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OREGON CITY OFFICERS.

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WHAT ABOUT TOWN.

Prices the lowest—The Red Front.

Bank note, receipt and order books the ENTERPRISE office.

Wanted.—Wood choppers by E. Baker, contractor, Oregon City.

Hamilton & Washburn are paying the best price for grain, hay eggs, etc.

Wilder will receive her patients at room 14, Lavermore Hotel. Sittings daily.

If you want an abstract of title to your property call on Wade H. Spencer, Oregon City, Oregon.

The family of E. Meresse started for parts Bay last Tuesday intending to sail at the seashore all summer.

The Lyon & Healy is the best toned most durable organ made. Sold on terms by Barmeister & Andresen.

Location wanted, by a first class wagon carriage worker. References given on trial of my work asked. Address 460, Oregon City.

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Shiloh's Cure, the Great Cough and Croup Cure, is for sale by us. Pocket contains twenty-five doses, only 25c. Children love it. C. G. Huntley.

The basement story to the St. John's school building which has just been added is now inclosed and the painters have begun their work on the outside of new story.

P. P. Winsett, the undertaker, has received the finest line of caskets and coffins ever brought to Oregon City. Prices to suit these hard, dull times and not be undersold in prices.

Last Thursday evening Chas. Bitzer and Miss Opal Wetherell were married in the residence of the bride's mother in Chemab. The wedding was strictly private and pretty much of a surprise to many one.

Lady whose hair came out with every thing, was induced to give Ayer's Hair Restorer a faithful trial. She did so, and only was the loss of hair checked, a new and vigorous growth soon succeeded that which had gone.

Some weeks ago the ENTERPRISE published an account of the sudden disappearance of David Anderson of Clarke's friends have at last heard from him and find that he wandered away while in jail and that he was found in Washington where he was committed to the jail.

Last Monday Mrs. Anderson Walker was adjudged insane and the same evening she taken by Dr. W. E. Carl to the lunatic asylum, where it is hoped that she may recover. Her sudden affliction and calamity to her husband and large family of small children who at the age when they most need a mother's care.

An English paper says: An unusual case was witnessed on Saturday at the funeral of Lady Wheeler, wife of Sir Robert Wheeler, at Leamington, Hastings, Warwickshire. The deceased weighed 39 lbs (546 lbs.), and with the coffin, 11cwt, 7 lbs. The coffin was 6 ft. long, 3 ft. wide, and 2 ft. 6 in. deep and twelve men were needed to carry it.

A. Miles, the well-known pioneer Oregon and resident of St. Helens, died in town Monday making a brief trip with his daughter, Mrs. Butler. While here he renewed an old time friendship with Mr. Hiram Cochrane, whose acquaintance was found in 1854 while on board, with several other passengers of the old steamer Columbia, were struggling in the water in their endeavor to reach shore from a swamped shipboat while making a landing at Port Orford.

Last Friday the case of the State vs. Frederick Ritter of Albina was tried before Judge Fouts, Messrs. Dye and Simpson appearing for the state and Messrs. Hayes and Story for the defendant. Some time since Ritter was sued by Milwaukee by his woodchoppers and judgment obtained upon which a quantity of the wood cut by them was ordered. Pieces of execution having been posted the wood some one tore them down for this Ritter was arrested. The result in his being found guilty he was fined \$75 and costs amounting to \$44.55. From the decision of the justice court he took an appeal.

TWO PRISONERS ESCAPE.

Bob Black and Frank Hall saw out of the County Jail and Escape.

Last Sunday morning when A. W. Howard went to take the prisoners in the county jail their breakfast he discovered a hole in the ceiling of the main room of the jail and also that one of the prisoners had crawled through this hole and made good his escape. A couple of hours later he learned that there was another prisoner missing, and that one whom he supposed safely locked in one of the steel cells. The escaped prisoners are Bob Black and Frank Hall, alias C. H. Wall. Black was serving a six month's sentence for attempted rape and had been in jail since before the April term of court. Frank Hall was pulled a couple of months ago for stealing sheep pelts from the warehouse of Albright & Warner and was held pending the action of the grand jury.

It seems that the prisoners have usually been locked in their cells about 7 o'clock in the evening, all but Black who was treated as a sort of trusty and permitted to remain outside of the cells at nights. When Howard went down on Saturday night to lock them in he called the role as usual and Black answered as he supposed from inside the cell but in reality from his place of hiding behind the cell, his position being such that his voice would sound through the bars and sound as though he were inside. From the other prisoners it was learned that about 10 o'clock or as soon as they deemed it safe to do so they began to search for an easy place of escape and after several vain endeavors climbed upon the steel cells and began work with a big spike some old short bladed knives, a buck saw and an ax. They managed with the nail and knife to get a hole in the floor big enough for the saw and then had clear sailing, except that the old blade which they held in their hands with old rags around it made noise enough to be heard two blocks away and they were afraid that they would be caught in their attempt to get out. The first hole that they made came up under County Recorder, Ramsby's desk and they had to try again. This time they were more successful and got a hole cut just where Ramsby usually stands when at work at his desk. It was about 10x20 inches and through this they crawled and then had fair sailing as they had only to open a window and get away, but they no time to spare as it was then about 2 o'clock in the morning and they did not have many hours to put themselves out of the way before daylight.

The reason that the escape of both prisoners was not discovered immediately was due to the fact that Hall was supposed to be in his cell all right it not being suspected that he had deceived the jailer and got locked on the outside of the cell. There were two other prisoners in the jail at the same time but the prisoners had been quarreling among themselves and would not occupy the same cell.

Frank Hall as he calls himself has respectable folks living in the East one of whom an uncle is a member of legislature of one of the states. The name is an assumed one being slightly changed from his real name which is C. H. Walls. He probably had some object in escapator than the cause of his apprehension and retention in the jail here.

Main Street Improvement.

After a prolonged struggle and many discouraging drawbacks the contract for the improvement of Main street with vitrified brick from the basin to Moss street has been signed by both parties to the contract, and the bonds executed by the contractors have been approved, so that there is nothing more for the city council to do but to make the assessment as contemplated by the city charter and collect when due. The contractors can begin operations at any time and probably will not delay at all as the season is getting late and there will be no more than time to do the work before the wet season sets in. On Tuesday the sheriff served notice on the contractors that they would have to look to the individual members of the council for their pay. Just what purpose the serving of this notice by the sheriff served, it would be hard to say. It would seem that any one of the objectors could have carried the notice and have saved themselves the unnecessary expense of paying an officer. It was probably intended as a bluff, the object being to scare the contractors off of the job. It does not seem to have served its purpose if that was its object, as the trestle work is now progressing rapidly and a few more days will doubtless see the dirt flying for the grading.

The Clackamas county teachers' annual institute will convene in this city at the public school building next Monday morning. Among the instructors who will be present is Prof. P. L. Campbell, who will assist for two days. He will also deliver a lecture Tuesday evening to which the general public is invited.

The fire companies have had new constitutions and by-laws printed in neat pamphlet form to take the place of those in use which were printed just twenty years ago.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50 cts. Sold by C. G. Huntley.

PERSONAL NOTES.

Judge McBride is holding court in Hillsboro this week.

Jack Humphrey is home from his fishing on the lower Columbia.

Last Saturday John Vegelius returned from his week's sojourn at the seaside.

H. E. Bohall left on Wednesday for the Big Neotoca for an outing at the seaside.

J. M. Lawrence came down from Salem the last of the week for a visit in town.

Rev. John Parsons, presiding elder of the Salem district, was in the city last Tuesday.

Geo. Fox and wife were in the city for several hours on Sunday visiting relatives.

Miss Frances H. Fouts of the Dalles is visiting her cousin Miss Betta Fouts of this city.

Miss Mary Young of Milwaukee began a fall term of school at Salmon River last Monday.

J. W. Strange stopped off a few days while on his way to Douglas county to visit his brother.

Mrs. Pope, mother of T. A. Pope and Mrs. J. W. Meldrum, is quite poorly and fears are entertained that she may not recover.

Mrs. Scott who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. E. Smith for the past few weeks returned to her home in California on Monday.

J. G. Porter and daughters Fannie and Kate who are enjoying the many sights at the World's Fair this week pronounce them grand.

Miss Louise Williams who has been in the city for the past few months visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Fuller is intending to return to her home in California on Friday of this week.

John Kelly who has been in charge of the composing room of the Salem Statesman for a long time has come down to his old home with his family to visit old friends.

Dr. L. L. Pickens, J. A. Moore, C. C. Robbins and John Humphrey constituted a pleasant bicycle party that went from here last Sunday morning and spent the day at Vancouver.

Last Sunday morning Leslie H. Cowing left at four o'clock on his bicycle for Kalama, the distance being about 60 miles. He was talking with John Humphrey in the evening over the telegraph wires and told him that he reached there at 12 o'clock. He went to visit friends and expected to be away for a couple of days.

P. H. Harth and family of Grants Pass are this week the guests of C. H. Dye with whom they were intimately acquainted in Madison, Dakota, before coming to Oregon and they find it pleasant since they reached the land of the Web Feet to get together and talk over the incidents of their lives in the "home of the blizzard."

Past Head Advisor and State Deputy C. A. Wheeler of the Woodmen of the World was in town Wednesday making arrangements for the organization of the camp of that order at Oregon City. After the organization is effected Mr. Wheeler accompanied by a picked corps of officers from the four camps of Portland, will on some night next week confer the Protection degree of the order upon the members of this city.

A. C. McClelland, receiver of the LaGrande land office was in the city last Thursday looking after some business matters. Mr. McClelland used to live in Oregon City twenty-six years ago and while here the other day walked the streets quite a spell to see if he would meet any one whom he formerly knew but in this he was not successful and he concluded that a quarter of a century has worked quite a change in the place which he formerly knew well.

Prof. G. H. Dunn and his wife have been engaged to teach school in the thriving little town of Antelope, Wasco county, at a salary of \$115 a month and will begin their work in that place August 29th. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn are well and favorably known in this county having successfully conducted the West Side school the past two years. They have also had charge of several of the prominent schools of this county which attained a high standard under their management.

Vice President Stevenson.

Dr. W. E. Carl who was in Salem on business the night before the vice-presidential party passed through here appears to have been the only one from Oregon City who had the honor to be invited to the special car in which the party was traveling and rode from Salem in company with Mr. Stevenson, whom he found a most pleasant gentleman to meet. As the train passed here the vice-president was standing on the platform of his car and acknowledged very gracefully the salute tendered by those who had gathered to see him.

Vice-President Stevenson must be a man of great endurance as well as very patient or he would not stand the strain of constant ovations as received while passing through Oregon. The overland reached Salem before five o'clock in the morning, an hour when dignitaries like Mr. Stevenson are usually, still in bed especially when keeping the irregular hours incident to traveling, yet he was up and prepared to make a speech. That act does him credit.

CAMP COMPSON.

Arrangements now nearing completion for the Second Annual Encampment.

Commencing on the 12th of next month the First Regiment, together with companies B, F and H, will go into camp at Gladstone for a term of six days or more, the camp to be known as "Camp Compson," in recognition of the work done by General Compson in behalf of the militia of the state. Orders have been promulgated from which are gleaned the following interesting data: The military exercises in camp shall consist mainly of such as cannot well be executed in armories, and of the extended order drill. The uniform and equipments issued by the state will be worn without change or modification. Officers and men, when leaving their quarters, off duty, must wear the uniform (blouse buttoned) except that white duck trousers, white summer helmets, and in event of excessive heat, straw or felt hats may be worn. At evening parade, reviews, and guard mounting, and at the annual inspection to be held in camp, the white standing collar will be worn. On drill or other duty this is not required. Subsistence will be by company mess. Two or more companies may unite in one mess if so disposed. No person not connected with the administration of the camp or not a member of an organization therein will be permitted in the camp after tattoo without authority from the commanding officer. The sale of all spirituous liquors, wine, ale or beer, and all huckster and auction sales are prohibited. No ale, beer, wines or spirituous liquors will be used in camp except upon the prescription of the chief medical officer. Capt. J. W. Gansong who has succeeded in placing the company here in better condition than it was ever before states that he has good prospects of going into camp with not less than forty-five men, and as he has the hearty cooperation of all his men, Co. F will doubtless have no reason to complain of lack of interest and attendance.

GLADSTONE PARK.

The Place of the Second Annual Encampment of the First Regiment.

To one who has not visited Gladstone and its delightful park, the first trip to that beautiful suburb holds in store many pleasures, as no more pleasant spot is to be found, especially if the day be hot and sultry so as to make the cool shade desirable.

It is an eminently fit place for the encampment of a military corps since it affords not only a fine field for drill purposes and reviews, but it is favored with pure water and a healthful location while for convenience of access it has no equal any where in the state, as those coming from up the road or river can get off here and take the electric cars so as to be landed right at the park and parties from Portland can, after riding through a delightful section for three quarters of an hour, alight on the grounds where the drills and mock battles will take place.

There is no doubt but that the militia companies will greatly enjoy their outing on the banks of the beautiful Clackamas, and it is also probable Gladstone Park will be chosen by many others who desire to spend a few days in the woods and to view the military maneuvers at the same time, as the place to pitch their tents and that they will choose to come while the encampment is being held. All such will find ample facilities in every way and will have no trouble in procuring all the supplies required.

Only two weeks more and Oregon City's northern suburb will be transformed into a scene of military operations with troops marching and countermarching, while the "corporal of the guard" will be the most popular man in camp. Gladstone promises to be a lively spot during the days of the encampment since every one will desire to attend at least for one day and the now delightful suburb will, for the time being, not be such a fine place for the person loving the blessings of the country while enjoying the good things of the city.

An accident occurred at the county gravel pit near Moss hill which very nearly resulted fatally, but the full particulars of which we have been unable to obtain. It seems that the county is hauling gravel from there to the road south of town and that the men were engaged in mining under the bank for the purpose of caving it off, and were intending, as soon as the wagon then loading was filled, to take bars and break it off, but it happened that those at work there had just stepped partially out when the bank, without warning, broke away catching one of the men and burying him up to his arms beneath a heavy load of gravel and striking another so hard as to knock him down and bruise his legs. The man beneath the gravel was dug out without having sustained serious injury. It was a lucky escape for had the bank broken away when the men were in the pit some would have been killed.

On Tuesday there was filed by the Southern Pacific company a deed executed by the Narrow Gauge making a formal transfer of the property of that company to the Southern Pacific. The actual sale was made some time since.

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The Monmouth State Normal.

During the past year the State Normal School at Monmouth has reached an enrollment of over 400, the largest in its history. The Professional Course has been much strengthened by the addition of the Model Training Department in which students are given practical experience in the application of methods, under the supervision of special critic teachers. Miss Edith Cassavant, a graduate of the Millersville, Pa., State Normal, has been added to the department for the next year's work.

In the Academic Course, the work in all the departments has been revised and strengthened. The school has a bright prospect for future growth and usefulness.

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