EVERGREEN WHIST CLUB'S MONTHLY BLOW-OUT

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Home of Mr. and Mrs. At Friedberg in West Marshfield

From Baturday's Dally.

The Evergreens gave their , regular monthly blow-out Thursday evening. A full quato of the club being present at the Friedberg home. The playing throughout was spirited and many close ! contests were enjoyed at the eight city from being finished in plaster. tables.

The parlors, and in fact, the entire house was neatly decorated for the evening, and leat an air of splendor throughout.

After the regular game came the refreshments which were served in the attic which was profusely decorated with Chinese lauterns and trimmed with all kluds of Oregon greens entermingled with electrical effects which made the feast in the attic a very pleasurable diversion.

When the scores were counted it was found that Mrs. S. H. Hazard had won the first prize and Mrs. F. X. Hofer the consolation. These were special prizes given by the gentlemen and were not expected but were a complete suprise to the ladies. The regular club prizes were won by P. M. Wilbar who made the largest score and F. P. Norton, received the consolation as a reward for his ill luck.

After the guests returned to the parlor from the attic, a place where all seemed to linger, music and sociability

sped away another hour, when the players began to disperse for their homes, but before leaving one and all voted the host and botess capital entertainers and that they were posessed an ideal home to entertain such gathering.

AFTER FIFTY YEARS

Pioneer Put Mud Inside Tree and Time Turned it to Stone

From Sunday's Dally.

(Portland Telegram) Fifty years ago Breese Gibson and hi

worked on some of the famous buildings + From Tuesday's Daily. such as the Masonic Temple, Marshal Field's retail store the Womans Temple and scores of other large structures in Chicago, and know their business. Mr. Fuller was asked as to the quality of the sand which comes from the sand hills in the lower bay.

The writer was informed that never before in their lives had they used a sand with so many good qualities as this sand-dune cand.

He was informed that many plasterers had condemed it, and this fact alone had barred numerous bouses in our The Fuller Bros. say ; "This sand

superior to any we have ever used and were it within a reasonable distance of such cities as Chicago, St Louis and others, would be worth millions. It

has a sharp strong edge, contains a large portion of natural cement; is even in size and color. Never before have we used a sand that so theroughly unites with lime, hair and cement. It is more pliable and to an artistic plasterer would be worth more because of its pliability. We cannot commend it too highly. The clinch is much stronger than any morter we have ever used and 011

if this building does not settle all of shape these walls will never crack. The sand fully units with coment and would make an ideal ingredient in concrete, having a natural packing quality to stand in position.

"Whenever a man says the sand from the sandhills is not good he cannot know his business. We have worked the sand from the famous sand pits from

all parts of the United States, but never Republican State Committee Called yet have run across sands that will compare favorably with this.

"If the transportation problem did not interfere these sand-hills would b worth millions to Coos Bay and if our patent morter materlizes as we have

good reason to expect you may see hundreds of men employed here handling that sand and coining it into money, just because it contains the qualilties

which are so much desired, These gentlemen have now under experimental process an admixture of this sand cements, lime and hair if successful may prove a bananza to Coos Bay. If their expectations are met, of which they have great encourgement, they will a the manufacture here of a

Gardiuer Gazette-A town rumer has ing, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., for the purit that when Cooper's surveying corps pore of seleting the time and place for has completed the present beach survey holding the next State Convention. to Coos Bay a part of the company will apportioning delegates to said convenhe sent right back to Drain to begin set. tion, recommending date for holding ting grade stakes. Mr. Cooper may be primaries, and for the transaction of water-tight, but he can't hold every. such other business as may properly thing all the time. He sometimes leaks come before the Committee.

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a little information.

Belt Line Railway Prospectus

Many Marabfield people are in receipt of the prospectus of the Belt Line Railway Co, sent out from the office 228 Star King Bidg, 121 Genry St. San

Francicco. Major L. D. Kinney is still at the please say advertised and pay one cent head of the Company, and the Mart is for each advertised letters called for. glad to note that he is on deck and still pushing Coos Bay to the front.

Fight With a Wildcat

(Myrtle Point Enterprise)

Chas. Marcy had a desperate encoun er with a wildcat one day this week Mr. Marcy had a single barrel shot gur and after giving the animal a load of bird shot tried a hand to hand encount He was getting the worst of it and er. concluded to throw his gun away and fly to a place of salety. Then the real excitement commenced with speedy Marcy in the lead. He was too fast for his antagonist and after running about two hundred yards the cat dropped dead

from loss of blood and exhaustion. Mr. Marcy like the fellow who out ran the bear, had the animal handicapped.

Portland, Oregon, Jan. 29, 1904

The Republican State Central Committee is hereby called to meet in the city of Portland on Friday, the 12th of

birthday), in room 12 Hamiltan build-

FRANK C. BALER. HARRISON ALLEN. Chairman. Secretary.

Unclaimed Letters

List of unclaimed letters in Marshfield Oregon Post Office, Feb. 1st, 1904, persons calling for the same will

Miss Selma Abrahomson, Mrs Bertha Anderson, Victor Blacklund, Dan Besmer, W H Buckner, Alberto Crosseti, Miss Edyth Campbell, L J Cordy, W W Duggan, Bert Dully, Fernald Escaffre, Louis Frazier, Abraham Gusafson, H

Hurttle, Will Howle, John Imel Capt. W Jergensen, Miss Ida Johnson, Frans friends here. E Kwikas, Chas Lasell, R E Larimer. And Emil Lidsle' Carl Matnews, Joseph T McKee, W L Mast, Mrs F R Matt, Daniel McKenzie, Bert McCurdy, W J Miller, Chas Montjoy, Chas Rodgers, Joseph Thomas, Capt Henry Webber, Mrs Ell Wright, Miss Jennie Wilson,

W. B. CURTIS, P. M.

Allegany Items -

The Allegany farmers have taking ad, vantage of the good weather, and are now planting their crops.

The Allegany school has closed, after a term of three months. Wanted-A good house kepper. Ap-

ply to Fred Gage, Allegany, Or. Box 12. February, 1904 (Abraham Lincoln's Mrs. Frank Prey of Coos River is

Nothing so Still as Death

"Nasal Catarris quickly yields to to nt by Riy's C: It is received through the nostrils, clean face over which it diffuses itself. Droggists sell the 50c, size; Trial size by mail, 10 cents. Test it and you are sure to continue the treat Announcement,

mmodate those who are to the use of atomisers in applying lie into the nasal passages for bies, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cra m Balm. Prive including sh spraying tube is 75 cents. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the med. icinal proparties of the solid preparation.

pending a few days with the Misses Maude and Jane Porter of Allegany and poor old"Santa Claus" is spending his Watches and Jewelry repairing done on short notice, and in up-to-date style

There was a great turn-up in the Allegany streets Friday evening. Alex Esselstrum the old time logger

was seen on the streets ol Allegany Sunday.

Bob Riley of Elkton has been visiting

Pogs for sale-Apply to Newel Frice of Allegany. For cats apply to William Vincamp.

Frank Prey, one of Coos River's most notable farmers, has just finished pulling his carrots. Old boy, if you had left them in a little longer you would not need to plant any this year.

Side-burns are all the go at Allegany. Allegany is a great place during lesp year for minks, especially on Sundays.

Allegany, Or. Feb. 1, 1904

BIG STRIKE ON SIXES

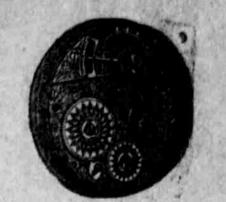
Bank of Twenty Feet Goes \$20 Per Yard

Myrtle Point Enterprise _______ The South Sixes Mining Company -LOWEST RATES. managed by Harrison Bros, made the biggest strike in placer gold that has Dregon Coal & Navigation Co., been made since the early fifties. The Proprietoss. recent rain and snow storm have afford ed plenty of water to run the giant and the work was started in a small open 8,0, CO. Agent, Empire City; Oregon cut made many years ago and was in id gravel only thr rich find was made. The entire bank was then carefully prospected and was found to have twenty dollars per yard. SGEE FOR. This big strike was made within a stone throw of Captain Whitney's ground and be is now at the mine and rushing DEALER IN GROCERIES the work on his property. He is en-FRESH FRUITS, VEGE TA gaged in constructing a ditch to open BLES PROVISIONS. his ground near the big strike and will FLOUR FEED, ETC., OF have water on the grounds in about THE BEST QUALITY. three days. Mr. Whitney's company, PRICES REASONABLE. the Commodore Mining and Milling FROZEN OYSTERS Co, and the South Sixes Co. are nego-EVERY DAY. 1 : : tiating with the idea of construction a dam to raise the South Sixes river sixty Street, Marshfield, Ore feet from its present channel and then to be carried nearly two miles in a mammouth flume which will give two hundred and fifty feet pressure and will af ford abundant supply of water to run the two properties day and night. There will be a saw mill constructed at once to cut thelumber from the flume Bennett Flanagan & and camp quarters for both Companies. Bank DIRECTORS :-- T. R. Sheri-dan, J. W. Bennett; PRES.; and. H. Flanagan, VIOF PRES.; R. F. Williams, Ainu Women When Ainu, especially Ainu women, meet after a separation that has lasted some time they have a pretty way CASHIER, of telling each other their experiences in a sort of chant, and in the pleasant Capital, \$50,000. sound of their singularly sweet voices one forgets their wild and unkempt MARSHFIELD, looks. The Japanese women are equal-OREGON ly remarkable for the sweetness of their volces, but have the advantage over their Ainu sisters of delicate and dainty ways, the charm of which the most stolid globe trotter is constrained to own. If the women of Ainu-moshi-DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP ri, as the Ainu call their land, are the drudges of the men in their youth and middle age their opportunity for re-venge comes with the lapse of years. The curses of an angry old woman excite the utmost terror in the bravest bear hunter. He flies, panic struck. from such names as shunumaash (mangy deer), tontoneppo (bald pated boar) or, worst of all, rai-guru (corpse) or inao-sak-guru (godless fellow). Aft-er death her ghost is regarded with drudges of the men in their youth and er death her ghost is regarded with even decper dread. A. V. WICEMAN.

The works are Elgin, Waltham or Due ber's, any grade or size you choose at right prices.

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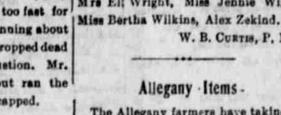
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DEPARTMENT.





brother, George D. Gibson now of Pomeroy, Wash., when they were boys together on their Polk county farm, cut open a small oak sapling and inserted in the center of it a small stone. They agreed that in 50 years they would return to the spot and cut the tree down to see what it had upon the stone.

This they did, and found that the tree had grown until it was a foot through and had complately grown over the stone. They had plastered the stone n the tree with mud when they inserted it and what is more strange than anything else, is that the mud had also turned to stone. This piece of oak tree with the stone imbedded in it, will be put in the museum of the State Historical Society at Portland. The tree stood on the farm that now belongs to James Sykes, near Eola, Polk county.

SUPERIOR QUAITIES

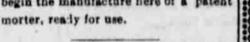
OF PENNSULA SAND 120014859 Fuller Brothers Pronounce It Best They Ever Used. May Estab. lish Mortar Works

用于"注意"的"自己"

From Saturday's Dally.

Fuller Brothers, who have the job of plastering the new Masonic Temple are progressing with their work as rapidly as it could be expected. The work is being done excellently, and those who are judges of such work claim it to be equal to the best ever seen in Oregon.

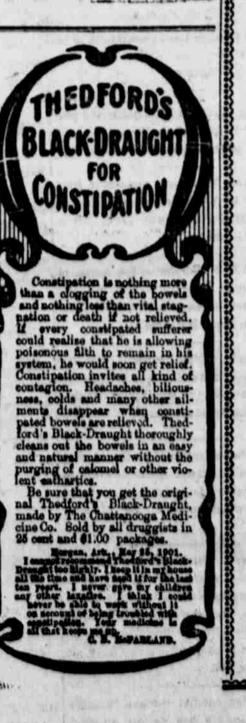
Fuller Brothers came here from the East. They are relatives of George Fuller, of the Fuller Construction Company of Chicago, which firm has the distingtion of doing nearly all the plastering contracts on the famous sky-scrapers' bf the windy city. These gentlemen have



A woman of weak sentimentality is never so happy as when she is miserable.

It is all a question of time with the money lender.

'All is not gold that glitters, but what is the difference if you cannot detect the imitation?



The following short poem was composed some ten years ago, on a summer day in the midst of the thick woods which surround Elkton, Douglas County, Oregon. It was first published at that time in the "Sunday Oregonian," and from that paper was copied into various publications, both east and west of the Rockies. We give it to our readers in a slightly amended form

There's nothing so still as death, my friend, There is nothing so still as death; When the pulse has ceas'd, and the solemn priest A murmer'd requiem saith: And the hand of the dead is heavy, like lead, And spent is the parting breath.

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I stood in the forest at silent noon, When all of life seem'd hush'd: And all around, upon the ground, Lay the little blossoms crush'd; And the burning one, the great red sun Look'd near and fierce and flush'd.

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And I said, in awe, as I gaz'd about-"Could aught be more still than these? There's never a move in the leaves above, That grow on the silent trees; And from on high, the glaring sky Emits nor breath, nor breeze.

But, 'twas not so still as death, my friend, For nothing so still can be; Nor hill, nor vale, though hush'd the gale, Nor flow'r, nor leaf, nor tree, As the pale, still face, with a nameless grace, When the spirit once is free.

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