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Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry.

Royal Baking Powder is of highest quality, always pure, wholesome, uniform. The contents of each can are exactly like every other, and will retain their strength and freshness regardless of climate or season.

Remember that Royal is a pure, cream of tartar baking powder, absolutely free from alum or phosphatic acid.

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**Alum and Alum-phosphate powders are injurious
 Do Not Use Them**

SOCIAL EVENTS

"Five Hundred" Party.
 Prominent among the week's social were the two afternoon parties Thursday and Friday, when Mrs. R. E. L. Steiner and Mrs. Milton L. Meyers entertained a large number of ladies at "500." The affairs were given at the Steiner home on Liberty street. The prizes were won by Mrs. S. C. Dyer and Mrs. Russell Catlin Thursday, while Friday afternoon Mrs. William Brown and Mrs. Glad Hatch were awarded the honors.

Joint Meeting.
 The Bathhouse Sisters and Central lodge K. of P. held a joint meeting at the Holman hall Tuesday evening, which was enjoyed by a large number of Bathhouse Sisters, K. of P. members and their friends. A very interesting program was rendered.

Hon. J. G. Graham, C. C., gave a short address. The other members on the program were: Piano solo, Miss Knox; reading, Miss Edith Tyne; recitation, Miss Wilson; vocal solo, Miss Lois Pechler; reading, Edgar Averill; piano solo, Prof. Roberts.

At the close of the entertainment the company repaired to the dining room, where refreshments were served.

Hard Times Social.
 The senior class of the Salem high school outdid themselves last evening in the way of a jolly good time, when they entertained the other classes and a few friends at a "Hard Times" social. The guests all came in costume, and such a varied lot was never seen before. The seniors themselves came arrayed as "The Whole Dam Family," and their makeups were marvellous. Other characters noticeable among the guests were Miss Richards as "Mollie," and Miss Ina Constable as an old grandmother. Miss Constable received the prize for the best sustained character. Willie P. R. Miss came arrayed as a girl, and he won the boys' prize by doing so. Guests

were fined for wearing jewelry or any expensive thing, rags and patches being the only permissible apparel. Crackers and lemonade formed the refreshments and were served by the seniors. Games of all kinds were played.

Entertained Sunday School Class.
 Mrs. C. H. Walker entertained the members of her Sunday school class of the First Christian church Wednesday evening at her home on Commercial street. The class is composed of a number of boys, ranging in age from 10 to 15 years old.

The young people had a genuinely good time. Games were played and refreshments, consisting of nuts, and lots of other good things were served.

A Musical Treat.
 William Wallace Graham will give an entertainment at the chapel of Willamette University Monday evening, which promises to be one of the most interesting events in the musical circles this winter. Mr. Graham has an enviable reputation as a violinist and teacher, having studied in Europe and Eastern cities. The entertainment will be half lecture and half recital. Mr. Graham's lecture will be on the subject of "Violins," and he will take his illustrations from famous composers. The lecture will very instructive, and everyone should take advantage of the opportunity. It will be free to the College of Music students. This is the second of a series of lectures Mr. Graham is giving. An admission of 50c will be charged to the public.

Sure Cure for Piles.
 Itching piles produce moisture and cause itching; this form, as well as blind, bleeding or protruding piles, are cured by Dr. Bo-man's Pile Remedy. Stops itching and bleeding. Absorbs tumors. 50c a jar at druggists or sent by mail. Treatise free. Write me about your case. Dr. Bo-man, Pulla, Pa.

Additional Church Notices

Y. M. C. A.
 Rev. Foye will speak at the W. C. T. U. hall Sunday at 4 p. m. All invited.

St. Joseph's Catholics.
 Rev. A. Moore, pastor. Third Sunday after Epiphany. First mass at 7:30 a. m. Catechism at 9:30 a. m. High mass at 10:30 a. m. Benediction and Vespers at 7:30 p. m.

A Quick Recovery.
 J. G. Reigleman, of the blacksmithing firm of Reigleman & Smith, who was recently operated upon by Drs. Morse and Robertson for appendicitis, is rapidly recovering and will be able to be at his forge again in a few days.

Notice to Subscribers.
 of the stock of the Mutual Canning Company are requested to meet Tuesday, January 23d, at 10 o'clock at the police court. Absolutely necessary that all subscribers should be present, either by person or proxy. By order of chairman.

WILL TAKE A FEED

Young Men's Republican Club Will Give a Banquet Lincoln's Birthday

A meeting of the executive committee of the Young Men's Republican Club was held last night for the purpose of deciding in regard to having a banquet. After discussing the proposition for some time, it was decided to hold it in the armory on the night of February 12, and to make it a memorial banquet in honor of Lincoln, that date being the anniversary of his birth.

It is the intention to invite all candidates for all offices within the gift of the people to be present and to have a grand political love feast and jubilee. The following committees were appointed to carry out the program:

General Committee—J. G. Graham, J. C. Goodale, Jr., H. F. West.
Reception—J. G. Graham, I. H. Van Winkle, Charles A. Murphy, A. W. Prescott, F. W. Waters, C. L. McNary, George F. Rodgers, John H. Scott, John W. Reynolds, H. H. Humphrey.

Publicity—Fred E. Walters, Carl Abrams, R. F. West.
Decorations—A. A. McCormick, H. S. Badollet, F. D. Thielson, Carroll Moore, Claire Baker, W. W. Hall.
Ushers—Lee Acheson, W. P. Babcock, Arthur Benson, H. A. Johnson, Jr., Paul Wallace, Dr. W. C. Smith, Edward Thielson.

The charge for the banquet will be \$1.00 per plate, so as to be within the means of all good Republicans.

A Grim Tragedy.
 Is daily enacted in thousands of homes, as Death claims, in each one, another victim of consumption or pneumonia. But when coughs or colds are properly treated, the tragedy is averted. F. O. Hantley of Oakland, Ind., writes: "My wife had the consumption, and three doctors gave her up. Finally she took Dr. King's new Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, which cured her, and today she is well and strong." It kills the germs of all diseases. One dose relieves. Guaranteed at 50c and \$1.00 by J. C. Perry, druggist. Trial bottle free.

The Car has been so busy dodging that he has not had time to suggest that the whole matter be taken to The Hague for settlement.

Team Goes Home.
 The University of Oregon basketball team returned home today on the 11 o'clock train. They were accompanied by Walter Winslow, a former Williamette student, who acted as an official last night at the game, and Omar Bitter, of Portland, who is a student at the State University.

RICHIE FOR STATE SENATOR

To the Republicans of Marion county: At the solicitation of many friends I have concluded to place my name before the Republican voters of this county for the office of state senator. I think I am pretty generally known over the county as a Republican from principle ever since I voted for that noblest character in our history and true embodiment of the best American principles, Abraham Lincoln.

As a legislator I respectfully refer to my record in the legislative session of 1905.

If I am nominated and elected I say to the voters of Marion county that I will vote for the man that receives the highest number of Republican votes of the state for the office of United States senator.

As the author of the only bill ever introduced in the legislature of Oregon to create a board of control for the penal reformatory and benevolent institutions of the state, if elected I will endeavor to have a bill for that purpose passed, to go into effect as soon as possible, as it is not good business sense to have a board that audits its own bills.

I am heartily in favor of a bill taxing intangible properties or gross earnings of all companies and corporations.

I am also in favor of definitely locating and establishing the north and south boundaries of Marion county over the east foothills without the loss of any territory to the county, as very valuable mines are being opened there now.

I also think it is very desirable and will be of immense benefit to the state to have the national government transfer to the state all of its right, title and interest in the undeveloped water powers in the state, with sufficient land adjoining to develop them, believing that, if properly handled by the state, they will soon be an increasing source of revenue to the state.

While looking especially after the best interests of this county, without injury to other counties, I will, if elected, always strive to have all the affairs of the state administered faithfully and economically, and to result in the greatest good to the greatest number of people of the state, and my best ability to stop and cut off all grafts of whatever character.

Respectfully submitted,
 JOHN S. RICHIE.

School News

High School.
 The senior "hard times" social last night was held in the lower hall of the new building, and was a complete success. Various costumes were worn. The prizes were won by William Perkins, who represented a young belle, and Iza Constable, who represented an old grandmother. The senior class represented a family of three generations. A "hard time" program was rendered, consisting of quaint, old-fashioned songs and recitations. Light refreshments were served. The grotesque merry-makers dispersed at a late hour. The members of the entertaining class remained afterwards and cleared up the hall.

The bicycle racks have been installed in the new building. There are two racks, each about 20 feet long, in each wheel room. They are solidly constructed and will endure much wear.

Central School.
 Amala and Samuel Carter have gone to Hubbard to reside. Both were bright pupils in class B, and their departure is much regretted.

Mrs. Ray Farmer and Miss Nolan, of the primary department of the M. E. Sunday school, visited Miss Cooper's room on Thursday last. Miss Moore, of Portland, was also a visitor in the same room Monday.

In Miss D'Arcy's room the following pupils were absent during the month: Alta Black, Lucile George, Oliver Gordon, Ruth Manning, Thelma Lohman, Willie Bechtel, Elmo Wright, Clarence Ackley, James Harding, Ezra Hoffman, Harriett Clagett, Doris Ryan, Kenneth Pennebaker, a former pupil, entered school January 24. The pupils of 1-A enjoyed a holiday yesterday afternoon.

May Make Brick.
 Mr. George Collins, of Salem, has been here sampling the clay beds near the city. Mr. Collins is an experienced brick maker. If he finds good clay in sufficient quantity he will commence the manufacture of brick here in the spring. At different times we have called attention to the need of a brick yard on this bay.

There is a good local demand and limitable quantities could be shipped by water to markets along the coast.—Toledo Reporter.

WE REPEAT IT

EXTREME MEASURES NECESSARY
—CLOSING OUT ENTIRE SALE STOCK.

Finest Pianos Sold Retail at Wholesale Price and Less—Your Greatest Opportunity.

Extreme measures are always necessary to meet extreme cases. This is an extreme case, and we are closing out at extremely lowest prices.

As we have stated before, our regular prices on the finest pianos made are much lower than you will have to pay anywhere else.

Our terms of payment are more reasonable than any other house, and every advantage possible is accorded patrons of our store.

Prices Are Good, Pianos Better.

We could harp a long while on these little prices. But they are so very small they speak for themselves. If you purchased just any kind of an instrument at such prices your outlay would be so small that you could really have no cause for complaint.

But in this sale you are getting something excellent, of such exceptional quality it would justify a much larger outlay, for we are offering only pianos of known value.

Retail at Wholesale.

Acting upon instructions from the house, I am now offering for sale the Salem stock of finest pianos and organs at prices so little that it would pay you to buy one as an investment.

An opportunity like the present may never again be presented in Salem. We are closing out entirely, and profit cuts no figure now; it is merely a case of getting our money out of the stock now remaining in Salem.

Here is what you can buy and how:

A \$300 piano for \$135.
 Another, new, \$195.
 A \$450 piano for \$218.
 A \$475 piano for \$250, etc.
 A Beethoven organ for \$35.
 An Estey organ for \$57, etc.

Remember.
 We carry the largest and finest line of pianos in the Northwest, which include the

Weber Piano
 of New York.

The favorite of the world's greatest musicians and singers.

The Chickering
 of Boston.

Today, as it was over 82 years ago, the most perfect piano made.

The Kimball
 of Chicago.

The most popular piano and the best that its price will buy. Also some 22 other lines of standard pianos.

Read the List.
 We are offering the following choice pianos, which are all that remain out of over a carload of pianos in stock when we instituted this closing out sale.

SCHUMANN, established in 1847
 KIMBALL, Chicago's greatest.
 HOBART M. CABLE, perfect.
 STORY & CLARK, world-renowned.
 LESTER, pride of Philadelphia.
 BAILEY, popular and beautiful.
 KEMBLE-WARD and the HINZE.
 Call and see them. The sale will continue only until the present stock is sold out. Eight piano snaps will not supply everybody. So you'll have to hurry.

EILERS PIANO HOUSE,
 Y. M. C. A. Building,
 F. N. Smith, Special Salesman.

State News

W. H. Boles, agent at the Toledo office on the C. & E. railroad, has been put in charge of the Albany C. & E. office.

Heavy snows in the mountains between West Fork and Mule Creek, in Southern Oregon, have blocked traffic and the mails. The mountain roads are impassable.

The seventh annual Angora goat show opened at Dallas Thursday, with a larger number of goats on exhibition than ever before, there being 135. An interesting feature of the display is samples of mohair, showing the splendid results that have been accomplished by Oregon growers in the last ten years, in breeding for length and fineness of hair. The display of swine and poultry, held in connection with the show is up to the usual standard of excellence, but the number of sheep is not large.

His Mother.
 "So his mother called on you after you became engaged? What did she say?"

"Oh, she told me I wasn't half good enough for him, but she would generously overlook that if he would give him a place in the bank where he could draw a big salary and not have anything to do."—Chicago Record Herald.

CITY NEWS

A Collection of Important Paragraphs for Your Consideration.

Order Wild Rose Flour the last time tonight.

For the best meat you should go to Farrington's market.

Keep on using the very best flour—Wild Rose Flour.

Still other sales are told of today's advertising columns.

Mr. Jones will speak to men at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon.

Every grocer in Salem sells Wild Rose Flour. The people want it.

Last night's rain brought a fresh covering of snow to the Polk county hills.

Good bread and Wild Rose Flour—they can't be separated.

The work on South Commercial street is proceeding. The heavy rains delay it considerably.

The street commissioner has men at work cleaning the mud from the sewer catch basins at the corners.

D. A. White & Son have been appointed agents in Salem for the celebrated Cornell incubators.

You have to read The Journal advertisements to know about the offerings of Salem's principal merchants.

The Spaulding Logging Co. are loading a car of bridge timbers and sets of boards for shipment to the interior.

More voters from outside precincts registered at the county clerk's office today than on any single day since the rolls were opened.

While exercising on the Roman rig at the gymnasium this morning, Leland Hendricks, son of R. J. Hendricks, fell and sustained a fracture of the wrist.

Methusala was all right, you bet. For a good old soul was he. They say he would be living yet. Had he taken Rocky Mountain tea.

—Dr. Stone's drug store.

Clarence Wilson is seriously ill of pneumonia at his home on South 26th street. His condition is serious but hopes are entertained for his recovery.

The sermon delivered by Rev. W. E. Sellick, at the Methodist revival service last evening, was the best of the series so far. Attendance at the services continues to increase.

Worry is the mother of sick, nervous and troubled mentality, upsets the entire physical system. The body is a network of nerves. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea soothes and rebuilds the entire system. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Dr. Stone's drug store.

Mr. John S. Richie, of Scotts Mills, called at the county clerk's office yesterday afternoon, and was the first voter to register from that precinct. When he left for home today he carried a supply of blanks to register the other voters of the precinct.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Itchy Skin, Bad Breath, Stomach Bowels, Headache and Backache. It's Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form. 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SAILOR PEOPLE

All grocers sell WILD ROSE FLOUR and recommend it to their customers. Experts in flour are unanimous in their opinion that it would be impossible to improve its quality, and every cook knows it's the only flour that is absolutely sure in its results.

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 E. W. HAZARD, Cashier