

# Aurora Borealis.

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AURORA, MARION COUNTY, OREGON, FEBRUARY 3, 1900.

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FROM JAN. 27th UNTIL FEB. 15th

We will give you 15 to

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--ON--

All Wool Pants, Boys Suits and  
Men's Duck Coats.

We also Continue our Um-  
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We are just in Receipt  
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Family Flour,

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Meal and Mill Feed of all kinds.

Special Attention Paid  
to Custom Exchange.

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Highest Market Price Paid for Wheat.

Fred P. Hurst,

AURORA, OREGON.

## BY THE MAIL ROUTE.

Newsy Letters from Our Alert Cor-  
respondents.

News of the Different Nearby Localities Pre-  
pared in Style and Dished up in a  
Palatable Manner.

### FROM HUBBARD.

George Knight visited friends in  
Canby Sunday.

The Saints have closed their pro-  
tracted meeting, but as soon as the  
spring supplies are harvested they  
will have a campmeeting here.

Hubbard is all right; two weddings  
last week. Who will be the next  
lucky man?

Miss Grace Amos visited friends in  
town this week.

W. Fisher and family have moved  
into the Gleason house.

There seems to be lots of trade in  
Hubbard this winter. Much of this  
is on account of the good roads lead-  
ing to our city, but more however on  
account of our merchants and busi-  
ness men who make it a specialty to  
see that good articles are furnished  
at a low cost.

Quite a number of our young men  
are engaged in sawing wood for  
Knight & Susbauer, who have a con-  
tract for sawing wood for the

citizens thought they heard an army  
coming to take the town, but later  
on they found out their mistake. It  
was only the crowd coming to the  
club.

Ben says that he don't see why  
they fenced in the track, as, people  
now have to walk a mile to get over  
to the road.

Chas Crittenden visited Woodburn  
Saturday.

There will be a graphophone con-  
cert and basket social at White's  
school house Friday, Feb. 9. Come  
everybody.

We understand there will be a  
creamery established either at Auro-  
ra, Woodburn or Hubbard. Now  
Hubbard is just the place for such a  
plant. Everybody has cows and the  
location of the town being such that  
the farmers from all parts of the  
country can easily come to town dur-  
ing any season. It would be to the  
gentlemen's interest to visit our city  
and see the outlook.

We understand that an important  
event is going to happen next full  
moon. Watch out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McKinney vis-  
ited Woodburn Tuesday.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs.  
B. Dimick was buried Tuesday. The  
cause of death is supposed to have  
been heart trouble.

Several boys celebrated China  
New Year in the 1900 style.

Sam Miller visited Woodburn  
Monday.

Don't forget the club at the Arm-  
ory Saturday night.

Albert Smith was in Woodburn  
Tuesday.

Don't forget the teachers' institute  
Saturday, Feb. 3. Come everybody.

S. R. T. Jones of Salem is visiting  
his family in town this week.

There is going to be another saloon  
started in Hubbard.

AU REVOIR.

### FROM MACKSBURG.

#### Boer Fight at Macksburg.

Two Boers well known here got in-  
to a battle over a ditch the other day.  
The weapons they used were not rep-  
resented at the Hague. The Macks-  
burg people are all Boer sympathiz-  
ers, but they are at a loss with which  
side to sympathize in this battle.  
No lives were lost, but two persons  
were wounded. One received a twist-  
ed nose while the other received the  
effects of a fence rail.

Wesley Riggs and Jim Mitts, two  
trappers of Macksburg, sent a num-  
ber of furs East and are well satisfied  
with their return.

A. L. Reynolds has been appoint-  
ed road supervisor to take the place  
of John Barth.

Grandpa Brusck celebrated his  
70th birthday last Sunday. There  
were quite a number of relatives  
and friends present.

Rev. Clumard preached at the  
school house last Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Kranberger is quite  
sick.

### FROM BUTTEVILLE.

Registering is proceeding slowly  
in this precinct. Only thirty having  
registered up to date.

McCann's pile-driver has been  
moved up the river to Geo. Stephen-  
son's place. Mr. Stephenson is con-  
structing a wood dock.

Joseph Scheurer has moved to this  
place from the Scheurer estate, here  
he has lived for a number of years.  
Mr. Scheurer now occupies the house  
belonging to Geo. Herrin of Oregon  
City.

Lee St. Clair, who has been em-  
ployed for some time for the  
lucrative employment

Matthieu's Cabin, No. 12, Native  
Sons of Oregon are constructing a log  
cabin on the ground adjoining the  
new school. It is to be 38 by 26 feet.  
This building will be the first con-  
structed in the state for that purpose,  
which speaks well for the energy  
and determination of the Native  
Sons here.

County Surveyor Herrick of Sa-  
lem is here surveying the La Roecque  
farm.

Miss Annie Adams of McMinnville  
is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. X.  
Matthieu.

J. Scheurer's youngest boy and girl,  
Charley and Florence, have been  
very ill the past week, with what  
seems to be lung fever.

James Ryan and Ray Woolworth,  
two of our promising young men,  
gave an invitation dance in the  
Grange hall last Saturday night.  
About forty of the young people  
were present who spent a most en-  
joyable evening. Messrs. Richard,  
James and Isaac Parritt furnished  
excellent music, ably assisted by U.  
Ehlen, H. B. Cone and F. Jones.

District Deputy Master Henry A.  
Snyder, of Aurora, installed the new-  
ly elected officers of Butteville Lodge  
No. 59, I. O. O. F., last Saturday  
night. The newly installed officers are  
as follows: N. G., M. Crissel; V. G.,  
W. R. Scheurer; Secretary, E. A. M.  
Cone; Treasurer, C. Lembecke. After  
the installation of officers an excellent  
lunch was spread by the home lodge  
to which the visiting brothers and  
members of Butteville lodge did  
ample justice.

### ADMIRAL.

#### From Canby.

G. A. Bock of Aurora was in this  
city Sunday.

Howard Eccles was down from  
Hubbard Sunday.

W. H. Evans returned from Cot-  
tage Grove Monday.

Ell Lee was in this city over Sun-  
day.

H. K. Stogdill is on the rapid road  
to recovery.

Lewis Rogers has just returned  
from the East and has moved into  
the Blont residence.

Andrew Kocher went to Portland  
Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Carlton visited  
Portland this week.

Miss Epsie Lee, who has been vis-  
iting friends and relatives here, re-  
turned to Portland Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rogers of Ore-  
gon City are visiting relatives here.

Misses Bertha Sturges and Emma  
Fisher returned home from Port-  
land Wednesday.

Mrs. M. J. Lee after a week's visit  
with her parents returned to Port-  
land Wednesday.

### ANN X.

#### From Barlow.

Mrs. T. M. Kimsey of Aumsville,  
Ore., returned to her home Monday.

Miss Anna Bauer spent Monday  
with her many Barlow friends.

Miss Edna Tabor of Oregon City  
visited with friends in Barlow Wed-  
nesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Tall were in  
Oregon City and Portland Tuesday.

There was quite a crowd out to  
the literary society Saturday even-  
ing. Both Canby and Aurora were  
well represented. The reading of  
the Barlow Journal was the prin-  
cipal feature of the evening.

Mrs. J. B. Mollett was visiting in  
Barlow, a son.

D. O. Freeman, our new general  
merchandise man, was in Aurora on  
business Monday.

Miss Flora and Dave Will were  
passengers for Portland on the Tues-  
day morning train.

D. O. Freeman has rented the  
house vacated by Chas. Hovis.

Jacob Rueck spent Tuesday in  
Portland.

A very pleasant surprise party was  
tendered Miss Maud Balay Wednes-  
day evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Quint of Glad-  
stone, Ore., visited with their parents  
part of last week, returning home  
Sunday evening accompanied by  
Mrs. M. B. Quint, who will remain  
in Gladstone a while for medical  
treatment.

### From Woodburn.

Manager Kurtz has finally signed  
the electric light contract with the  
city, which calls for eleven arc lights  
for two years. They are supposed to  
be 2000 candle power each, but they  
are not.

Woodburn is in a quandary. The  
new registration law is said to con-  
trol all elections. The municipal  
election here comes off April 2, but  
there is no way to get a list of regis-  
tered voters.

It was the purpose to sell all of the  
Matson assigned stock of goods to the  
highest bidder and in bulk, but the  
purchaser will find it hard to get a  
building here to begin business. The  
room now occupied by the goods has  
been rented to a hardware man.

### VERITAS.

#### Club Rates.

AURORA BOREALIS and Weekly  
Oregonian, 1 year, \$2.00. Semi-  
Weekly Statesman, 1 year, \$1.75.  
Household Magazine, 1 year, \$1.25.  
N. Y. Weekly Tribune, 1 year, \$1.25.