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LOCAL BRIEFS

Born, to the wife of Paul Pettit, a daughter, March 19. Born to the wife of Joseph Lieser, of Canby, a daughter. Born March 14, to the wife of J. Edgar Davis, of Clackamas, a daughter. Born, Friday, March 15, to the wife of Alex Schram, a daughter, weight 7 1/2 pounds. Born, Saturday morning, March 16, to the wife of D. Duncan, of Kansas City Addition, a son, weight 7 pounds. Miss Corneha Boyce, one of the well known and highly esteemed women of Molalla, who underwent a serious surgical operation at the Hospital in Portland, is slightly improved. T. B. Faircloth, J. H. Hise, Mr. Hunter, of the Ogle Mountain mines, arrived in Oregon City Monday evening and will spend a week before returning. These men report a hard trip, having to make part of the trip on snowshoes, the snow in some places being six feet in depth. Neighbors of C. M. Oglesby gave him a surprise at his home on the Abernethy Tuesday evening the occasion being his birthday. The evening was spent in music and games, which were followed by refreshments. Prizes were won by L. Barnard, Mrs. B. Barnard and J. M. Stevens. Mr. and Mrs. William Shatz, of Stafford, were in Oregon City on business Thursday afternoon. Mr. Shatz, who is one of the prominent farmers of Stafford, states that much work is being done in that vicinity by the farmers have been busy engaged in plowing while others have planted potatoes. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Templeton and family for the last city several years ago for many years at Wright's Springs, Clackamas County, and who is at present making her home in Portland with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Coates, is very ill her condition being critical for several days. Mrs. Wright, although celebrated her eighty-third birthday Saturday, March 16, and was enjoying the best of health until several weeks ago when she was taken ill. Grandma Wright, one of the prominent pioneers, whose home was for many years at Wright's Springs, Clackamas County, and who is at present making her home in Portland with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Coates, is very ill her condition being critical for several days. Mrs. Wright, although celebrated her eighty-third birthday Saturday, March 16, and was enjoying the best of health until several weeks ago when she was taken ill.

WORK IS STARTED ON HOME OF ELKS

BUILDING TO BE ONE OF FINEST ERECTED BY ORGANIZATION IN STATE

BONDS ARE EASILY DISPOSED OF Big Celebration Planned For Dedication July 15—Site One of Most Most Attractive in City

One of the finest homes of the Elks in the state will be that soon to be erected by B. P. O. E. No. 1189, of Oregon City, the contract for the building having been awarded to Simmons & Company, of this city. Although the local order is only two years old it is in a flourishing condition and has a large membership, who are looking forward to the dedication of their new home, which will probably be about July 15. The building site is on Water street and is one of the most attractive in the city overlooking the Willamette river, and is between Sixth and Seventh streets. This was recently purchased by the lodge. The bonding and furnishing committee is composed of William H. Howell, chairman; Thomas P. Randall, Charles W. Kelly, R. L. Holman, M. D. Latourette. About \$17,000 bonds have been sold. It is intended to raise about \$7,000 for the furnishing of the building. Several of the rooms will be furnished in mission. The building will be two story with a cement basement. Fronting the Willamette river will be the veranda, 11x22 feet, and from this will open the corridor, 18x20 feet. On the first floor will be the ladies' parlor, 22 feet and eight inches by 18 feet, while on the north side of the corridor will be the reading room, 18x25 feet. The lobby, the dimensions of which are 16x25 feet, is to be in the rear, and from this will open the billiard room, 34 feet 6 inches by 22 feet, 3 inches; card room, 26 feet, eight inches by 22 feet and 3 inches; the sten room with its beam ceiling, fireplace, built-in shelves, is to be 18x14 feet. On the second floor will be another veranda, 11x22 feet. The corridor on this floor will be 23x12 feet. On this floor will be the secretary's room, 12x18 feet; ante-room, 13 feet, 10 inches by 18 feet; ante-room, 12 feet, 8 inches by 8 feet; banquet hall, 18x42 feet; kitchen 9 feet, 5 inches by 15 feet. The lodge room will be the stage, 8x20 feet. On this floor will be a kitchen and store room, this is to be 8 feet, 9 inches by 12 feet, and on the first floor there will be a similar room. The refreshment room adjoining the kitchen will be 12 feet, 6 inches by 18 feet and the check room, also on this floor will be 8x16 feet. Workmen have already commenced excavating and the contractors will rush the work on the building, so as to be ready by the specified time in July. Plans are being made by the organization to have a grand celebration when the building is completed and Elks from all over the state will be present.

WIFE, SUING, SAYS HUSBAND HIT CHILDREN

The defendant in the divorce action of W. J. McKilloan against Mary J. McKilloan, Tuesday, through attorneys, Dimick & Dimick, filed an answer and cross complaint in which she makes sensational charges. She alleges that her husband has frequently choked her children and has refused to contribute to the support of the family. The plaintiff asserts that she had to take her children in order to support herself and children and her husband taunted her for it. McKilloan was recently arrested for non-support but the charge against him was dismissed by County Judge Beattie, who said the evidence showed that he had contributed \$30 a month toward the support of the family, and had provided a small farm for the wife. McKilloan, in her cross complaint, asks \$50 a month alimony, the custody of their minor children and \$200 attorney's fee.

MAN, SUING, ACCUSES WIFE OF FLIRTING

Charging that his wife had been guilty of "flirting," with a penchant for going to dances, doesn't like him, refused on several occasions to prepare his dinner, and finally deserted him, C. C. Paxton, Wednesday filed suit for divorce from Letha Paxton. They were married in Portland September 2, 1911, and the plaintiff says, despite the fact that he spent his salary of \$100 a month in providing a comfortable home, she became dissatisfied. He asserts that he gave her money with which to visit her parents in San Pedro, Cal., February 12, 1912, and she wrote upon arriving there that she would never return to him. Anna Joseph Gietos seeks a divorce from Joseph H. Gietos. They were married in Wheeling, West Va., May 16, 1910. She alleges her husband deserted her February 15, 1911.

WIFE SAYS SHE HAD TO COOK FOR LIVING

Alleging that her husband treated her cruelly Dottie Wright Tuesday filed suit for divorce against Edwin J. Wright through attorneys, Dimick & Dimick. They were married July 5, 1908 in Bellingham, Wash. The plaintiff says that while they were living in Douglas county the defendant frequently threatened to kill her. She further alleges that he failed to support her and she was compelled to cook in logging camps and hotels with which to get money to cloth and provide food for herself. While she was living in Portland in 1910, the plaintiff avers the defendant called upon her and took \$25 from her. She asks that her maiden name Dottie Dawson, be restored.

WIFE, SUING, SAYS HUSBAND DRINKS

Alleging that her husband drank to such an extent that she was compelled to leave him, Charlotte M. Woodward filed suit for divorce Thursday through Charles R. Woodward. They were married in Oregon City December 17, 1893. The plaintiff avers that her husband spent most of his money in saloons and remained away from home late at night. She further alleges that he was a drunk and of a general disposition when recovering from "sprues." She asks the custody of their daughter, Maebelle.

MOTT ACCOUNTING CASE IS DISMISSED

County Judge Beattie Wednesday dismissed the petition of Kate B. Horton administratrix of the estate of Elias B. Mott that Frank Mott be compelled to turn over to her about \$5,000 which she said belonged to the estate. Judge Beattie said that no evidence had been introduced to show that Frank Mott had any property which belonged to his father that should be turned over to the estate. The court held that the money in the son's possession had been turned over to him by his father to create a trust fund for the widow.

Couple Gets License

A license to marry was issued Thursday to Hulda M. Kanne and Leonard E. Stratton.

S. O. DILLMAN GETTING "BACK TO FARM" FAST

S. O. Dillman, who recently resigned his position with the Willamette Pulp & Paper Company, will soon take charge of his farm at Mount Pleasant. Mr. Dillman purchased 17 1/2 acres from M. M. McCarver D. L. C. about six years ago. He has sixteen acres under cultivation there being five acres in fruit trees. One acre has been planted to cherries of the Bing and Lambert varieties. Three acres have been planted to strawberries of the New Oregon and Clark's varieties. Not only does Mr. Dillman intend having an ideal fruit farm, but intends going into the poultry business, and has already negotiated for some blue ribbon poultry.

PUBLIC BUILDING BILL IS PASSED

SENATE ACTS FAVORABLY AND HOUSE IS EXPECTED TO DO LIKEWISE

SENATOR BOURNE WIRES MC BAIN Commercial Club Head Asks Congressmen To See That Measure Is Favorably Received in House

"Senator Chamberlain's bill appropriating \$75,000 dollars for a public building in Oregon City just passed the Senate." The above is the text of a telegram received by B. T. McBain President of the Commercial Club, from Senator Bourne Saturday evening. The passage of the bill by the senate virtually means that it will be passed by the House for Congressman Hawley has been active in its support and said when he was here recently if the bill was passed by the senate there would be no question as to its passage by the lower house of Congress. Mr. McBain immediately wired Senators Bourne and Chamberlain as follows: "We congratulate you on your success in our behalf. Trust you will continue your efforts and see our bill safely through the House. We thank you in the name of Oregon City and Clackamas County and have all confidence in you." "The Commercial Club of Oregon City," "B. T. McBain, President." Mr. McBain wired Congressman Hawley and Lafayette as follows: "Senator Chamberlain's Oregon City Public Building Bill passed the Senate today to the great satisfaction of our entire district. We thank you in advance for your continued untiring efforts in our behalf and the final success of the undertaking." "The Commercial Club of Oregon City."

SISTERS TO BUILD HOME NEAR ELWOOD

A home for aged women and orphan girls is to be built near Elwood Station on the Mount Hood railway. The location consists of ten acres of unenclosed land recently acquired for the purpose by the Catholic Sisters of the Montavilla convent, and will be easy of access and is remarkably well adapted for the uses to which it will be put. Clearing of the land is now under way, and a well is being drilled which is intended to supply ample water for all the buildings and for irrigation purposes. Erection of the necessary structure will commence within a few weeks.

OREGON CITY HENS LAY MONSTER EGGS

Mrs. J. E. Fisher, who lives on 12th and Division streets, has some chickens which she is proud of, one of which produced an egg Friday that measured eight inches in length and 6 1/2 inches in circumference, weighing six ounces. This the production of one of the black America hens that were recently on exhibition at the poultry show in the armory, and which was awarded one of the blue ribbons. Mrs. Fisher also has some prize Buff Orpingtons and Rhode Island Red poultry.

MAN, CALLED HORSE THIEF, IS ARRESTED

A man who gave his name as F. Nicklin was arrested Monday at Marquam on a charge of stealing a horse from Fred Henrick, of Beaver Creek. The horse was stolen Saturday night and Mr. Henrick notified Sheriff Mass. The Sheriff telephoned a description of the horse to various parts of the county, and was notified Monday that a horse answering the description of the missing one had been brought to Marquam. Deputy Sheriff Miles went to that place and arrested Nicklin.

DOUBLY PROVEN

Oregon City Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence. This Oregon City citizen testified long ago. Told of quick relief—of lasting benefit. The facts are now confirmed. Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive. It forms convincing proof of merit. Theodore Hueth, Park Place, Oregon City, Ore., says: "I found Doan's Kidney Pills to be just as represented and I consider them worthy of endorsement. For a long time I suffered from lameness across my back and there was a steady ache over my kidneys. The trouble was not severe enough to lay me up, but it caused great distress, especially when I stooped or lifted. On a friend's advice, I was finally led to use Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from the Huntley Bros. Drug Co. and they removed every symptom of my trouble." (Statement given January 27, 1906.) A Permanent Cure. In April, 1910, Mr. Hueth added to the above: "The statement I have previously given in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills still holds good. This remedy effected a permanent cure in my case." For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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REGISTRATION BOOKS TO BE OPEN AT NIGHT

County Clerk Mulvey said Friday that the indications are a new record for registration will be established this year. Up to last Saturday 2966 voters had registered, the party affiliations being as follows: Republican, 2124; Democrat, 677; Socialist, 104; Independent, 46 and miscellaneous 7. To give persons who work during the day an opportunity to register Mr. Mulvey has announced that the books will be open April 1 to April 6 inclusive from 5 o'clock in the afternoon until 8 o'clock in the evening. Furman Huzbee has filed his declaration for the Republican nomination for county clerk. He lives at 608 John Adams street. W. L. Mulvey, the incumbent, filed his declaration several days ago.

BALL TEAM ENGAGED FOR CHAUTAUQUA

The fast Woodburn baseball team has been engaged by Secretary Cross as one of the five teams that will compete at the Chautauqua this summer. The team is one of the best amateur nines in the state and Mr. Cross says the Chautauqua is fortunate in having closed the deal. The directors of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association will meet at two o'clock this afternoon to appoint a permanent committee, to examine the applications to furnish music and attend to other business. Secretary Cross urges all directors to be present.

DR. WILEY, PURE FOOD EXPERT, QUILTS OFFICE

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the "pure food man," who is chief chemist of the bureau of chemistry in the department of agriculture, resigned today. Wiley handed his resignation to Secretary Wilson. "Wiley has resigned," said Wilson, "that is all I can say or know." A powerful manufacturers' lobby has been attacking Wiley but his friends have been standing staunchly by the "pure food man." On learning today that Wiley had resigned, Congressman Murdock of Kansas said: "No single individual in the country has stood so long, so persistently and so successfully against the special interests. Special privileges have hampered him more than any other individual in the history of the nation. His retirement is a personal loss to almost all of the population of America." It developed that Wiley a week ago delivered an ultimatum to Secretary Wilson that either Dr. F. L. Dunlap, associate chemist, who was Wiley's antagonist, must quit before today or that Wiley would resign. Wilson would not discharge Dunlap, who refused to resign, and Wiley made good. Wiley's determination to rule in his department or to get out took form at the time his employment of Dr. H. H. Rusby of New York was investigated. Attorney General Wickham then recommended that Wiley "merited censure," but a congressional committee and President Taft exonerated the pure food man. Wiley's resignation was effective today. Of it he said: "After 23 years in the government service I have had all I want. I have received a dozen offers from all over the country, but have not as yet fully decided which I shall accept. I have promised to deliver a few lectures in Colorado and Nebraska. Then I will consider my future. It will take time." Dr. D. O. Donohue, associate chemist of the department will act temporarily as Wiley's successor.

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FERRY'S SEEDS

GUY BOYLAN DIES OF TYPHOID FEVER

Guy Boylan, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Winnie Boylan, of Cathlamet, died in the Oregon City Hospital Sunday morning of typhoid fever and complications. The young man was stricken at Cathlamet about nine weeks ago, and was taken to Portland for medical treatment, being at St. Vincent's Hospital for five weeks. About four weeks ago he was brought to Oregon City Hospital. He suffered a relapse Saturday. His parents were with him when he died. The remains were taken to Cathlamet Monday where the interment will take place today. Mrs. W. C. Green, an aunt of the deceased, and Mrs. Pauline Schwartz, grandmother, went to Cathlamet to attend the funeral services. Guy Boylan was born in Oregon City August 23, 1896, and with his parents moved to Cathlamet several months ago. He was a bright and ambitious boy, and had made many friends during his residence at Cathlamet. He is survived by his parents, two sisters and four brothers. He was a nephew of Mrs. W. C. Green and Mrs. Lloyd Williams of this city, and Mrs. Frank White of Portland, and a grandson of Mrs. Pauline Schwartz and Fred Metzner of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. George Boylan, of Seaside.

CHARTER MEMBER FIRST GRANGE DIES

Mrs. William Davis, of the Garfield district, near Estacada, is dead after a lingering illness. She was born at Albany, N. Y., January 25, 1851. Her maiden name was Sarah Martha Green. She was married in Adair County, Iowa, May 24, 1867, to William W. Davis who survives. To this union seven sons and three daughters were born, all of whom are living. With her husband she crossed the plains in 1863, settling in Clackamas County. She was a charter member of Marshfield Grange No. 1, the first grange that was organized in Oregon and also a charter member of Garfield Grange No. 317.

MRS. IDA MUNDHENKE DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Ida Mundhenke, of Clackamas died at a Portland hospital Tuesday evening of paralysis after an illness of more than a year. Mrs. Mundhenke was well known at Clackamas, having lived there for many years. She is survived by four children, who are: Mrs. J. F. Finn, of Portland, A. C. Senker, Bellingham, Wash.; Mrs. G. B. Weigle, of Seattle, Wash.; W. F. Mundhenke, of Clackamas. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 1 o'clock at the Finley undertaking parlors in Portland.

J. C. SMOCK DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harding left Saturday for Sherwood where they will attend the funeral of J. C. Smock who died Friday afternoon after an illness of about a year. Mr. Smock was a brother-in-law of Mrs. Harding having married her sister. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at the family home at 1 o'clock, the interment to be in the Mount Pleasant cemetery, near Sherwood. Mr. Smock had lived in Sherwood for some time. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Mrs. Nettie Fitch, Mrs. Morback, Mrs. Saultes, Ray Smock and Ira Smock. He was about 63 years of age.

INTERVENTION IN MEXICO EXPECTED

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, March 15.—In the belief that a decisive battle between rebels and federalists soon is likely, and that it will be fought at Torreon, Mexico, 3000 refugees, mostly women and children, are en route north from that place. Most of them departed on trains Wednesday. Two coaches were crowded with Chinamen who fear a repetition of the massacres that marked the Madro revolution. Freight service at Chihuahua from Juarez was suspended temporarily today and all available equipment at Juarez was sent south of Chihuahua, presumably to be used in moving the rebel army from here.

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