

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1900.

LOCALS.

The town still improves. The stone side walk is being built. Milk shakes at the stand of G. & T. M. A. C. Robertson is back from the bay.

GIVEN AWAY.

Messrs. Shelly & Vanduy have just received ten dozen of those fine Davon's corsets and they are the latest style, best fit and best made.

AT THE HOSPITAL.

Miss Cora Robertson has entered the Good Samaritan hospital in the training school we learn that Miss Cora Lacey and Nora Shea all of this city are there now.

NEW FIRM.

The new firm of Hyde & Dalton will receive their goods by September 1st, when a grand opening will be made in the store formerly occupied by Burns, Dalton & Co.

CHICAGO COMEDY COMPANY.

Friday and Saturday nights of last week this company played at local houses at the opera house. The company presents its several plays with a vim that carries the audience along through the whole evening.

DANGER OF FIRE.

On Thursday of last week Mr. Geo. Smith's threshing plant was being moved near Crowley and in leaving the field some sparks from the engine ignited the straw near it.

A GIRL ENTOR.

Miss Andrea Hofer, a girl of twenty, says 'The Household' is editor of the 'McGregor' (La.) News. She carries on the paper herself, doing all the editorial and nearly half of the mechanical work.

NEW FENCE WORKS.

Mr. F. M. Gates has just placed in position this week (see ad) a late improved fence machine. He will have a car load of rough and dressed pickets to arrive this week.

IN GERMANY.

A cablegram was received last Saturday from H. Hirschberg which said: 'Arrived safely Friday.' It is dated at Hamburg, Hamburg is one of the largest free cities of Germany, being in fact a republic.

NEW OFFICERS.

Eagle engine company met Friday, August 1st, and elected the following officers: Foreman, H. R. Patterson, 1st assistant, J. D. Walker, 2nd assistant, J. S. Bohannon, president, James Gilson, secretary, E. C. Penland, treasurer, G. W. Shinn, J. E. S. Parker, O. A. Kramer and Geo. Macaulay. The company now numbers forty-two active members, and the following names have been proposed but not yet acted upon: C. W. Butler, W. H. Whitaker, Dave Craven, E. P. Shinn, Willis Hill and T. Jackson.

WE UNDERSTAND.

That J. P. Irvine will build a house to rent on the lot adjoining where he now lives, and Mr. S. Christian thinks of building three dwellings to cost about two thousand, on his lots near the motor line.

IF THE LOCAL EDITORIAL COLUMN.

OF THE WEST SIDE DO NOT PRESENT THE smooth and polished appearance they usually do, we trust that the patrons of the paper will pass the imperfections by as the permanent editor is taking a run with his associates in Portland this week, and the business part of the department is left in the hands of other substitutes, who can make no other apology than to state that they are doing the best we can as we are young and don't you forget it.

Lost, Strayed or Gone From our Gaze.

SIG SEMPER GLORIA MUNDIA? When Last Seen he Was Going out of the 'West Side' Office at a Forty-two Gall.

CONCERNING SHOPPING.

Now a Man Feels When Accompanying His Lady-Love to a Store. Does man ever feel lonely or appear as greater disintegrating than when he accompanies his wife or his best girl on a shopping expedition? I trust not. From the moment he enters a dry-goods store in the wake of his enslaver, every atom of self-respect leaves him; a realization of what is coming bursts upon him and fills him with a sickening horror; he calls himself all kinds of hard names for having allowed himself to be enticed into the place; he would rather and feel if he only dared, but he doesn't.

AT THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

PORTLAND, OR., Aug. 13, 1900. Here we are in the big hotel. Our room is number 240 and is on the second floor. Notwithstanding the fact that there are over 600 guests in this hotel, that just below my room is the dining room where from four to six hundred eat every meal, that the hotel has its own water works, electric lights, steam heaters, etc.; notwithstanding all these causes for disturbing your slumbers, you are unconscious of any disturbing sounds save those from the creaks and drays on the streets.

RECORD OF DEEDS.

Real estate transfers for the week ending Aug. 9th, furnished by Sibley & Eakin, of Dallas.

TELEGRAPH.

PORTLAND, OR., Aug. 14.—The membership of the Oregon Press Association reached one hundred today. This session of the Association promises to be the best by far of any held in the state.

TO MY CUSTOMERS.

I having this day sold my entire stock of harness stock and saddlery to Messrs. Beamer & Craven, I wish to thank the public for the liberal patronage which it has given me during the past four years in Independence. My successors are thoroughly conversant with the details of their business, and I bespeak for them a full share of your patronage. Respectfully, M. BEAMER.

THE CENSUS RETURNS.

The census of 1890 is given as follows for the counties named in Western Oregon:

County	1880	1890	% of 1900
Benton	6,000	7,500	2,475
Clatsop	13,000	12,000	5,180
Columbia	9,000	8,000	2,715
Cove	5,000	7,411	2,025
Clatsop	1,500	1,652	490
Douglas	11,500	10,419	2,925
Malheur	9,000	7,250	2,850
Josephine	4,000	2,721	1,691
Lane	15,000	12,751	4,992
Linn	10,000	15,833	4,745
Marion	21,300	18,423	6,810
Washington	7,800	8,045	2,106
Wheeler	2,800	2,865	830
Washburn	11,500	11,793	2,690
Yamhill	8,500	10,012	2,518
Total	223,100	186,897	52,207

Wheat receipts and load checks printed and neatly bound at the West Side office.

The records of Marion county, Oregon, show the planting of many thousands of acres of land in small tracts of from 5 to 10 acres. Capital City fruit farm of 640 acres, Sunnyside number 1,329 acres, Sunnyside number 2,140 acres, Sunnyside number 3,500 acres, and a number of others have been placed on the records by the Oregon Land Company of Salem, Oregon. This company is also doing business in Portland and Albany and has for sale numerous other small tracts. The great advantage of this plan is that it brings together in one community the class of people who are all engaged in the same business, viz: fruit growing. Consequently there springs up large drying and canning establishments similar to those in the city of Salem, which advantages make profitable market for the products of these fruit farms. Consult your interest by buying of the Oregon Land Company of Salem, Portland or Albany.

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Appropriately Named. "Pa, what is a blanket mortgage?" asked Johnny Cuzco. "It is one which keeps a man warm when he goes to bed," replied Cuzco.

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Oregon State Fair, 1900.

Under the management of the Oregon State Board of Agriculture, will be held on the state fair grounds near Salem, commencing on Monday, Sept. 15th and lasting one week.

OVER \$15,000.

Offered for agricultural, stock and mechanical exhibits, fair work of art and fancy work and for trials of speed.

CASH PREMIUMS.

Reduced rates for fare and freight on all transportation lines to and from the fair. Important improvements have been made on the grounds and increased facilities are provided for exhibitors.

THE PAVILLION WILL BE OPEN.

A splendid field of horses entered in the speed department, and fine exhibitions of racing will be given each day.

PRICES OF ADMISSION.

Man's day ticket 50c, Woman's day ticket 25c, Man's season ticket \$2.00, Woman's season ticket 1.00, Admission to secretary at Portland, Oregon, for a period of one week.

BORN.

HILLARD.—To the wife of Jim Hilliard on Friday, Aug. 8, 1900, a fine 10 pound girl.

MARRIED.

SEARS.—DALE.—At the residence of Lee Crider, Dallas, Saturday evening, August 9, 1900, J. M. Sears, of Pioneer, Polk county, and Mollie Dale, of Ellendale, County Judge Stauffer, officiating.

DIED.

BENNET.—Near Monmouth Aug. 9, 1900, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Beemer.

WALLER.—In Dallas on Friday, Aug. 8, 1900, the 7 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Waller.

J. S. Cooper went to Portland Thursday.

When is worth 64 cents, cut 36 to 37 cents per bushels at the Salem warehouse in North Independence.

Prof. J. W. Hays, of Hillsboro, arrived in this city Thursday, and will remain a short time visiting old friends.

Prof. J. F. Dunn, of Pomeroy, Wash., has been engaged as one of the teachers in the Normal at Monmouth for the coming term of school.

Robert Williams, brakeman on the Narrow Gauge railroad, while making a coupling of cars accidentally got his hand between the bumpers mashing the forefinger on the right hand, Drs. Lee & Butler dressed the wound, and at last accounts the patient was doing as well as could be expected.

Why is it that some of our young bloods will persist in tormenting others in going around town ringing cow bells, revolving wagon wheels from the vehicles as it stands in front of the owners house causing him a good deal of trouble and in general making the night hellish with their noise? If the young men of this town have no more pride, it should be nothing more than right for this paper to mention a few names.

W. H. Walker, of the well known firm of Staver & Walker, of Portland, was accidentally shot and killed by a boy named Powers while hunting for deer on the McKenlie, about sixty from Eugene. It is simply one of those accidents that happen almost every week throughout the hunting season. It does seem strange that every year repeats itself in the number of accidents of this kind. His remains arrived in Portland on the Roseburg express Wednesday, and were laid to rest in the Riverside cemetery Thursday.

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Holmes Business College

of Portland, Oregon will open Sept. 1st. J. A. Wess, the leading penman of the coast, has become a partner in this school and will make it the leading Business College, send for Catalogue.

EXECUTORS NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of an order of the County Court of Polk County, State of Oregon, made at the August term, on the 4th day of August, 1900, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, on the 11th day of September, 1900, in front of the court house door, in Dallas, Polk County, State of Oregon, the following described real property belonging to the estate of J. C. Cooper, deceased, to-wit: 2 1/2 chains and 1/2 rods of the Northwest corner of the East 1/2 of Section 34, Township 36N, Range 12E, Merion 23E, containing 1.25 chains along said street, thence South 1/2 chains to the place of beginning, thence North 1/2 chains to the place of beginning.

Also beginning at the Northwest corner of the land above described, thence South along the West line of said land 2 1/2 chains to the southeast corner thereof, thence West 2 1/2 chains, thence North 1/2 chains to the North-east corner of John Wainwright store house, thence South 80° E East along the South line of said land 1/2 chains to the place of beginning, thence North 1/2 chains to the place of beginning.

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