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LOCAL BRIEFS

John Evans, of Hazeldele, was in this city on business Saturday. Ira A. Deaton, of Sandy, was in this city on business Monday. George Holman, of Beaver Creek, was in this city Thursday. Robert and Albert Schoenborn, of Carus, were in this city Saturday. Joe Harless, of Molalla, visited with friends and transacted business here Monday. Frank Talbert, well known resident of Clackamas, was in Oregon City Monday. John Habethier, of Clackamas, was among those visiting in Oregon City Monday. Edward Voss, of Redland, was in this city Saturday, where he transacted business. Miss Rosie Molyva, of Union Mills, was among those visiting in Oregon City Saturday. W. O. Vaughan, of Molalla, transacted business and visited with friends here Monday. Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce are the proud parents of a 10 pound girl, born Friday, the 5th. W. P. Kirchem, of Logan, was among those transacting business in this city Saturday. Len Parrish, of Highland, was among those transacting business in this city Wednesday. L. C. Hubbard, of Molalla, was among those who transacted business in Oregon City Monday. H. M. Eccles, of Canby, was in this city Saturday. Mr. Eccles is a well known instructor of Canby. Miss Mary Mitchell, who left for her home at Sandy Saturday evening, where she visited her parents, returned to Oregon City Sunday evening. G. J. Taylor, formerly editor of the Molalla Pioneer, who recently disposed of his paper to E. H. Palmer, of Dillon, Montana, was in this city on business Monday. George Ingram, of Carus, was in this city Saturday, where he was a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Landsborough. Mr. Ingram is a brother of Mrs. Landsborough. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schoenborn, of Carus, were in this city Thursday on their way to Portland, where the former went on business, and accompanied his brother, Frank Schoenborn, of this city. F. L. Proctor, of Sandy, was among the Oregon City visitors in this city Thursday night, having come here to attend the Republican rally. He was accompanied by M. A. Deaton and H. E. Esson also of that place. L. W. Robbins, of Molalla, was in this city Wednesday on his way home from Portland, where he had visited his wife, who underwent a successful operation at the Portland Surgical hospital in Portland Wednesday morning. George W. Ossfeld, of Merrill, Ore., on his way home from a business trip to Portland, stopped over Sunday and Monday for a visit with his mother-in-law, Mrs. R. M. C. Brown, of this city. While in Portland he sold two carloads of stock. The Twilight Sunday school held a halloween party at the Twilight hall Friday evening. During the evening games were played, after which refreshments were served. There was a large attendance, and all attending had a most enjoyable time. Miss Isabel Hattan, of Portland, who is taking a training course in nursing at the St. Vincent's hospital, and who spent Monday and Tuesday at her home near Stone, was in this city Tuesday on her way to Portland to resume her duties at the institution. Mrs. M. E. Molyva, of Eugene, was in this city Saturday and Sunday, and visited with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Molyva, of this city. Mrs. Molyva left Monday morning for Astoria, Oregon, where she has been called by the serious illness of her sister, Miss Kincaid. Addie G. Green filed a suit Wednesday against Anna Marie Colfelt, Fredrika Colfelt, Augusta Colfelt and Anna Colfelt, the administratrix of the estate of the late J. A. Colfelt, to collect \$1200 alleged due on a note signed by J. A. Colfelt, to foreclose on property held by the estate and to secure the appointment of a receiver. The Oregon City Commission Co. has on display at its place of business an extraordinary specimen of the mango wurtzel stock beet. The weight is 12 pounds, length 14 inches, and circumference is 16 inches. This beet was grown on the "Sunny Hill Farm" owned by Dennis Donovan near this city. The Mount Pleasant school pupils observed Thursday as visiting day, and in company with the teachers visited the schools in the vicinity of Oregon City. The teachers as well as the students enjoyed the trip, this being made by automobile. Monday the Kelso school visited the Mount Pleasant school, the trip was made by automobile. Miss Bessie Waugh, of St. Joseph, Mo., who is to arrive in this city the first of the week, and who will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Gault, of Gladstone, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock will be united in marriage to Chester Carpenter, who is formerly of St. Joseph, and at the present time book-keeper for the Gl-Intone Lumber company. The marriage will be solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gault by Rev. R. L. Dunn.

HUSBAND, SUED FOR A DIVORCE, FILED THE PAPERS AGAINST SELF

CHARLES LEACH THEN GOES INTO SHERIFF'S OFFICE SO SUMMONS CAN BE SERVED.

Charles Leach, defendant in a divorce suit brought in the Clackamas county circuit court Monday, filed the complaint against himself in Clerk Harrington's office, and then walked into the sheriff's office with the summons which Deputy Sheriff Hackett served upon him. Leach paid the filing fees in the action which is brought in the name of his wife, Dorothy Leach, on grounds of cruelty. Mr. and Mrs. Leach were married August 11, 1916, in Portland. She charges that he used improper language in front of her and that he unjustly accused her of intimate relations with other men. She asks for the return of her maiden name, Dorothy Sale. Another similar case came up Monday. William MacDonald filed a suit for divorce against his wife, Nina MacDonald, Saturday, charging that she used indecent language in front of their children. Monday Mrs. MacDonald, the defendant came into the court house in quest of the sheriff. "There is a summons here to be served upon me," she explained, "and I have come up here to have it served on me." Deputy Hackett served the papers on her in the sheriff's office.

MISS MABLE CHASE AND A. W. FRIEDERICHS WED

The marriage of Miss Mable Chase, of Gladstone, and Albert W. Friederichs, of this city, was solemnized at Vancouver, Wash., Thursday afternoon with Rev. Sawyer, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating. The young couple returned in this city on Friday where they are to make their future home. The bride is one of the popular young women of Gladstone, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chase, of that place, while the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Friederichs, the former a well known hardware merchant of Seventh street. He was born and reared in this city.

WEST LINN TAXPAYERS' MEETING NOVEMBER 3

The annual West Linn budget meeting when taxpayers will be called upon to check over the estimated expenditures for 1917 will be held in the West Linn city hall November 3. The city council met Wednesday night to lay plans for the meeting, transact routine business and arrange for the annual city election in December. The following election officials were named: Judges, John Kelly, J. R. Hickman and Harry Shipley, and clerks, J. W. Draper, M. Hickman and B. Davenport. Treasurer Clarence reported that the city had received \$7,965.97, the second half of the taxes on the city levy.

MARRIAGES OUTNUMBER DIVORCES IN OCTOBER

USUAL RATIO OF 3 TO 1 IN FAVOR OF DECREES SHATTERED LAST MONTH.

For the first time in years, the number of marriage licenses issued in Clackamas county in a month has exceeded the number of divorce suits filed. A count of licenses showed that during October 24 couples were married in this county, while only 21 divorce suits were filed, and only 13 divorce decrees were signed. Usually the number of divorces in this county exceeds the number of marriages to the ratio of about 3 to 1, a majority of the suits being filed by non-residents of this county. Many Clackamas county couples go to Vancouver, Wash., to be married, in that way still further increasing the ratio.

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YOUNGEST REPUBLICAN TO MARCH, 3 YEARS OLD

ALBERT W. MORRIS ONE OF 10 IN FAMILY TO TAKE UP CAUSE FOR HUGHES.

The youngest patriot in the Republican parade Thursday night was Albert W. Morris, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Morris, who accompanied his parents. This youngster is the great grandson of Mrs. S. B. Calliff of this city, and of the late H. B. Calliff, who served for several terms as county treasurer many years ago. Mr. Calliff was a veteran of the Civil war, and saw active service, being captain of company K, Thirty-eighth Iowa Infantry. He stayed with his company until the close of the war.

Young Morris' delight is to carry an American flag or to wear his high-pointed cap decorated with stars and stripes. He flatly refuses to be called a Democrat. He kept time to the tune of the band or of the drums on Thursday night and attracted no little attention as he marched down the street carrying his waving flag.

There were ten members of the Calliff family in the parade on Thursday night, and Mrs. Calliff says that she is sorry that there were not ten more to march for Hughes. Mrs. S. B. Calliff, who is 55 years of age, will be among those to cast her vote for Hughes this year.

SUIT IS FILED OVER BUTTEVILLE FARM LEASE

Orton A. Graham, owner of 29 acres of farm land near Butteville, filed a suit in the Clackamas county circuit court Friday against B. J. Sittler, who has leased the property, asking for an accounting, for the cancellation of the lease and for an injunction restraining the defendant from disposing of any stuff from the place. Circuit Judge Campbell signed a temporary restraining order, enjoining Sittler from disposing of any of the stuff on the farm until the case is heard. Graham alleges that Sittler has sold part of the crop and several pigs, contrary to the lease.

DIVORCE DECREE SIGNED.

Circuit Judge Campbell Wednesday signed a decree divorcing Minnie B. Brown from Albert B. Brown. She was given \$50 a month permanent alimony.

FREAK POTATO IS FOUND



This is what all who have seen it call a "Bull Moose" potato. It is of the Early Ohio variety. Mr. Rau will harvest a good sized crop of potatoes this year although his garden is small.

3 BANKS ADOPT NEW HOURS FOR BUSINESS

CHANGE BECOMES EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 1—CLOSE SATURDAY 1 P. M.

The Bank of Oregon City, the First National and Bank of Commerce yesterday announced that they had adopted new and uniform hours of business, effective November 1. On and after the first of the month the front doors of the bank will be opened at 9 a. m. and close at 3. Side doors will be opened at 8 a. m. and close at 4 p. m. Saturday the front doors will be closed at 1 p. m. and the side doors at 3 p. m. On paydays, the 10th and 25th of the month, the side doors will remain open all afternoon and the front door will open at 5:25 p. m. and close promptly at 6 p. m. In urgent cases the banks will permit business outside of these hours if arrangements are made in advance or over the telephone.

OREGON CITY BOY IN EAST, MUSICAL WONDER

PAUL SWOPE, 13, RECEIVING SPECIAL INSTRUCTION AT GREENVILLE, S. C.

Paul Swope, who was born in Oregon City, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Swope, the former practicing law in this city before taking up his residence in the south, has proven to be a musical wonder. The lad is only 13 years of age, and already has made a reputation for himself as a singer. He is at the present time at Greenville, South Carolina, where he is taking special instruction. For some time he was soloist in Christ church at Norfolk, Virginia.

Young Swope has already appeared on the chautauque platform in the east, and has won much praise before large audiences. His brother, Leslie, who entered Harvard at the age of 15 years, is now taking up his third year's work. He is specializing in law. He, too, is a former Oregon City lad.

George Swope, the boys' father, who formerly resided here, is a brother of Mrs. Charles Oglesby, of Oregon City. He has taken the charge of two small churches near Abbeville, South Carolina, resigning his position with a larger church in order to devote his time to literary work, having written a number of book recently.

BEAVER CREEK LITERARY SOCIETY IS ORGANIZED

The Beaver Creek School Literary and Debating society was organized Friday afternoon, October 26. The following officers were elected: Thomas Parry, president; Wilbur Bohlander, vice-president; Clara Bohlander, secretary, and Dorris Pryce, treasurer.

The question chosen for the first debate was, resolved that gunpowder is of more value to mankind than a steam engine. The speakers on the affirmative: Wilbur Bohlander, Thomas Parry, Doris Pryce, Edward Roberts, Richard Bohlander, Elmer Londergan, Bertha Martin, Alice Hughes, Daniel Roberts. The speakers on the negative: Myrtle Pryce, Evelyn Bohlander, Nada Blum, Genevieve Londergan, Therese Walter, Clara Bohlander, Ellen Santesson, Willie Hughes. The question was decided nineteen to thirteen in favor of the negative.

Neuralgia May Have Driven Missing Mill Worker To End Own Life, Officers Believe

Neuralgia may have driven Arthur Sevits, 25, employee of the Hawley Pulp & Paper company to suicide, believe Constable Frost and Deputy District Attorney Burke who are striving to unravel the mystery attached to his disappearance.

Last Thursday the man told his wife that he was going to Salem to dig potatoes. "Don't expect me back until you see me coming" he shouted as he left the house. He has not been seen since. Local authorities are even unable to find whether he took a train to Salem. Early this week Mrs. Sevits left for Salem to stay with relatives.

Sevits was the victim of violent neuralgia pains. He told Mrs. William Morrill, his wife's aunt, that if he had another attack he might take his life. It is known that for two days preceding the day of his disappearance, he was suffering from neuralgia. Sevits came to Oregon City from Salem several months ago and for a time was employed on a river boat. In September his wife and child came to Oregon City and the family lived at 1315 Madison street until the time of his disappearance. He is five feet, 10 inches tall and of medium build. He worked in the Hawley mill under Yardmaster Ed Shaw.

HERE'S A SECRET—MISS EMMA QUINN WILL WED

DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK 6 YEARS AND THEODORE M'CLAREN TO BE MARRIED.

This is an open secret. Ever hear of an open secret? It is a secret in theory only. No body is supposed to know about it—but—About everybody does. For that reason it can hardly be considered news, but here goes: Miss Emma T. Quinn, deputy county clerk, is going to be married soon after the first of the month to Theodore M'Claren, of Wilhoit, grandson of F. A. M'Claren, proprietor of the Wilhoit Springs. Miss Quinn will complete almost six years of efficient and faithful service for the county tonight. She has handled practically every branch of work in the clerk's office. Thomas Gregory, of Greenwood, will take up her work at the courthouse.

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TWO ACCIDENTS IN TWO DAYS IS RECORD HELD

BY R. S. STEVENSON

MOTORIST WHO ACCIDENTLY KILLED GIRL HAS AUTO SMASH NEXT DAY.

S. R. Stevenson, former Brownsville druggist, is having more than his share of accidents. Thursday afternoon he accidentally hit Marie Desclow, age seven years, and the girl died two hours later. He decided to stay over night in Oregon City so that he could be here for the inquest.

Friday afternoon, the coroner's probe completed, Stevenson left his car on Main street near Fourth. The machine was caught between a street car and a wood wagon driven by Chris Muralt, of Homedale, and considerably damaged. One of the horses was thrown partially under the car and his violent kicking added to the damage. The coroner's jury, composed of S. O. Dillman, A. A. Price, H. L. Martin, P. S. Baker, George J. Hall and S. MacDonald, found that "the evidence convinces us that said Marie Desclow unconsciously walked in front of the automobile which could not have been avoided by the driver." Stevenson told a straight-forward, convincing story to the jury, which reached a verdict after only a few minutes of deliberation.

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