

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mrs M F Awbrey went to Albany this

morning on a visit at the residence of her

son, Dr Awbrey.—Eugene Guard.

Last evening Miss Hela Gilbert and

students gave a piano recital at the resi-

dence of Mr Arch Hammer. A choice

program was rendered. Under the talented

instructions of Miss Gilbert the students

have displayed marked improvement.

Last evening the C L S O met with the

Misses Althouse. Quotations were from

Bryant. Miss Clara Gard read an able

paper on township government, an exam-

ination on civil government and a ques-

tion box followed, and the evening was

ended with a game. The next meeting

will be held in two weeks with Dr J L

Hill, and Lowell will be quoted.

OAKVILLE.

The disagreeable weather of the last

two weeks has caused considerable sick-

ness.

Win Morgan is dangerously ill. He

has been troubled with lung disease for

the last ten years, but since the cold

weather he has been worse.

Mrs Caroline Hamilton is again pros-

trated with rheumatism.

Mr H M Stone is at home again. It

is reported that he intends to bid on the O P

railroad. If he gets it he will build a

branch to Oakville.

Mr Thomas Morgan, of Halsey, is visit-

ing his brother William.

Mr Starr, of Belfountain, was visiting

his brother-in-law, H M Stone, the fore

part of the week.

Mr W H Crawford is able to be on the

street again.

Mr Geo D Barton is cultivating his

young orchard. Mr B. is a good orchard-

ist and has the finest young orchard in

the county. He has all kinds of fruit trees

and vines, also roses and bulbs.

Prof Ralston was in the city today, the

guest of Prof Robb.

The Columbian Literary Society meets

every Friday evening. The next subject

for debate is, Resolved, that the elective

franchise should be extended to women.

Three ladies uphold the affirmative and

three gentlemen the negative.

Gentle spring time will be welcomed

here anytime.

AMICUS.

A NEST OF OWLS.—Last evening at the

Maconic temple an Independent Inter-

national Order of Owls was organized

with a large membership. There are

about fifteen officers in all, with owl

titles, which easily suggest the office.

The leading officers are:

D P Mason, Sapiant Screecher.

L O Marshall, lat vice S. O.

J P Galbraith, 2nd vice S. O.

E M Horton, Sapiant Screecher.

E D Cusick, Sapiant Bag Holder.

THE FIRST.—At a meeting of an Al-

bany literary society, a question asked

on American history was "who was the

first county clerk of Linn county?" The

answer was Mr M C Chambers, who is

now an honored resident of this county

residing a few miles from Albany. "Who

was the first delegate to congress from

Oregon?" answer, J Q Thornton, formerly

of this city, who died at Salem, a few

years ago. Thornton, though, was not allowed

to serve long, if at all.

SOME LIVE MEN.—L H McMahan is

making arrangements to start an inde-

pendent evening daily in Salem. Salem

has been noted as the grave yard of news-

papers; but McMahan is a rustler all

over. So is Rob Hendricks, likewise

the Hofers, ditto Flagg & Floed. Hence

there will be live times in the capital

city with her 12,000 citizens.

EVANGELICAL REVIVAL.—The Evan-

gelical church is again engaged in hold-

ing a revival meeting, and the attendance

is large. Rev Anna Winslow is an earnest

speaker, a woman of great faith, and

speaks with power. Mrs Winslow has

spent many years in the active ministry

of the Quaker church. Let the public

attend these special meetings.

GET STARTED RIGHT.—

Then the whining schoolboy, with his

satchel

And shining morning face, creeping like a

snail

Unwillingly to school,

stopped at Conn & Hendrickson's, the live

grocers, and left a long order for some

groceries, remarking that he liked to eat

anyway, and that they kept the best groc-

eries there to be secured anywhere. If you

would have the best groceries and produce

at the most reasonable prices call on Conn

& Hendrickson. They have them.

READ Dr Lowe's final announcement in

another column. He leaves on the 1st of

February. He has fitted a number of peo-

ple in Albany with glasses who could never

be suited before. If your sight is defective

see him at once. His office is with Dr

Littler, the dentist.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Commencing Tuesday, Jan. 24th, S E

Young will sell remnants of wool goods,

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der to clear stock.

FOR RENT.—The store building on

my premises on Broadabin street.

Suitable for residence for small family.

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on Saturday last on rain, or at

Tallman, a gold band ring inscribed

with three links, Bible, and other Odd

Fellow emblems. Will reward liberally

for the return of the ring.

M Scott, Albany, Or.

FOR SALE.—Fine Imported standard

Bred Clydesdale Stallion. Five

years old. Weighs near 1600 lbs. In fine

condition. Price \$400. Address D L

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SAY, Uncle Billy Wright, the gran-

dson, is on the streets, grinding

scissors, knives, etc. Trot them out and

get them sharpened. Sharpening and

repairing lawn mowers a specialty.

DRY WOOD, several kinds, for sale.

Inquire of P W Spink, at foot of

Ferry street, or of A B Morris, Third

Ward.

MISFITS.

Hermann Wise, the clothing merchant

of Astoria, intends to awaken the mar-

riageable young people of that city and as

an inducement he offers to furnish a wed-

dling and bail, together with a costly

present, for the first couple who will sig-

ify their intention to be married on March

18th next.

One of the liveliest most progressive cities

in the Northwest, by far the best in Wash-

ington, is Seattle. A good many of our

citizens have interests there. Those de-

siring to do business with a responsible,

rustling real estate company, will find the

Seattle Land company to be one filling

the bill. It is an incorporated company

and will be found at 111 Columbia street.

Eugene is a bad place for chicken

thieves. The Guard says: Perry Riggs

and Ernest Barnes, two young men aged

about twenty years, plead guilty to the

charge of larceny in Justice Adams' court

in Mabel precinct yesterday after-

noon. The articles stolen by them were

game skins and chickens, they bringing the

former to this city a few days ago and

selling them.

The Pendleton E O says: Frank Dekum

is one of Portland's very rich men, and

notwithstanding his possession of property

worth \$1,500,000, he pays no taxes. The

law allows him to deduct his indebtedness

from his assessment. This is why he

pays no taxes. The law is to blame, not

Frank Dekum. The remedy is to repeal

the law allowing deductions for indebted-

ness.

Mr Ford has introduced a bill for county

attorneys, which, if it is acceptable to the

counties of this judicial district, will abol-

ish the present office of district prosecutor

and give each county an attorney. Most

of the counties now pay out from one to

two thousand dollars a year for prosecut-

ing attorney services. Under this bill

they would not pay so much and perhaps

get a cheaper grade of service, as the at-

torneys who will give all their time for

from \$600 to \$900 a year would not rank

in ability with the present public prose-

cutors.—Journal.

Charity begins at home, which is evi-

dently the state board of charity's idea ac-

cording to the following from the States-

man: Even the friends of the board of

charities say it should be abolished when

they are informed that it spent \$1,433.76

of the people's money in printing an

elegantly bound and profusely illustrated

biennial report (not authorized by law);

that it spent \$1,397.95 for traveling ex-

penses for the clerk of the board in gather-

ing information to be printed in this un-

authorized report; and that it spent \$2,

920.01 to pay for \$100 worth of work done

by the clerk of the board. There is some

talk of a damage suit against this board

for having made findings not in accord with

the testimony.

To Prevent the Grip

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the whole system should be kept in healthy

condition. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla to

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