

MARION COUNTY TOWNS

MOVEMENTS OF PERSONS IN TURNER AND STATTON.

Mrs. Lee Brown Tendered a Surprise Party on Her Sixty-eighth Birthday - Twenty-seven Teeth Pulled.

TURNER (Or.) Jan 4.—The drama "Struck Oil" was given at the Masonic hall on New Year's evening to a large audience. The play was well rendered and was very pleasing to all present.

Mrs. Wm. Stelle returned on Tuesday from a few days' pleasantly spent at Corvallis she being the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Steiner.

Miss Dorice, primary teacher in the school here, spent the holidays with her parents, at their home in Shaw.

Miss Grace Willins returned to Portland last Saturday after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Willins.

Mrs. W. L. Dinsmoor and little daughter, Helen, of Portland, are the guests of Mrs. Dinsmoor's mother, Mrs. W. M. Smith.

Robert Gittins and Arthur Cornelius two Southern Pacific Company's firemen, spent New Year's day here with their parents.

O. C. Riches, of Albany, spent Sunday here, the guest of his mother, Mrs. Harriet Riches.

Miss Laura Amend, of Portland, is visiting her mother and sisters here.

An entertainment was held at the Masonic hall on January 4th given by the Presbyterian ladies of this place. A good program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Plimale, of Wilsonville, spent a few days here last week at the home of Mrs. Plimale's mother, Mrs. McFarlane.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Barre and little son, Halston, are visiting Mr. Barre's brother-in-law, Mr. W. M. Smith.

Mrs. Cora and Herbert Witzell returned to Corvallis on Tuesday where they will resume their studies in the O. A. S. school.

Mrs. Daniel Delaney, of Starbuck, Wash. has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Day the past few days. Mrs. Delaney returned here having visited from Starbuck twenty-one years ago.

The baby born owned by W. M. Smith was the home of Mr. and Mrs. Deane.

Miss Virginia Wattenhagen will return to Corvallis the latter part of this week and will be the guest of Mrs. Wattenhagen's mother, Mrs. J. E. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fisher of this city, are spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Saunter in Corvallis.

Mrs. G. E. Hunt is in the hospital in Portland where she will receive necessary medical attention.

There are several cases of typhoid fever in this city among the afflicted are Miss B. W. Foster, Frances Foster, Clarence DeBorde and Roger Montgomery.

W. H. Quar has moved his family and household effects into the home recently purchased of John A. Toedde on Second street.

Mrs. F. F. Neff and daughter, Miss Cora, of Oakland, arrived in this city last week and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Neff.

An enjoyable surprise party was tendered Mrs. Lee Brown on Monday evening, it being her 68th birthday. The evening was spent in music and social converse.

GEN. ODELL'S REPORT

BUSINESS OF THE STATE LAND BOARD DURING PAST YEAR.

Large Receipts Recorded by the Clerk of the Board - Many Loans Made - Comparative Statement.

(From Daily, Jan. 5th.)

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Table with columns for fund type and amount. Includes School fund, University fund, College fund, Tide fund, Swamp fund, Lands Sold, Conveyances, and Miscellaneous.

OREGON WOOL A BIG ITEM.

Output of 1900 Will Reach 20,000,000 Pounds - Eastern Oregon Chief Producer - Market Improvement Shown in the Quality of Wool.

No Oregon industry, perhaps, has experienced a greater revival during the past year than has the wool industry. The year opened with a dull market and scarcely any transactions.

At present the market is very strong, with good and healthy prospects for the future. Recent sales in Boston were especially large. But few of these were in the line of speculation, most of the wool being secured by the manufacturers.

Present quotations range from 12 1/2 to 14 cents for Eastern Oregon wools and from 16 to 17 1/2 for valley grades. The wool has been nearly all sold, but little of this year's clip being left.

The prices this year have been from 3 to 4 cents higher than last year. As regards the clip of this year, a conservative estimate places the figure at no less than 20,000,000 pounds.

This is the same output of wool as was recorded to the credit of the state last year. The greater portion of this wool is produced by Eastern Oregon, the valley output being not over three quarters of a million pounds this year.

What pleases wool buyers more than anything else, however, this year is the marked improvement in the quality of Oregon's wool. Sheepmen have been improving their flocks, with the result that Oregon wool is rapidly forging to the front from the standpoint of quality.

There is room yet for improvements in the breeds of stock, but at the present rate of improvement it will not be many years before Oregon wool will be in the lead on the Pacific coast.

There is some danger of a smaller wool output next year, by reason of the fact that sheepmen have been selling off much of their young flock. There is a heavy demand for Oregon breeding stock from Wyoming and Nebraska.

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It Must Be Disposed Of

Our immense stock of Men's, Youth's and Boys' Clothing. We are going to sell off every article in this department and going East for an entire new stock in the spring. So here it goes:

Men's fine suits actually worth \$16.50 we will sell for \$9.75. Men's fine suits our former price \$12.50 we will sell for \$7.50.

We do not intend to carry any of these garments over; if prices will move them, these will certainly go. See here— Men's ulsters well worth \$7.50 we will sell for \$5.00.

Who said clothing was going up? Our prices are down. Men's pants former price \$1.00 now \$1.25. Men's pants former price 1.75 now 1.75.

Seeing is believing. Come and see them. Boys' suits splendid values at \$2.00 now \$1.65. Boys' suits can't be beat for \$2.75 now 2.00.

Every garment quoted in the above list is a snap. FRIEDMAN'S NEW RACKET, Cor. Commercial and State Sts.

THE PRECINCT LINES

UNDER CONSIDERATION BY MARION COUNTY COURT YESTERDAY.

Salem Will Consist of Four Precincts. Corresponding to the Four Wards - The Hills Audited.

(From Daily, Jan. 5th.)

The Marion county commissioners' court spent yesterday in auditing the bills against the county. The matter of relocating the boundaries of the various election precincts was considered.

Among the matters coming up for action yesterday, was the viewers' report on the proposed county road petitioned for by C. Farlow and others.

ONLY A TOWN.

Frederick Warde, the greatest of America's actors, will appear in Roseburg Friday night. His company plays only the largest cities, stopping at Roseburg, Salem, Portland and Astoria.

A NATURAL DEATH.

Colonel Corkright—Did that nighgull die a natural death, majesty? Major Gore—Yes, sah, he was lynched for voting the republican ticket.—Life.

MARRIED.

LEACH-FELL.—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. T. F. Royal, in South Salem, Jan. 3, 1900. Miss Edith E. Fell to Prof. A. D. Leach, both of Salem.

DIED.

WILLIAMS.—At the Oregon asylum for the insane, Thursday, January 4, 1900, Clara Williams, aged 13 years. Deceased was committed to the asylum about nine months ago from Portland.

HEIDKLATZ.—At the Oregon hospital for the insane, Wednesday, January 3, 1900, Mrs. Magdalene Heidklatz, aged 72 years. John M. Watson, of Turner, one of Marion county's former commissioners, was a visitor at the court house yesterday afternoon.

Money to Loan

On improved farm and city property at lowest current rates. T. K. FORD, Over Ladd & Bush's bank.

NEW TO-DAY.

WANTED.—TO BUY A FEW DRY cows also some yearlings and 2-year-olds, for which the highest market price will be paid. Thomas-West Co., Salem. 5-27-tf.

Platino Photos

Enlargements in Crayon and Water color. PHOTO BUTTONS—Amateur developing and finishing neatly done. C. W. DIEKMANN, Successor to F. J. Brown. 243 Commercial street, Salem, Or.

FIR FENCE POST, coated with

Carbolineum Avenarius. Will out wear Cedar. It is also a Radical Remedy Against Chicken Lice. Its application to the inside walls of poultry houses will permanently exterminate all LICE. Results: Healthy Chickens—Plenty eggs. Write for circulars and prices and mention this paper. R. M. WADE & CO., Agents, SALEM, OREGON.

E. A. Pierce, 250 00 250 00

Table listing names and amounts. Includes W. H. Hobson, M. M. High, D. L. Hiltz, Knausse Bros, Cap. City Trans. Co., Gilbert & Baker, D. J. Fry, A. F. Holt, G. W. Johnson & Co., G. P. Terrell, J. L. Freland, Mary Hansley, J. Meyer & Sons, A. M. Clougha, Harritt & Lawrence, John Hughes, Salem Hospital, W. L. Wade, J. P. Murphy, Weller Bros, A. Taitzler, B. F. Russell, S. R. Jessup, M. Butala, Steiner Drug Co., G. P. Terrell.

KILLED IN CHINA.

Peking, Jan. 4.—Rev. Mr. Brooks of the church missionary society, stationed at Ping Yin in the province of Shau Tung, was murdered December 3d, by members of a seditious gang called "boxers" who have been active lately in destroying many villages and killing native Christians.

HE WAS MOVED.

Cleverton—When you told her father you loved her, did he show much feeling? Dasha—Oh, yes, I don't know when I have been so moved!—Life.

Market Reports

Table with columns for commodity, price, and unit. Includes Wheat, Oats, Flour, Mill feed, Butter, Eggs, Poultry, Pork, Beef, Mutton, Veal, Potatoes, Apples.

Yokohama Tea Co.

Wishes all its customers and all others a happy and prosperous year. Thanking you for your liberal patronage of the past, hoping to maintain it, and make many more customers. Remember, we take eggs in trade and offer the highest market price. Besides our twice-a-week Fresh Roasted Coffees, we sell Coffee in the green berry.

YOKOHAMA TEA CO.

Lacy's 20 Per Cent Discount

SHOE SALE

Table listing shoe styles and prices. Includes \$5.00 SHOE FOR \$4.00, \$4.50 SHOE FOR \$3.50, \$4.00 SHOE FOR \$3.20, \$3.50 SHOE FOR \$2.80, \$3.00 SHOE FOR \$2.40, \$2.50 SHOE FOR \$2.00, \$2.00 SHOE FOR \$1.60, \$1.75 SHOE FOR \$1.40, \$1.50 SHOE FOR \$1.20, \$1.25 SHOE FOR \$1.00, \$1.00 SHOE FOR \$.80.

LACY'S 94 State Street

Fascinators Mittens Hoods Knit Shawls Skirts See our North window—it's full of very choice things in all lines. Our prices are lower than other stores. Come and see. WIGGINS' BAZAAR 307 Commercial Street.