

...Short Sidehead Stories...

TERSELY-TOLD TALES OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

More Divorces— Judge McBride has granted divorces as follows: *Leslie Eary vs. Frank Eary*; *Helena M. Binns vs. Wm. O. Binns*. An order of default and reference was entered in the divorce suit of *Barbara Kary vs. Karl Kary*.

Meltons Would Be Divorced— James M. Melton, in a divorce suit filed a few days ago, charges Oia N. Melton with desertion. They were married in this county in November, 1904. The desertion complained of is alleged to have taken place last month.

Pioneer of 1845— Wm. G. Welch, a pioneer of 1845, died last Thursday at his home near Clackamas. The deceased was aged 75 years and was a native of one of the Southern states. In 1848 with his parents, now deceased, he located on the Welch D. L. C. in this county where he held continuous residence until the time of his death. He leaves no family but is survived by several brothers and sisters. Funeral services were held at the late home Saturday and interment followed in a neighboring cemetery.

Will Entertain the Pioneers— Arrangements have been made by the Women's club of this city to entertain the old pioneers of the county May 23 in this city. At the meeting which was held last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Goodfellow, a committee, consisting of Mrs. J. W. Norris, Mrs. H. E. Straight, Mrs. Ingram, Miss Pratt and Miss Buchanan, was appointed to make arrangements for this event. A program will be given and principal speakers throughout the state will in all probability be present. A reception was given the pioneers a year ago by this club, and it is the intention to give one every year.

Tax Collections— The 1905 tax receipts in this county show a great increase over the previous year. The total tax receipts for 1905 to the first of April was \$174,556.37, which has been turned over to the treasurer. The tax receipts for February were \$140,334.40 and for March, \$34,221.97, which shows a decrease. The back taxes that have been paid are: 1903, \$219.75; 1902, \$131.27; and for 1901, \$87.39. The back collections and costs that have been collected to the first of the month are as follows: 1905, November, \$9,946.82; December, \$1,615.03; January, \$558.30; February, \$1,643.13, and for March, \$263.15.

Meeting of Pomona Grange— At a meeting of Clackamas Pomona Grange at Tualatin last Wednesday,

50 members were initiated into the Pomona degree. Pomona Grange by resolution went on record as being opposed to that part of the present tax law that allows rebates and charges penalty for deferred tax payments. The Grange favors having the law amended so as to permit taxpayers to have until July 1 in which to make the first half payment of their taxes, allowing the usual time in which to pay the balance with no penalty to be charged. Resolutions were adopted denouncing graft in the postal department, demanding that cancelling machines etc., should be owned by the government and not rented; favoring a change in the rates paid by railroads for transporting the mails, it being charged that the government last year paid for its service a sum, sufficient to build a transcontinental railroad; declaring for an extension of the rural free delivery system and for the establishment of a parcels post.

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE TO REST.

Wm. G. Welch, the subject of this brief sketch, was of Southern parentage, and came to Oregon with his parents in the fall of 1845, and worked for a time as a clerk and assistant in Governor Abernethy's store. His father, Dr. Presley Welch, was a physician of no mean ability, but who died not many years after arriving in Oregon; but not until he had established his right to a donation claim of 640 acres in what many of our old pioneers know as Welch Prairie about two miles east of Clackamas station on the S. P. Here the family has lived since 1848 with the subject of our sketch as the head of the family; having supplied the place of his father since his death, in the way of assisting his brothers, sisters and mother along as best he could. His was a generous heart—as need I say that most Southerners are—and always willing to lend a helping hand to those in need. He was born August, 1830; died April 12th, 1906. He was laid to rest April 14th in Damascus cemetery, by a host of his old-time friends and neighbors. Funeral was preached by Rev. P. K. Hammond of Oregon City, R. L. Holman, having charge of the funeral. This takes another pioneer friend from our midst. "Ah, well for us all some fond hopes. Deeply buried from human eyes; But, in the hereafter, angels may Roll the stone from its grave away." We trust that his fondest hopes are realized; that he has entered upon that higher and nobler work to which all of us must be called in a few brief

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years. He leaves a brother, P. L. Welch, Jr., and three sisters, Mrs. Mary Foster, of Portland; Mrs. Annie De Shields, and Mrs. Emma R. Capps, both of Clackamas, and a host of friends to mourn his demise. If he had an enemy I do not know it; and no man knew him intimately but to be his friend. He led the plain simple life and was one of the "noblest works of God"—an honest man. The world is better that he lived in it. Farewell, my friend, till we meet again!

E. C. HACKETT, Oregon City, April 17th, 1906.

HESELTINE—ROBERTS WEDDING

Mr. R. U. Heselstine, the popular bachelor of "Gray, Washington," and an old time resident of Oregon City and Clackamas County, was married to Miss Lauretta L. Roberts of Necedah, Wisconsin, on Monday, 4:30 p. m., March 19th, 1906, at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Elder C. E. Ford, No. 914 Nora Avenue, Spokane, Washington. It was a very quiet though impressive and solemn affair, only a few friends in attendance. The groom's brother, Judge E. A. Heselstine, a prominent lawyer of Wilbur, Washington, was

present and after the ceremony the party partook of a wedding dinner. The bride and groom took the S. F. & N. north bound train for Gray, and are now happily settled in their cozy little house at Glenwood Cottage. A large crowd of the groom's friends gave them a welcoming surprise party and after refreshments, nuts, cigars etc., with music, vocal and instrumental, the party broke up in rain storm and returned to their various homes, leaving behind all kinds of good wishes for the future happiness of the newly wedded couple.

SPECIAL RATES FROM THE EAST.

Colonist's tickets will be sold from the East to points on the Oregon lines of the Southern Pacific Co. via Portland, commencing February 15 and continuing daily to and including April 7 and from September 15 until October 31. The rates from some of the principal points are: Chicago, \$25; Bloomington, Ill., \$31.80; St. Louis, \$30; Omaha, \$25; Kansas City, \$25; Council Bluffs, \$25; St. Joseph, \$25; Sioux City, \$25; Denver, \$25; corresponding rates will be made from other points and will appear to all points on Oregon lines.

Persons desiring to pay for tickets to bring anyone from the East or middle West to Oregon may deposit the amount required with the local agent of the S. P. The company will do the rest. For further information inquire at any Southern Pacific ticket office.

REGISTRATION IS LARGE.

Nearly 5000 Clackamas County Electors are Registered.

The total registration of Clackamas county closely approximates 5000, while the estimated voting strength of the county has been placed at not to exceed 4600.

The official registration gives the following figures: Republicans, 3684; Democrats, 884; Socialists, Prohibitionists and Independents, and those refusing to state affiliations, about 400. The registration two years ago was 4439.

These totals do not represent the relative strength of the two principal parties in this county, since a great many Democrats originally registered as Republicans and others subsequently altered their registration. The normal Republican majority in the county is 750 although candidates on the legislative and congressional tickets have received majorities exceeding 1400.

The registration as per precincts is as follows:

Abernethy	198	44
Barlow	54	17
Beaver Creek	124	20
Bull Run	33	7
Boring	80	7
Canyon Creek	31	3
Canby	148	37
Clackamas	118	24
Cherryville	24	4
Canemah	89	17
Cascades	133	22
Damascus	89	21
Eagle Creek	89	21
Estacada	158	35
George	32	7
Harding	85	21
Harmony	58	12
Highland	91	17
Killen	65	18
Macksburg	60	32
Molalla	83	72
Milwaukie	27	7
Marquam	53	18
Maple Lane	85	13
Milk Creek	47	11
Needy	84	18
New Era	21	3
Oak Grove	92	19
Oregon City No. 1	239	49
Oregon City No. 2	266	43
Oregon City No. 3	165	44
Oswego	139	30
Pleasant Hill	75	25
Soda Springs	33	12
Springwater	58	17
Tualatin	73	43
Union	21	14
Viola	56	7
West Oregon City	154	34
Total	3691	886

WOMEN'S WOES.

Oregon City Women are Finding Relief at Last.

It does seem that women have more than their fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Kidneys cause more suffering than any other organ of the body. Keep the kidneys well and health is easily maintained. Ready of a remedy for kidneys only that helps and cures the kidneys and is endorsed by people you know.

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Mrs. Alice Berryhill, of 313 Boyce Street, Chattanooga, Tenn., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— "Three years ago life looked dark to me. I had ulceration and inflammation of the female organs and was in a serious condition. My health was completely broken down and the doctor told me that if I was not operated upon I would die within six months. I told him I would have no operation but would try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. He tried to influence me against it but I sent for the medicine that same day and began to use it faithfully. Within five days I felt relief but was not entirely cured until I used it for some time.

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