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Temperance Lecture.

Rev. William A. Taylor will speak at the First Methodist church Monday, December 18th, at 7:30 p. m. Let all temperance people come out and hear him. Show your appreciation of his sacrifices for the unsaved people whom he knows not.

The Battle Journal says of him: He is a stirring, and forceful speaker and is known as one of the foremost temperance orators of the day.

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New motion pictures. This is prize week. Two gold watches given away. Regular matinee Saturday at 3 p. m.

AMUSEMENTS

TONIGHT.
Edison—Vaudeville.
New Edison Theatre.

Tonight closes the present bill, comprised of The Elliots, Dalton and Dale and Barry Boyce.

Thursday, and for the balance of the week, an extremely strong combination of best performers will entertain at the New Edison. They are headed by the Fletcher Trio of pretty girls; Dick Robinson, a blackface comedian; Levenne, a comical, clownish contortionist; Edward DeMoss, the favorite, in popular character songs, all new. A beautiful song story and the thrilling motion pictures. This makes an exceptionally good show, and patrons of the Edison need not fear but that they will thoroughly enjoy the performances for the balance of this week, including Saturday afternoon matinee.

Remember that another gold watch will be given away Friday night, in the same way as the one last night. Coupons will be given at the door, commencing tonight.

Want the Nursery.

A committee of Brooks citizens came up to Salem Tuesday and made propositions to the Oregon Nursery Co. to move their plant to that city. It could not be learned what was the result, but the Brooks people are very much in earnest, and will donate land and offer the finest soil in the valley for growing nursery stock. President Coleman told a Journal reporter that the board of trustees had made no formal offer to the nursery company, and there had been almost no negotiations between them. He claimed that matters had not been at all digested or even considered, and were still open to negotiation.

A Genuine Sacrifice

THE BUSIEST PLACE IN TOWN THESE DAYS IS THE YOKOHAMA TEA STORE, WHERE THE CROWDS OF BUYERS ARE RUSHING IN TO GET THE BENEFIT OF THE CREDITORS' SALE IN THE PURCHASE OF CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. ONE DAY OVER \$500 WORTH OF HAVI-POPED OF, AND THE SAME DAY AT LEAST 40 PIECES OF CUT GLASS WERE SOLD, BESIDES THE MULTITUDE OF OTHER ARTICLES. THESE FINE GOODS HAVE BEEN CUT TO THE QUICK, AND BARGAINS ARE GIVEN IN EVERY DEPARTMENT. THE MANY CLERKS ARE CROWDED WITH WORK MOST OF THE TIME, AS THE HOLIDAY SHOPPERS ARE DETERMINED TO HAVE THESE ELEGANT GOODS NOW BEING SACRIFICED. A GREAT CUT IS BEING MADE ALL THROUGH THE STORE, AND CUSTOMERS ARE ASKED TO REPORT TO THE MANAGER ANY NEGLECT ON THE PART OF CLERKS, AND ESPECIALLY ANY DISCREPANCY FROM THE ADVERTISED PRICES, AS IT IS THE INTENTION TO LIVE UP TO EVERY OFFER, OR DO BETTER IF THERE IS ANY QUESTION

MUST ELECT TWO SENATORS

The appointment of Gearin lasts only until the legislature convenes and a senator will have to be elected from January to March, besides a senator for the full term of six years. Two candidates will have to be put up at the coming primaries election next June for each party.

PERSONALS

Assessor Rice went to Portland this morning.

Wm. Stalger departed this morning for Silverton.

Marion Looney came down from Jefferson yesterday afternoon.

Ray Wheeler, of Oregon City, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Representative Munkers, of Linn county, is a special visitor today.

J. D. Lee, former superintendent of the penitentiary, is in the city today.

Willis Hanford returned to Eugene this morning, after a business visit to this city.

Miss Gertrude Galbraith returned last evening from a short visit with Albany friends.

Assistant Attorney-General I. H. Van Winkle was a passenger for the metropolis this morning.

Mrs. E. R. Wiggins returned this morning from a visit to the home of her parents at "Hillside Farm."

I. L. Prior, of Spokane, spent yesterday in this city. He went on up to Albany on the evening local.

James Holman, of Medford, who has been visiting in this city for a few days, returned home last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Fleischauer came down from Eugene yesterday afternoon for a visit at the home of A. Welch.

Judge Galloway went up to Albany this noon, after holding a short session of his department of the circuit court this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jordan, who have been the guests of Cal Jordan of Rosedale, started on their return to Seattle yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Albert M. Southwick left on the late train last night for Santa Rosa, California, where she will join her husband, and spend the winter.

Don Yantis and Ivan Putnam returned this morning from Portland, where they yesterday took the examination before the state board of pharmacy.

Father L. P. Demarias, who has been pastor of the Catholic church at The Dalles for the past two years, spent yesterday in the city, as the guest of Father Moore, and left this morning for Portland, from which place he will leave this evening for an extensive tour of Europe. He expects to be absent from Oregon nearly a year, but the time between now and January 20th will be spent in some of the eastern cities of this country. January 20th he will sail from New York on a German-Lloyd steamer for Naples, Italy. From there he will start on his tour, which will include all the principal points of interest in the Old World.

A Chimney Blaze.

A chimney fire in North Salem gave the fire department a nice long run yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock.

A reward Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns, and injuries. 25c at J. C. Perry's drug store.

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Christmas Suggestions

- SUIT
- OVERCOAT
- HAT
- UNDERWEAR
- NECKWEAR
- BLANKETS
- SUIT CASE

- HOUSE COAT
- SUSPENDERS
- MUFFLER
- UMBRELLA
- HOSIERY
- SHIRTS
- GRIPS

Christmas Bells will soon be ringing and the old problems of "What shall I give him for Christmas?" will once more confront you.

We have made a few suggestions above and, should you fail to find a suitable item on the list, we would be pleased to have you call, and we'll do all in our power to assist you. A good rule to follow when selecting gifts for a man is to buy what he would be apt to buy for himself. All our prices are moderate and we are always at your service.

THAT REBATE FORCE

Courts Punish Grand Larceny Schemes With Petty Larceny Fines

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Indictments were returned today by the federal grand jury against John N. Fairthorn, president of the Chicago Terminal Transfer Railway Company; Fred A. Wann, vice-president of the Perre Marquette, and Chicago & Alton, charging them with paying rebates amounting to \$20,000 on shipments over the Alton. Fairthorn was formerly vice-president of the Alton, and Wann, general manager. It is alleged that during their connection with the Alton they gave rebates to Schwarzschild and Sulzberger, packers, of Kansas City. Beth S. Cusey, traffic manager, who recently pleaded guilty to receiving rebates, was fined \$5000. Today's indictments were returned upon Cusey's testimony.

MORE FORGED PAPERS

Attorney A. T. Lewis, of Portland, appeared before the state land board this morning, as the representative of Wade H. Richardson, the newly-appointed postmaster of Milwaukee, who purchased a large number of forged certificates of sale of Oregon school land from S. A. D. Puter. Mr. Lewis was soon convinced by the board that the certificates were forgeries, and he wired his client that the \$35,000 which he had paid to Puter was a total loss.

Mr. Lewis stated that his client would swear out a warrant for Puter at once, and, when asked what action the board would take, Governor Chamberlain stated that the board would do all in its power to aid the prosecution, and that State Land Agent West and Clerk of the Board G. G. Brown would be ready to go East as witnesses, if it should be necessary.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Coming Reception.
One of the important events in the social life this week will be the reception given by ex-Governor and Mrs. T. T. Geer, in honor of Judge and Mrs. C. E. Wolverton, Friday evening. A large number of invitations are out, and the affair promises to be a brilliant gathering.

Prominent Singer.
Miss Mabel Baker, daughter of Prof. L. H. Baker, formerly principal of the Lincoln school, in this city, is to give a concert at Marshfield, in Coos county, Thursday evening. Miss Baker is but recently from Chicago, where she received her musical education. She is a talented young woman, and has a remarkable voice. The people of Salem had the pleasure of hearing her last spring, and while here she made many friends.

GREAT MINING PUMP

Lifts 3000 Gallons 1500 Feet Minute and Weighs 900 Tons

Ironwood, Mich., Dec. 13.—In a few months the big new shaft of the Steel Corporation's Chapin mine at Iron Mountain, Menominee range, which was begun in August, 1903, will be completed. It has been sunk now to a depth of about 1300 feet and will reach a depth of 1600 feet when completed. It is 22x12 feet in dimensions and includes a pump column department, a cage and two skip departments, with a triangular space in the pump department for a balance lift. An interesting feature of the shaft is that the framing will be of steel. Four inch steel beams are used for part of the frame, and 30 pound steel rails for the rest. The stutties are rails four feet long. In this shaft, known as "C" Ludington, will be installed the great Cornish pump taken out of the the Chapin's "D" shaft nine years ago. This huge machine now lies on the surface, where it was placed when the caving of the surface above mined ground put "D" shaft out of commission. The pump is capable of lifting 3000 gallons of water a minute from a depth of 1500 feet, with a pressure of 125 pounds of steam at the throttle. Its surface parts weigh about 600 tons. The flywheel alone weighs 164 tons, and the underground parts for the depth proposed will weigh 300 tons more.

The Diogenes literary society had its regular meeting Monday. Twenty-three members were present. An impromptu debate was had. The question was, "Resolved that Kantippe was justified in being a scold." The speakers were: Affirmative, Earl G. Eyre, William H. Perkins; negative, Rex Turner, Charles Harrison. The decision was in favor of the negative by 3 to 0.

CITY NEWS

A Collection of Important Paragraphs for Your Consideration.

A hot oven and Wild Rose Flour make biscuit fit for a king to eat.

Extra quality sugar cured hams just received at Farrington's market, State street.

Wild Rose Flour always gives white, light, nourishing bread.

Many children inherit constitutions weak and feeble, others due to childhood troubles. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will positively cure children and make them strong. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

Some exceedingly beautiful china is shown in the window of the China Hall, State street, from a new shipment just arrived. Prices low.

Pure kettle rendered lard can be bought at Farrington's market.

Pain may go by the name of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, pleurisy. No matter what name the pains are called, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will drive them away. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Dr. Stone's Drug Store.

The Christmas Cake will be a success if you use Wild Rose Flour.

Made from pure wheat, rich in nourishment, always satisfactory—Wild Rose Flour.

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Gearhart Tonight.
Hon. G. A. Gearhart, who lectures tonight at the Opera House, comes to Salem to fill an appointment in the Y. M. C. A. entertainment course. He is a celebrated lecturer.

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