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The Bank of Oregon City Oregon City, Oregon

PERSONALS

Rev. J. W. Exon, of Viola, was in the city Monday. Joseph Schlegel, of Canby, was in the city Monday. L. Mosher, of Logan, was a visitor in the city Tuesday. Charles Welch, of Highland, was in the city Tuesday. Frank Bruner, of Liberal, was in Oregon City Monday. Dr. C. Goucher, of Malino, was in Oregon City Tuesday. Postmaster J. H. Brown, of Logan, was in town Thursday. Fred Miller, of New Era precinct, was in Oregon City Tuesday. Charles F. Clark, of Clackamas, was in the city Wednesday. I. J. Bigelow, of Needy precinct, was in town during the week. George Brockart, of Needy, was a visitor in the city Tuesday. Miss Agnes Larsen, of Monitor, was a visitor in the city Monday. W. Blayne went to Chehalis, Wash., yesterday, for a short visit. W. H. White, of Marquam, was a visitor in the city Wednesday. Fish Warden Van Dusen, of Astoria, was in the city Wednesday. Frank Curry, of Molalla, was a guest at the Cliff House Tuesday. George A. Bauer, of Milk Creek precinct, was in town Tuesday. E. C. Chapman, the Clackamas grocer, was in the city Monday. George M. Arnold, of Killin precinct, was in Oregon City Monday. Siever Ramsby, of Liberal, was a visitor in Oregon City Saturday. E. Hilton, of Needy, made a trip to Portland the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Guyer, of Canby, were visitors in the city Tuesday. Samuel Wolfer, a well known resident of Needy, was in town Friday. J. N. Wood, a well known resident of Graeme, was in the city Thursday. E. D. Bogan, a well known horseman, of Needy, was in the city yesterday. Charles Spangler and C. E. Stuart, of Canby, were in Oregon City Monday. W. S. U'Ren visited Salem for a couple of days during the past week. J. V. Harless and Clyde Engle, of Molalla, were visitors in the city Tuesday. Robert Rutherford and Henry Klein-smith, of Highland, were in town Friday. William Barlow and C. Schmidt, of Barlow, were visitors in the city Tuesday. William Rosenan, of Clackamas precinct, was a visitor in the city yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Shank, of Canby, were visiting relatives in the city Wednesday.

S. A. D. Hungate, the well known Molalla surveyor, was in Oregon City Wednesday. Street Commissioner John Green is very ill at his home with an attack of rheumatism. Jacob Milley, of Union precinct, a prominent hop grower, was in Oregon City Monday. J. S. Risley, the well known pioneer farmer, of Milwaukie precinct, was in the city Friday. Miss Jeanette Perkins, of Portland, was visiting Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, during the week. O. W. Risley, a well known farmer, who gets his mail at Oswego, was in Oregon City Wednesday. B. F. Linn is recovering from his recent severe illness, and expects to be able to move out home in a day or two. Mr. and Mrs. John Lunenberger, of the Clackamas government fish hatchery, were visitors in the city Wednesday. Mrs. D. A. McKee, of Woodburn, who was attending the bedside of her brother, B. F. Linn, returned home Saturday. Mrs. S. E. Bunch, of The Dalles, was called here last week to the bedside of her father, M. Mulvey, who is very low with cancer. Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCutchan, daughter and son-in-law, of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. O'Neill, have returned to their home in Stockton, Calif. Miss Lou Mortimer will return to her old home in San Francisco, the latter part of this week. She was up from Portland Sunday, visiting Miss Annetta Gleason. George Sheer, of Macksburg, was in town Monday paying his taxes. He is but slowly recovering from the effects of injuries received in an accident at Canby last fall. Miss Bertha Goldsmith returned Monday night from a two months visit to her sister, Mrs. Lena Wicks in San Francisco, and had a very enjoyable time. Her sister, Miss Celia, who went to San Francisco a couple of weeks ago, is expected home next week. Miss Clara Miller had charge of the store during their absence. J. W. MacKay, a well known resident of the West Side, who has been a millwright for the Willamette paper mills for the past 13 years, has resigned his position, and will go into business on his own account in Portland. He has become a member of the firm of Shipley & Co., the East Side Joinery. They are general contractors and make a specialty of store and office fixtures. Mr. MacKay, however, will continue to reside in Oregon City, where he is prominent in church, fraternal and school advancement. Jack Palmer and Mr. Shaffer, of Salem, were in the city Wednesday visiting friends. They were on their way home from Portland, where they purchased a new job printing plant.

Mrs. Reed's Recital. Mrs. Walter Reed, Portland's noted contralto, been engaged by the Dertich Club to give a song recital in this city Friday evening, March 14th, in Woodmen hall. Mrs. Reed enjoys the reputation of possessing the most beautiful contralto voice on the Pacific coast, and this recital promises to be especially pleasing. The proceeds will be divided with the Y. M. C. A. Tickets are for sale by members of the Association and Dertich Club, 50 cents; no reserved seats. WEDDINGS. Licenses to marry were issued to Julia Gertrude Metzler and Samuel H. Hooley on the 24th, Sarah Yoder and John Roggie and Vera Ewing and Lewis Boylan on the 25th. Letter Lis. The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Oregon City, Ore., on February 27th, 1902: Women's List—Edith Douglas, Clara B. Davis, Meadie Hubbard, Nancy McDamer, Miss J. C. Reichle, Mrs. Mamie Smith. Mens' List—Arthur Williams, John Bearid, Albert Brannan, J. O. Brielyn, William S. Hosack, William Gale, J. M. Hamilton, Alfred Jansen, Tom Johnson, Pat Kelly, P. A. Lindstrom, Charles R. McCauley, F. H. Moore, J. Morris, David Minnow, O. Ralston, Manley Rush-ton, Mr. Scroggins. GEORGE F. HORTON, P. M.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Two fresh cows for sale by Lindsley & Son, Canby. Eggs are down to 20 cents per dozen in the local market. Born in Oregon City to Frank Nehren and wife, Friday, February 21st, a daughter. It is reported that Arthur Albright, aged 22, died of consumption at Spring-water Tuesday. The interesting sketch of the five golden wedding couple is concluded on the eighth page this week. J. C. Drescher, of Logan, will hold a public sale on March 12th. Good corner store for rent on Seventh Street. Good location. Apply to G. Keddaway. Wanted—Good German girl for house work. Inquire of Mrs. John Schram, corner Sixth and Water street, Oregon City. Wanted—Girl for general house work. Apply at Miss Goldsmith's millinery store. For rent—A five-room house east of Freytag's store for \$7. Inquire at Courier-Herald. The Great Barlow Minstrels, all white performers, with their fine band of music and new costumes. Will be at Shively's Opera House, Friday, March 14th. Wanted—To increase my list of farms and lands for sale, in all parts of the county. Lands owned by non-residents represented and sold. H. E. Cross, Attorney at Law. Leander Forbes, a Grand Army veteran and new arrival here, who died the first of the week, was buried Tuesday, under the auspices of the Union Veterans Union. The Sunday Mercury says that Graham Glass, jr., will be the republican nominee for state printer, in the event that the Mitchell crowd wins in the state convention. Mrs. Martha Barger, mother of Mrs. Levi Robbins, died at Molalla Wednesday, aged 87. She was an early Oregon pioneer, and her home was at Harrisburg, Linn county. The body will be embalmed and taken to that place for interment. A son, F. G. Barger, lives at Colfax, Wash. Mrs. S. A. Clark, mother of Charles F. Clark, died at his home in Clackamas precinct Tuesday, aged 85. She had been a resident of that vicinity since 1874. Two other children survive the deceased, I. L. Clark, of Harmony, and Mrs. Gilbert Houser, of Los Angeles. Bob Gardner was held to the circuit court in Justice McNulty's court Monday, on a charge of "touching" "Captain" Jack Miller, of Damascus. There is not believed to be much in the case. Abe Ratcliff, of Canby, also is in the county jail, on a charge of assaulting Otto Evans at that place. Councilman Sheahan's move to erect a band stand in the Seventh street public park, should be pushed to a reality. Oregon City needs more civic pride in the matter beautifying the surroundings. An effort, also should be made to secure that proposed government building. A city that was the seat of the Provisional government, and the first Territorial government in Oregon, is certainly entitled to recognition. Deputy Sheriff J. E. Jack received a letter the first of the week from E. M. Parker, of Newell, Iowa, asking for information about this section of Oregon, and stated that himself and several neighbors were desirous of moving west. The letter was handed to President Cross of the board of trade for reply. Clackamas county should make a little effort to get some of the immigration coming to Oregon this season. Professor C. W. Durette, principal of the high school at Olympia, Wash., died Wednesday of pneumonia, aged 43. He was formerly a prominent educator in Clackamas and Multnomah counties. He came here a few years ago from Iowa, under engagement to fill the position as principal of the West Oregon City school. Later, he went to Multnomah county, and was principal of the Woodstock and Mount Tabor schools. G. W. Grage has purchased the grocery stock of Hornshuh Bros., and removed the stock to his store at the corner of Seventh and Center streets. The reason that Hornshuh Bros. closed their business is the fact that William Hornshuh has been in poor health for some time past. Fred Hornshuh has accepted a position in Grage's store, where he can be seen on any business connected with the late firm of Hornshuh Bros. A meeting was held in Twilight hall at Mount Pleasant Monday evening by the farmers of that vicinity to discuss the proposed Lawton bill road, and for the purpose of definitely shaping the course to take in reference to opening this thoroughfare. George Lazelle was elected chairman, and Ward B. Lawton secretary. Lawton and others presented petitions for both labor and money. A committee was appointed to go before the county court to ask for assistance in opening the road. One of the stage stories that will ever remain strong and true to the audience is "Uncle Tom's Cabin," a sumptuous production of which under the able management of Leon Washburn will be given at the Shively opera house, on March 6th, when everyone who has the opportunity of witnessing some will acclaim it as one of the best yet given by any company. Time, effort and expense have not been spared in its staging or selection of cast and the minutest detail has been carefully prepared. The Outlook in its March Magazine Number has no less than ten illustrated special features—certainly a good showing as to quantity in a magazine which is also a weekly newspaper and devotes even in its "magazine numbers" large space to current topics, editorials, and book reviews. Among the illustrated articles of this month are: Two College Presidents (Mark and Henry Hopkins); Edward Everett Hale's "Memories of a Hundred Years"; E. A. Steiner's "Crackpot and Polish Patriotism"; Pontney Bigelow's "Henry the Sailor Prince"; W. A. Brown's "Some Rare Musical Instruments"; and Clifton Johnson's "When the White Mountains are White."

SOCIAL EVENTS

Several Interesting Functions During the Week. WASHINGTON BIRTHDAY BALLS. Despite the fact that it was fairly in the midst of the Lent season, the two dancing parties Saturday evening were well attended, the "smart set" being out in considerable quantity. The firemen's ball at the armory was a gratifying success in every particular, and the floor space was filled with a merry throng of dancers to excellent music. Fully 40 masked couples were present at the Seventh street hall ball, and there were probably a dozen couples, who didn't wear masks. The last mask ball of the season at the Seventh was a very successful affair. TWILIGHT CLUB PARTY. The Twilight Club, of Mount Pleasant, gave a delightful card party and served a dainty lunch last Friday evening. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Lazelle, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. David B. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Herrington, the Misses Lorena Lazelle, Ethel McCord, Fannie France, Blanche McCord, B. France, Emma Wilhelm; Messrs. A. W. France, Laurence Mautz, Fred Meindl, Thomas Keiland. MRS. J. E. JACK ENTERTAINS. Mrs. J. E. Jack entertained the members of the local Epworth League at her home on Bluff street last Friday evening in honor of Miss Ethel Gardner, of Stayton, president of the District Epworth League. A delightful social evening was passed and refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Carrie Seeley, Harriet Case, Lena Miller, Gertrude Miller, Millie Kruse, Ethel Gardner, of Stayton; Arminia Hickman; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Kinder, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Maple, Mrs. J. R. Hickman, Mrs. Seeley, Mrs. George Osborn, Rev. W. S. Grim, Mr. Mack. CELEBRATES 88TH BIRTHDAY. J. C. Taylor, who has been seriously ill for the past five weeks, celebrated his 88th birthday at his home at the head of Seventh street, Monday. All of Mr. Taylor's children and grandchildren were invited to be present on that evening. He sat up to receive his presents, some of them coming from Southern California. He is still seriously ill. EASTERN STAR ENTERTAINS. Pioneer Chapter, Eastern Star entertained Grand Matron Mrs. Clara Marston at their lodge room last Tuesday evening. At the same time, they also entertained about 25 Eastern Star visitors from Portland. A pleasant evening was passed in a social, fraternal way, and a banquet was served. MRS. MILLER ENTERTAINS DERTICH CLUB. Mrs. C. G. Miller entertained the Dertich Club at her home on Main street Monday night, it being the regular meeting evening of that musical organization. MRS. DAN O'NEILL ENTERTAINS. The Sab-a-Job Club of Mount Pleasant was entertained by Mrs. Dan O'Neill and Miss Holmes at Rose Farm Tuesday afternoon. The club has been studying Shakespeare during the winter, and has accomplished some good work under the efficient leadership of Miss Holmes. After concluding the reading of "Julius Caesar" and discussing at some length its merits, the ladies were invited to the historic old dining room for refreshments, and as they gathered around the mahogany dining table upon which had been served daily refreshments for over half a century, a spirit of reminiscence seemed to fall upon the company, and it was soon discovered that the fine table linen came across the plains in 1843. That coffee was being served from a Platina coffee tank that had seen 50 years of service. The teacups and saucers were genuine heirlooms. The handsome China bread plate was a wedding gift to the mother of the hostess and came with her from her far Southern home, and while sipping the steaming coffee many stories of the fading past, were told brought to mind by these treasures of long ago. The club adjourned to meet next Tuesday with Miss Williams. Three good farms to rent—one on the Willamette and two on Clackamas river. Also four good houses. Inquire of O. A. Choney, Opposite Huntley's, Oregon City, Oregon. AN OLD TESTAMENT. Mrs. J. M. Mark Probably Has The Oldest Bible Book in America. Mrs. J. M. Mark, of the West Side, has a New Testament, compiled by Martin Luther, in 1535. The testament contains all the books of the New Testament, and is in an excellent state of preservation. The binding is of leather and every page of the reading matter is intact. It is printed in German, the printer's name being George Rorer. He prints a copyright warning to the effect that the book is printed by authority of Martin Luther, and none are genuine unless printed by him. In part the warning translated, reads as follows: "I bid all my friends and enemies, who is my master printer, that this testament is his; but if they want one they can make one, but it will not be like his. If anyone else make one, it will no be like Luther's." The word "master printer," evidently refers to Martin Luther, who was living at that time. The testament contains several cuts, illustrative of Bible events. The testament has been in Mrs. Mark's family for many generations, and its early history has been lost. Mrs. Mark's maiden name was Ueber, the family originally emigrating from Germany many years ago. She has a printed family tree, giving a history of the family in this country since 1735. This ancestor came from Germany, and is mentioned in the official records, as a taxpayer and also held official position. The family history is very interesting. Mrs. Mark also has two paintings—one a scene on the Rhine, and the other some Swiss scenery, old German relics, the age and value unknown. The backs of the parchments on which the pictures are painted, is yellow with age, but the coloring and fine lines of the art work are still perfect. Mrs. Mark was recently offered \$100 for the testament, but did not accept.

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JOHN WILLIS BAER, Boston, General Secretary of the World's Christian Endeavor Union. Mr. Baer will speak in the First Presbyterian church, Thursday evening, March 6th. Rev. H. S. Templeton, president of the Oregon Christian Endeavor Union, also will be present and make a short address. It is expected that all the Christian Endeavorers in the city will be present at the rally. The meeting will be open to the public.

At Portland Theatres. MARQUAM. Melbourne MacDowell and Florence Stone in Victorian Sardou's play, "La Tosca," will be the bill on Friday and Saturday nights at the Marquam Grand theatre. Mr. MacDowell scarcely needs an introduction, his many seasons as co-star with the late Fanny Davenport and his brilliant and masterful conception of the many roles that he has essayed making his name a household word to the lovers of the better class of stage stories. Sharing the honors with Mr. MacDowell is Miss Florence Stone, who comes with the indorsement of the press of the entire country as a worthy successor to the great actresses who preceded her in the Sardou drama. Charles Dalton, the powerful young heroic actor, presenting Wilson Barrett's world-renowned drama, "The Sign of the Cross," will be seen for the first time in Portland at the Marquam Grand theatre next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights. The play, it is said, abounds in thrilling scenes and incidents, spirited dialogue, and unexpected climaxes, and is staged in a most complete and beautiful manner. The story of the play is, we are told, a very strong one, telling of the struggles and martyrdom of the early Christians under Nero. Mr. Dalton is said to be an actor of great versatility and power, and although he is known in this country almost entirely on account of his work in this great historical drama, in England he created the leading roles in many of the greatest Drury Lane and Adelphi successes. The company supporting the star is pronounced a very strong one. CORDRAY'S. If there was nothing else in "The Eleventh Hour" excepting the exciting finish in the last act, it would be an irresistible bit of entertainment for the people delighting in strong melodrama. This wind-up set the house in an uproar of applause. There is no change in the play from that of last year. The same villainy is rampant, the same good folks are victimized and oppressed, and the same German comedian supplies side-lights with the sourette. As with all of the plays of Lincoln J. Carter, "The Eleventh Hour" is full of strenuous times and excitement is always at the boiling point. Of course, there is a railroad scene, it wouldn't be a typical Carter creation without some reference to the cho-choo cars. The mechanical drama is where Carter shines, and in the present play he has maintained the reputation he long ago established as a provider of sensations. Not an act ends without a score of thrills being given given the audience, but the piece de resistance is held to the last.

F. A. MEINING DEAD. Large Funeral—Eulogy By Hon. Gordon E. Hayes. Frederick August Meinung, of Sandy, in this county, died of heart failure at his home on the 22nd, instant. Mr. Meinung was born in Limburg, Saxony, Germany, November 15th, 1845. He was a miller by trade. In 1868, he was married to Miss Wilhelmine Fisher, who still survives him. In 1871 Mr. Meinung emigrated to Missouri, where he engaged in the milling business for four years. He then removed to Oregon and located at Sandy, where he resided up to the time of his death. There he engaged in the mercantile business, and soon built up a large and lucrative trade, and at the time of his death conducted one of the best country stores in the county. He was public spirited—ever ready to assist the poor and needy and contribute to public improvements. He was one of the prime movers in the making of the plank road from Sandy to Pleasant Home, and greatly aided the building of the same by large contributions and much volunteer work. Although he accumulated much property and left a large estate, he was at all times a strong advocate of good roads and believed in progress. He built a grist mill at Sandy, and cleared a large and beautiful farm, which adjoins the town. Mr. Meinung will be greatly missed by the people of his vicinity. The funeral was large attended, and much sympathy extended to the sorrowing family. Three sons and a daughter are left to mourn his loss, beside the widow, Justice of the Peace T. G. Jonsrud, of Sandy, made some appropriate remarks at the house, and Hon. Gordon E. Hayes, delivered an eulogy at the grave. It is estimated that fully 500 people were in attendance at the funeral. He Paid His Debt. A prominent Molalla farmer has a peculiar manner of collecting bills. A sport from the city scrambled over his fence gun in hand. He recognized him at a glance. Waiting until he had killed something he approached and accosted him. The surreptitious hunter began to talk about the game laws and was willing to settle liberally with him then and there for any violation of them. But the farmer waived that matter, and demanded pay for the supplies he had obtained from him, amounting to a considerable sum, at the time he was executing a county contract near by. The sportsman demurely forked over the twentees.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. On Saturday, Warner Grange changed its usual afternoon programme by introducing the sewing of carpet-rags. It is the intention of the grange to carpet its hall, at least in part, and with the object of securing material for this it organized a rag-carpet soial, and a very pleasant social it was. There was not the least conventionality about it. The men, were as a rule, neither handy nor graceful in the use of the needle; like lazy, playful boys, they would fling balls of sewed strips at one another, in a statusque manner, of course. And it is a matter of course, too, that the ladies were not playful. The March meeting's special feature will be an egg dinner.

Resolutions. Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from our midst our dear brother and patron, James Simpson, on February 14, 1902. Resolved, That Eagle Creek Grange No. 297 extend its sympathy to the bereaved family. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, and a copy to the county papers, and Resolved, That the Grange charter be draped in mourning for the period of 30 days. CHARLES ZERK, Master. M. C. GLOVER, Secretary.

Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to take from our midst on January 26th, 1902, our friend, Miss Grace Douglas, daughter of Sister Viola Douglas. Resolved, That Eagle Creek Grange No. 297 extend its sympathy to the bereaved family. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, and a copy to the county papers, and Resolved, That the Grange charter be draped in mourning for the period of 30 days. CHARLES ZERK, Master. M. C. GLOVER, Secretary.

School Report. Following is a report of school in District No. 8, for month ending Feb. 17th: No. days' attendance, 720 1/2. No. days' absence, 43 1/2. No. times' tardy, 27. Pupils who were neither absent nor tardy for month are Harry, Helen, Hazel Sprague, Linna Wolfer, Edwin Wolfer, Elma Babler, Bessie King, Eva Newkirk, Bird Newkirk, Hull Paxton, Henry Wolfer, John Wolfer, John King, Erma Babler, Howard Gill. ROBERT W. BAKER, Teacher.

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