

HOME AND VICINITY

BRIEF PARAGRAPHS

Of a Local and General Nature.

Mrs. Eaton and family left Sunday for Wilhoit.

FINE OAT HAY.—Inquire of M. W. Randall, Oregon City.

Miss Emma Hodges and Helen Warner went to Ilwaco Saturday.

Mr. A. B. Apperson, of McMinnville, is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mr. A. Louthwaite was down from Bridal Veil, and spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Howell, of East Portland, were visiting relatives in the city last Sunday.

Mrs. P. H. Hatch, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. L. Kelly, of this city.

Mrs. J. Thorne and Miss Clara Ronald are visiting Mrs. George Graham at Marshland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ackerman went to Wilhoit Wednesday, and will spend three weeks there.

The warm weather is driving a good many people to the Springs and other summer resorts.

Mrs. A. M. Epton has returned from a two months visit to her parents, at Clear Lake, Iowa.

Miss Bessie Sheppard, of Denver, who has been visiting Mrs. Thos. Miller, left for Wilhoit Springs last Sunday.

Mrs. A. M. Brayton, has returned and is preparing to fill orders for weaving rag carpet and rugs at the old prices.

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Mr. Williams, formerly of Beaver Creek, is erecting a new \$1500 residence on the block south of the old Broughton place.

Mr. Chas. Kelley's family left for Wilhoit Springs, yesterday, where they will camp and rusticate for the month of August.

Miss Mary Conyers and Miss Louise Cochrane, of this office leave for Clatskanie Monday, where they will spend several weeks.

Dr. C. B. Smith and wife, of Eagle Creek were in the city Saturday. He says the thermometer registered 108 a Silverton, Thursday, July 23d.

Rev. Geo. Wm. Giboney has returned from his trip east and will occupy his pulpit in the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, August 2.

Miss Winnie Graham, who recently closed a successful term of school at Wilhoit, has been engaged for another term this fall.

Mr. D. Davis, the rustling young editor of the Nohalem Journal at Vernonia, Columbia county, was a caller at the Enterprise office Wednesday.

Misses Elmira and Catherine Kelly, of this city, returned from Portland Monday where they have been spending a few days with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Clara Eastham returned from Ilwaco Monday, but will return there in a few days. Her mother, Mrs. Caulfield still remains at the seaside.

Don't fail to secure reserved seats for "Held by the Enemy," and the Keene company at Johnny Moore's. The admission will be 50 cents, with no extra charge for reserving.

Mr. Charles McCarver, who is working with Babcock's steam wood saw, had his ankle severely bruised last Saturday, which will lay him up for a couple of weeks. While pulling down a pile of wood corded up one of the sticks struck his ankle with the result above mentioned.

If you want a position or are in need of help go to Phillips & Gillingham, next door to post office. They will get you a job or a hand, and be reasonable in their charges. They also deal in real estate as will be seen by the advertisement in another column, and give you bargains in that line.

The mouth of Eighth street sewer which has been for so long a disgrace to the town, has been fixed by street Commissioner Hoberg so that the foul smell is done away with and a place provided for the water to flow without running all over the bank back of the O. C. T. Co's dock.

Judge Samuel Scott, one of Oregon's old pioneers, died at his home in East Portland, last Wednesday morning, aged 69 years. Mr. Scott was for a long time a resident of Yamhill county. He came to Oregon in the early fifties when the state was hardly more than a wilderness.

The death took place on Sunday last of John Whitlock, at his place on Butte creek, near Marquam. Mr. Whitlock was an old 98er of California, and came to Oregon in 1852, settling on Butte creek where he has resided ever since. He leaves a wife and ten children, who are all grown, besides a number of other relatives to mourn his death. He was a highly respected citizen, and had the good will of all his neighbors.

"Held By The Enemy," the play to be given by the Keene Company on Monday evening the opening night of its return here, is unquestionably the greatest war drama yet produced, it will be unusually interesting to our citizens, inasmuch as it is an American play, by an American author, on an American subject and appeals to the hearts of every patriotic citizen who loves his country. It is, says the New York Herald, a play which every American citizen should see. The company presenting the play are known to be thoroughly first class, and a performance such as we are seldom treated to in Oregon City may be confidently expected.

Of the live, progressive merchants of Clackamas county, none have displayed more energy than Mr. E. M. Hartman, of Marquam, in the building up of his business. Starting from a small beginning he has built up his store, an advertisement for which appears in another column, to one of the largest and best appointed in the county. His stock embraces everything demanded by the country trade. He is carrying none but first class goods, and selling at reasonable prices. He is able to control the trade of a very large section of the county.

OREGON WEATHER REPORT.

R. S. Pague's Crop-Weather Bulletin for the Week Ending Saturday, July 25.

Thursday, the 25th was the warmest day on record; the maximum temperature ranged from 96 to 105 degrees. The 22nd and 24th were warm while today is much cooler. On evening of 23rd thunder storms were observed in various localities, though little rain fell.

The hot weather was favorable to the ripening of grain but slightly injurious to gardens.

Wheat harvest is generally in operation and reports indicate larger and more plump grains and better heads than were even anticipated. Oats are doing well and ripen rapidly. The codlin moth is becoming dangerous and doing damage; the apple crop will be poor. The hop louse is fairly well under control. Green corn and peaches are ripe and plentiful; the peach crops the largest on record. Prunes are generally not over an average crop, though in Douglas county the trees are heavily loaded with fruit. Hay harvest, in sections, continue, and all reports indicate heavy yields.

In Eastern Oregon the weather has been the warmest of the season, the 24th being especially warm. The weather has been cloudless and no rain is reported to have fallen.

The warm weather has brought spring wheat rapidly forward; fall wheat is being cut, headers are at work in the Columbia river valley; in Union county and south of the Blue mountains the spring was more backward and harvest will begin about the 10th of August. All reports indicate wheat to be better than was expected; by all odds the grain crop will be the largest ever produced.

Reports from the wheat districts of the world, other than the United States, indicate a general deficiency, this means a demand for American wheat and good prices. Already there are signs of increased prices and it bids fair to be as high or higher than previous prices.

Oregon is to be congratulated on its immense yield and prospective good prices, resulting in prosperous times for the agriculturalist.

Proposed Road Improvements. County Judge Meldrum made an examination Monday of the Oregon City and Molalla road with a view of having a new survey made so as to avoid all the heavy grades on the present route. The Judge was more than pleased with the result of his examination, as he found that by relocating about half of the road, a route could be had from Wright's bridge on the Molalla to Oregon City that would be free from heavy grades, that could be constructed at reasonable cost, and over which an ordinary team could haul a ton with ease. Judge Meldrum is an engineer, and is going to put his knowledge to a practical use in his endeavors to give Clackamas county a good system of roads. It is the plan of the county court to have, where needed, a review of all the main thoroughfares in the county so as to obviate all heavy grades and get them on a permanent location so that there will be need of no further changes hereafter. In granting petitions for new roads none will be considered hereafter that do not give a route free from heavy grades, and that with proper work the road would be passable at all seasons of the year for the heaviest loads.

Sad Accident. Little Inez Brazee was drowned last Tuesday afternoon from the steamer Topsey, which was anchored at the foot of Jefferson street. She was in a baby carriage on the steamer and in some way it rolled off into the water. Mrs. Brazee rushed out, but nothing was in sight. She called to several men who were standing on the shore, but it appeared that they took a very little interest and would do nothing toward rescuing her. Captain Brazee, who had gone up town, returned a few minutes after the drowning, and after some search he hauled up the body, after it had been in the water twenty minutes, when life was extinct.—Telegram.

Road Examination. County Surveyor Smyth, under orders from the County Court was out last Saturday to make an examination of the county road near Union Mills, which had been badly washed out last spring by the overflow from Milk creek. The question to be decided was whether it would be cheaper to make the necessary fills and grade up the old road, or to buy land of Mr. Trullinger and lay out a new one. After making careful measurements Mr. Smyth decided that it would be cheaper to grade up the old road, and that by rip-rapping the banks of the creek all further damage could be avoided.

City Council. The regular meeting of the city council will be held at the council chamber next Wednesday evening. Among the important measures to be brought up will be that of providing an improved system of sewerage for the business part of the town, and of taking final action on the grading of Eleventh street. It is probable that the ordinance for the grading of Eleventh street will pass as the remonstrance has not the required number of names on it.

STATE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

Clackamas County Now Well Represented at That Institution.

The board of regents of the state agricultural college, located at Corvallis, held a meeting Thursday morning at 11 o'clock in the parlors of Ladd & Tilton's bank. The meeting was to have been held at 4 o'clock Wednesday, but the accident to the Southern Pacific train that day delayed several members of the board.

Those present were: Governor Penneyer, W. S. Ladd, Captain J. T. Apperson, A. J. Cadly, Wallace Nash, of Corvallis; A. R. Shipley, of Oswego, and H. E. Hayes, master of the state grange.

The first business was the selection of an occupant of the chair of botany. Prof. Gray, of Rochester, N. Y., was chosen. He is a graduate of the state agricultural college at Columbus, Ohio, and was assistant professor of botany there for some time, leaving there for a better position in Rochester. He comes highly recommended.

Next in order was the election of a college treasurer to succeed the late State Senator Thomas E. Cauthorn. A ballot resulted in the choice of A. R. Shipley, who is well and favorably known to all old residents. He formerly lived in Portland, and was postmaster here for some years during the 50s. After this he went into the book and stationery business, then removed to his present home about two miles from Oswego, where he is extensively engaged in farming, especially horticulture.—Oregonian.

The Oregon State Fair. The prospects for a good State Fair were never so flattering as they are this year. The Premium List has been revised, and in many important points the prizes have been increased. The entries in the Speed Department are the largest and the best in the history of the fair. The State Fair is under the management of the State Board of Agriculture, and over \$15,000 in cash is offered in premiums for exhibits of stock, poultry, agricultural products, fruit, etc., works of art and fancy work, and for trials of speed. The board is making every preparation for a great meeting. Many valuable improvements have been made, and the grounds have been cleared up and greatly beautified. Electric and horse-car lines now run from Salem to the grounds. All persons wishing a premium list for the fair of 1891, can obtain it by addressing J. T. Gregg, the secretary, at Portland, Oregon, or Geo. W. Watt, assistant secretary, at Salem. The fair begins on the 14th of September, and will last one week. Send for a premium list and prepare something for exhibition this year.

Return of Our Favorites. It is with a great deal of pleasure we announce that Harry F. Keene's Company of players which has given our citizens ample proof of the ability of its artists on several occasions, will return to Oregon City for three weeks commencing Monday August 3rd. On that evening an elaborate production of Wm. Gillette's great American Military drama, "Held By The Enemy" will be given. The play will be changed each evening, and nothing will be played that has ever previously been seen here. The return of this excellent company will prove very attractive to all lovers of the better class of entertainments who, remembering the thorough enjoyment derived from the splendid performances given during this company's former visits, will turn out en masse to welcome them on Monday evening.

Letter List. The following is the list of Letters remaining in the post office at Oregon City, Oregon, July 30, 1891:

Anderson, Chas Miller, A
Burt, Mrs Magret Nachand, N
Coston, A O Price, Mrs Frank
Grin, Geo Shipley, Mr.
Gaskell Mrs Mattie Taylor, Wm. W
Jones, John Wilson John
Krigbaum, C Welch, Mrs Jane
Krusp, Mr Homer, Willson Miss M
Miller, Miss Kate Weismandel, Kate
Youmans, Frank E

A Farm to Rent. The undersigned would like to rent an improved farm. Would prefer one with stock, tools and seed furnished. He has a family and can give the best of references. Is young and not afraid to work. Address, Oregon City. H. B. L. ELLIS.

Teachers' Association. On Thursday evening of last week the teachers in attendance at the Institute met and organized the Clackamas county Teachers' Association. The object is mutual improvement and the cultivation of a better acquaintance among the teachers in the county. The officers elected are Alex. Thomson, president; S. A. D. Gurley, vice president; Fannie G. Porter, secretary; Millard Hiatt, treasurer; J. W. Gray, editor of teachers' column. The society is to meet on the last Saturday of each month. An interesting program has been prepared for the next meeting which will be given in the next issue of THE ENTERPRISE.

A firm that is deserving a word for its push and enterprise is that of Robbins & Son, of Molalla, whose advertisement appears on the correspondents' page of this paper. Though in business but a short time in Molalla, they have built up a trade that is equalled by few of the country stores of this county. They carry a complete stock of dry goods, groceries, hardware, etc. In the line of boots and shoes they have a very fine selection—one that would do credit to Oregon City, or any other place. They also sell all kinds of farm machinery.

Death of Sophia C. Howard.

Sophia C. Howard departed this life at the residence of James I. Donor, at Mack's Prairie, Clackamas county, July 20th, 1891 in her 70th year. E. K. Howard with his wife came from Knox county, Ky. in May 1855. Mr. Howard died in one week after reaching this state aged 71 years. Up to the time of his death they had lived peacefully and happily together as husband and wife for 45 years and now rest side by side in a graveyard by the old historic Rock Creek church, a place honored as the resting place of many of the old pioneers of Clackamas county.

As the followers of the blessed Redeemer they lived and died and now rest in hope of a glorious resurrection at the last day. The maiden name of Mrs. Howard was Sophia C. Mark, a sister of John Mark, the pioneer of who with his family first settled in Clackamas county in what has since been known as Mack's Prairie.

The funeral services were conducted by Revs. S. L. Lee and C. Alderson, in the presence of the relatives and a sympathizing community.

CHAT OF THE TOWN.

County Court will meet next Wednesday. Julius Logus and family leave Saturday for Wilhoit to be absent several days.

Mr. R. Kelland, of this city, left Tuesday for the east to attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Detroit and to visit his old home in Michigan.

Married, on July 30th 1891, by Rev. O. W. Lucas at the Congregational parsonage in Oregon City, Matthew Blunt, of Butte Co. and Mary G. Anderson, of Clackamas Co. Oregon.

The band boys went out last Saturday evening to Mulino and serenaded their former leader Mr. J. H. Smith. The boys report having had a fine trip and a pleasant time at the serenade.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Taylor left Tuesday on an extended visit to their old home in New York. On their way east they will stop at Detroit where Mr. Taylor will attend the National Encampment of the G. A. R.

On Thursday of last week Dr. Carl removed from the lip of S. Engles, of Molalla, a cancer which has been growing for several years. The operation promises to be successful and Mr. Engles thinks he will have no further trouble from it.

The families of G. A. Harding and Fred Charman left yesterday for the Clackamas hatchery where they will camp for several weeks. There are now some twenty families camped at that place, mostly from Portland, and they are said to be enjoying life greatly.

Tourists to Wilhoit as well as the residents will find at Molalla one of the best livery and feed stables in the county, the advertisement for which appears in this paper. Mr. E. C. Perry, the proprietor in addition to keeping the stable, conducts a refreshment stand where all kinds of summer drinks can be had as well as the best brands of cigars. Give him a call.

A well kept drug store with a competent pharmacist in charge, is a necessity in every large community, and Molalla, as will be seen by an advertisement in another column of the ENTERPRISE, now has such an establishment. The proprietor, Mr. A. L. Cornwall, is a thorough business man as well as a skilled druggist. He has built up a paying business, and carries a complete assortment of drugs and medicines, besides a large and varied stock of notions, toilet articles, stationery, etc., which he sells at a very reasonable price.

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