

PERSONALS.

W. Alhey is back from the Columbia. Mrs. C. Hudson is at Clatsop this week. D. Collins, of Independence, was in the city last week. S. Taylor, a Marquam farmer, spent a day this week in this city. D. E. Shepard, of Newport, visited Oregon City last week. J. H. Joyner, of Mackaburg was doing business here this week. S. Gibson, of Portland, spent Sunday and Monday in this place. J. M. Lawrence, of Portland, was visiting in the city Sunday. D. R. Dimick, of Canby, was doing business here this week. E. E. Gleason, of Aurora, was on business in this city Friday last. John Myers, of Spruwater, made a visit to Oregon City Saturday. O. S. Barber, of Elliot's Prairie, was on business in the city Monday. L. J. Jones spent two days in the capital city this week visiting friends. Chas. Holman, of Meadow Brook, was on business in the city last week. J. G. Eckman, of McMinnville, was registered at the Electric Friday. F. P. McCubin, of Logan, drove some horses into the city Saturday last. Laurence Mitchell, of Sycamore, was in Oregon City Saturday on business. Mrs. A. W. Howard is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ganong, of Canemah. Marie Bluhm, of Portland, was visiting friends in this city Saturday and Sunday. Andy Kocher, a resident of Barlow, made a flying trip to the city by the falls Saturday. Mrs. J. E. Andrews, of The Dalles, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. M. Robinson, this week. H. Bear, the popular meat dealer of Woodburn was doing business in the city on Friday last. Mr. Carlton, of the firm of Carlton & Rosencrans, Canby was visiting in this city on Monday. Mrs. Frank Baker, of Portland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Curry one day last week. Mrs. E. T. Martin returned last week from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. F. P. McDevitt, of Bandon. Miss Laura Wright, of Wilhoit, is spending a few days in this city, the guest of Mrs. E. L. Shaw. Mrs. A. Wolf, who has been in attendance at the Chautauqua, left Saturday for her home at Silverton. Mr. P. Trainer and son, of the Cascades, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Robinson, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. C. Hornschuch, of Eagle Creek, were visiting their son Lawrence, in this city Saturday. Wm. Gregerson whose knee was badly bruised in the saw mill across the river is moving around on crutches. Messrs. A. D. Putrow, R. Charman and E. Canfield, spent Tuesday in Portland, visiting Mrs. M. A. Stratton. J. Burdett, of this city went up to Salem Saturday to spend a few days with his sisters, who are residents of that place. A. W. Howard passed through the city Monday on his way up the river, where business interests demand his attention. Fish Commissioner Hubbard came to town Saturday on business, but left the same day for the upper hatchery on the Clackamas. Mrs. L. Clark and children, Master Bayard and Miss Lucy, leave this week for Eagle Creek, where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Jean White left last week for Vancouver, Wash., where she will join Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Rands, and proceed to Mt. Hood. Prof. R. A. Heritage left Monday for his home in Salem. His splendid services, rendered at the Chautauqua, are appreciated by all. Chas. Babcock, T. Smith and Chas. Babcock jr. will leave Tuesday for a two weeks prospecting tour up the head waters of the Clackamas. J. A. House, of this city, who was sent to the asylum some time ago, made his escape on Tuesday. His whereabouts is not yet ascertained. Editor Fitch returned Monday from a pleasant week's outing at Sea View. Mrs. Fitch, the children and Miss Ruby Logan will remain until September. Mrs. L. E. Salisbury and sister, Mrs. J. A. Winkle, of Algona, Iowa, are spending a few days at Logan, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Riebhoff. J. F. Clark, of Molalla and Mr. and Mrs. Shandel, of this place, arrived in town Monday from Molalla, where they have been rusticated for ten weeks. Mr. R. Booton, an extensive horse and cattle dealer from east of the mountains, drove forty head of splendid looking horses into town Saturday and sold them at auction. Wheeler Church returned Friday from Mt. Hood where he went to examine the berry supply. He saw some big game and reports many people camping near Oregon's favorite peaks.

C. C. Bryant, of Albany, did business here Monday. H. Donchin, of Portland, was in town Tuesday. G. B. Dimick, the attorney, spent Sunday in Canby. Mr. A. W. Cheney is back from an outing at Sea Side. Mrs. W. S. Miller is visiting at Jacksonville, Oregon. Mr. Seramler, of Mackaburg, was in our city this week. R. Aldrich left for Lincoln Monday to look after his hop industry. D. Tompkins, is back from his home-stead down the Columbia. Mr. Newkirk a citizen of Logan, spent a day this week in the city. Hon. F. L. Mintie, of Oswego spent a few hours Monday in the city. B. C. Hawley the Logan farmer, was visiting here on Tuesday last. J. Cox, of Canby was here Tuesday in the interest of his business. B. Linn, of Linn's Mill was doing business with our merchants Tuesday. G. A. Blanchard, a Barlow business man was on our streets this week. Mr. Pembroke, Mullino's prosperous farmer, was on our streets this week. Col. Whipple, of Canby, was meeting his friends in this city the past week. Dr. C. B. Smith, of Eagle Creek, made Oregon City a business visit Tuesday. George McCord, the sawmill man of Mullino, came in on business this week. R. Strickland, of Highland, made a business trip to Oregon City Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. T. Carico left Thursday to enjoy a few days outing at Newport. J. C. Newberry, postmaster at New Era, was doing business in our city this week. Miss Nellie Stafford, leaves Saturday for a visit with Mrs. L. Westervelt, on the coast. D. and E. Fellows, well-to-do men of Highland, spent a day of last week in our midst. H. N. Graham, of Portland, is visiting relatives and friends in Oregon City and vicinity. J. Smith, of Mackaburg, one of the grocers in that place, was here on business Monday. J. E. Watters, of Portland, an experienced druggist, is head clerk in G. H. Harding's store. Mrs. Banks and father, who have been spending the summer at Los Angeles, returned to Wilhoit Friday last. B. Wagner and C. Tarpley, both leading young business men of Salem, made a business trip to our city on Tuesday. Miss Ivy Scott, of East Portland has been the guest of Miss Ivy Roake the past week left for her home Monday. Jacob Straight, is clerking in his father's grocery store, and contemplates making the mercantile business his life work. J. A. Richmond, of Gilliam county, is in town this week, with a band of Eastern Oregon horses. He reports a general awakening in business enterprises east of the mountains. Rea Dunn, the young man who was so severely hurt in the stampede of horses near Logan, two weeks ago, is slowly recovering, but will not be fully well for several weeks longer. A. L. Price, a clothier, has moved his establishment from Portland to this city, and now occupies the room recently vacated by J. Schwartz. L. Hornschuch of this city is engaged as head clerk. Misses Ruth Cowing, Blanche Sharpstein, of San Francisco, Ethel Blinn, of Astoria and Lute Martin are spending a few weeks in the vicinity of Mt. Hood, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Yokum. J. E. Wenks, of DeMoines, Iowa, who was a schoolmate of A. F. Parker's, spent a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Parker, and left Thursday for San Francisco, where he will visit with friends. Mr. and Mrs. B. Roake, who have been living in Portland the past few months, have returned to Oregon City and will reside here in the future, Mr. Roake having bought an interest in J. Roake's foundry. Herbert Shaw, accompanied by his sister Miss Helen, left Tuesday for Hanover, Ill., where they will reside in the future. Mr. Shaw is employed in the woolen mills at that place, and Mrs. Shaw will remain here a few weeks, and join the family later. Mrs. G. W. Church, Misses Annie and Ora Flinn, of Albany, Prof. Smith, of Albany, Carl Church and C. Noblitt, composed a party which left Tuesday for Mt. Hood, where they will remain a few days, intending to return after they have made the ascent of the mountain. The many friends of William Beach were surprised to find on last Tuesday that he had developed into a fairly fast sprinter. He won the 100-yard dash on the Chautauqua field, running the distance in 11 4/5 seconds. He was not in training on this occasion, and can, with practice, lower that time considerably. Mrs. Nelson Lawrence, of San Francisco, is expected to arrive in this city soon where she will spend some time at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. E. Barlow. Mr. Lawrence has enlisted in one of the California companies and is now on the way to Manila.

Carl Arnold spent Thursday with Mrs. J. D. Chapman, of Sellwood. Mrs. P. Parish, a resident near Clarks, was in the city Wednesday. Wm. Owen, of Minks, made a trip to our city Tuesday. Leighton Kelly returned Wednesday from a pleasant three-week's outing. O. Hughes and wife, of Beaver Creek, were among Oregon City visitors Wednesday. J. and F. Bolander, of Minks, were in the city this week looking after business matters. Dr. A. Tilzer, formerly of this city but now of Portland, was in this place a few hours Monday. Miss Ester Schinovsky, of Portland is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. M. Michael, of this city. L. Wolf and G. Richie, of Silverton, passed through this city Wednesday on their way home from a trip to Mt. Hood. Miss Nora Conyers, of Clatskanie, who has been visiting with friends for the past two weeks, returned to her home Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. F. White, of Cathlamet, Washington, and daughter Laura are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Boylan. Miss Anderson, left Wednesday for her home at Silver Lake, after spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill, of this city. T. B. Hankins, Treasurer Shade and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Snidow, of this city spent Sunday at the New Era camp meeting. J. M. Ware, who broke his leg and sprained his back in the Wilhoit stage runaway, is still confined to his bed and improves very slowly. Mrs. W. L. Conant, of Portland, who has just returned from the East, and her sister, Mrs. Clark, spent Thursday at the home of Mr. H. L. Kelly. Rev. Montgomery has moved his family from Mrs. Bains house near the foot of Falls View steps to the house which he formerly occupied on seventh street. Mrs. H. L. Kelly left Tuesday for Sea View where she will join her daughter, Miss May, who is sojourning there, and will remain several days enjoying the sea air. Miss Ella and Emma Green, of McMinnville, Mrs. Wm. Powers and sister Miss Burns, of Salem, are visiting Mrs. Green on the hill at the residence of Mrs. Broughtons. E. J. McKittrick, Geo. Case, Morton Latourette and J. McGetchie started Wednesday for Clear Lake 13 miles east of the government camp to spend two weeks outing. B. F. Swope, who has been practicing law at Toledo, Ore., returned to this city last week and will continue the practice of his profession in this city with his brother G. W. Swope. Dr. and Mrs. Paine, and daughter Miss Kitty, left this week Wednesday, for a two weeks visit at Newport. During the doctors absence Dr. Parker will take charge of his office. Miss Amy Ohlsen the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Ohlsen, who has been confined to her room with a severely sprained knee, is enabled again to be out with the aid of crutches. P. E. Cox, who was a resident of Oregon City two years ago but who for the past two years has been located at New Orleans, and in different portions of North and South Dakota, is here on business. J. A. Richmond and Wm. Read, of Eastern Oregon, who brought a band of horses into town last week start tomorrow for Condon, Eastern Oregon to return again in a few weeks with more horses. Rev. L. M. Idleman arrived from Gadsden, Ohio, last week and preached in St. Paul's church Sunday morning and evening to an appreciative audience. Mr. Idleman is spending his vacation with his parents, who reside in Portland and his stay with us will only be a matter of a few months, when he will again return East to complete his studies.

Past Sachems in Town.
125 Past Sachems, of the Redmen's order, came up on the Altona from Portland Wednesday evening and assembled with Wacheno Tribe, No. 13, of this city, in their hall on the hill. Speeches were made after which the visitors were shown through the electric plant and at a late hour returned to Portland on the boat.

Attention Campers
The Wilhoit stage will start out of Oregon City Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, returning Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Leaves Noblitt's stable at 12 o'clock noon. Round trip tickets \$2.50.
Campers to Wilhoit or other resorts in the county will be taken out in private rigs if desired, at bedrock prices. Call or address Chas. Noblitt, Oregon City.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church
Regular services will be held in this church at the usual hours on Sundays, and on Friday evening at 7:30 conducted by Rev. L. M. Idleman.

Communion service occurs next Sunday at the Presbyterian church at which new members will be tendered a reception. The evening service will be of its usual interest, and the meeting of the Christian Endeavor is to be of special interest as the subject is "The Evils of Covetousness," Miss Maggie Williams leads. Come.

Christian Science meetings at Wilhamette hall, Sunday morning service 11 o'clock; Sunday school 12; weekly meetings, Wednesday evening at 8, except first week of each month, when meeting will be held on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Reading room open every afternoon from 1:30 to 4.

There will be preaching service at the Ely chapel next Sabbath at 2:30 p. m. conducted by Dr. Butler.

WANTED.
100 watches to repair at \$1.00 each. C. A. NASH, at the Postoffice.

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Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*
Birthday Party.
A birthday party was given to Henry Pankratz son of P. Pankratz, at his home at Clackamas Heights on Sunday afternoon of July 17th. Games and refreshments were pleasant features of the merry occasion. Among those present were: Roy and Harry Evans, Viola and Willie Tatro, Ella, Dora and Henry Hermann, Dan Jones, Michael and Johnny Gengler, May and Bertha Hermann, Katie, Johnny and Lizzie Pankratz, Lulu and Clarence Rittenhouse and Henry Pankratz.

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Staff Captain and Mrs. Willis, of the Salvation Army will be here Saturday and Sunday to conduct services.

Frank Steward, who resided here five years ago and who has been living at Butte Montana is reported to have committed suicide last week.

Miss Netta McAllister, is acting as captain of the Salvation Army and is holding profitable services at the barracks every night.

A Mean Insinuation.
Two ministers were discussing the attendance of their parishioners at worship. One was bemoaning the indifference of the people to the church, complaining bitterly of lack of attendance at nearly all the churches in the city. It mattered not how well the sermons were delivered—the people still declined to attend.
"I venture to state," said one, "if I were to advertise that two monks would perform in my pulpit next Sunday evening the church would be crowded."
"Yes," replied the other reflectively. "Two would be better than one."
Cleveland Plain Dealer.

How Spain Paid Columbus.
A curious discovery has been made in the archives of the Spanish navy—the bills of payment of the crews who composed the caravels of Christopher Columbus. The sailors, according to their class, received from 10 to 12 francs a month, including their food. The captains of the three large caravels had each 80 francs a month. As for Columbus himself, who had the title of admiral, he was paid 1,600 francs a year.

No Chance to Get Old.
Mrs. Wicks—Why is old china so valuable?
Mrs. Ricks—On account of its rarity.
Mrs. Wicks—But I don't see why it should be so very rare?
Mrs. Ricks—Well, with my experience of servants, I must confess that a piece of china that lasts a month is a wonder to me.—Harper's Bazar.

A Drawback to Happiness.
"You didn't seem to enjoy the opera a bit, Miss Gayly."
"No. I forgot to carry that elegant new fan auntie sent me from Paris."
Detroit Free Press.

Medical Officer (going his rounds)—
Well, Murphy, how are you this morning?
Private M.—Much better, sir.
M. O.—Is your appetite good?
Private M.—Yes, sir.
M. O.—Are you getting enough to eat?
Private M.—No, sir.
M. O.—What would you like in addition to your present diet?
Private M.—Another pound of bread, sir.
M. O.—That I cannot give you, as the regulations do not admit of a soldier receiving a double ration of bread in one day.
Private M. (after a moment's hesitation)—Could you not let me have the extra pound and mark it down as bread poison?
He got it.—London Telegraph.

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A. L. JONES, Elizabeth City, N. C.