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Mt. Pleasant

Mrs. Ona Sheton and Miss Effie Ray returned home from Portland Saturday after several months absence.

G. H. Ray visited at Lacombe last week.

Mrs. Ed Chrisman and Mrs. Loyd Chrisman called on Mrs. W. R. Brenner Friday.

Miss Zona Ray returned from McMinnville Sunday for a brief visit with home folks.

John Huber and family, Mrs. Jake Huber, Frank Habberman and wife, Mrs. M. F. Ryan and daughters, Betty, Angeline and Marguerite, and Messers Earnest Knapp, Roy Follis and Hal Shelton and the Misses Bessie, Verna and Crystal Shank, motored to Salem Sunday.

Mrs. Linn Lambert was a Sunday visitor at W. R. Rays.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Senz, Arnold Senz and wife, Tony Laux and Frank Senz motored to Albany Sunday.

Miss Langly of Jordan visited at the J. H. Kloer home Sunday. H. R. Shank and Tony Laux

made a business trip to Salem Monday.

Mrs. W. R. Ray motored to Lebanon last week.

John Lutz is visiting at the Linn Lambert home this week.

G. H. Ray called at the Mrs. Roxie Shank home Monday.

School Notes

School opened Monday with every one ready for a new year work. The teachers at their post of duty: Prof., Ford, taking the History department; Miss Minnie Poley, again taking charge of the Language study; Mr. D. C. Davis, head of the Commercial department; Miss Jean McInturff, having charge of the English and Science work; Miss Margaret Miller teaches Music and Art to the grades and Domestic Science to the high school. The grade teachers are: Miss Nora Crabtree, Miss Vesta Marshall, Mrs. Ethel Lau and Mrs. Clara Pratt.

The registration of students in high school this year has reached the mark of seventy-five, which is about fifteen above the number

last year at this time, and there are possibilities of more. The grade registration is: Miss Crabtree, 26 pupils; Miss Marshall, 28 pupils; Mrs. Lau, 29 pupils and Mrs. Pratt, 35 pupils, 21 of which are in their first years work. The total number of pupils in school is 213.

There are a great number of students from out of town. The registration shows that over one-half of the students come from other districts. This is due to the effort of Prof. Ford and Mr. Davis in securing new pupils.

One of the new things which greeted the students the first day of school was a pennant hanging in the Commercial room. This beautiful pennant was won by the shorthand class last year but not received until after school was out. In order to win this Cregg Shorthand Pennant, each Shorthand student won three certificates: Primary, Intermediate and complete.

The high school boys have not forgotten their pledge of financial support to the school. On Friday, Sept 28, they are going to haul the wood they cut last spring. The girls are going to serve lunch at the noon hour. Anyone having a team or wood rack which they would lend the students, will do them a great favor by notifying or seeing Prof., Ford or Roy Follis.

The opening of the Domestic Science department this year has been a great thing. All the girls are highly appreciative of the efforts of the school board and all others who helped in providing same. Some of the girls are unable to take the course on account of conflicts in their subjects. The classes have not begun any practical work, for the entire apparatus has not been installed.

IS IT THE TRUTH - GENUINE GRAVELY IN THIS PART OF THE COUNTRY!

YES, AND THE NEW POUCH KEEPS IT FRESH AND GOOD TILL USED!

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BEFORE THE INVENTION OF OUR PATENT AIR-PROOF POUCH GRAVELY PLUG TOBACCO MADE STRICTLY FOR ITS CHEWING QUALITY WOULD NOT KEEP FRESH IN THIS SECTION NOW THE PATENT POUCH KEEPS IT FRESH AND CLEAN AND GOOD A LITTLE CHEW OF GRAVELY IS ENOUGH AND LASTS LONGER THAN A BIG CHEW OF ORDINARY PLUG.

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SEE THAT SMILE - BILL POSTER'S BILLBOARDS ARE SPREAD WITH MIGHTY PLEASING INFORMATION TODAY.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE STAYTON STATE BANK

at Stayton, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, Sept. 11, 1917.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$120,905 04
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	307 41
Bonds and warrants	21,422 06
Stocks, securities, judgments, etc.	5,309 41
Furniture and fixtures	5,500 00
Banking house	2,500 00
Due from banks (not reserve banks)	2,500 00
Due from approved reserve banks	41,000 00
Checks and other cash items	342 58
Cash on hand	7,894 04
TOTAL	\$212,187 98

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000 00
Undivided profits	1,300 00
less expenses and taxes paid	7 28
Individual deposits subject to check	121,061 34
Time and Savings Deposits	62,888 21
TOTAL	\$212,187 98

State of Oregon }
County of Marion } ss.
I, G. R. MUNKERS, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

G. R. MUNKERS, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Sept., 1917.

S. H. HELTZEL,
Notary Public.
My Commission expires Dec. 27, 1920.
Correct-Attest:
LEE TATE
GEO. SPANIOL,
Directors

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Farmers and Merchants Bank

at Stayton, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business Sept. 11, 1917.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$119,014 94
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	58 18
Bonds and warrants	4,020 17
Banking house	6,500 00
Furniture and fixtures	2,800 00
Due from approved reserve banks	40,004 22
Checks and other cash items	367 56
Cash on hand	9,172 92
TOTAL	\$212,067 78

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund	1,300 00
Undivided profits	292 23
less expenses and taxes paid	292 23
Individual deposits subject to check	125,738 77
Demand certificates of deposit	55,426 78
Time and Savings Deposits	1,000 00
TOTAL	\$212,067 78

State of Oregon }
County of Marion } ss.
I, J. W. MAYO, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. MAYO, Cashier
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Sept., 1917.

V. A. GOODE,
Notary Public
My Commission expires Oct. 7, 1919.
Correct-Attest:
A. D. GARDNER
J. T. HUNT
J. M. RINGO,
Directors.

A few Indians with a lot of pack horses passed through the city to-day on their way south.

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- MINING, with three departments, including Chemical Engineering;
- PHARMACY.

THE SCHOOL OF MUSIC, offers instruction in the principal departments of vocal and instrumental music.

THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT, enrolled 1085 cadets in 1916-17, and won recommendation for O. A. C. from the Western Department of the U. S. War Department as one of the fifteen "distinguished institutions" of higher learning. All cadets will be furnished complete uniforms by the U. S. Government and the junior and senior cadets, enrolled in the R. O. T. C., will be given commutation for subsistence, as well as all transportation and subsistence at the six weeks' Summer camp.

REGISTRATION BEGINS OCTOBER 8, 1917. Information on request. Address, Registrar, Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Oregon.

FALL SHOE OPENING

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These Wonderfully Low Special Prices

That will make it worth while for you to visit our fine store, see our shoes and get acquainted.

Extra Special Bargains for Ladies

A splendid \$6 quality of black kid, lace or button, Cuban heels, plain toes, new style last, good fitters. The factory doubled our order by mistake and you can reap the benefit by \$3.79 buying them at.....

Another quite similar except a little nicer and has French heels, either lace or button, new Tuxedo vamp patterns, they now go at \$3.95. You cannot duplicate this, quality, style, for \$6.

Ladies Shoes for \$1.35

A mixed lot of small sizes, up to 3 1/2, a kinds. All rare bargain at the price, \$1.35 the pair.

One lot of Hannan's \$8 quality patent and kid straight last, lace and button, medium heels in sizes up to 5, widths AA to C. A rare bargain at..... \$3.70

Ladies Fine Dress Shoes

Black kid vamp, gray cloth top, the very latest patterns, plain toe, fine fitting lasts, French heels, most places ask \$9. We sell them for 6.50.

FREE for the children—a top, a dicky bird or a face puzzle card. Ask for one.

These specials are going rapidly, so don't delay or your size will be gone.

You cannot afford to miss this introduction. It will be money in the bank for you.

We thank our many friends for their patronage and assure you that no one will sell you as good goods for the money as you get at

Fine grey kid vamp with imitation wing top, new "Wyclo" cloth top to match, new last, excellent fitters, nothing finer shown even at \$12, but we sell them for..... \$6.95

Extra Inducements To Get the Men to Coming

Men's calf button, fine style, a \$7 grade	\$4.85
"odd lots, mostly large sizes up to \$8.00	3.85
"fine calf English lace dress shoes	9.00 6.95
"brown calf	8.50 6.45
"calf broad toe Neolin soles	8.00 6.25
"medium toe, leather soles	4.50 3.35
"16 inch tan heavy double soles	10.00 7.65
"12 "black Dayton loggers	10.00 8.00
"7 in. tan Napa make, doub. sole	7.00 5.65

(These shoes have wing tips and outside counters.)

RUBBER BOOTS

Men's red duck foot hip boots	\$6.50 grade, \$5.25
" " " " short	5.00 " 4.25
" " " " hip	6.00 " 4.95
" " " " short	4.75 " 3.95

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The unequalled Boy Scout Shoes, all sizes, at prices ranging from \$2.65 to \$3.45. Other kinds from \$2.35 up.

Girls School Shoes from \$1.95 up. Children's School Shoes from \$1.65 up.

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