

PERSONALS

Mrs. Ralph Miller is visiting her mother of Mt Pleasant this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Tull of Barlow were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Ringo of Clarkes were visiting friends in Oregon City last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Taggart of Portland were visiting G. W. Grace and family last Sunday.

John W. Nendel of Portland, was an Oregon City Wednesday and called at the Courier office.

Mrs. S. J. Fancher, of Mt. Pleasant, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. G. B. Jackson, of Oregon City.

Miss Ruby Howard and Jessie Jackson spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Clarissa Fancher at Mount Pleasant.

John Shannon, one of the leading farmers of Beaver Creek, was a visitor in Oregon City on Wednesday and made the Courier a call.

J. H. Omer, of Marquam, on his return from a visit to Gresham, passed through Oregon City on Wednesday and called at the Courier office.

Dr. Mary A. Dwyer, of River Falls, Wis., is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dr. Beard. She is an eye and ear specialist and will shortly make a trip to Europe.

Mrs. J. O. Zinser, who has been visiting friends and relatives in the Buckeye state for the past several months, has returned to her home in Oregon City. Mrs. Zinser's three children accompanied her on the trip.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Married, at the Congregational manse on Sunday, March 1, by the Rev. E. S. Bollinger, Mr. Seldon Orchard and Miss Elsie Bang both of Portland.

The city council was in session Wednesday evening. The regular routine of business was transacted. Action was taken on street improvement and sewerage work.

Mrs. John Faulk, an estimable lady of this city, died at her home Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted Thursday after which the remains were laid to rest in the city cemetery.

All those interested in birds are invited to attend a meeting to complete the organization of a "Bird Society" at Eastham school, Friday, March 6th, at 4 p. m. Officers will be elected at this meeting.

The themes at the Congregational church next Sunday will be "Beauty for Ashes," in the morning and at night "Jim Fenton's Religion Recommended." Jim Fenton is one of the leading characters of J. G. Holland.

Miss Celia Goldsmith, who has been in San Francisco for the past several weeks, will arrive home today. The Misses Goldsmith will immediately begin to open up a large stock of the latest designs in spring millinery.

The rank Page was conferred on one candidate at the K. of P. lodge Wednesday evening while the Knight's degree was conferred on two more. A fine meeting was held and it was 12 o'clock before the meeting adjourned.

The Mystic Midgets that will appear next Friday and Saturday nights have appeared at Seattle, Tacoma and many other Sound cities and have received the most complimentary press notices, the P. I. of Seattle declaring, "It was a symphony in harmony."

Mrs. Sarah McMillen, of Parkplace, died at her home last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from cancer. She was 53 years of age. She leaves a husband and two daughters at Parkplace to mourn her demise. The funeral ceremonies were held at the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon, after which the remains were interred in the city cemetery.

Miss Emma H. Stoll, one of the popular teachers of the city schools of Cleveland, O. arrived in this city last Friday afternoon and is the guest of Mrs. Eva Emery Dye. Miss Stoll is a former classmate of Mrs. Dye, they having graduated at the same school at Ober-

lin, O. On Miss Stoll's departure from Cleveland she was tendered a surprise party and banquet by her fellow teachers, who were lavish in their congratulations upon her contemplated visit to the authoress of The Conquest. Miss Stoll will remain in Oregon about six months. She reports that there was several inches of snow on the ground when she left Cleveland.

Attention Socialists

By request of many comrades, in the absence of our county chairman, I hereby call a mass meeting of all Socialists of Clackamas county to meet in Oregon City, Saturday, March 14th, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at Judge Stipp's court room, to transact important business and prepare for a thorough organization of the county and the opening of the congressional campaign.

W. W. MYERS.

Shut Up.

The whiskey and gambling joint just across the street from the depot has been closed up as tight as a jug by the good looking constable of Oregon City. Mr. James Wilson who has been running the place has evidently run into the ground as he can not be found and a bunch of his creditors are walking the floor. Mr. Moody had only one claim when he took possession and nailed up the place and that was for \$27. It is a proverbial fact that no saloonist can succeed on that corner. It would seem that there is no one on the street who likes wet goods.

Tualatin Grange Asks for the Referendum.

Tualatin Grange, No. 111, by its resolution passed on Saturday indicated the desire for an opportunity to express approval or disapproval, by means of the referendum, of the half-million-dollar subsidy for Oregon's great fair. The members of the grange felt that as the money had to come out of the pockets of farmers—certainly the most of it—the farmers should have something to say about it as well as the legislature.

Treasurer's Notice.

I now have money to pay county warrants endorsed prior to June 1st, 1900, also road warrants endorsed prior to July 1st, 1903. Interest will cease on the warrants included in the call on the 7th day of March, 1903.

ENOS CAHILL, Treas.
Clackamas County,
Dated this 5th day of March, 1903.

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BROWNELL'S REPLY

SAYS THAT HE IS NOT AS BLACK AS HE IS PAINTED.

Letter From Chief Clerk of the Judiciary Committee in Exoner-ation.

Senator Brownell, against whom the guns of organized labor have been trained during the past two weeks, spoke at the armory last night to a large audience. The Senator says that he has done all that mortal man can do to put through the Legislature all the labor bills he is accused of stifling. The following letter from the Chief Clerk of the judiciary committee before which the bills No. 148-149 came up and from whose hands they were never taken, exculpates Senator Brownell in toto and is published in full at his request.

ASTORIA, Or., March 2, 1903.
Hon. Geo. C. Brownell,
Oregon City.

Dear Sir: I see by the Oregonian, that certain labor unions of Oregon City have passed resolutions condemning your actions in the Legislature relative to two bills introduced by you in the interests of labor making eight hours a day's work in certain specified employments, and in government work. As I was chief clerk of the judiciary committee in the Senate, a statement from me may be the means of throwing some light on a subject that is apparently misunderstood. I am a member of a local union in Astoria, being secretary of Astoria Local No. 142, and am as much interested in securing the passage of labor laws as any other member of any union in the state. I have been president of Astoria Council Federation of Labor for 18 months, and was its president until about six months ago. I desire to say, that so far as you are concerned, that no one worked any harder or more persistently to secure a report on, and the passage of the two bills than you. You were repeatedly before the judiciary committee urging them to report on the bills, at one time saying, "that you had promised the passage of the bills to your constituents, and not to report them would be to attach the blame to you. On one occasion you came to me as a clerk and asked me to draw up a favorable report on the bills and have the chairman sign it. I did so, and the bills were then discussed by four members of the committee. The committee decided that it was unnecessary to report the bills back, giving as their reason, that inasmuch as several bills in the interests of labor had been passed, principally the one introduced by Bailey, H. B. 146 "Preventing the blacklisting of laborers, and H. B. 148, "Protecting laborers who joined unions," as labor organizations had heretofore regulated the hours of labor, and with these two bills, it placed labor organizations in almost absolute control of the regulation of hours of labor, the two bills would only inculcate the statute books. Another objection raised to the bill "Providing eight hours in certain specified employments," the committee were of the opinion that the bill would come under the constitutional prohibitions of "class legislation," and might result in numerous law suits.

Another objection to the bill was, that there were a certain class of laborers, such as bartenders, cooks, waiters and other employments, that an eight hour labor law would operate against both employer and employe, as it would be a difficult matter to arrange the hours of labor in these employments, from the very nature of the business.

Another question was, can the legislature pass a law making eight hours a day's labor in certain specified employments, without including all employments, and if it did so, would it not be class legislation?

There was not a single member of any labor organization in the state that appeared before the committee and asked for the passage of these two bills. You were the only person that came before the committee and asked that the committee report favorably on the bills so as to give you an opportunity to advocate their passage on the floor of the senate. I was in favor of the passage of both bills, but not being a member of the legislature or of the committee, I had no more influence, nor as much as you did. In my opinion, the labor unions of Oregon City have acted hastily in this matter and without a thorough understanding of the facts in the case. I have no interest in this matter, but being a member of a labor organization, and also being in a position to know what you did to secure the passage of both bills, I write you, with the hopes that the labor organizations of Oregon City will rescind their actions and give you the credit you deserve. Labor organizations cannot make friends by condemning any man who has always worked for their interests, and they should not blame one man because he was unable to convince five that it was to the interests of organized labor to have the bills enacted into laws. With best wishes I remain,

Very Respectfully,
C. J. CURTIS.

The Mystic Midgets.

A gigantic production by home talent will be given in the opera house next Friday and Saturday nights, March 13th and 14th. Mr. R. E. Collins, who has charge of the entertainment under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church, is proving himself a master in his art at the rehearsals. He controls 100 boys and girls in a most surprising manner, as they perform their parts as fairies, gnomes, representatives from all nations, midgets, grasshoppers, frogs, beetles, etc. The choruses these 100 boys and girls will sing will be the finest ever heard by juvenile voices in Oregon City. The leading parts will be taken by some of Oregon City's most popular young people. Popular prices 25 cents and 50 cents. All 50 cent tickets can be exchanged for reserved seats at Huntley's. Tickets can be secured from the older children taking part in the entertainment, from members of the Aid Society, or at Huntley's.

BASE BALL

THE FIRST GAME OF THE SEASON NEXT SUNDAY.

Two Crack Amature Clubs to Cross Batt.
Barbers vs Clerks.

What promises to be a hot "tamale" in the base ball world will be pulled off at the ball park at Willamette on next Sunday. The barbers of Oregon City will play the clerks. There are a number of fine players on each side. There is also a good natured rivalry between them and they are all certain to do their best. An admission fee of only fifteen cents will be charged. The game will be called at two o'clock and last all the evening. "Red" Williams one of the best twirlers on the coast will put them over for the barbers. Williams is a wonder. He is ambidextrous, but pitches mostly with his south paw. He can use one hand just as good as he can another. In fact he has been known to "shave" two people at one time. To watch him pitch will be worth the price of admission alone. The Clerks have a good one under cover and expect him to be a world beater. Everybody should go out and encourage the boys and help boost the game along. It will need boosting. No professional allowed and no practicing permitted.

New York Gallery

Has moved on Main St., opposite Electric Hotel. Call and see Turney, the photographer, before you get your photos taken. Nice line of new mounts, frames, etc. Prices right.

Chas. W. Kelly, who has been seriously ill for the past several days with rheumatism is once more able to be about a little the worse for wear.

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Notice is hereby given that I have filed my final report as administrator of the estate of B. F. Baker, deceased with the County Court of Clackamas county and State of Oregon, and that said court has set Monday the 6th day of April A. D., 1903 at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. as the time for hearing objections thereto, if any there be.

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