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Poe as a Romancer.
The reader who chanced in youth
to come upon one of Poe's finer stories
is not likely to have forgotten its im-
pression on his unjaded sense of mys-
tery and beauty. Nor are there many
who in mature years, and in this hey-
day of the short story, first become
acquainted with the "Tales of the
Grotesque and the Arabesque," but
must realize the power of their con-
juring charm. Taken together they are
the fullest exhibit of their author's
genius, if not their highest; and if
the highest is to be seen in his poetry,
which fairly may be debated, the prose
tales with their greater volume and
diversity lose nothing in comparison.—
Stedman.

Majority and Plurality.
A candidate in an election receives
a plurality of votes when he obtains
more than any other candidate, and he
receives a majority of votes when his
total is more than all others. The
plurality is thus the excess of votes
received by any one candidate over
those received by the candidate hav-
ing the next highest number of votes,
while the majority is the excess of

votes received by the candidate hav-
ing the highest number over those
received by all the others together.
Thus when a candidate for office, out
of, say 10,000 votes, receive 4,000, and
two other candidates receive respec-
tively 3,500 and 2,500, the first is
elected by a plurality, though he has
received less than a majority of the
whole vote, and he is said to have a
plurality of 500 votes, the difference
between 4,000 and 3,500.

Fruits and Vegetables.
Rhubarb is a vegetable. In popular
usage the word "fruit" applies to the
fleshy and juicy product of some
plant, usually tree or shrub (and nearly
always containing the seed), which
when ripe is edible without cooking
and adapted for use as a dessert
rather than as a salad. Roots, tubers,
stems, foliage and that which is botan-
ically the fruit of plants (peas, beans,
etc.), when used for culinary purposes,
are in a popular sense vegetables.
There are a few exceptions. The
quince, which is cooked before eating,
is a fruit. The tomato is both a fruit
and vegetable, though for table use
and in the garden and market it ranks
as a vegetable only.

MYRTLE POINT ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perkins and
Miss Grace Knight returned home
this week from a visit in Salem with
Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Guerin, Mrs.
Max Dement and Mrs. Pink Laird mot-
ored to Marshfield Wednesday to at-
tend the funeral of Mr. Phelan, a
former resident of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Clarke and
family and mother, A. G. Thompson
and children and C. C. Carter and
son, Shirley spent Sunday on the Ban-
don beach.

Dr. Clarke's mother, who has been
visiting him since last January, will
leave for her home in Fall River,
Massachusetts, Sunday morning.
She will visit a few days in Portland
before going home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rackleff and
family and Robert Ladd spent Sun-
day in Bandon.

Tommy Donica, of Marshfield,
spent several days here visiting Ol-
iver Clarke.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Emery are the
proud parents of a ten pound baby
girl born to them Saturday.

Glen Miller, of Turner, Oregon,
was in town Friday on State High-
way Commission business.

Mrs. Harry Guerin is visiting rela-
tives in Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollen and children,
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bushnell, Mr.
and Mrs. Ralph Cring and Miss Lucy
Ray have gone on an auto trip
through Oregon and California. John
Arnold is working in Mr. Bowers'
place in the barber shop.

J. A. Hart left for Willamette
Valley points to visit for a few weeks'
vacation.

Mrs. J. D. Woodfin's sister, Mrs.
Brown, is here from Newberg visiting
her.

J. D. Woodfin and H. S. Garrett
went on a fishing trip to Bandon Mon-
day.

Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Clarke and fam-
ily spent Thursday at Shoreacres.
They report a very pleasant time.

L. P. Trigg, of Norway, is enjoy-
ing a visit with his father and sis-
ters, Jennie Trigg and Edith LeMar,
of Humboldt, California.

Mrs. Albert Carver left Wednes-
day for Reedsport, where she will vis-
it her sister, Mrs. Cliff Wilson, for
the coming week.

Chester Adams is home from Ames,
Iowa, where he has been attending
college.

Ted Johnson has gone to Walla
Walla, Washington, to work in the
harvest fields there.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dement and
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harlocker have
gone on a vacation to British Colum-
bia. M. D. Reitman, of Portland,
is taking Mr. Harlocker's place in the
Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Annin are tak-
ing care of the Broadbent store while
Fred True is away on his vacation.

Mrs. Carl V. Anderson, who has
been ill for some time, was taken to
Coquille Monday to undergo an opera-
tion in Dr. Hamilton's hospital.

Mrs. Ike Allen is quite seriously
ill at the Mercy hospital in North
Bend.

Miss Grace Wise and Millard Car-
lyle were married by C. O. Jennings
last Saturday.

The W. C. T. U. held their monthly
meeting at the M. E. church Tuesday.
They spent their time sewing for
the Children's Farm Home.

EAST FORK NOTES

M. W. Lee, who has been living for
the past year in Looking Glass val-
ley, Douglas county, came in with
team and wagon Monday. He says
the prune and apple crop in that val-
ley is big and the hay and grain crop
good. Asked how long he would stay
in Coos he said, "that depends on how
they use me."

Tom Garroni started Tuesday with
his cows for Roseburg, where he ships
them to Shasta Valley. He has a car-
load. His brother, Dominic, helped
him drive out the cattle.

Among those at the swimming hole
Sunday were some cigarette smokers.
A match or cigarette stub was drop-
ped at the side of the trail, which
caused smoke that attracted our at-
tention. When I was separating, wife
went and investigated and got her-
self into job of packing water from
the river to put it out. There is only
one safe place for the cigarette
smoker to strike a match or smoke,
that place is with his head under the
water. A fire at The Dalles July 10
caused a loss of \$75,000 because a

thing afflicted with cigarette deprav-
ity tossed a burning cigarette stuff in-
to an alley. Cigarette depravity is
a cause of the depravity of irrespons-
ibility.

Sam Gompers wants to change the
constitution of the United States of
America so that he may try to wipe
out the decisions of the United States
Supreme Court. Sam, you and your
kind, have been feasting and fatten-
ing on the depravity of irrespons-
ibility. It makes you bellow to come
up to the bull ring of responsibility.
R. A. Easton.

Items From Arago.

Nearly everyone, who could leave
home, attended the Chautauqua last
week at Myrtle Point. Everyone
speaks of the program in highest
praise.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Haberly mot-
ored down from Portland via Rose-
burg. They were visitors at the home
of Mr. Haberly's sister, Mrs. O. H.
Aasen.

Mrs. Hoover, who has had a very
good class in music at Arago for some
time has had to discontinue it and
Miss Myrtle Newton will be at Mrs.
L. R. Woodward's every Thursday at
2:30 p. m., taking over Mrs. Hoover's
class and any others who wish to join
it.

Presiding Elder G. E. McDonald, of
the U. B. church, held quarterly meet-
ing at Johnson's Mill last Saturday.

Mrs. E. Shumard is leaving via
steamer for Los Angeles next week
to visit her mother. Mrs. Shumard
will be accompanied by Miss Mabel
O'Neal as far as Berkeley.

Mrs. Elton Stevens and children
from Washington are visiting at the
home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Joseph Radabaugh.

Word has been received by Mrs.
A. H. Fish that her father, Henry
Dorris, had received a very severe in-
jury from a fall last week and was
at the hospital at Marysville, Cali-
fornia.

S. E. Aasen, who has been quite ill
in the hospital at Myrtle Point for
nearly five weeks, is much improved
in health. His friends think he will
soon be able to come back to his
home.

M. E. Church

Sunday School 10 a. m.
Preaching 11 a. m. Sermon Top-
ic, "The Method and Purpose of Je-
sus."

Epworth League 7 p. m. Devotion-
al Topic, "A Man who Believed in
The Power of God."

Evangelistic Service 8 p. m. Lec-
ture Subject, "The Christian's View-
point."

Prayer Meeting Wednesday even-
ing at 8 p. m.

M. Wesley Goss, pastor.

Church of Christ Notes

10 A. M., Bible School, C. E. Mul-
key, Supt.

11 A. M., "The World's Greatest
Memorial."

7 P. M., Christian Endeavor, Paul
Ramsey, Pres.

8 P. M., Real Congregational song
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mon. We always have one or more
special numbers by the choir or some
member, you will enjoy it.

"Blessed are those who rise early
on Sunday morn; for they always get
to church on time."

L. F. Powell, Minister.

Christian Science Society

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.
Sunday Service at 11 a. m.
Subject for next Sunday, "Truth."
Wednesday evening meeting at 8
o'clock.

Prehistoric Flying Reptile.

One of the highest forms of rep-
tilian life which flourished in prehis-
toric times was the pterodactyl, the
huge flying reptile which, in view of
the scarcity of birds in those days,
could lay claim to the dominion of
the air. A mature pterodactyl possessed
a wing spread of 20 feet, and a tooth-
less beak, more than a yard long, and
as sharp as a dagger. The structure of
the pterodactyl was of extraordinary
lightness, the entire skeleton, even
when petrified, weighing only five or
six pounds, and the entire weight of
the living creature, according to lead-
ing scientists, could not have exceeded
25 pounds. The remains of the largest
pterodactyls have been found in Amer-
ica, but they were apparently most
numerous, and in the most curious
forms in what is now Europe.

See the Liberty Theatre program on
page three.

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