

Y. M. O. A. RALLY.—The 13th annual reunion of the Y. M. O. A. of the Northwest was held in Oregon City on October 2d, 3d and 4th. The following officers for ensuing year were elected: President, E. C. Brounagh, jr., of Portland; first vice-president, Professor Letcher, of the state university, Eugene; second vice-president, L. C. Caplea, Oregon City; secretary, Albert Grillee, Salem; assistant secretary, Mr. Patten, Chemawa; press secretary, John W. Gwilt, Portland. Exercises were held in the Congregational, M. E., Baptist and Presbyterian churches and at the Y. M. O. A. rooms.

10 Big Ins. Companies.—F. E. Donaldson. A MURDER.—The body of Joe Stampfle was found under the Clackamas railroad bridge on the rocks on Saturday morning. The coroner's jury decided he had been foully dealt with and on Sunday morning Henry Rougers and Peter Moran were arrested at Woodburn and brought before Justice Schabel who bound them over to the grand jury. The evidence against them is circumstantial. About \$116 were found on their persons, alleged to be the money seen in Stampfle's possession the day of the murder. Several witnesses saw the prisoners with the dead man on that day.

Lowest Fire Ins. Rates.—F. E. Donaldson. POMONA NOTICE.—The next regular meeting of the Clackamas District Pomona Grange (formerly known as the Multnomah District Pomona) will be held with Harding Grange No. 132 at Logan, Clackamas Co., Oregon, on Wednesday October 14th, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M. The proposition to have biennial elections for Pomona Granges having failed to become a law, the annual election of officers will be held at this meeting. B. G. LEEBY, master.

Largest Ins. Business.—F. E. Donaldson. Agents wanted, male or female, opposite Oregon City bank. The prettiest trimmed hats and caps and the lowest prices at the Red Front, Oregon City.

Do not miss the DeMoss Family concert on Saturday evening at the Congregational church. Admission adults 35c, children 15c. All cordially invited. A 50c concert for 35c. Tickets on sale at postoffice store.

About 500 of Uncle Sam's regulars, from the 14th regiment, stationed at Vancouver, passed through Oregon City on Tuesday forenoon. There were six companies of infantry, band, cavalry, and about a dozen commissary wagon.

At the annual meeting of the Presbyterian church of Monday A. Robertson and Levi Johnson were elected elders; W. G. Muir deacon, J. W. McKay trustee and H. S. Strange school superintendent.

The Three-week N. Y. World and Courier for \$2 per year. The World will be of special advantage to you during the presidential campaign.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.

A. N. Munsey of Salem is visiting in town this week. Remember the DeMoss Family concert Saturday evening. Jos. Kurten left for a business trip to Southern Oregon Tuesday. Jas. A. Wells and Miss D. A. Capps were married last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. R. Prier returned from a trip to the coast last week. T. B. Hankins with others will speak at Elliotts prairie on Saturday.

Every precinct in the county will give Bryan a majority, according to reports. Married on 5th by Justice Geo. H. Brown, Grant Critzer and Isetta Rider. E. H. Cowing and Max Schulpins are gate keepers at the state fair this week.

License to wed granted on October 6th to Julia A. O. Kansath and August Blum. Superintendent Holmes reported an attendance of 63 in the city schools last week.

The New Era postmaster has beautified and enlarged his store with a modern front, a sign of both enterprise and prosperity.

Hon. Ben Hayden and Harry Watkins will speak at Oregon City on October 28th for Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ware of Sweet Home returned Thursday after a visit with relatives here.

A new front is being put in the room next to Shark's barber shop which will be occupied with a cigar store.

Franklin Faust, a farm hand employed on Judge Meldrum's place, a former resident of Canemah, was sent to the asylum last week.

Two hundred and one Woodmen from Oregon City met out and went to the exposition at Portland on Wednesday evening.

Hon. W. T. Rigdon will speak in this county on the silver question on the 23d, 24th, 26th and 27th. Place will be mentioned later.

A carload of scenery at Shively's hall on October 17th. "On the Bowery" will be seen for the first time in this city. A rich treat in store for you.

J. O. Lesure spoke to an audience of about 50 at the McKinley headquarters on Tuesday evening. He failed to create enthusiasm and was not well received.

J. E. Jack of Marquam was in town Monday. He reports that the Butte Creek fair was a success, financially and otherwise, this year. The attendance was over 1000.

The fare to Salem and return on the S. P. R. R. during state fair, 5th to 13th, is 32; tickets good to return till the 16th. The Roseburg local will be held at Salem on 11 5 p. m.

The Chautauqua Circle started Monday evening with an attendance of 30 members and more to follow. The first half year will be devoted to France and its institutions.

Hon. Wm. Galloway, president of state agricultural society, left Tuesday for Salem, where he will spend part of his time during next week looking after state fair interests.

George Gabbert, a prominent businessman of Colfax, Wash., was visiting his brother, Keeler H. Gabbert, on Saturday. Mr. Gabbert says crops are good in his section this year.

Prof. W. H. Powell, formerly of this place, is now principal of the Cottage Grove public school. Their new school house is in design similar to Oregon City's new school house.

As the 5:35 electric car from this place was rounding a curve near Sellwood it ran over a cow and shook the passengers up considerably. Steel's men are getting more careless than ever.

A grand rally of young people will be held in the Baptist church next Tuesday evening. Rev. F. L. Wilkins of Chicago, the general secretary of the Baptist Young People's Union, will be present and make the principal address. Dr. Wilkins is one of the foremost among the leaders of the young people's movement in our country and every one interested in young people's work should take this opportunity of hearing him. A general invitation is extended.

Charles U. Wilson, son of R. D. Wilson, commenced an evening course in the study of law this week at Portland. Mrs. Mary Randall, wife of Wm. Randall of New Era, died on Thursday. She was a daughter of George Reuch.

Hon. J. M. Murphy, editor of Olympia Standard, visited relatives here Monday. Geo. F. Smith of this city worked for Mr. Murphy for 20 years.

The two shops of Petsoid & Gale, two of Chas. Albright, Jr., and those of I Farr and P. J. Scholz have decided to close every evening except Saturday at 7:30 and not to open on Sunday.

Mrs. Harriet L. Bowers, aged 54 years, 7 months and 12 days, wife of W. D. Bowers, died on Wednesday and funeral services were held at residence on Thursday afternoon, Rev. M. L. Rugg officiating.

The surveying party of Henry Meldrum and G. W. Waggoner returned last week Wednesday. The other members of the crew were John Howland, Stonewall J. Vaughan, W. May, A. W. Kircher and G. Swale.

Theodore D. Hengst and Robert Ruetekofer will speak in German at Sandy on next Wednesday at 1 p. m. and at Dryland school house, 1 1/2 miles south of Macksburg, on next Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. M. L. Rugg will speak in the Baptist church Sunday night on "Educational Problems and the Church." This is one of the special sermons in the series which he is giving. A general invitation is extended.

T. J. Thorp addressed an audience at Shively's hall on Friday evening last on "The Dangers that Menace Our Republic." Gen. Thorp is an A. P. A. and according to his view the country is now in danger of being overthrown by Catholics, an absurd idea.

Opening of Shively's opera house, season 1896-97, Saturday, October 17th, "On the Bowery," probably the most successful play in the way of sensational melo-drama of the century. Steve Brodie is a conspicuous personage. Few plays have caused as much applause and laughter. Do not fail to attend.

Hon. A. S. Bennett and Col. E. Hofer discussed the silver question before a large audience at Shively's hall on Wednesday evening. Mr. Hofer is a free silver republican and Judge Bennett a democrat and stands on the Chicago platform. Neither speaker had that bulldozing method of the majority of the gold standard speakers and was well received.

The Oregon Poultry Journal says of Elmer Dixon of this place: "Mr. Elmer Dixon, whose portrait is here presented, has been actively identified with the Oregon fancy and the upbuilding of our poultry interest for a number of years. He was one of the founders of the present Oregon State Poultry Association and foremost among its staunch supporters."

The contest over the will of the late Mrs. Isabella McElsander was tried in probate court on Monday and decision will be made in a few days. Henry McElsander wants the home valued at about \$8000 willed to Mrs. M. W. Gardner a few hours before her death and claims undue influence was brought to bear on her. Mr. McElsander was sick at the time.

A surprise party was given last Wednesday evening, September 30, in honor of Mrs. J. P. Logan's birthday, at Willamette Falls. The guests left on the 7:30 car from the west side depot and soon took possession of the Logan residence. The evening was passed away playing games and singing, after which refreshments were served and all went home happy.

Capt. J. P. Shaw, once commandant of company F, is interested in a placer mine on Granite creek, a tributary of Coffee creek, in Douglas county. He and his associates will run a hydraulic the coming winter, and if their tailings do not bring down on them the active wrath of the two half-breeds who own the claim at the mouth of the Granite, they will be fortunate.

Comic characters taken from life and placed in fancied scenes, which smack of reality and are spiced with abundant sensation, appear in that unequalled mirror of New York life, "On the Bowery," the play in which the most noted

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Council Meeting.

Regular October session held on Wednesday evening and the following business transacted:

Saloon licenses of A. Knapp, J. N. Miller, Wanda Zimmerman, Brady & McDonough continued. There was some question as to the character of the saloon kept by J. N. Miller but after discussion same was granted. License of Sam Baechler was revoked for running a disorderly house.

Recorder reported one case of disorderly conduct during September, warrants for \$1120 13 drawn and receipts as follows:

Saloon licenses\$600
Meat license 10
S. E. Paquet, redemption property. 530
Mrs. Ann Jones, 81

BILLS ALLOWED.

P. G. E. Co, lights\$172 05
F. F. Ryan, recorder 25 00
Chas Babcock, street work 97 05
C. E. Burns, police 60 01
F. L. Shaw, 60 00
F. T. Griffith, prosecutor 5 00
S. F. Scripture, work horse cart. 6 50
H. J. Thorn, abstract 7th st. 2 00
Poole & Co, horse tap 75
H. W. Jackson, spring 60

Street committee ordered to notify property owners on west side of Jefferson street, between Seventh and Twelfth streets, to build six-foot sidewalks, also property owners on west side of Monroe, between Fourth and Seventh.

Committee ordered to let contract for improving Seventh to lowest bidders on his furnishing \$300 bonds. Following are the bids:

	Con. side.	Earth.	Crushed
	crete.	walk.	Rock
Dan Lyons.....	59	32	25
Smyth & Howard.....	35	31	21
*John Stuart.....	37	29	25
T. S. Lawrence.....	40	32 1/2	22
T. S. Lawrence, lump sum.....	\$788.		

*Lowest bidder.

A committee ordered to examine picture of Dr. John McLaughlin, owned by Mrs. Lovejoy, with a view to its purchase. Ordinance declaring Seventh street assessment ordered published.

Street commissioner ordered to order all closets below bluff connected with sewer.

Treasurer's quarterly report showed receipts of \$5000 and balance in treasury of \$3100.

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Tin Buckets, 8, 12, 16, 19c
Dinner Buckets, 3, 27, 35c
Dippers, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11c
Tin Pails, 12, 19, 24c
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Fire shovels, 5, 9c
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