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LOCAL BRIEFS

Mrs. E. H. Cooper on Thursday, returning to her home in the evening. Mr. T. J. Robinson and family, of Philip, South Dakota, arrived in this city this week, and are among the newcomers to Oregon who are looking for a location.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cole and Edward Rechner left Thursday morning for Molalla, where they attended the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Susan Vaughan.

Messrs. Robert Beattie, J. E. Jack and Ernest Mass went to Molalla on Thursday, where they attended the funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Susan Vaughan.

Mr. Samuel O. Dillman, who has been seriously ill for the past five weeks at his home in this city, is improving, and was able to be out for the first time on Thursday.

Mr. Phil Graves, one of the well known farmers of Clackamas county, whose home is near Aurora, was in this city on Saturday, and was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Eva Graves.

C. Hornshub, of Shubel, was in Oregon City on Thursday. Mr. Hornshub recently sold his farm at Beaver Creek through the agency of Elliott & Son for \$10,000, and he will move to Portland.

Miss Blanche Bassett, of St. Paul, Minn., who has been spending the winter at San Diego, Cal., is visiting in the city for a few days guest of the Misses Alma W. Moore and Florence G. Moore.

L. G. Holden, formerly battalion chief in the Portland fire department, who is a sprinter with no mean record and who is part owner of the Rhododendron Tavern on the Mt. Hood road, was transacting business in Oregon City Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Van Orden, baby and mother, Mrs. M. Bell, left on Wednesday morning for Elk City, where they have leased a hotel during the summer months. Mr. Van Orden preceded his family several weeks ago.

Mrs. O. F. Marion and three children, of Madras, have arrived in Oregon City, and after visiting with Mr. Martin's parents at Mountain View will leave for Highland, where they will visit with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maxson.

Mrs. J. A. Tufts, wife of the County Treasurer, underwent an operation at one of the leading hospitals of Portland at the first of this week. The operation was successful and Mrs. Tufts is reported as doing nicely with prospects of full recovery.

C. T. Tooz & Co. Saturday sold the Becker place on Beaver Creek, to J. J. Lemmers, who has just arrived from the East coming from Hardington, Neb. It is a very good buy and Mr. Lemmers is greatly pleased with the farm and promises to make improvements and establish a home that will make for comfort and profit.

Mrs. L. D. Williams, of Ilwaco, Wash., who has been the guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Warner, of Locust Farm, Mount Pleasant, has returned to her home. Mrs. Williams has been spending the winter months at Los Angeles, California, and was on her way home. Mrs. Mary Brown, of Portland, was also the guest of Mrs. Warner on Thursday.

BEAVER CREEK GIVEN LIBERALLY TO ROAD

CLACKAMAS SOUTHERN RAILWAY RECEIVES LIBERAL SUBSCRIPTIONS TUESDAY EVENING.

Three of the board of directors of the Clackamas Southern Railway went to Beaver Creek Tuesday evening to hold a meeting for the promotion of the project of building the new railway out to Beaver Creek way through to Molalla and the Molalla country. The meeting was held in the Grange Hall and there was a large and enthusiastic gathering.

Those who went to Beaver Creek were G. B. Dimick, O. D. Ely and F. M. Swift, and they were joined in addressing the men present by several residents of Beaver Creek and vicinity.

It proved a very enthusiastic gathering and considerable money was raised for the pushing ahead of the work on the line. In fact more money was raised at Beaver Creek and by subscriptions that came in voluntarily on Tuesday than the whole work of promotion and grading done so far has cost.

The people of Beaver Creek recognize what the improvement will mean to the county at large and to the section traversed. While the road will prove a great convenience to Beaver Creek citizens who wish to come to the city, or to ship their products here, still the further away from the county seat the greater the benefit to be received so that from Molalla way there should be added desire to see the road built. In fact the further from this city the road advances into the country the greater benefits that will come to those living in the section to be traversed.

Considering these facts the subscriptions from Beaver Creek are very flattering, and then when the promoters stop to consider the many promises of further support that is to come from this section there is every incentive to continue in the good work of raising funds for the additional work that it seems wise to do in fully equipping and operating the line as a contributory line to this city.

THE MATCH BOX.

A Full House to Enjoy the Playlet at Twilight Saturday Evening.

There was a large attendance at the entertainment at Twilight hall Saturday evening, when the Twilight literary society gave a rendition of the lively little playlet, "The Match Box." The entertainment was given by local talent entirely, and was well received by those present. Following is the cast of characters:

Major Hadway C. M. Doda
Amie Hadway, a daughter Tom Lawrence
Blanche Hadway, another daughter M. J. Luzzello
Wanda, Major's niece M. J. Luzzello
Tom Lawrence Wallace Johnson
Dr. Gregg M. J. Luzzello
James, Irish servant, Chas. Caldwell
Peeggy, another Mrs. F. W. Thompson

The presentation went off without a hitch and those in the cast were receiving congratulations of friends. Three weeks from Saturday the society will present another play for the entertainment of friends. At that time there will be a small admission fee charged, the money to be used in building a sidewalk for the benefit of the community.

SCHOLASTIC RATINGS OUT.

Girls Average Highest—Football Men Above Average.

EUGENE, April 15.—A study of the grades made by the students of the University for the last semester reveals the fact that the girls made a higher average than the boys. The girls averaged 89.1 for the semester's work, and the boys 83.3. The Women's Dormitory made the highest average of any of the women's clubs, 92. The lowest average of any of the women's organizations was 86. The Masonic Fraternity, the Anacalis, made the highest average of any of the men's clubs, 89. The lowest men's club average was 79. The members of the football team averaged 84, which is higher than the total average of all the men.

BURNED IN HIS OFFICE.

CLAREMONT, N. H., April 14.—(Special.)—Samuel Finley Storey, the New England editor who had been living on nine cents a day, was burned to death in his office here today. He refused to starve so the elements removed him by fire.

NEW FILING CABINETS.

County Clerk Mulvey Has Installed the Vertical System.

System is the key note of the administration of County Clerk W. L. Mulvey, of Clackamas county. Mr. Mulvey has just added a battery of Y and E sectional vertical filing cabinets to his office equipment and hereafter all papers will be filed vertically. The cabinets were purchased through Huntley Bros. Co., and their installation means that the affairs of the County Clerk's office will be more economically administered because of the systematic manner in which they are conducted. All public papers will be filed away in such condition that reference may be had to them at a minute's notice.

CELEBRATES HER 81 ST BIRTHDAY ON SUNDAY

MRS. ELIZABETH WARNER IS ONE OF THE PIONEERS IN OLD OREGON.

Mrs. Elizabeth Warner, one of the prominent Oregon pioneers who came to Clackamas county with her parents in the year of 1852, celebrated her 81st birthday at the home of her son, A. C. Warner, of the Lilia Farm, Mount Pleasant, on Sunday, and it was a most enjoyable occasion.

Mrs. Warner is known to many of the pioneers of Oregon, and is unusually active for her age. She is now residing in one of the most historic and oldest homes in the State, known as Locust farm, and is visited by many throughout the year, and they are always treated royally by this hospitable woman.

Mrs. Warner was born in Rensselaer county, New York, April 16, 1830, and came with her parents across the Plains by ox team. She was united in marriage on November 23, 1854, and moved to Oregon City, where her husband was in business. They remained in Oregon City until the year of 1865, when Mr. Warner disposed of his business and purchased the McCarver D. L. C. at Mount Pleasant, where Mrs. Warner has since resided. Mr. Warner having died some time ago at the old home at Mount Pleasant.

Near the old homestead is the son, Arthur Charman Warner, her daughter, Mrs. Annie Warner King, and her daughter, Mrs. Helen Warner Lawton, who resides with her at the old home.

During the day Mrs. Warner was the recipient of many congratulations of her friends who hoped she would live to enjoy many more such occasions. Mr. and Mrs. Warner gave a birthday dinner in her honor, and the tables and rooms were prettily as well as appropriately decorated for the occasion.

AUTO MONEY GOES EAST.

Purchase of Many Machines Means Shortage Here and Plenty East.

There has been some complaint that money is scarce considering the large volume of business that is being transacted from day to day. A leading financier of Oregon City, who is connected with a small country bank in this section, had this to say Monday: "There is a reason for the seeming shortness in cash at this time. The bank with which I am connected is one of the small ones, and yet our balances are \$28,000 less now than a year ago. We figured on the auto proposition to see if it could have anything to do in the matter. As a result we could figure up \$35,000 that had been sent from our country East to pay for autos within the year, and nearly all this money if not in the machine would still be in our bank. If that rule would hold good—and we know no reason why it will not—it would mean enough to make a shortage on the Coast and an abundance in the East."

FLAGRANT VIOLATIONS OF STREAM POLLUTION

FISHERMEN WHO VISIT MILK CREEK FIND ITS SURFACE COVERED WITH SAWDUST.

A quartet of local fishermen were out to Milk Creek for a little sport Friday. They had their sport but not few fish, part of which was not their own fault.

Conditions at certain points on Milk Creek need attention of the fish commissioner. Below the saw mill there is a stretch of water for at least a half mile where the water can scarce be seen for a heavy scum of saw dust. This has a deleterious effect on fish, and in consequence has a bad effect on the fishing. There were also logs and floating debris strewn over the surface of the stream to the annoyance of fishermen and to the detriment of the people living in that section.

There is a State law which provides that no sawdust shall be dumped into running streams, and shall not be so strewn that the raise may wash it into the streams. The condition found at Milk Creek is in direct violation of this law, it is said. So far as was to be seen on the surface no effort is made to keep the sawdust from washing into the stream, and in some places it is evident that there is pains taken to have the dust wash in so that it may float away and save the mill men the expense of putting it out of the way of the workmen with the least possible expense.

An attempt was made some time ago, it is said, to put a stop to the pollution of this stream. The matter was taken up before the grand jury but for some reason it was dropped—either it was too much trouble for the jury to go and see for themselves or no one took any interest in placing the evidence before the jury, in any event the matter was not given further attention. As there is a flagrant violation of the law in conditions on Milk Creek, and as the grand jury soon to convene will be sworn to do its whole duty, it may not be amiss to suggest that Milk Creek receive attention at the coming session of the jury.

A Silver Anniversary



Memories of '47

The year 1910 marked the sixty-third anniversary of the introduction of the most widely-known brand of silver plate—

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LETTER LIST.

List of unclaimed letters at the Oregon City Postoffice for the week ending April 21, 1911:

Woman's List—Gresmer, Mrs. B.; Johnson, Elizabeth H.; Smith, Verma; Stratton, Mrs. W. L.; Taylor, Mrs. Cora.

Men's List—Fuller, Claman J.; Kaufman, I. B.; Louis, Harvey; Meier, Mr.; Miller, Bachelor Frank; Morden, Earle B.; Reach, Wm. (2).

REDUCTION IN DENTAL PRICES

During the next month beginning April we are going to give you a discount on all Dental Work where the bill amounts to Ten Dollars or more. This will be a splendid opportunity for those who have been waiting to have their dental work done. You will have to make arrangements early to get an appointment. The month of April is a dull month, but we propose to make it a lively one. The work will be the best—and we guarantee the same. Our best guarantee is our 20 years' successful practice in Oregon City.

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DENTISTS

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Phone 2671. Bldg. A 131.

HERE FROM INDIANA.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Sends Delegation of 200 to the Northwest.

S. Robacker and family arrived in Oregon City on Thursday evening from Fort Wayne, Ind., and are at present making their headquarters in this city. Mr. Robacker is a dyer by trade, but has purchased five acres of land near J. E. Gase, and will build a new bungalow, which will be modern throughout. Mr. Robacker has a conservatory on his place he has just purchased, and will raise flowers and vegetable plants for the market.

Mr. and Mrs. Robacker and family are well pleased with Oregon, and will mean enough to make a shortage on the Coast and an abundance in the East."

BLACK OIL AT MOLALLA.

Drillers for Water Strike Shallow Vein of Oil-Bearing Sand.

Rivers & McGregor, well drillers from Willamette, are drilling in a well at the McBride & McBride farm in Molalla. The drill is down 45 feet and at that distance the drill run into a shallow vein of oil-bearing sand which shows a slight flow of black oil. There is little or no gas but the oil is marked very distinctly.

Rivers & McGregor think that they are in the same sand at 45 feet that the Stone oil well people found at 800, and that in the case of the Molalla well the oil-bearing sand comes nearer the surface. They are watching the signs with much interest and will keep close tab on what the well produces from this time on.

PRICE BROS. WINS.

The Score at Oak Grove Sunday Was 15 to 5.

Price Bros. ball team went to Oak Grove Sunday to play with the team from that place. The score resulted 15 to 5 favor Price Bros. Roy Young umpired the game; Johnny Smith was score keeper; Carl Spencer was manager. It was the first game at which Tedford, the new pitcher, was with the team. Next Sunday they will play the Popcorn Kings, at Canemah Park. Line up:

Price Bros. Oak Grove
Tompson Worthington
Telford-Stokes Clayton
Landers Clare
N. King Story
Freeman Rippey
Smith Johns
Miller Holt
Rittenhouse Staats
P. Long Force

WILL DRILL NEW WELL TO HUNT GAS AND OIL

SECURING SMALL FLOW WHILE DRILLING FOR WATER GIVES ENCOURAGEMENT.

The finding of oil and gas in the well drilled in on the McBride farm some three miles from Molalla has led those gentlemen desiring to know how much there is in the ground at a point where the small amount was found last week.

Contract has been let for a second well, and this is to be a test well for oil or gas and have no desire to secure water. It will be but a short distance from the first well, which is showing a good flow of water. Rivers & McGregor have been given the contract to drill in the second well, and yesterday a new drill and other paraphernalia were shipped in and new gasoline lamps secured so that the drill may run night and day.

NEWELL FINDS HORSES IN PORTLAND STABLES

MEMBERS OF LADIES OF SECURITY DROP IN TO SPEND THE DAY.

The horses lost by P. D. Newell of Jennings Lodge, have been found. They were rounded up in Portland, two in one place and the third in another. Deputy Sheriff Bugler assisted in locating them, and when Newell identified his animals the Sheriff took possession in his name.

Officers Shaw and Brown are still of the opinion that the horses were taken through Oregon City, as the story was told several days ago. They are still of this opinion for the reason that they were seen by too many people for all of them to be mistaken. What was done was, evidently, to troll them in one direction in broad daylight so that there might be many witnesses to the horses and the direction they were going, and then after night turn about and sneak them off in another. This is an old trick of the game, and it will often fool people who are not awake to the plays that a smart thief will put up to fool one.



Free! Free! Free

THIS ELEGANT LARGE SIZE ROCKER

Will be given away to all our customers trading at our store and paying cash. With every 10c purchase we give one purple trading stamp. Such stamps so obtained are to be pasted in the blank squares on the pages of a book. When all are covered, bring the book to our store and select from our assortment of premiums the article you like best. It becomes yours absolutely free of charge. This Rocker exactly like picture is worth six dollars and will be given away for two books. This is only one of the values we are giving away, and you are invited to inspect them all.

FRANK BUSCH OREGON CITY, OREGON.
Furniture and Hardware

BOUND OVER TO COURT.

His Partner in the Crime Has Confessed and Wants Forgiveness.

Carl Klotz, arrested in Hood River charged with participating in the robbery of O. S. Sarver, of Estacada, about the middle of March, was brought to this city Thursday evening by Officer Brown and Friday morning he was arraigned before Justice W. W. H. Samson. He pleaded not guilty on the advice of his attorney, Brownell and Stone, and Samson bound him over to court in the sum of \$300. Not having bond to offer he was committed to await trial.

As one of the principals in the "robbing" of Sarver has confessed there seems little wisdom in Klotz trying to cheat the law of its due. O'Donnell is not only necessary to the crime but he had the money in his possession when he did "fess up" to show that he must be telling the truth.

PLAY TWO GAMES.

Pirates Looking for Games for Future Playing—Win One Sunday.

The Willamette Pirates broke even Sunday by winning the morning game and losing in the afternoon. In the morning they played the Greyhounds, of this city, winning in a score of 7 to 6. It was a good game with a large attendance.

In the afternoon they played the Crescents—score 23 to 18. There was a fair attendance. Next Sunday they will play the Willamettes or Green Points, at home. Other teams wanting to play should write Frank Gasser, manager.

CHAUTAQUA WANTS YOU.

Program for the Fourth is Calculated to Please Old and Young.

Chautauqua managers wish the friends of that enterprise to understand that an effort will be made to give a good program on that day with the desire to please them, and because of this the management asks you not to forget this and make dates elsewhere that you will regret.

There will be two speakers on this occasion—Ex-Gov. Yates, of Illinois—a one-time Governor of Illinois who is the son of the War Governor of that State. Gabriel R. McGuire, who is the first white man up the Congo after Stanley came down. He is a foreign traveling missionary who has seen much of the world and he has a great reputation for being an entertaining speaker.

In addition to this feast of reason there will be a ball game and several other kinds of sports, the program not having been completed. There will be there will be fireworks and music and crisp popcorn and red lemonade.

CHILDREN CRY FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

ACTION OVER MONEY DUE.

Plaintiff Seeks to Collect When Default is Made in Payment.

George W. Winfield has begun action against Austin C. Milliron and R. W. Clark to collect the face of a mortgage, with interest, the sum total amounting to \$600. The business transaction was the loaning of money on a promissory note, secured by mortgage on a certain 20 acre tract of land in section 10, town 6 south, range 2 east.

After the loan to Milliron a transfer was made to Clark and plaintiff seeks to collect, making both parties defendants in the suit. The note was to be paid in installments and plaintiff alleges that but one installment has been paid while the second is long since due and he asks judgment accordingly.

Dimick & Dimick are attorneys for plaintiff.

FUNERAL HELD MONDAY.

Late David P. Jones Had Resided Here for 22 Years.

The funeral of the late David P. Jones, who died at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon at his home in West Oregon City, took place Sunday afternoon at the Portland Crematorium, where services were held. Mr. Jones was born in Cardiff, Wales, and was aged 70 years. He came to the United States at the age of 21 years and came to Oregon City 22 years ago and resided here until his death.

He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Esther Smith, David Jones, Mrs. E. C. Jones, C. Jones and Mrs. Kate Garlick.

Born at Maple Lane.

Born to Mrs. H. Ordway on Friday, March 31, a daughter. Mrs. Ordway is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Brown, of Maple Lane, and has been spending the winter here, being accompanied by her two sons.

TAKE THE HINT

You can get the best that money can buy if you buy of our new stock of canned Table Fruits. They have the delicious, ripe flavor.

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