LOCAL EVENTS.

TOURNAMENT ITEMS .- Geo. C. Sears, who was elected president of the State grapher. The man entered the station Firemen's Association at Vancouver last week has appointed the following committeemen from this place: Topics -Prof. H. S. Strange, H. Straight; legislation-H W. Trembath; auditing-J. W. O'Connell. The different teams earned money as follows: Astoria, \$108.33. Oregon City. \$75. The Dalles, \$58.33. North Vancouver, \$100, and Vancouver, \$183 33-The personnel of the Oregon City hose team was: W. H. Howell, captian, R. J. Cameron, Eph Cameron, J. Frost W. May, H. Matheson, Chas. Pope, Chas. Moore, H. Thorn, C. M. Mason, John Batdorf, Ed Batdorf. Geo. Brown, Frank Brown, H. Trembath R. Ray, F. Price, Tom Smith, Geo. Curry. The Independent of Vancouver has the following to say of our boys in visitor had made a grab into the cashregard to the last race: "Oregon City was disappointed in being shut out of the championship contest by the rain. They offered to run Thursday morning but were not permitted. It is said that the principle delay in this race was occasioned by Beary of Astoria who kicked and afterwards asserted that he job." had accomplished what he wanted, viz., a wet track for the other boys to run on." The Oregon City fire department has issued a challenge to the Vancouver team to run any race of the recent tournament at Vancouver at any place or \$10 gold pieces were stamped at the time named by the Vancouver boys, Oregon mint. While here his first work other than the home of either company, was to turn balls for a bowling alley. same as those prescribed at the tourna-

THE PAYTON COMPANY .- The Senter Payton Comedy Company, which is playing this week at Shively's hall, is giving good entertainment to those who attend. This company, which consists of 12 people, is a good one and the hall should be packed every night. On Monday they played "Falsely Accused." dist parsonage by Rev. Gabriel Sykes. on Tuesday "Jack O'Diamonds," on The young couple took the evening Wednesday, the "Gold King," and on train for California where they will day, September 17. to night (Thursday) they will present reside for the winter. the celebrated play,"Joshua Whitcomb." On Friday evening they will play "Trilby." A matinee will also be given on Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m . when "East Lynn" will be presented. This is the only chance for a long time to see a theatre without going to Portland and Oregon Cityites should take advantage of it.

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MRS. RINEARSON DEAD.-Mrs. Isabe Rinearson, a pioneer of Oregon and widow of the late Peter M. Rinearson, died at her home below town on Sunday morning. She had been ailing most of the summer, but about the middle of last week lost most of her physical power, and from that time her death was almost hourly expected. She was 65 years of age. Her surviving children are: Richard L. Greaves, William Greaves, of Portland; Georgia, wife of Sohn Straight, and Clara, wife of George Califf, by a former marriage, and Hon. Emm wife of of O. E. A. Freytag and Jacob Rinearson. The furnal service was held at the Congregational church on Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

DEPOT ROBBERY .- The Southern Pacific depot here was robbed of \$106 in cash Monday night by a tramp telein the alternoon, and presented his union card to Agent Moore. He wanted to write a letter, and was invited inside for the purpose. After he had finished writing, he picked up one of Teasdale's pamphlets, entitled, "Low Wages Mc-Neil," and appeared to become absorbed in its persual. Mr. Speers, the night man, was then on duty. He stepped out to the baggage-room to check a trunk for the south-bound overland train, and neglected to lock the After his return the visitor laid Sufe down the book, with the remark that it was "all right," and left the deput. When it came time to balance the books for the day, the cash was \$106 short. and it was evident that the brotherhood box and taken the money. There were more than \$100 in the box, and the thief must have been pressed for time, or he would have taken it all. Agent Moore does not remember his name; but the fellow tepresented that he had held a "relay" at Missoula, Mont., as his last

MADE DIES FOR OREGON MINT --- Victor M. Wallace, a pioneer of '47 died at Gladstone is improving Kelso, Wash., on September 5th. Mr. Wallace was a settler at Oregon City and made the first die with which the for \$200. The conditions are to be the afterwards he made two threshing machines-the first in the territory, and the printing press upon which the Free Press, which was edited by Mr. Currie, was printed. In 1850 he removed last week. to the Cowlitz valley and built the first

school house in that territory. WEIDNER-MCREYNOLDS. - Miss Margurieta Weidner and A. D. McReynolds dist parsonage by Rev. Gabriel Sykes.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Misses Dolan are visiting friends in the country

Ed Fields left for Ashland last Friday evening.

The Misses France have returned from the beach.

T. W. Jackson of Eugene is visiting John Humphrey.

Mrs. Ed Fields is visiting Mrs. Tom Fields in Canemah.

Col. and Mrs. R. A. Miller visited Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Anita McCarver is visiting in the country with her sister.

ing friends in California. Miss Lizzie Wilson of Logan has been

visiting the Misses Paquet.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS. "Trilby" at Shively's Friday evening. Frosts are reported on Monday and Tnesday nights. The electric car ran over two valuable dogs last week. E. M. Howell is recovering from a spell of sickness Mrs. John Barrett has moved into one of H. L. Kelly's new cottages.

Last Thursday Mrs. Beulah Holman was appointed postmistress at Meadow Brook

Mr. Oliver Ohlson, who was hurt on the electric car on Merchant's day at Bert Greenman, Harley Stevens and

Ralph Miller left on Saturday by wheel for the Independence hop yards. Wm. May of this place and a Mr.

Tryam of Eugene ran a foot race on Main street Sunday for a \$5 purse.

Rev. T. Thomas was appointed to the Oregon City circuit by the M. E. Church South at its annual conference

Little Evalyne Harding had the misfortune to step into a yellow-jacket's about the face.

The annual meeting of the Portland General Co. and the Willamette Falls Co. will be held in Portland next Tues-

The Capen Shoe Company is now employing a dozen men making shoes are crowded with orders.

James Pierson was sentenced to 30 days in county jail on Thursday last by Justice J. D. Bitter of Needy for larceny of a \$10 suit of clothes.

Miss Jennie Beattie arrived here on Friday and is staying at her sisters, Mrs. J. J. Cooke. She has been engaged to teach in the public schools.

THE "overlap" land cases have been decided in favor of the government and the settlers by the United States circuit court. The case will be appealed. J. A. Douthit of Prineville has become

editor of the Times-Mountainer of The Dalles and changed the politics of the Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cole are visit- paper from republican to democratic.

The West Side public school began on Monday. Prof. C. W. Durette is principal, Miss Mollie Talbert intermediate Mrs. Van Waters, wife of Rev. Van teacher and Miss Addie Clark primary



IT ENDED IN MARRIAGE.-A letter bas been received by Sheriff Sears of Portland from Manistee, Mich., from Fred Green, who was arrested, charged with the seduction of Lillie Sweetnam. The Gray. letter reads: "I arrived home Wednesday morning with Fred Green. He gave bail the same day, and went to see the girl, and they were married. The prosecuting attorney is hot, but they just laugh at him. Fred sends his best regards to yourself and all the boys, and says he will stay at home if he can get work." Green when arrested was working as a drug clerk for G. A. Harding of this place.

THE TEACHERS .- Certificates were this week .- Observer. issued by the superintendent to the following named persons on August 19th: Emma Sturchler, Hattie E. Monroe, P. S. Coleman, Shirley Buck, E. M. Ward, L. A. Read, Ora McLaughlin, Agnes Matlock, Elizabeth Illig, Sade H. Chase, Mrs. F. Allard, H. A. Pittinger. George Harrington, Louisa Kinnaird, Hattie Cochran, Mabelle Wiggins, Ina M. Hodges, A. B. Hubbard, D. C. Allard, Katie Storts, Ivy M. Harrington, Olive M. Currin, Aura Thompson, Edwin N. Bates and Zona Mayfield.

BRIDGE TO BE BUILT .- The Marion county commissioners' court met the Clackamas court at the counties' line creek opposite Ross' place, four miles Friday. from Mt. Angel. Before the conference ended it was decided to place a 120-foot span structure at that point few months ago returned to this city for the accommodation of the traveling public. The Clackamas court was authorized to have the plans prepared and advertise for the bids .- Statesman .

CIRCUIT COURT .- Actions filed during week in clerk's office : R. H. Greely vs F. E. Donaldson and L. Booth ; Henry Harmon vs C. E. Bailey et als; Esberg Hubbard vs J. W. Draper et als; W. F. Hubbard vs C. Y. Draper et als; Annie Jewish Holiday. M. Hamer vs Olive P. Hamer; Fannie J. Loring, guardian, vs John W. Neudel et als; Dan Lyons vs William Hawkins et als

Waters, is visiting Mrs. Vosburg Miss Margaret Rawland returned to her home in Stockton on Tuesday.

Will Burghart and Fred Greenman left yesterday for a trip to Roaring river. Misses Jessemine and Minnie Dutcher visited friends in Vancouver last week. Mrs. L. Gray of Portland is visiting in this city, the guest of Miss Jennie

Mrs. W. H. Raupach of Portland was reviewing old acquaintenances in town Thursday.

Grande visited Mrs. H. S. Strange advisable by some to buy an improved during the week.

C. G. Huntley and R. L. Holman returned Monday from a hunting trip in Yamhill county.

Clarence Purdom left here last night position of postal clerk.

Miss Helen Eastham, Nettie Walden and Imo Harding will soon leave for the East, where they will attend college. Ed Reckner returned on Wednesday from an entended trip to Bandon. Chas. Paustian returned from same place Monday.

Ivan Chase, wife and child, of Colfax, Wash., are visiting his mother, Mrs. J. W. Chase. Mr. Chase is publisher of the Gazette of that place.

S. G. Schoonover of Venonia, county commissioner of Columbia county, and Friday and discussed the matter of con- a former resident of this county, was in structing a joint bridge across Butte town renewing acquaintenance on last

> Mrs. M. Metcalf (nee Straight) who went to California with her husband a last week. While there her husband and child died.

trip to the head waters of the middle lork of the Willamette river, above Eugene. He reports bagging a bear.

Notice! The store of I. Salling will Bachman & Co. vs J. A. Moore; W. F. be closed on Thursday next, September 19th, until 6 o'clock p. m., owing to

> **Children Cry for** Pitcher's Castoria.

W. Busch of Logan during the week has been visiting his son, Frank Busch, of the firm of Bellomy & Busch. Mr. Busch has been a resident resident of Logan for 18 years.

W. W. Quinn on Friday was exhibiting some fine leaves of pure Havana tobacco, which he was sending to the Portland exposition. The "weed" was Take up a Paper___ grown in his garden at Canemah.

Commissioners R. Scott and F. Jagfully. gar were on Wednesday visiting some most tempting offers. Then go around and see what those tempting offers really amount to. Nine times out of ten you'll of the places offered for sale to the Misses Olive and Bertha Slater of La county for a poor farm. It is thought be disappointed.

Judge J. W. Meldrum and party returned on Friday from their trip through the mountains. They returned over Mr. Frank Morrison, the genial archi- the Barlow road-the way they went tect, moved from Oregon City to Dallas and report having had a very pleasant time

Ernest Rands writes from Johnson for Grant's Pass where he is to have the & Rands' surveying camp on the south fork of the Santiam that big game is plenty there, and that they seen three bear one day but were "unable" to shoot them.

> Alfred Smith of Mulino was examined for insanity on Thursday and discharged It seems that he was arrested on complaint of his son, Badd, and it was the outcome of a family row, two of whom had to serve out \$10 sentences in the county jail.

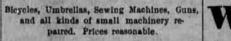
> Licenses to wed granted on 10th to Margurieta Weidner and O. D. Me-Reynolds, Mary Zurfluh and Isaac Kungi, Mrs. Frances M. Wadley and Wm J. Harrington, Maggie Summers and W. L. Little, on 11th to Ada B. Foote and F. W. Cram.

Last week H. C. Stevens sold the old Oriental Hotel property to the Gambrinus Brewing Co of Portland for \$8000. The building will be remodelled and enlarged below. This is the building J. F. Clark, the abstracter, returned that was used as a capitol before the on Monday from a fortnight's hunting capitol was removed to Salem and is one of the oldest buildings in the city.

The three Chautauqua circles met on Monday evening preparatory to entering upon this year's study which begins in October. The circle that met at C. H. Dye's elected Mrs. Dye president and Miss Mary Conyers secretary and the one that met at L. C. Drigg's will probably consolidate with this one.

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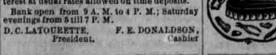
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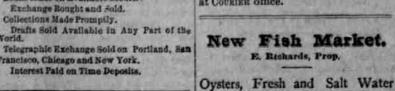




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