

Personal Mention

Frank Jones has returned from West port. Miss Dollie Cross spent Sunday at Wilhoit. William Andresen and wife are at Newport. Claude Hoffman is in the city visiting his family. Pearl Mosley visited friends in Portland Sunday. W. M. Cavey, of Barlow, was in the city Saturday. Thomas McCubbins was in town from Logan Friday. Miss Lou Draper is at Seaside for a week's sojourn. A. W. Cooke was in town Saturday from Damascus. City Recorder Bruce C. Curry and family are at Newport. Mrs. Grant Bacon returned Tuesday from a visit to Dayton. Mrs. James Heckard has gone to Seattle to join her husband. County Recorder Tom P. Randall spent Sunday at Seaside. Miss Anita McCarver has been spending a few weeks at Seaside. Harry and Thomas Trembath have returned from a trip to Seattle. Attorney J. E. Hedges has returned from a business trip to Tacoma. Mrs. John Patton, of Iowa, was in town this week visiting relatives. Al Herrigan left Tuesday morning for a week's outing at Wilhoit Springs. Mrs. R. H. Birdsall, of Portland, was in the city Tuesday visiting friends. Mrs. J. J. Cooke returned Monday from a visit with relatives at Molalla. J. H. Vernon, of Silverton, has accepted a position in Huntley's drug store. David McArthur, of New Era, was doing business in Oregon City Saturday. Mrs. Charles Wright was in Tacoma this week attending the Elk's carnival. J. C. McMurray, a prominent farmer of Damascus, was in the city Wednesday. W. H. Connell, road supervisor of the Oswego district, was in town Saturday. Mrs. J. A. Hein has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. Bonebrake, at Roseburg. Miss Mina Kelly returned Saturday evening from a two week's sojourn at Seaview. Mrs. E. E. Williams and son Ray, of Portland spent Wednesday afternoon in this city. Mrs. I. Long, of this city, who has been ill for the past week, is slowly recovering. Miss Kate Baird, of Portland, visited her sister, Mrs. A. S. Dresser, during the week. Mrs. G. Olds and two boys are rusticationing on the Nehalem and will return next week. Fred Miles and Louis Weismandel made a flying trip to Portland Sunday to visit friends. United States Inspector of Boilers Geo. Fuller and Mrs. Fuller visited relatives here Sunday. Forbes Pratt and John Lewthwaite returned Monday from a fortnight's outing at Newport. G. W. Scramblin, the Macksburg merchant, was in the city yesterday with Mrs. Scramblin. Miss Maude Rastel has returned to her home in Molalla, after a five week's visit in California. Assistant Postmaster W. F. Mathews, of Portland, was in town Tuesday on land office business. David R. Turney left for his home in Omaha Monday after a three week's visit with Oregon relatives. William Greenhagen and Archie Walker, of this city, left last week to accept a position in Lebanon. Dr. E. A. Sommer and wife returned Wednesday morning from a five days trip to Vancouver, B. C. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Latourette and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pope have returned from Long Beach. Geo. A. Harding and family and Mrs. Nelson Lawrence returned yesterday from a fortnight at Wilhoit. Attorney and Mrs. O. W. Eastham and Mrs. Irene Strong spent a few days at Moffett Springs this week. Chas. O. Albright and family and Miss Nan Cochran, left yesterday for a two weeks' outing on the Netarts. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Miles returned Wednesday evening from a weeks' visit with their daughter in Seattle. F. J. Meyer left yesterday for a fishing trip. He will go up the valley and expects to be absent about a week. Miss Lucile Alderman, of Portland, made a flying trip to this city during the week to visit relatives and friends. Will Silver returned yesterday from Montana. He was formerly an employe of the Willamette Pulp & Paper Co. P. M. Boyles, of Silverton, was in the city this week. He recently disposed of his blacksmith business in that city and is looking for a location.

Mrs. Ada McClure and children have returned from Albany, where they were the guests of Mrs. R. A. B. Veal. Mr. J. M. Fuller and daughter, Mrs. O. W. Barnes, of Portland, visited friends in Oregon City Wednesday. Mrs. Geo. Warner and Mrs. Harry Moody have returned from a visit to their brother, Will R. Logus, at Victoria, B. C. William Edward Lewthwaite and bride arrived Saturday from Watertown, N. Y., and will make their home in this city. Miss Emma Wilehart, of Mt. Pleasant, left Saturday for Portland and will be the guest of Mrs. Anna Singleton for a week. Miss Zilpha Galloway will return from Newport in a few days. Her health has been greatly benefited by her stay there. Geo. S. Porter, of Los Angeles, who has been visiting his brother, John G. Porter for six weeks past, left yesterday for home. Miss Grace Tillard, who has been visiting the Misses Lewthwaite for several weeks past, returned to her home in Pendleton Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Paquet, of Portland, spent Sunday at the Mt. Pleasant home of George Lazelle, whose wife is a niece of Mr. Paquet. Miss Bonita Ralston left Saturday morning for Seattle to spend the winter with her aunt Mrs. J. N. Gilson. She will attend school there. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Waring and son and Miss Loftus, of DeSmet, South Dakota, were in the city this week, the guests of Mrs. I. D. Taylor. Mr. and Mrs. A. Giesy, of Salem, were the guests of Col. and Mrs. Robert A. Miller, at Gladstone Sunday. Mrs. Giesy is Mrs. Miller's sister. General Secretary W. Gilbert Beattie will be absent from the city Saturday and Sunday, in attendance on the Y. M. C. A. conference in Portland. S. T. Hobart, of Silverton, was in town Wednesday. He is a director of the Butte Creek Fair Association, which will be held at Marquam Oct. 4 and 5. Wallace Cole and family and Miss Lizzie Walker, of Oregon City, and Mrs. May, and daughter, Miss Carrie, of Portland, have returned from Wilhoit. Mrs. Wm. Eldridge, of Vancouver, was an Oregon City visitor Saturday and in the evening went to Salem to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Breyman. Mr. D. W. Kinnaird, wife and son returned Saturday night from a three month's trip in Eastern Oregon, where Mr. Kinnaird has been engaged in surveying. David Canfield has purchased the property of T. S. Laurence on the hill, and will move there in a short time with his family. Mr. Laurence will go to Portland to reside. Mrs. S. J. Harland, of Springwater, has moved to this city with his daughter, who will attend school. Mrs. Harland has purchased a lot on the hill and will erect a new house. Waldo Adams went to Newport a week last Friday and will go to Eugene from there, to resume his studies in the State University, from which he will graduate next June. James Williams and Chas. E. Donaldson, of Tillamook, Wm. Norris, of Nehalem, Geo. E. Browning, of Blaine, and Morgens Sommer, of Sand Lake, proved up on claims in the land office this week. Prof. W. P. Mathews, who was principal of the Eastham school last year, has been elected principal of the public schools of Wilbur, Eastern Oregon. Prof. Mathews will remain at Ocean Park until early in September. County Judge Ryan, grand patriarch of the I. O. O. F., left Tuesday morning on his official visit to lodges on the Oregon coast. He will probably be absent two weeks and will visit 14 encampments in Lane, Douglas, Coos and Curry counties. Among the hotel arrivals at the Electric this week were: I. J. Little, Dayton; F. J. Eldridge, Gervais; L. T. Harris, Eugene; Geo. Nelson, Silverton; F. G. McWilliams, Ashland; O. F. Stafford, Eugene; B. W. Otto, Meridan; J. H. Vernon, Salem. Miss Lorena Lazelle, of Mt. Pleasant, Will Williams, of Parkplace, Miss Myrtle Cross and Miss Maud May, of Oregon City, George Ogle, of Molalla, Lawrence Mauts, of Maple Lane, and Miss Blanche McCord, of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday at Wilhoit. W. A. Huntley and William Wright, who were members of the Wilson-Wright-Huntley combination, returned Saturday night from a week's fishing trip on the Siletz river. Mr. Wilson stayed over Sunday at Newport. The party caught four fish, which devastated the river. Mrs. Ben Selling and son and daughter, Lawrence and Rae, Mrs. S. Westheimer, Mrs. J. Oppenheimer and daughter, Miss May; Mrs. E. Sichel and two children; Dr. O. Binswanger, W. Ackerman and Miss L. Ackerman passed through Oregon City Friday morning enroute to Wilhoit Springs for a few days' outing. Company A., O. N. G., is holding target practice every Sunday. The highest score so far has been made by Private Isaac Percifull.

Local Events

Next Monday is labor day. Gun repairing. Johnson & Lamb. Bicycle sundries of all kinds, Johnson & Lamb. Dancing in the evening at the Red Cross picnic. New wheels to rent. Prices right, Johnson & Lamb. Keys fitted while you wait. Johnson & Lamb. Main street. We are selling goods at a great reduction at the Racket Store. Sewing machines and light machinery repaired. Johnson & Lamb. Wanted, to exchange town property for a farm. Enquire at this office. Subscribers desiring to pay their subscription in wood should do so now. Camera supplies of all kinds, at Charman & Co., the Cut Price Drugist. \$20 to \$100 to loan on chattel or personal security. Dimick & Eastham, agts. Saturday is the day. Magone's park is the place for the Red Cross picnic. The place to get it fixed. What? Your wheel. Johnson & Lamb. Main street. For the Red Cross picnic take Young's stage at the east end of the suspension bridge. Girl wanted for ups airs work. Good wages paid. Apply at the store of I. Seifrag. Born—Thursday, August 15, at Canemah, to the wife of W. J. Cooper, a daughter. Dolls at cost and below cost. Now is the time to buy and save money at the Racket Store. Underwear, hosers, ribbons, dress skirts and waists at half prices at the Racket Store. Give the children an outing at Magone's park, Sunday. Don't forget the Red Cross picnic. Jas. R. Smith, of Smithville, is coming to attend the Red Cross picnic on Saturday, August 24. Loyd G. West, Wm. E. Stone, and Electra Richardson have received patents at the land office. It is impossible to give price through the papers. Come and be convinced of what you can save at the Racket store. E. E. Seal is papering and painting the interior of the First Baptist church. He is doing a neat job. The improvement will cost \$50. Clackamas county has paid up her state and bounty taxes in full, with all accrued interest, and is now clear on the State Treasurer's books. The balance of \$1,059.25 was paid Wednesday. William J. Hillyard, J. F. Chase and J. H. Lake have filed articles of incorporation for the Woodmen Hall Association of Orient. The capital stock is \$1,500, divided into shares of \$5 each. We pay the tax on "Oxford" Bicycles and give TAGS FREE, also Bells, Pants guards and guarantee them for the season. Price \$30, with any kind of a tire. Charman & Co., Cut Price Bicycle dealers. When, in the course of human events, it becomes necessary to buy a new suit of clothes, patronize home industry by going to Joe Knowland, who will give you a perfect fit. Shop on Seventh street, near depot. The excavation for the foundation of the new filter plant is completed and on Saturday bids will be opened for the construction of a concrete foundation and clear water well. Four hundred cubic yards of concrete will be used on the foundation. Christian Science services are held in Willamette hall every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Subject for Sunday, August 25, "Christ Jesus." Sunday School at twelve o'clock. Wednesday evening meeting at eight o'clock. To these services all are welcome. Reports from Damascus show a good yield of grain. Wheat is averaging 25 bushels and oats 40 bushels to the acre. Wheat is overweight and spring oats are nearly as heavy again as last year. The late potato crop needs rain. Fruit is practically a failure, though there is a fair sized crop of pears, which are hauled to Portland for canning. At Holman's cigar store a camera is up for raffle, the chances running from one cent to \$1. The camera is owned by A. S. Hunt, of Willamette, and is a fine machine of the Blair manufacture, measuring 5x8. It has three plate holders and stands on a tripod. The original cost of the camera was \$45. Portland-Oregon City boat Str. Leona leaves foot of Eighth St. at 7 and 10 a. m. and 1:30 and 4:30 p. m. Leaves Portland at 8:30 and 11:30 a. m. and 3:00 and 6:15 p. m. Round trip 25 cents. Take the Leona if you want a good comfortable ride. The run is made either way in one hour and fifteen minutes.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to Elizabeth Fredericks Blum, of Oregon City, 35, and Joseph Noble, of Portland, 38; also to Mrs. Elizabeth Caben, 37, and J. W. Kyler, of Clackamas, 40.

The Portland General Electric Company paid their taxes Tuesday amounting to \$9938 11. They are the heaviest taxpayers in the county. Over \$130,000 has been collected and less than \$17,000 is due.

The Board of County Commissioners held an adjourned term yesterday, but beyond reading the journal and passing a few minor orders, no business was transacted. The next meeting of the Board will be held Sept. 4.

Mrs. Johanna Pilger died in Portland Sunday, aged 66 years, 5 months and 1 day. The funeral services were held Monday from the family residence, 381 Union avenue, and the interment took place in Damascus cemetery.

A meeting of the creditors of Geo. W. Prosser, of Oswego, who filed a petition in bankruptcy some weeks ago, held a meeting in the county court room Saturday to consider the advisability of having an assignee appointed, but it was deemed unnecessary.

The 6-year old son of Thomas West fell from a porch Tuesday evening and sustained a compound fracture of his right forearm. The little fellow was playing on the porch when the accident occurred. A physician was called and the injured limb was set.

While splitting wood Friday, A. Graner, who lives at Stafford, let his ax slip, striking the blade into the back of his left hand, completely severing the bone of the first finger, and almost cutting the hand off. The wound was dressed by a physician.

Eilers piano house, the general Western Agency for the Kimball pianos have just received three more carloads of these world-famous pianos, and under present conditions are selling them to the people at much less than factory prices. Call at 351 Washington Street, (the retail warerooms in the new music building) Portland, Oregon.

Two hundred and fifty million Chinook salmon eggs have been hatched from the Upper Clackamas hatchery, the number is increasing at the rate of 120,000 per day. This promises to be the biggest season's work since the hatchery was established. A great many eggs are being taken at the Oak Grove branch, and the management is beginning to take eggs at the new hatchery recently established at the north fork.

Social Happenings

McKITTRICK—MARTIN.

The marriage of Mr. E. J. McKittrick and Miss Lute Martin was solemnized Monday evening at the home of the bride's mother, Rev. Father Hillebrand, of St. John's church, officiating. The ceremony was a quiet one, only the relatives and intimate friends of the couple being present. The bride was becomingly attired in a handsome gown of copper brown broadcloth, trimmed with panne velvet and Persian embroidery, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding supper was served to the guests, and Tuesday morning Mr. and Mrs. McKittrick left for Newport to spend their honeymoon. The groom is a well known merchant of this city, and the couple will make their home here after their return. They were recipients of many handsome gifts.

One of the most pleasant social gatherings of the season took place at "Poverty Row" at Nye Creek, and was participated in by a number of young people of that vicinity. The hostesses of the evening were Miss Hulda Holden and Miss Neffzer, both of Oregon City, ably assisted by Mrs. H. A. Nelson and Mrs. Percy Young. The rooms were handsomely decorated with flowers and ferns and illuminated with Chinese lanterns. The evening was spent in playing progressive whist and other games, followed by waltzes and Virginia reels, the music being furnished by Mr. D. Haines and Mrs. Young, on mandolin and guitar. At the proper hour delicious refreshments were served. Those present were Misses M. Wiley, E. Batman, Ida and May Stimpson, C. Sternberg, C. Holland, L. Smith, M. Withycombe, M. Fisher, E. Irvine, H. Versteeg, Neffzer, Holmes and Holden; Messrs. A. McBraen, M. S. Friendly, C. Sternberg, E. W. Stimpson, D. Haines, M. Cockrell, F. B. Pratt and Mesdames H. A. Nelson and P. A. Young.—Newport News.

What Shall We Have For Dessert? This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Fitch. This is a large advertisement for Castoria, a medicine for children, with a signature and logo.

SALOON ROBBED.

Wrong Man Arrested and Discharged From Custody.

The Bon Ton, a Main street fluid dispensary owned by W. Rambo, was entered and robbed last Saturday morning. The thief came through a window that opens on an alley breaking the catch and prying open the window with a chisel. The money drawer was not molested but a nickel-in-the-slot machine was rifled of about \$15. Mr. Rambo closed the saloon about midnight and the burglar was not discovered until morning. James Gwinup was arrested for the crime but upon examination was discharged. P. E. Polk, who was the complaining witness against Gwinup, is now in jail charged with the robbery, but as Mr. Rambo does not wish to prosecute the man may be sent east where his people reside.

Seven Days at Carnival. All the transportation lines in the Northwest are arranging to give specially low rates to and from the Portland Carnival, which runs from Sept. 18 to Oct. 19, and the excursion tickets will be good for 7 days. This is the longest limit ever given on such tickets, and will give people ample time to see all the sights connected with the great exposition.

With two full military bands, a military tournament, a horse show, athletic sports, exhibits of mining, agriculture, horticulture and manufacturing, a full midway, fireworks and an array of amusement attractions, the Carnival will be one of the greatest events of the season, and the admission fee is going to be only 25 cents, 10 cents for children.

Oregon City Market Report.

(Corrected to Friday.) Wheat—No. 1, 52c bushel. Flour—Portland, \$3.30 per bbl. 85 c per sk. Howard's Best, 90c per sack, \$3.30 per bbl. Oats—in sacks, white, 45 cents per bushel, gray, 43. Hay—old Timothy, \$12 per ton. New Timothy, \$8 to \$9 per ton. Clover \$7 to \$8 per ton. Millstuffs—Bran, \$18.00 per ton, shorts, \$21.00 per ton, chop, \$16 per ton, barley, rolled, \$20.00 per ton. Potatoes—new, 70c to 90c per sack. Eggs—Oregon, 17 1/2 to 20c per dozen. Butter—Ranch, 25 to 35 cents per roll. Apples, Gravensteins, 60c to 90c per box. Other varieties, 50c to 75c per box. Peas, Bartlett, 75c to \$1 per box. Blackberries, 3 to 3 1/2c per box. Onions, choice, 1c to 1 1/2c per lb. Green peas, 2c per lb. Dressed chickens, 10 to 12 1/2c per lb. Livestock and dressed meats; beef, live, \$3.00 to \$3.50 per hundred. Hogs, live, 5 cts; hogs dressed, 7c; sheep, 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c; sheep, dressed, 6c; veal, dressed, 7 1/2c; lambs, live, 3 1/2c; lambs, dressed, 6 1/2c.

FRANK BUSCH The Housefurnisher. There is a Figure beyond which competition and cutting dare not go—and we have reached that figure in fixing the sale prices on all the goods in the store. You'll stare in astonishment at the values you'll see if you come early this week. The Machine for You. Don't work and worry with your old machine, which makes you so tired to run and fills your ears with noise, but let us show you our Climax Machine which is the perfection of machine making and is a joy to the user. It costs only \$25.00 and our terms are easy. Eor Bachelor Dens. Or family establishments, the couch has come to be indispensable. Here are some couch bargains that are exceptions in all ways. Fine servicable couch, \$ 3.50 Best valour, 6.50 Leather covered, . . . 15.00 Are You Fixed for Sprinkling? If not we can fix you for it in a little while for a little money. Life is hardly worth living unless you can sprinkle your lawn. 50 feet 1/2 inch Rubber Hose \$3.50. Substantial Delicacy. Such are our beautiful filmy Lace Curtains. They are made of the strongest thread and woven with the greatest care—every thread into a line of beauty. Newly embarked Housekeepers will do well to invest here. A Musical Center. Your home becomes a musical center when you have a first quality piano there. You will appreciate the musical qualities of the BUSCH and GERTS PIANO. A rich tone, abundant volume and easy touch. All for this low price \$315.00, on easy payments. Porch Furniture. Here is a particularly excellent collection of the easy "informal" furniture that helps away the summer. Rockers, Settees, Steamers Chairs, Arm Chairs. We'll be glad to have you see what we have to suit you. Get Them Ready. You ought to have your screens ready now. The flies and mosquitos are not abundant as yet, but will be soon. We have screens that will fit. They are of substantial but airy wire and have durable frames. They are right. We want you to see how good they are. Price 20 cents each. A Bear Movement in China. Prices on China are affected by a regular bear movement—they are down lower than they have been for a long time. This is true of our stock just now. Fine decorated ware 65c for 6 Dinner Plates 50c " " Semi Porcelain 50c " " 6 Cups and Saucers.