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**LOCAL NEWS ITEMS.**

Kuerten's Boston bread, five cents a loaf; all eastern flour.

The Carl Denton Recital, Congregational church, February 20.

Prof. C. W. Falt, hypnotist, mind reader and telepathist, at Shively's Feb. 7, 8 and 9.

The Golden Rule Bazaar are showing a handsome line of valentines this year. Are you ready for the 14th.

Tickets will be for sale at Huntley's for the Carl Denton Recital, Congregational church, February 20.

Miss Ethel Webb, graduate of the Toronto school of Oratory, at the Congregational church, February 20.

Falt the Great.  
Hypnotism at the opera house this week.

Kuerten's bakery and confectionery always has the best of everything.

Turne's orchestra will give a valentine masquerade ball on Feb. 14. Four prizes will be given away.

The trial of Burt Jewell for stabbing C. E. Smith will come up for trial Saturday if Smith is able to be out.

Prof. Denton wants a "grand" piano or his recital. There will be one at the Congregational church, Wednesday, February 20.

Mayor Dimick on Monday ordered Chief Burns to close gambling, nickel-in-slot machines, and to arrest minors caught in saloons.

Prof. Falt will be at Shively's for three nights beginning Thursday, Feb. 7. Ladies free the first night. Seats on sale at Huntley's. 15, 25 and 35 cents.

The Cliff House, under the management of C. W. Bagby, will open the restaurant part of the house this week. The house has been painted and renovated.

The Courier-Herald is under obligations to James Atwood, the poultry breeder, for a fine young Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel for the editor's poultry yard.

W. J. Bryan's new paper, The Commoner, published at Lincoln, Neb., has been received. One dollar a year. Its democracy is sound, reasonable, patriotic and vigorous.

Prof. Wilcox, superintendent of the city schools, announces that a new primary class will be started on Monday if a sufficient number of children are present to begin their school life.

The road fund of Clackamas county is \$20,000 in debt. The levy for 1900 will bring but \$19,000, hardly enough to pay for the amount overdrawn last year. At the same rate the road fund indebtedness will be \$40,000 by the end of the year.

Jay William Hudson will lecture on "The Passion Play at Oberammergau as I saw it in 1900," at the Congregational church on Monday evening, Feb. 11. This is the second event of the high school lecture and concert course and you should not fail to attend and help the high school library fund.

The pastor of the Congregational church will exchange pulpits next Sunday with the Rev. M. D. Dunning, pastor of the Forest Grove church. Mr. Dunning is recognized as one of the strongest young men in the Congregational ministry of Oregon. Oregon City should give the visiting minister large congregations.

A meeting of the mothers of Oregon City was held recently and an organization effected by electing the following officers: Mrs. Brownell, president; Mrs. Ed Story, vice-president; Mrs. A. Robertson, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Grout, treasurer. The last subject for discussion was, "Disobedience." Yesterday the meeting was held at the residence of Mrs. Fred Miller. The first meeting was held at Mrs. Brownell's residence.

Prof. Falt as an entertainer and exhibitor of mysteries and wonders is undoubtedly at the top of the ladder in his profession. His appearance Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights at the opera house will prove to be a great feast of pleasure to those present. Prof. Falt's slight-of-hand work, mind reading and hypnotism are pronounced exceptionally good. At Shively's, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, February 7, 8 and 9.

Company A, Third Regiment, O. N. G., held a special meeting Monday night transacting regular business. All bills contracted by the late captain were ordered paid. Lieutenant L. Kelly now has command of the company until a new captain can be elected. Mr. Kelly will no doubt be the next captain. R. Gantenbein was duly elected secretary and G. W. Miles janitor. A full attendance at the meeting next Monday is desired.

A grand entertainment was given at Willamette hall on Monday evening for the benefit of the G. A. R. relief fund. The stereopticon views of Mr. Beach were the finest ever shown here and consisted of views of all the leading cities in the United States and G. A. R. war scenes. A. J. Goodbrod, department commander for Oregon, made a few appropriate remarks. Several excellent musical selections were rendered. The entertainment was a success and all present were highly pleased.

The arrangements for the Carl Denton

recital at the Congregational church on Wednesday evening, February 20, are completed. Professor Denton has recently returned from England, after three years' study at the Royal Academy of Music in London, of which institution he has the rare honor of being a medalist. Those in our city who have heard him, speak in the highest terms of his art as violinist and pianist. The management of the concert is also especially favored in securing Miss Ethel Webb, of Portland, an electionist of the highest rank, so recognized from the Atlantic to the Pacific. These attractions, with Mrs. Charles Wesley Pope as soloist, the Derthick Club ladies' double quartette, and a grand piano, especially secured for the occasion, should be evidence to the concert lovers that no expense will be spared to make this an entertainment worthy of support. The general admission will be 35 cents. Children 25 cents; reserved seats, at Huntley's, 50 cents.

Miss Grace Tower visited in Clackamas Wednesday.

Miss Echo Samson went to Goldendale, Wash., Thursday, where she will attend the Devine-Caples wedding.

The basket social given by the young people of Maple Lane last Saturday evening was a success both socially and financially. The sum of \$11 was realized, which will go towards purchasing a bell for the school house.

Mrs. Thozaine Eudy died in Portland Feb. 3, at the age of 72 years, 7 months and 24 days. Mrs. Eudy was a former resident of this city, but moved to Portland a number of years ago. She was a sister-in-law of W. W. Eudy, of this place.

Harry Honeychurch and Miss Louise A. Bell were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Margaret West, 285 Twelfth street, Portland, the Rev. W. S. Gilbert, officiating. Miss Veda Williams, of this city, played the wedding march. Mr. and Mrs. Honeychurch left on the evening train for their future home in Butte, Mont. Mrs. Honeychurch was a former resident of this place, and has many friends who extend their congratulations.

Novelties in Valentines just received at Golden Rule Bazaar.

**The Dewey Washer.**  
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Oregon City.

**Fruit Growers' Association.**  
The Northwest Fruitgrowers' Association was in session in Portland on February 5, 6 and 7.

There was a display of very fine apples in the hall including many varieties. There were some especially nice ones of Gano and Saloom; and some boxes of very good evaporated prunes.

William Borsch had an exhibit of remarkably nice French walnuts and grafted walnut trees, grown at his place at Hill-dale. He had two-year-old grafts that were wonderful for thrift and size. He stated that he had four-year-old trees that bore quite a crop.

On Tuesday afternoon E. L. Smith gave a very interesting talk on "The Apple." When Mr. Smith talks he all ways has something to say and says it in such a manner that it is a pleasure to listen to him. He spoke about the great loss from planting too many varieties. This with unsuitable locations and poor care he estimates makes fully 50 per cent loss to fruit growers. He spoke of many varieties and sited them down to 20 good ones, and then to four as the best—Yellow Newton, Spitzenburg, Jonathan and Gravenstein.

Quite a discussion followed as to varieties, cultivation, etc. Some recommended Rome Beauty, Ben Davis and Gano. Mr. Davis said selling Ben Davis was a fraud and deceit as the nice looking apples were not what they appeared.

Prof. Van Deman joined in the discussion. While he agreed with Mr. Smith, he said the fact still remained that Ben Davis was the money-making apple of the country. He recommended the Gano very highly. Prof. Van Deman gave an instructive talk on cultivation, conditions, climate, etc. He said killing weeds was not the only object of cultivating, but one main object was to save moisture. The drier we could get the top of the ground the more moisture we could keep below, on the same principle that we wrap ice in a dry blanket to keep from melting; or the smoother we make the top the less surface is exposed for evaporation.

He stated that we could not water trees through the leaves. He said fruit is composed largely of water and the more water we can get into it the better. As the fruitgrowers' business is not to raise seed, but to sell water, well colored and well flavored. This, in the form of good fruit would bring more than the best crop of wheat ever raised. It had been estimated 1 1/2 acre tree in full leaf and fruit would pump out of the soil four hundred gallons of water in a day.

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| Coffee Pots.....        | 23c | Pencil Tablets.....      | 1c  |
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| Large Tea Kettle.....   | 48c | Note Paper.....          | 19c |
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|                         |     | 200-page (well bound)    |     |
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|                         |     | Wool Sweaters.....       | 90c |
|                         |     | Best Outing Flannel....  | 95c |
|                         |     | Wool Socks.....          | 10c |
|                         |     | "Standard" Shirts.....   | 42c |
|                         |     | Men's Hemstitched H'k's  | 8c  |

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See our corner window for bargains.

**CITY COUNCIL.**

Regular Meeting Held on Wednesday Evening.

Mayor and all members of council were present.

A mass meeting called for Friday evening to discuss change of city charter. Street committee given until next meeting to open alley through J. H. Walker's property.

Petitions for additional lights were laid over until another meeting at request of street committee.

Matter of paying H. Weinhard \$800 for use of his sewer referred to finance committee.

Eugene Woodward asked for license to run bill board along Singer hill referred to committee on streets and public property.

Petition of Ivy straight, et al, for sidewalk referred to street commissioners. This is the walk that was washed out during the recent high water.

Saloon license of Kelly & Noblitt granted.

Mitchell & Hard were paid \$2500 on account.

Engineer J. H. Cunningham reports cost of road out of south end of town at \$18544.36.

Bids for city printing laid over till next meeting. This is the second time this was laid over because Porter did not bid. The council seems to want to force him to do the work whether he wants it or not.

Ed Shaw, while sick, was allowed \$30. Sewer ordinance passed.

Balance due C N Wilson on unexpired saloon license refunded; amount \$181.35.

Street commissioner to see if property owned by city could not be used for pound.

Recorder ordered to notify Portland City & Oregon Railway Company to discontinue the operation of freight cars on Main street in Oregon City immediately, and chief of police ordered to arrest anyone running other than passenger and an express car on the streets after Monday, Feb 11.

**BILLS ALLOWED.**

B C Curry, recorder.....	\$ 25 00
C E Burns, chief of police.....	60 00
Ed Reckner, police.....	60 00
C W Pope, fire chief.....	10 00
L Dickelmann, street cleaning.....	23 50
Pope & Co repair of hose.....	78
V Harris, soap.....	50
Tom Brown, special police.....	0 00
J W Gillett, rep hose and cart.....	3 40
P Husock, meals at jail.....	18 40
F Busch, tools.....	4 00
O C Enterprise, printing.....	125 75
P G E Co, lights.....	175 75
Wilson & Cooke, spikes.....	1 00
F Wourms, wood.....	1 75
Courier-Herald, printing.....	4 00
H B Nickels, rent hosehouse.....	5 00
F Busch, hauling.....	50
C F Nash, wood.....	3 00
C F Runyon, trans O C vs O C & RR.....	45 15
F Barlow, salt.....	70
John Green, street work.....	52 00
C B Straight.....	15 75
H B Nickels.....	21 00
John Loder, fee.....	10 00
John Gleason.....	15 75
J D Renner.....	2 50
C Bernier.....	2 00
A Boylan.....	1 75
Fred Weidner.....	1 75
A B Jefferson.....	3 50
E W Scott, filing saws.....	90
Filing fees, Ryan vs O C.....	3 00
Road Fund	
J H Cunningham, engineer.....	90 00
Clack county, rock crusher.....	70 00
Sewer Fund—Pope & Co.....	87 25

**Injunction Against Electric Line.**

C. W. Ganong and others, on Monday filed in the circuit court, a complaint against the Oregon City & Southern Railway Company, asking that an injunction be issued by the court to direct the defendants, restraining them from placing any ties, plank or timbers, and the laying of any railroad tracks, from the southerly end of Main street along the east bank of the Willamette river to Canemah. They ask for a decree setting aside the order of the board of county commissioners, which was made a short time ago, declaring the franchise null and void. The plaintiffs ask for costs and disbursements. The plaintiffs set forth that with the track the county road is impassable. The injunction was issued. Gordon E. Hayes and Hedges & Griffith are attorneys for C. W. Ganong, et al, and C. D. Latourrette and Cotton, T. & Minor for defendants.

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**SOUTH END ROAD.**

Engineer's Estimate of Cost of Proposed Road up the Bluff From Third Street.

I herewith submit plans and estimate for building a twenty foot roadway, extending from lower Third street up the bluff. The nature of the ground is such that it is practically impossible to tell what percentage of the excavation will be solid rock, loose rock and earth. I have assumed in my estimate, one third of each, and from my observation, I think this is approximately correct. However, if more solid rock is encountered it will lessen the cost of retaining walls and materially reduce the amount of excavation, for the reason that steeper slopes may be adopted. Borings made in this vicinity would probably be of little benefit, as the indications are that there are many large boulders between which we might bore.

This estimate is based on present prices and of course will vary as the price of labor and materials vary. I would suggest as the cheapest method of building this road that the city do all the work, and employ a competent engineer and inspector to lay out the work and superintend the construction.

Estimate of cost of proposed extension of Third street up the bluff at Oregon City:

Excavating 5362 yds of earth at 20c.....	\$1072 40
Excavating 5362 yds of loose rock at 60c.....	\$3217 20
Excavating 5362 yds of solid rock at \$1.50.....	\$8043 00
Building 2045 cubic yds of dry rubble retaining wall at \$2.....	\$4090 00
Furnishing and laying 724 cubic yards of gravel for road bed at \$1.50.....	\$1086 00
Furnishing and laying 489 sq. yds of cobble stone gutter at 50c.....	\$244 50
Building small culvert at station 11x30.....	10 00
Guard railing 700 feet long, 3443 ft B M dressed lumber at \$12.....	\$41 32
65 pounds nails at \$2.60 per 100 pounds.....	1 70
Building guard railing, labor.....	25 00
Total.....	\$17831 12
Engineering and inspection at 4 per cent.....	713 24
Total cost.....	\$18544 37

The above estimate is for a first class roadway, twenty feet wide with cobble stone gutters and guard railing, crossing under the railroad with 15 feet in the clear.

If a grade crossing should be adopted, it could be built for five or six thousand dollars.

J. H. CUNNINGHAM,  
Engineer.

\$500 to loan at 6 per cent on farm property. Address A. A. care Courier-Herald.

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

**PERSONAL MENTION.**

Mrs. Dempster is on the sick list.

Ernest Randa visited Salem Tuesday.

O. W. Eastham visited Salem Wednesday.

The family of H. E. Harris is down with the grip.

Harl Engle, of Molalla, was in Oregon City Thursday.

J. L. Large, of Portland, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. Drier, of Macksburg, was in Oregon City Tuesday.

W. W. Thayer and wife left Thursday for a trip to Albany.

L. L. Hein, of Woodburn, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Barney Fredericks, of New Era, was in Oregon City Friday.

Elmer Veteto, of New Era, was in Oregon City Thursday.

Mrs. J. B. Hoss is spending the week with friends in Portland.

Mrs. Harry Fox was up from Portland Sunday visiting friends.

Miss Marie Willey is recovering from an attack of the grippe.

Mr. P. Foley, of Portland, visited John Gleason Saturday.

Harmon Green and wife left Thursday for their future home at Scio.

C. A. Brown was in Oregon City this week on his way home to Brooks.

Miss Ella Hoberg, of Portland, was visiting Miss Wishart Tuesday.

Miss Laura Wright, of Meadowbrook, was in Oregon City Thursday.

Mrs. V. Harris has been confined to the house this week with the grip.

Miss Tillie Henriel, of Portland, visited relatives in this city last week.

Miss Alice Glasspool, of Portland, was visiting friends in this city Sunday.

A. Robertson visited Salem on Tuesday and took in the legislature proceedings.

Mrs. Lewis, who has been sick for the past few weeks, is slowly recovering her health.

Mrs. E. A. Wright, of Meadowbrook, left Thursday for Eugene, to visit her parents.

Dr. Kessler, of Portland, well known in this county, has just recovered from a severe illness.

Street Commissioner John Geen has been confined to the house this week with lung fever.

Ed Olds' little child died Wednesday with whooping cough.

J. S. Risley, of Oswego, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Mrs. W. A. White has just recovered from a severe illness.

Marion Phillips, of Clackamas, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Otis Townsend, of Needy, was an Oregon City visitor Wednesday.

Joseph Kuerten is superintending the soap factory for a few weeks.

Miss Gertrude Finley, of St. Helens, was in Oregon City Saturday.

C. W. Noblitt, of Needy, was visiting friends in Oregon City this week.

James McIntyre left for Northport, Wash., Thursday, where he will hereafter reside.

Miss Ella Hoberg, of Portland, spent a few days this week the guest of Miss May Wishart.

Mrs. Reddick and Miss Reddick have been confined to the house the past week with the grippe.

Henry Trembath and M. A. Magone went to Salem Tuesday to look after needed fish legislation.

Tom Turner and John Aden, two prominent citizens of Stafford, were in Oregon City Wednesday.

C. E. Nash, of Burmeister & Anderson's jewelry store, expects to leave for his Nehalem ranch Monday.

W. H. Duvall, of Portland, and four other men started Thursday for the mines in the Molalla country.

Miss Minnie McGinnis, of Portland, spent several days this week with Mrs. Frank McGinnis and Mrs. F. C. Brown.

J. W. Hilleary, junior member of the merchandise firm of Hilleary & Son of Damascus, was in Oregon City Tuesday.

Mrs. George A. Harding and her daughter, Miss Harding, attended the legislative ball at Salem on Tuesday evening.

H. W. and T. D. Rowland, of Portland, were the guests of their sister, Mrs. K. H. Gabbert last Saturday and Sunday.

Matt Clements, of New Era, was in Oregon City Friday. He is converting 55 acres of timber into wood for the paper mills. He pays from 75 cents to \$1.10 for cutting.

Charles Monacott and Channey Kauffman, of Portland, were in the city Sunday. Mr. Monacott, who is assistant secretary of the Portland Y. M. C. A., was up in the interest of that institution.

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