents for cumstances and a large memberadults and 15 cents for children. ship. Proceeds to go towards defraying the expence of buying a new to the person who can answer

The young people met Sunday is the Oregon Electric like the night at the school house and or- moon? ganized a Christian Endeavor society, with Miss Smith, as spent Sunday in Salem visiting president. We did not learn the friends. names of the other officers. The hard rain kept those away who lar monthly social meeting at were coming out from Forest the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mc-Grove to assist in starting the Donald on Thursday evening and society.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy shopped in the Grove Tuesday.

Mrs. Hollenbeck, of North Yamhill, is visiting her parents, in the High school, was a Port-

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bailey. Peter Boke was seen at the stores in town on Tuesday.

Thad Stevenson was in the city Monday.

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HILLSBORO, OR. - The pipe dipping plant of the Hillsboro Power and Investment company was destroyed by a fire that broke out at 12:30 o'clock last Thursday morning. For a time with Mrs. N. A. Frost, Thursday the large power house and machine shop of the company were threatened but hard work confined the fire. Power for the operation of the saw mill and also of the Climax Milling com-Holsher put up some telephone pany is furnished from the powpoles on the Gales Creek line this er house of the Investment comweek. The lines are crossed pany and had it burned it would somewhere and no one can tell have meant shutting down these plants. Loss on the pipe plant succeed in getting central, which will be between \$1000 and \$2000.

At the Grand theater some excellent bills are being offered Peter Redwick is erecting a smith shop on his lots on Second ials are the features with others street. He also intends to of note each night. This house establish a livery stable some- is giving good shows and placing thing that is badly needed here. a considerable number of special films before its patrons. At the mass meeting held last



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