

Circuit Court Matters.

On the 13th, complaint was filed by H. E. Noble against O. A. and Mrs. Peterson; L. T. Barin, plaintiff's attorney.

P. J. Ridings & Son, of Marquam, filed a complaint on the 13th against John and Sarah Churchill; E. P. Morcam, plaintiff's attorney.

In State of Oregon against Lester Lewis, an information, decree, commitment, and judgment roll were filed; Harrison Allen, attorney for plaintiff.

Complaint and order were filed on the 14th in the action of Annie Smith against James S. Smith; Uren & Schubel, plaintiff's attorney.

Complaint, affidavit of publication, order, and summons were filed on the 19th in Annie Clifton vs. Samuel Clifton; also in C. Dunn vs. J. V. Dunn; G. C. & H. M. Brownell, attorneys for plaintiff.

A divorce was granted on the 13th to Mary F. Nicklein from Stephen K. Nicklein.

Edna E. Walborn was granted a divorce from Charles E. Walborn.

John Hughes sued Sheriff John R. Shaver for the repossession of about \$1,700 worth of oats, wheat, and other farm property. The jury returned verdict against the sheriff and he was fined \$20. The court costs were \$64.

For burglary, Lester Lewis was confined in the penitentiary for two years.

Sale confirmed of real property for the sum of \$2,366.25, to George Eklund, as termination of his action against Matt Clemens and wife.

J. C. Moreland vs. G. O. Rinearson and wife; dismissed.

In the action of J. W. Doors against Rebecca Long, Robert Murdoch, Lena Hughes and P. J. Ridings, it is ordered that Martin Robbins, M. Seabo, and Sam Taylor, with John Weldrum's help, portion off one-fourth of the 156.65 acres of land under consideration, and allot the same to plaintiff, he to retain a life interest in the whole tract.

Hattie von Puttkamer vs. George von Puttkamer; decree of divorce.

Divorce granted to Fred W. Burnett from Emma Burnett.

Elen M. Rockwood vs. Henry M. Jackson; plaintiff to have until January sitting of court to move for a new trial.

In another suit of Elen M. Rockwood vs. Henry M. Jackson, the verdict was returned: "We, the jury, find in favor of the above-named defendants, Clarence B. and Mary M. Jackson."

G. W. Church, Foreman.

In Minnie Cassidy vs. P. A. Lindstrom, ordered that defendant have 60 days to file bill of exceptions.

Williamette Miller granted a divorce from John W. Miller.

Ordered that W. H. Hall pay Laura C. Hall \$125 within 15 days from the 17th inst., as temporary alimony.

J. W. Kilgore granted a divorce from Mercy Kilgore.

Arthur Woodbury granted a divorce from Nora Woodbury.

The action of Robert Kelland against John Parsons et al., was instituted in order to obtain a full title from the county for realty bought under execution by Kelland, situate in block 28 Oregon City. The court so ordered.

Myra Wasienwitz vs. Frank C. Wasienwitz; defendant in default.

John Workman vs. Hattie E. Workman; decree of divorce.

Charles Wilkins vs. Sarah Wilkins; decree of divorce.

Mary Waack vs. O. R. Waack; decree of divorce.

Agnes J. Crookshank vs. Frank Brakebush and wife; ordered that the sheriff eject defendants from the Crookshank farm, near Sunnyside, if not gone by Nov. 22.

Bills—C. E. Runyon, \$20; T. W. Fouts, \$6; Howard M. Brownell, as attorney in state case, \$15.

MEMBERS DISCHARGED.

Company A Can Now Take in More New Members.

First Lieutenant Fred Humphreys has received discharge papers for the following members of Company A, Third Regiment, O. N. G.: H. H. Belt, private, cause, removal from state; W. Hammond, private, same cause; H. C. Keller, private, same cause; W. McLean, private, same cause; F. Shannon, private, enlisted in the United States Army; C. Heater, private, enlisted in the United States Navy; E. N. Rader, private, removal from state; Henry Watson, private, same cause; J. W. Bufford, private, expiration of term of service; W. D. Holt, corporal, same; E. L. McFarland, sergeant, removal from state; N. Needham, sergeant, left military district; E. L. Soolack, private, dropped from list of members.

Bean Social and Banquet.

Wacheno Tribe, No. 13, Order of Red Men, gave a bean social and banquet Saturday evening, in their hall, in honor of John Wisemantle, the eldest member of the order. Mr. Wisemantle also celebrated his 69th birthday. Speeches were made by the different members present and music was furnished by the Macaese quartet. Different games were played and at the close a banquet was served, which sent all the members home in good spirits.

INSTITUTE AT ORIENT.

Many Teachers Attend and a Good Program Was Given Next One at Oregon City.

The joint teachers' institute of Clackamas and Multnomah counties, Saturday, at Orient, commonly known as the Pleasant Home school, five miles southeast of Gresham, was a grand success and was largely attended by teachers and school officers of Orient.

The program opened at 10:30 o'clock with an address, "Ends in Teaching," by Principal N. W. Bowland, of the Montavilla school. He was followed by A. F. Hirschner, principal of the Gresham school, H. L. McCann, principal of the Park Place school, spoke on "A Trinity of Processes." At noon a lunch was served to the visitors by the district, and the institute opened in the afternoon with a talk on "The Teachers' Part" by Miss Rebecca T. Smith, principal of the Eastham school, Oregon City. V. A. Davis, principal of the Harmony school, spoke on "The Directors' Part," and O. M. Lake, clerk joint district No. 6, closed the program with a talk on "The Parents' Part." Superintendent J. C. Zinser acted as chairman of the meeting, and also made a few appropriate remarks. Teachers were given an opportunity to contribute toward the literary fund of the Orient school by paying 25 cents for lunch.

The next institute will be in Oregon City next Saturday, November 22.

Meeting of Chautauqua Stockholders.

On Tuesday afternoon, the stockholders of the Chautauqua organization held a meeting at the county court rooms.

George Steele and several other gentlemen favored the proposition of decreasing the number of shares of stock from 1000 to 2000, and increasing their face value proportionately to \$25 per share. But the scheme was not adopted. The idea that the present organization be wound up and a new one created was discussed, but nothing came of it. One conclusion was evidently come to, viz., that the directors sell the stock on hand, about 500 shares, at their face value of \$5 a share, in order to accumulate a reserve fund from which to defray any shortage, in any future year, in the income. As the indebtedness of the organization is \$200 and the value of its property on the Chautauqua grounds on which it has 50-year lease, is \$1500, there is no reason for its friends and patrons to feel discouraged. The argument advanced by one of the directors that the shares on hand be distributed as widely as possible in order that even in remote villages and towns of the state a proprietary interest be created in the Chautauqua meeting at Gladstone Park, would, it seems, be promotive of the organization's growth and prosperity.

The M. E. Church Building.

The structure to be placed under the M. E. church, consisting of one store room, will have a frontage on Main street of 64 1/2 feet and a depth of 63 feet. All the visible parts of the walls will be of pressed brick. Five large plate-glass windows will be placed in the Main street frontage, and two on Seventh street, near the corner. Several iron pillars will support the front. W. A. White is the architect and superintendent. Mr. Black will be the occupant.

Matrimonial.

A matrimonial license was issued on the 14th to Lena Mann and Albert Moehnke.

Married, on the 17th inst, by Rev. E. S. Bollinger, at the residence of George O. Mauze, Frances Neilmeyer and W. O. Capps.

Married, on the 20th, by Justice Stipp, at the residence of Mrs. C. L. Spencer, Edith M. Lovell and Robert E. Jones.

A license to wed has been issued to Elnovia Frances Austen and Harvey Mattoon.

WILLAMETTE GROCERY

MILES & MCGLASHAN, PROPS. OREGON CITY, OREGON

- 25 Cents 7 Bars 1776 Washing Powders
20 Cents Package Fairbank's Gold Dust
10 Cents Mop Sticks
25 Cent's 8 Bars Xlnt Laundry Soap
50 Cents Can Monapole Syrup \$1.20
Gallon Can Best Maple Syrup 50 Cents
Gallon New Orleans Molasses 15 Cents
Our Fine Blend Coffee
We handle a full line of Flour

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Hay brings \$8 per ton.

Mrs. Neal Oleson was taken to the hospital in Portland on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. B. Moore entertained a few of her lady friends at tea on Wednesday evening.

Rorn—In west Oregon City, Nov. 19, 1902, to wife of W. F. Schooley, a 12-pound son.

On Tuesday evening the upper Willamette stood 8.9 feet above lower water mark, and the lower 18.

A great variety of fruit in jars, jellies etc., at the market on Wednesday, in the Caulfield block, one door north of Huntleys.

Rev. Mr. Matthews, of Lincoln, will preach at the home of Mr. Bruce, on upper Seventh street, on Saturday afternoon and Sunday.

Wanted: 500 babies at Howell & Jones' Drug Store. See their ad.

Furnished rooms for rent; also unfurnished rooms. Apply to Charles Schram on Main street, near Masonic building.

The firm of Burmeister & Anderson will probably move into the new store in the Garde building the latter part of next week.

On the first Saturday in December Maple Lane Grange will give a chicken dinner, the proceeds to go toward the fund for the new hall.

The Saturday club will hold its Thanksgiving market in the Caulfield Block, one door north of Huntley's; on Wednesday, from 10 a. m. until night.

Dr. Beard, who recently arrived from the Black Hills, S. D., will in all probability locate here. He lived in this state six years ago, and Oregon is apparently good enough for him.

M. V. Petzold has again entered into the butcher business in this city by buying out Mr. Betke. On Monday he took possession of the meat market, on the corner of Main and Seventh.

Home-made mince pie, and all other delicacies for a Thanksgiving dinner, at the market of the Saturday club the day before Thanksgiving. One door north of Huntley's.

The theme at the Congregational church on Sunday morning will be "A Message of Comfort." In the evening the minister will use the "Legend of the Holy Grail" in illustrating a familiar text.

John Stamp, an Oregon City boy, has changed his address from Chenoweth, Washington, to Lewistown, Washington, where he is at present employed as head engineer for the Columbia Mill and Tie Co.

Use "Bromo Lax" for coughs and colds. Price, 25 cents a box. With each box you are entitled to one guess on gold watch (guaranteed); by Charman & Co., Cut Price Druggists.

Renewing three-fourths of the roadway over Abernethy creek with four-inch plank took 50,000 feet of lumber, costing \$7 per thousand. It is claimed that the renewal will stand five years of travel.

Mr. A. A. Englehart has received another shipment of gasoline lamps, both for home and store lighting. He has been very successful in his sales in this county, having put lights in a number of churches, stores, and homes throughout the county.

J. B. Fairclough and Miss May Levelling, both of this city, were married at The Dalles last Tuesday. They returned to Oregon City the next day, and will make it their future home. The Courier extends congratulations to the happy couple.

The Willamette river is booming. Since the rainy season began two weeks ago the river has risen eighteen feet and is now rushing over the falls and by the city like a mill race. There is plenty of water for every purpose and everybody is happy.

Prof. Parker, graduate of Fowler & Wells' school of phrenology, New York, has rooms at the Brunswick House, where he will be pleased to meet all students of human nature. It will pay you to have your brain sized up by him. Examination 50.

Free—Solid gold finger rings, at Howell & Jones' Drug Store. See their ad.

The usual Thanksgiving services will be held at the St Paul's Episcopal church at 11 o'clock. The offerings in money and kind will be for the Good Samaritan Hospital. An offertory selection will be sung by the young Ladies Quartette.

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 25, the M. E. Sunday school will give a literary and musical entertainment in the Woodmen Hall. Refreshments will be served after the program. An admission fee of 15 cents will be charged, and the proceeds are to be applied on the Christmas entertainment expenses.

Mr. Wm. O. Capps and Miss Frances Heilmeyer were united in the bonds of matrimony, November 14, at the Congregational parsonage. Rev. E. S. Bollinger officiating. Both bride and groom are well and favorable known in this community. They will reside at Clackamas station.

In report of treasurer for Clackamas County Humane Society published last

Will Close Out Without a Doubt.

This is only the second week of my sale and have closed out over \$5,000 worth of merchandise, consisting of a large stock of clothing, dry goods, boots and shoes, hats and caps, ladies and children's capes and jackets, top and undershirts, hosiery, trunks and valises, dress goods and trimmings, belts, belting and buckles. In fact everything to be made and ready made to wear from top to bottom for both sex, and an attractive line of children's goods.

I have a large stock left yet of the above mentioned goods which must be sold by New Years on account of my ill health, and if you don't hurry you will miss the best opportunity ever offered you. The stock is in good condition yet and you can find everything to fit you. Don't wait until the sizes and lots are broken. Come and get the cream of the goods at very low prices, at prices that you never bought before. Remember, this is a bona fide sale; no humbug; everything must go regardless of cost; I herewith quote you a few of our prices of goods that are selling fast and only a few left

- \$7.50 jackets tan and blue collars at..... \$4.90
10c and 12c torchon laces to go at..... 5c
15c hose for ladies and children..... 10c
\$3.50 mercerized undershirts..... \$2.15
\$3.50 fur collarettes and boas..... \$2.40
25c box fine toilet soap..... 13c
\$3.50 ladies French kid shoes, turned soles..... \$2.50
Men's wool jackets..... 90c
Men's heavy cardigan ulsters, \$8.00 down to... \$5.90
Men's and boys' suspenders, 25c to..... 15c
Men's fleeced lined heavy undershirts..... 38c
Men's heavy cotton flannel undershirts..... 30c
All wool vaucian, former price 75c per yard—now..... 55c

Wool and silk shawls and fascinators, ladies' and children's mackintoshes at nearly half price and lots of other articles too numerous to mention.

Fancy wool sweaters for men and boys are getting low. Come early and be convinced

THE UNION STORE M. MICHAEL, PROP. Main Street, between Fifth and Sixth Streets, Oregon City, Oregon.....

week credit was not given Miss Anita McCarver for contribution of \$8 towards the public drinking fountain. Miss McCarver was tireless in her efforts to secure the fountain, and full credit should be given her.

Services will be held at St Paul's Episcopal church next Sunday at the usual hour of 11 and 5 o'clock. At the morning service, the sermon will be on "Discipline" and the offertory solo will be sung by Dr. Francis Freeman. In the evening at 5 o'clock, the subject of the sermon will be "Exercise," and a solo will be sung by Mr. C. A. Miller.

Maple Lane Grange No. 296 will meet at Nash's hall, Seventh street, on Saturday, December 6th, at 10 o'clock a. m. A nice chicken dinner will be served, to which all grangers are invited, and a nominal sum of 10 cents will be made for the purpose of raising funds for building a hall. The Master of Maple Lane Grange is William Beard.

The mill now being built at the rear of the O. R. & W. dock for the Crown Paper Company will be 30 by 120 feet and two stories high. In it will be installed four turbine wheels, which will furnish motive power to four four-packet, 15-inch grinders—three of them running steadily, two wet machines and a dynamo. Between 30 and 35 men are being employed. The mill will not be finished until the end of February next.

The Thanksgiving Day service will be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday at 11 a. m. All churches of the city are invited to participate. The offering will be given to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Portland, together with some books, clothing or meathandise as may be sent to the church in the morning. Rev. Grimm of the M. E. church will preach the sermon and Miss Conyers will sing.

Howell & Jones, the Main street druggists, have removed from Main street, near Seventh, to their fine new quarters in the Garde block, and now have one of the loveliest drug stores in Oregon City. Their new room is a beauty, and they will be better able to take care of their ever-increasing trade in the future than they have been in the past.

Shank & Bissell have moved their undertaking establishment from their old quarters on Lower Seventh street, where they have held forth for years, to the Jaggard building, lately occupied by H. W. Jackson, Main street, between Seventh and Eighth. In their new quarters they will have abundant room to accommodate their patrons and will conduct their business in the future on a larger scale than in the past.

A projecting rim will be built along the front of the roof of the Eastham-Logus brick building to prevent the constant drip on the head and shoulders of any one who happens to stick his head out of doors. By-the-way, the hotel hard by is in such a constant state of overflow of lodgers that a second, or even a third, story added to the Eastham-Logan building would be filled up before the plaster was dry.

Burmeister & Anderson, the Oregon City jewelers, will move from their present quarters in the Masonic building to their quarters in the Garde block next week. They have always had the reputation of carrying the finest stock of jewelry, diamonds, watches and musical instruments in the state of Oregon, outside of Portland. In their new quarters their store will be "a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

La Croy—G. W. La Croy, of Viola, departed this life on Tuesday morning of this week, of heart failure. He was seventy years old at the time of his death. He was a pioneer in the Willamette valley. He leaves a wife, two sons, and a daughter—all grown and doing for themselves. The deceased was interred in the Redland cemetery on Wednesday afternoon by Shank & Bissell, the Oregon City undertakers.

P. C. & O. Ry. Co. Sunday round trip rate between Oregon City and Portland. Get your tickets at Harding's drug store.

If you desire a good complexion use Moki Tea, a pure herb drink. It acts on the liver and makes the skin smooth and clear. Cures sick headaches; 25c and 50c. Money refunded if it does not satisfy you. Write to W. H. Hooker & Co., Buffalo, N. Y., for free sample, or Howell & Jones, druggists.

We sell the greatest of blood purifiers, Acker's Blood Elixir, under a positive guarantee. It will cure all chronic and other blood poisons. If you have eruptions or sores on your body, or are pale, weak or run down, it is just what you need. We refund money if you are not satisfied; 50c and \$1. Howell & Jones, druggists.

A new Royal and a new Queen draw head sewing machines will be given away to customers of Parkplace Cash Store on Christmas.

Oregon City Second-Hand & Junk Store HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR SECOND-HAND GOODS, HIDES, JUNK METALS OF ALL KINDS, ETC. Large lot of Sacks for sale cheap.

Second-Hand Goods Bought and Sold RING PHONE 416 FOR JUNK. Sugarman & Co.

..THE PLANET.. Kelly & Raconich, Props. HIGH GRADE WHISKEYS A SPECIALTY GARDE BUILDING MAIN STREET

J. W. COLE, Fine Whiskies and Cigars

All goods bought in bond. Purity and quality guaranteed SOME FAMOUS OLD BRANDS James E. Pepper, Kentucky Bourbon Old Sam Harris Kentucky Bourbon Old Roxbury Rye

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