

LOCAL BRIEFS

Louis Funk, of Beaver Creek, was in the city Tuesday.
Rev. T. C. Butler, of Hubbard, was in the city Monday.

Peter Davidson, of Medrum, was in Oregon City Friday.
Percy Shibly, of Sandy, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

C. W. Herman, of Molalla, was in Oregon City Friday.
Frank Willard, of Springwater, was in Oregon City Monday.

Charles Hizer, of Wilhoit, was an Oregon City visitor Sunday.
Charles E. Reynolds, of Maple Lane, was in Oregon City Monday.

George E. Rockness, of Viola, was a visitor in the city yesterday.
John Bohlander, of Beaver Creek, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Linn Shank, road supervisor of Wilhoit, was in Oregon City Friday.
J. Ferguson, a farmer of New Era, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

William Bird, of Wilhoit Springs, precinct, was in the city Tuesday.
D. N. Hridenstine has sold his farm at Damascus and moved to Logan.

Fred Steiner, a farmer of Beaver Creek, was in Oregon City Monday.
Mrs. Carline Bremer, of Willamette, was in Oregon City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mortenson, of Molalla, were in Oregon City Wednesday.
Mrs. Margaret Mueller, of Beaver Creek, was here Thursday on business.

MOLLIE JURY IS UNABLE TO AGREE AFTER 4 HOURS

VOTE STANDS 3 TO 2 AT EVERY BALLOT IN FAVOR OF DEFENDANT.

CASE OF STATE BASED LARGELY ON USE OF ALLEGED WIRE TRAP

J. H. Bigger, Florist, Alleges He Saw Thief Take Plants From Greenhouse - Can Waive Watchers.

Almost five hours of deliberation was to change the mind of any of the jurors in the trial of F. E. Mollie, of the Falls View district on a charge of stealing roses from H. J. Bigger, a florist. Justice Stevers discharged the jury at 8:45 o'clock Wednesday night, the vote standing at every ballot 3 to 2 for acquittal.

Bigger claimed in the trial, that he had been missing young trees, rose bushes and other plants from his property on south Center street, but was unable to catch the man, until with the aid of his son, Frank Bigger, he made trap. A wire was tied to a bunch of rose bushes and a can fastened to the other end of the wire. He said on the stand that several nights after the trap was planted, he and his son heard the can rattle and upon looking out of the house saw Mollie taking the bushes.

Bigger also alleged that he identified several plants of Mollie at his home at Falls View as his own. The defense consisted of a general denial of the charges. Mollie with his brother the time the two Biggers claim they saw the thief with the aid of their trap, said the defense. He had no object in taking flowers or trees for the Mollie property there is a large number of plants, was another point made by George C. Brown, Mollie's attorney.

The jury was composed of E. H. Cooper, J. J. Tobin, W. U. Myers, Fred Steiner and L. O. Eaton.

MONTHLY MEETING OF VEREIN IS HELD HERE

The Deutsche Verein held the regular monthly meeting Sunday afternoon at Knapp hall. At the close of the business session the following program was rendered:

Opening address, Gustav Schnoorr; president; song, "Vereinslied." Verein; recitation, Little Margaret Rakel; song, "Deutschland Ueber Alles." Verein; recitation, Anton Fitzko; vocal triette, "Komm Heim." Mrs. Gustav Schnoorr and Peter Winkle, Miss Augusta Hopp; address, Dr. Norden, of Portland; song, "O Strassburg." Verein; closing address, D. M. Klemson, vice president.

OREGON CITY SUED FOR \$1000 BY BOY

Oregon City is made defendant in a suit for \$1000 filed Saturday by Lester Bonner, aged 17 years, through his mother, who has been appointed guardian, Mrs. R. H. Fory, B. N. Hicks is appearing for the plaintiff.

MRS. ARRON GUINIP IS GIVEN DIVORCE

Mrs. Charlotte Guinip, a pioneer resident of the county, was Saturday granted a divorce from Arron Guinip, a Civil War veteran, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment and excessive drunkenness.

JUSTICE HOLMES OF U. S. SUPREME COURT IS NOW 74 YEARS OLD



WASHINGTON, March 16.—Associate Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes of the United States supreme court observed his seventy-fourth birthday on March 8. The jurist was born in Boston on March 8, 1841, and is the son of Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, the famous American poet and essayist, who died at the age of eighty-five. Justice Holmes has been on the supreme court bench since 1902.

CANBY ASSOCIATION FOR LIBRARY FORMED

Plans for a permanent library association were discussed at a well attended meeting in the Canby city hall Monday night. Many from outside of the city as well as residents of Canby were present.

CARL GREGG DONEY WILLAMETTE'S HEAD

PORTLAND, Ore., Mar. 17.—Carl Gregg, D. D. L. D., president of the West Virginia Wesleyan college, Buckhannon, W. Va., was elected president of Willamette University, Salem, by the board of trustees of that institution, which met at the First Methodist church today in an all-day session.

THREE DIVORCES GRANTED

The following divorce decrees were signed Friday by Circuit Judge Campbell: Walter Arndt from Laura Arndt, Laura B. Everton from Imer E. Everton, and Beryl E. Sykes from Laura Sykes.

MRS. MARY BOHN RECOVERS FROM AN OPERATION

Miss Mary Bohn, aged 65 years who underwent an operation Wednesday at the Oregon City hospital for abscessed appendix, is out of danger Friday, despite her age and the seriousness of the case, said Dr. Gruy Mount, who performed the operation.

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WEDDING CERTIFICATE, 6 YEARS OLD, FILED

The certificate of marriage of a wedding performed February 22, 1909, by Justice W. W. H. Sampson, who died two years ago this month, was filed Tuesday by County Clerk Harrington.

FOUR WIVES SEEK DIVORCES HERE

MRS. HANNAH E. BIGGER CLAIMS HUSBAND DREW GUN AT NEW ERA HOME

Charging that while they were living at New Era, her husband pulled a gun on her and threatened to shoot, Mrs. Hannah E. Bigger, for some time a resident of this city, has filed a suit for a divorce against Alfred E. Bigger.

DESERTION SOON AFTER MARRIAGE

Mrs. Treasure Snow Alleges John Edward Snow Became Tired of Her Less Than Month After Wedding.

WEST LINN HONOR ROLL

For the month ending March 12, pupils neither absent nor tardy in the West Linn school were listed as follows: Emily Nixon, Frank Snow, Michael Wilson, Allen Draper, Mary Adrian, William Nixon, Margaret Wyland, Lillian Lawrence, Emma Peterson, Richard Nixon, Eileen Nixon, Gladys Wright, Fred Bremer, Joseph Nixon, Olive Howell, Chester Wood, Leonard Green, Erna Fisher, Margaret Papoun, Zenna Lytell, Julia Lytell, Flora Kanak, Clara Karlik, George Junker, Elmer Simpson, Myron Tobin, Charley Day, John Marco, Eva Lee, Ella Fisher, George Papoun, Dempsey Powell, Evanelle Hall, Ralph Guynes, Ralph McCoy, Jennie Karlik, Lavina Karlik, Herman Taylor, Violette Ford, Fern Day, Blanche Lee, Lester Farmer, Charles Karlik, Joe Planton, Francis Junker, Joe Ma, Louis Lytell, Florence Karlik, Winifred Humphrys, Ruth Montgomery, Eleanor Hall, Florence May Dewick, Mae Powell, Mildred Kanak, Edna Downing, Nellie Marco, Mayme Lemon, Gladys Montgomery, Elsie Busch, Mabel Ford, Ella Karlik, John Zadinler, Herman Busch, Claud Montgomery, Leonard Schwartz, Emmette Shields, Dorothy Downing, Fidelia Sanders, Harleigh Wright, Tom Carleton.

JAPANESE GIRL WINS SPELLING BEE HONORS

Miss Fuyuko Fukai, a Japanese pupil of the Sunnyside school outspelled a picked team from five school districts at a spelling bee in the Stone schoolhouse Monday afternoon.

DEAKINS ESTATE PROBATED

The estate of Mrs. Alice E. Deakins, who died February 23, was probated in the county court Tuesday. Her estate is valued at \$8,125, consisting principally of farm property. The petition mentions 12 living children of Mrs. Deakins as heirs.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children

The Kind You Have Always Bought Signs the Name of Castoria. "Baker's new street flusher," says the Democrat, "will be the first in the state to be mounted on an auto truck, according to Mayor Palmer. He believes that this feature will prove a big money saver to the city."

Will Provides Payment For Life On Farm

Sons Get \$75 A Year And Daughters, \$31.50

The good, old-fashioned theory that children should stay at home and work for their parents to their 21st birthday is the principle upon which the will of Daniel Erb, probated in the county court Friday, is based. Mr. Erb was a prosperous farmer living on Elliott Prairie who died February 14.

SUIT IS AIMED AT MILWAUKIE STREET

THEODORE HAGENBURGER PROTESTS AGAINST PAYING FOR IMPROVEMENT

The town of Willamette and its marshal, Samuel Rhee, are made defendants in an action filed in the circuit court Friday by Theodore Hagenburger, asking for an injunction to prevent the city from selling property for the improvement of Front street in that city. The case is in the hands of L. Stipp and C. Schuebel, local attorneys.

WADE WAYLAID ON WAY TO HIS HOME

Lester Wade was waylaid on his way home from an entertainment Thursday night, he claims, and Friday morning swore to a complaint charging Clarence Erickson and his father, Louis Erickson, of the Clackamas Heights district, with assault. The father and son appeared before Justice Stevers Friday afternoon and entered a plea of not guilty.

CUT THIS OUT NOW

If you don't want it today, you may not want it later. Send this advertisement and 5 cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You receive in return three trial packages—Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds, croup and grippe; Foley Kidney Pills, for weak or disordered kidneys or bladder; Foley Cathartic Tablets, a pleasant, wholesome and cleansing purgative, just the thing for winter's sluggish bowels and torpid liver. These well known standard remedies for sale by Jones Drug Co. (Adv.)

Two pair of twins born in month. Two pair of twins were born in Clackamas county during February, according to the report of County Health Officer Van Brantkle. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Emery D. French, of Oregon City, and Les F. Arnt, of the Canby district. Ten deaths and 43 births are reported for the month.

MRS. R. P. BURNS DIES AT GLADSTONE HOME

Mrs. R. P. Burns died at 1 o'clock Thursday morning at her home in Gladstone, after an illness of three months. She had been a resident of Gladstone five years, coming there from Rainier, and is survived by 16 children, all of whom were at her bedside at her death.

CHARLES ROGERS' SENTENCE HEAVY

Charles A. Rogers, who confessed Thursday to a charge of forgery, was given a sentence of from two to 20 years in the state penitentiary Friday and was taken to Salem late that afternoon by Sheriff Wilson.

MRS. PAT. FINUCANE DIES HERE SUDDENLY

Mrs. Patrick Finucane, aged 49 years, died 7:15 o'clock Saturday morning of heart failure. All week Mrs. Finucane seemed to be in good health. She prepared breakfast Saturday morning and soon after her husband left for his work she fell dead.

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May 3-8 Is Celilo Canal Week

River Towns Plan Celebrations

PORTLAND, Ore., March 17.—(Special)—Unique features are planned by the communities of the Columbia river valley the week of May 3-8, 1915, in honor of the official opening of The Dalles-Celilo canal. The occasion seems more and more to be taking on the character of a gala outpouring of the people, wherein seriousness will be intermingled with gaiety.