

### What Will you Give The Bride?

Yes, what will you give her on that most important of all days? It must be something that she will prize and cherish—something that will do credit to your taste and your friendship. Where can you make better selections than in a well stocked jewelry shop such as the Barr Store? This store is a real mint of good gift-goods—of exquisite silverware, fine in quality and charmingly new in decorations; of choice Cut Glass wrought into dishes of fanciful and tasty shapes; of handsome Clocks, good inside as well as out; and all sorts of novelties in Jewelry fresh from the Eastern market. You cannot do better than do your wedding gift choosing here. In addition to the beauty and variety of the stock, the prices, too, are almost always a trifle less than elsewhere.

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### Social Realm

**South Salem Personals.**  
Frank Calver and children, of Oregon, are visiting at the home of parents, N. Hanson, in South Salem.  
Nye, of Cascadia, stopped off on his way home from Portland and at the home of Thomas Gold-  
and Mrs. R. W. Taylor are visiting relatives and friends in Corvallis.  
Elliott Thompson left this morning for an extended visit in here Oregon.  
Miss E. Welch is visiting friends in Willamette this week.

**PERSONALS.**  
The Bell, of Portland, is in the city for an over-Sunday visit with Mrs. F. J. Dunbar is home from Portland where she attended the grand of the Robekaha.  
Miss Mable Kennedy, of Woodburn, has been visiting friends in this city and returned to her home today.  
Mrs. Gertrude O'Brien, of Albany,

who has been visiting the Misses Cobshaw, went down to Gervais yesterday for a few days' visit.  
Claud Gatch is at Newport for a few days.  
Justice C. E. Wolverton is in Albany on business.  
Sam White, Mr. Reames' campaign manager, is in the city today.  
J. J. Dalrymple and Squire Farrar went over to Newport today.  
Senator Hobson stopped in Salem today, on his way to Stayton, from Sumpter.  
Timon Ford went up to Junction City on the morning train to address a Hermann meeting.  
Willis McElroy, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned to his home in Eugene today.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cary, of Eldorado Kansas, arrived in the city yesterday, and surprised their son, F. F. Cary, manager of the Mitchell, Lewis & Staver Co. This is their first meeting in fourteen years, and our townsman is of course over-joyed with the re-union.  
**Black Peau de Sole**  
At the New York Racket. Just in. Have you seen our prices on silks? 2t  
Vegetarians and anti-vegetarians will have food for reflection if they go to hear Miss Thomas, Monday, 25th, at the M. E. church.

A full line of Fresh Bread and Cakes for sale at  
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**HALL'S FERRY ROAD**

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### PORTLAND AGAINST SALEM

#### High School and Willamette University Debate Last Night

#### Willamette Wins Due Largely to the Closing Argument of Winslow

Last night, at the University chapel, the debating team of the freshman class of Willamette University met the Portland High School team in the forensic arena. The question was: "Resolved, That the United States should establish a system of shipping subsidies, with or without rebate."  
W. C. Winslow, Miss M. E. Warfield and Arthur Gales represented the freshman class, with the affirmative of the question, while Claud McCulloch, Arthur Pinkham and Lloyd Magness supported the negative for the Portland High School.  
The judges were Justice Wolverton, Supt. Travers, of the public schools, and Joseph Albert.  
The chapel was prettily decorated in the freshman colors, white and green, mingled with the High School colors, cardinal. The color effect was carried out in the lighting.  
Each speaker was limited to 12 minutes, and the closing arguments were each of five minutes' duration.  
Miss Stage delighted the audience with a vocal solo. She has a charming lyric soprano.  
W. C. Winslow opened the debate on the part of the affirmative. He touched upon the deplorable condition of the merchant marine, and then discussed the industrial features of the question, and pointed out the benefits to wage-earners, farmers and manufacturers. He called attention to the fact that England and Germany were carrying over two-thirds of our commerce.  
Mr. McCulloch followed for the negative, and in a clear-cut, pointed argument invited the judges' attention to the history of Uncle Sam's merchant marine, showing that, if it had decreased, it was from natural causes, and not his fault of the government. Mr. McCulloch is a clear, forcible speaker, and has a very pleasing appearance.  
Mr. Gales next took the floor, but he failed to do effective work in rebuttal, but made several new points of weight.  
The second speaker for the negative was Arthur Pinkham. He summarized his colleague's argument, and hammered his argument at the judges; he then did some good rebuttal work, cited several cases of failures in subsidizing. He closed his argument by eulogizing upon the fact that the subsidies were of class legislation. Miss Warfield did very effective rebuttal work, and won the admiration of the judges in the way she supported her argument by good authority.  
Mr. Magness, for the Portland High School, began by discussing the evils of the system, and enlarged upon the economic evils, the political evils and also the ethical features. He closed the debate for the negative.  
Mr. Winslow then took the floor to close the debate, and in a most telling rebuttal speech won the debate. Much to his credit he had no closing speech prepared, but took each point made by his opponents and tore it to pieces.  
While the judges were considering their decision, Miss Winslow and Miss Sharp played an instrumental duet, which was well received. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative.  
Both teams showed much preparation, and while Portland had their debate better organized, they had their speeches learned and were at sea when they tried to do any rebuttal work.  
After the decision had been announced an informal reception was held in the societies' hall.

**IN HONOR OF BROTHER AND GUESTS**  
Miss Agnes Gilbert Entertains at Hearts  
Last night, at her spacious home on Liberty and Chemeketa streets, Miss Agnes Gilbert entertained at hearts, in honor of her brother, Warren Gilbert, of Denver, and her guests, Misses Helen and Sara Mathewson, of Denver.  
The reception rooms were tastefully decorated in Scotch broom, the color effect being carried out as much as possible. The tally cards were samples of Mr. Gilbert's work as an artist, and were treasured by the guests as souvenirs of a most brilliant and happy social evening.  
The guests were all old friends of Warren Gilbert, and were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Stolz, Dr. and Mrs. Jessup, Eula McCully Zedler Palmer, Stella Hurst, Lizzie Holmerson, Nan Wagner, Mabel Carter, Mabel Jones, Maud MacKay, Ernestine Levy, Miss Cosper, Mae Boies, Oskie Matthews, Mabel Creighton, Jessie Creighton, Hortense Kimball, Miss Rutmeyer, George Giltner, Harry Albert, Joe Evans, Basil Wagner, Dr. McNary, Will Burkhardt, Douglas Jessup, Will Evans, Chas. Bier, Ted Crawford, Harry Glinger, Clair Baker, Al Steiner, Lorine Adams, Ed. Giltner, Otto Wilson, Ray Gilbert.

Large packing cases for sale at the New York Racket.

### SALEM HIGH SCHOOL

#### Will Graduate Over Fifty Pupils Friday Next

#### The Program Will be Devoted to Oregon and Oregon Affairs

The closing exercises of the public schools will occur this year on Friday evening, June 12th. There will be more than 50 graduates this year. The class will be represented by 16 of its number in a program that differs from the usual commencement program. Although so many of the class appear upon the program, the exercises will not be too lengthy, as each participant will be limited to 400 words. The subjects are not the usual ones, but will treat entirely upon Oregon and Oregon affairs. The local program idea has been presented by many Eastern high schools with great success. The young people are working hard to make the occasion a credit to themselves and to the class.

#### Divorces for the Lepers

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They take steps to secure divorces, free of charge, for those confined in the leper settlement who have husbands or wives outside. As a number of persons at the settlement desire to marry, they cannot do so on account of having wives or husbands outside.

A legislative deadlock is threatened on account of the failure of the senate to pass the house bill appropriating \$20,000 for house expenses of the special session. The senate's bill appropriating \$5000 for senate salaries and expenses is held up in the house.

A legislative scandal has broken out in connection with the report of the house committee on accounts. The vouchers showing the items of expenditures have been suppressed and access to them has been refused by officers of the law. The amount represented by the vouchers is over \$38,000, being the expense of the regular house.

United States Immigrant Commissioner F. P. Sargeant addressed the Honolulu chamber of commerce last Wednesday morning. He said, in the course of his remarks that his investigations here had satisfied him that in the Hawaiian Islands the United States has the richest land within the borders of the country. The commissioner also said:

"I have been out to some of your plantations and have seen something of your labor and its conditions. I was impressed with the arrangements for the comfort, care and health of your laborers. Of course, I recognize that some of these arrangements may not be fully appreciated or utilized to their fullest extent by the laborers, but you have provided them."

### Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be. This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long.

The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is to give vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system.

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