

LOCAL LORE.

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—Wheat 65.
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 —Services at the Catholic church tomorrow, mass at 10:30 a. m. and vesper at 7:30 p. m.
 —The First Spiritual Union of Corvallis will hold services at Barrett Lyceum on Sunday at 3 p. m. All friends cordially invited.
 —Mr and Mrs J. D. Irvine arrived Tuesday to reside, and occupy a residence recently purchased of Mrs. Tunnell near the Southern Pacific station.
 —A marriage license has been issued to Henry Riddler of Soap Creek, and Miss Mary Kempf. The wedding is to occur in Albany next Wednesday.
 —A timber land entry was made before County Clerk Monday by Adelbert T. Perkins of Toledo. The claim is for 160 acres.
 —United Evangelical church:—Revival services will continue next week. The meetings are increasing in interest. Preaching tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. No service at Mt. View tomorrow.
 —The manager of the 1902 football team at the University of Oregon reports a deficit of \$627, with \$98 in the treasury. A loan for the amount has been negotiated.
 —John A. Gellatly, ex-recorder of Benton, arrived Thursday for a two week's visit with friends and relatives. He is now located at Waterville, Washington, where he is deputy county auditor. He is also engaged in the abstract business, and is doing well.
 —Lafe Y. Wilson who has been in Alaska for several years, arrived Wednesday. Sometime ago, while loading a vessel at one of the northern ports, he fell down a hatchway and suffered severe bruises about the head, and has not yet entirely recovered. He expects to return to the Arctic in the spring.
 —The excellent music by the choir of the Presbyterian church is certainly appreciated. In order to prove it, the members of the choir, and their husbands or wives, were royally entertained Monday evening by Mrs. Carrick and Mrs. Lee at the home of the latter. Guessing strains of music and illustrating popular songs provided much amusement. After wards an elegant banquet was spread. The choir now believe it is worth while being musical.
 —Prof. E. F. Pernot left Thursday for Medford where he has been called as an expert in a vinegar factory that is about to be opened there for the manufacture of vinegar from apples. The plant for the factory cost about \$5000 and the operations are to be on a large scale. Non-marketable apples from the extensive orchards of the vicinity are to be utilized.
 —Occupying large space in the Pacific Rural Press, the chief agricultural publication of California, is a bulletin recently issued by Prof. E. F. Pernot of the Agricultural College. The bulletin gives the results of experiments at the station in making vinegar from refuse prunes, and contains various suggestions relative to vinegar making.
 —D. C. Rose returned Wednesday from McMinnville, where he went to attend the annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Oregon Fire Relief Association. An election of officers was among the business disposed of. Mr. Rose having been elected a trustee for another term of three years. The reports of the officers showed a vast growth of the company's business during the past year. Arrangements have been perfected for future payment of assessments by local policy holders to be made at the Willamette Valley bank instead of to Trustee Rose as in the past.
 —R. M. Cramer returned Thursday morning from Eugene, where he went to attend a meeting of citizens, held to consider the proposed removal of the carriage department of the Cramer factory to Eugene. Negotiations have apparently proceeded to that point where the removal promises to materialize. E. C. Smith, a Eugene capitalist figures on taking a large share of the stock. The people of Eugene have undertaken to provide a building site at a cost of \$2,000. A committee has been appointed and is canvassing for subscriptions to the fund required for the purpose.
 —Tuesday evening there was an installation of the officers of the Degree of Honor lodge. Accompanying the ceremony was a recitation by Gladys Moore, and a cornet duet by Ridge Draper and Harold Wilkins. In recognition of her work as presiding officer of the lodge during the past year, a silver spoon tray was presented to Mrs. Watters. The presentation address was made by Mrs. Sarah Moore. The last feature of evening was the serving of light refreshments. The officers installed are: Past chief of honor, Mrs. Watters; chief of honor, Eva Tucker; chief of ceremonies, Mrs. Harris; recorder, Lella Tucker; financier, Mrs. Sheasgreen; receiver, Mrs. Hering; usher, Ava Barnhart. Inside watch, Mrs. Jackson; outside watch, Taylor Porter; maids of honor, Mae Gerhard and Mrs. Case.

—A marriage license was issued Wednesday to Burton Gardner and Edna Irene Meats.
 —W. E. Yates has filed in the probate court his bonds as guardian of Louisa E. Erwin, with Joseph Yates as surety.
 —Inventory of the property of L. Diller has been filed by Thomas Charman, administrator in the probate court. The property consists of the Diller block, and is inventoried at \$500.
 —H. H. Cameron, representing the Southern Oregon Marble Co., arrived in Corvallis Thursday and will be here for a few days to see what is required in his line of trade.
 —D. B. Zeh, of Salem, was in Corvallis Thursday and Friday in the interest of the Sulger Manufacturing Co., of which he is a manager in Willamette territory.
 —Bruce Burnett is to go to Southern Oregon soon, to be absent most of the summer. Something is going to happen to him before he goes, Don't say anything about it.
 —New deeds filed for record are, Jane Hitchens and others to F. L. Miller, residence property in Corvallis, \$800; J. A. Hawkins and wife to Florence D. Gilbert, 87 acres west of Philomath, \$525; Gilmore T. Kelly and T. K. Fawcett, one-half interest in 761 acres near Monroe, \$2,450.
 —Bernham Hyland, a prominent farmer of Lane county, was a visitor with Corvallis relatives several days this week. He was much interested in the experimental work going on at the college and spent much of his time while here, at that institution.
 —Roy, son of M. Wilkie, was visiting in Corvallis this week. He has grown to manhood since being in Corvallis seven years ago, and few old acquaintances recognized him as the stout little fellow who for a long time drove the street car. He is a resident of Portland.
 —Frank Leggett, member of an old Benton and Linn family, is on a visit to relatives and old-time friends in this locality. Mr. Leggett is in the furniture business in North Yakima, and while in Albany Monday purchased a carload of chairs from the Albany chair factory.
 —According to the statement of John A. Gellatly, the town of Waterville, Washington, when he went there two years ago, contained a population of only 400 souls. The growth has been so rapid that today there are 1,800 inhabitants, or an increase of 400 per cent, in two years. A big irrigation ditch, constructed by Seattle capital is among the causes of this unusual growth.
 —In the probate court the will of the late C. C. Vanderpool has been filed. The document was made April 8, 1902, and Willard Cauthorn and V. A. Carter are witnesses. It devises property valued at \$2,500. The heirs are Julia A. Dooty of Independence and Nancy J. Neal, Solo, and Avert and David Vanderpool, of Wells. The farm goes to the sons. The executor under the will is David Vanderpool. The appraisers are Theodore Parker, Jacob S. Robbins and W. S. Tomlinson.
 —Word has been received from M. D. Hall, who with his family returned to Kansas a little over a year ago. He writes that he has rented his farm and that he is bound for Webfoot. It will be remembered that he held a position at the Experiment Station, and was quite dissatisfied with the country, but is now determined to come to Corvallis to stay. Snow there, he says, is five inches deep, and has covered the ground for five weeks.
 —A violent sickness is suspected to have resulted from something eaten by Misses Edna and Ada Flaley the other day. Sunday afternoon one of the young ladies was taken ill and she so remained throughout the evening. The following morning the sister was attacked in a similar way, and with symptoms exactly identical. Cheese, eaten by each shortly before the illness is suspected to have been the cause. A sample of the cheese was sent to the college for examination, but at last accounts no report has been made.
 —In contrast with the heavy deficit at the State University, there is a balance of about \$100 in the treasury as a result of the football campaign at OAC during the past season. The total receipts, aside from the student tax, which was expended on the grand stand and fence, was over \$1,200. About one half the amount was paid out for the expenses and share of the gate receipts to visiting teams. The receipts from the grand stand were sufficient to pay about one third the cost of that structure. The indications are now for a very successful season next year, both financially and otherwise.
 —The Ladies Afternoon Reading club or Corvallis supports the Lewis and Clarke fair, and appeals to the members of the legislature to vote for the half million appropriation. Their attitude was disclosed at a meeting held at Mrs. J. B. Horner's Tuesday afternoon, when resolutions were adopted endorsing and commending the appropriation to the legislative assembly. At the same meeting Mrs. M. Elston Lee gave a historical sketch of the time when Thackeray wrote Henry Esmond, and characterizations of people in the book were given by Mrs. J. Fred Yates, Miss Sarah Jacobs, Mrs. Wells, Miss Davis, Mrs. Horner and Mrs. Oathey.

RAISING MONEY
 For Removal to Eugene of Corvallis Carriage Factory.
 Wednesdays' Eugene Register: The committee appointed to investigate the Corvallis Carriage & Wagon factory were present at the meeting of the Commercial Club last night and W. G. Gilstrap as chairman submitted a report going into detail giving the inventory value of the machinery, stock on hand and the cost of turning out the finished product. It was brought out that the factory has not succeeded from the very beginning for lack of proper management and that in its present location it will probably never be a success owing to the cloud hanging over it due to business methods employed. The report showed that instead of \$35,000 being necessary to capitalize the factory and put it on a thorough business basis, \$15,000 would bring the machinery and stock here, put up a building and furnish ample money for operating. After the report was submitted E. C. Smith also a member of the committee stated that if Eugene would furnish a site and \$1800 he would furnish the capital necessary to put the plant in operation in this city under his own management with as good a carriage maker as can be had anywhere in charge of the manufacturing department. It was thought that a desirable site can be had for \$300 making Eugene's gift to the enterprise \$1800. R. McMurphy said he would give \$100, Mayor Chrisman said the factory would be a good thing for the city and would help it along, others including President Paine spoke in the same strain. The chair then appointed R. McMurphy as a member of the committee together with W. G. Gilstrap and F. M. Wilkins to look up a site see what can be done to raise the \$1,000 and report at a special meeting to be held next Tuesday evening.

FOR CONSCIENCE SAKE
 Young Man Stole Articles and Subsequently Paid for Them at Local Store.
 An incident that Miles Starr encountered the other day, almost floored him. It happened at his fruit and confectionery store. A young man entered. He glanced around, and then looked the proprietor straight in the eye. He paused a second, apparently nervously himself for his errand, and then began: "I stole a water melon from you last summer, and a lot of chewing gum. I watched my chance, and when opportunity presented, I seized the melon and gum and made off with them. I haven't felt exactly right since, and I want to square myself. I have come to pay for both articles; what is the amount?" Proprietor Starr eyed his friend for a moment, recovering gradually from his surprise, and then buckling down to business, fixed forty cents as a reasonable price for the stolen goods. The boy paid the bill, thanked the proprietor, and walked away with a light step, evidently feeling better than he had for months. The proprietor watched the retreating form, and doubtless reflected that the young man had advanced in life to the forks of the road, by accident had taken the wrong path, had found it out, and in time to save himself had crossed over to the right road where he is almost sure throughout the rest of his life, to be found.

—In the probate court Ben L. Eddy, executor of the Sarah G. Applewhite estate has been ordered to pay over the funds due the Marvin Applewhite estate to E. E. Wilson, executor thereof. The amount is \$1,248, less \$86 executor's fees.

Wanted,
 An energetic salesman to represent a reliable house in Benton county. good compensation to right party. Ad dress D. B. Zeh. Care Occidental Hotel, Corvallis.

Fine Chickens
 For Guinea hens, Black Minorca, and Buff Leghorn roosters, inquire of D. Woodward, Philomath.

The Commercial Restaurant
 Is the place to obtain your meals and good service cheaper than can be furnished at home. Board by the week \$3.00; tickets good for 21 meals \$3.50. C. C. Chipman, Proprietor, Corvallis, Ore.

For Sale.
 Milk cow also several stock cows for sale. One good plow horse to let to good party for feed.
 Organ & Carriage Factory, Yaquina Bay Celery
 Constantly on hand at Zierolf's.

ONLY TWO Weeks More of Clearance Sale At S. L. Kline's.

Every article in our big store marked down after a most successful year's business. I am determined to round up the season with the largest January Sale known to the mercantile trade. While there will be thirty days of these bargains, we ask all to come as early as possible and secure first choice. We name below a few of the many bargains.

EXTRA SPECIAL ON LADIES' WAISTS AND JACKETS

<p>Dress Goods</p> <p>\$ 50c dress goods at 39c 75c dress goods at 59c 1 00 dress goods at 79c 1 25 dress goods at 97c 1 50 dress goods at 1 19 all trimmings are included in this sale</p> <p>Ladies Wool Waists</p> <p>\$ 85c waists at 25c 1 00 waists at 50c 2 50 waists at 1 25 3 00 waists at 1 50 This line will be closed out regardless of cost.</p> <p>Ladies Shoes</p> <p>We have 50 pairs of fine shoes in broken lines worth \$2 50, \$3 00 and \$3 50. All go at \$2 per pair.</p> <p>Ladies Underwear</p> <p>\$ 25c garment at 19c 50c garments at 41c 75c garments at 62c 1 00 garments at 79c Odds and ends at 50c on the dollar.</p>	<p>Corsets</p> <p>\$ 50c corsets at 39c 75c corsets at 55c 1 00 corsets at 78c 1 25 corsets at 88c 1 50 corsets at 1 12 Broken lines at half price.</p> <p>Capes & Jackets</p> <p>\$ 5 00 jackets at 2 50 6 50 jackets at 3 25 10 00 jackets at 5 00 12 00 jackets at 6 00 15 00 jackets at 7 50</p> <p>Overcoats, Mkn'tsh</p> <p>\$ 6 50 overcoats at 5 00 10 00 overcoats at 7 95 12 50 overcoats at 10 00 18 00 overcoats at 14 85 All Mackintoshes at cost.</p> <p>Boys Clothing</p> <p>\$ 1 50 boys suits at 1 20 2 00 boys suits at 1 60 3 00 boys suits at 2 40 4 00 boys suits at 3 30 5 00 boys suits at 4 00 The Famous Banner Brand.</p>	<p>Mens Clothing</p> <p>The Famous Hart Schaffner & Marx Make.</p> <p>\$ 10 00 mens suits at 7 95 12 50 mens suits at 10 00 15 00 mens suits at 12 50 16 50 mens suits at 13 50 18 00 mens suits at 15 00</p> <p>Hats</p> <p>Our \$ 1 00 hats at 85c Our 1 50 hats at 1 20 Our 2 00 hats at 1 60 Our 2 50 hats at 2 00 Our 3 00 hats at 2 45</p> <p>Mens Trousers</p> <p>Bought of us is money saved.</p> <p>\$ 2 00 trousers at 1 60 2 50 trousers at 2 00 3 00 trousers at 2 40 4 00 trousers at 3 20 5 00 trousers at 4 00</p> <p>Shirts</p> <p>The best prints. Never before have we had such nice patterns.</p> <p>\$ 50c shirts at 41c 1 00 shirts at 85c 2 50 shirts at 1 25</p>
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See our Special Domestic Department See our Special
ON.....
Groceries
 20 yards calico assorted colors \$1.00
 20 yards unbleached muslin \$1.00
ON.....
Groceries

The public knows that every statement made in my ads is absolutely correct and when I state that I shall make price concessions, you may rest assured that a great many bargains will be presented for your consideration. Our usual terms will prevail during this sale.

S. L. KLINE'S, The White House, Regulator of Low Prices.

About Our Great Red Tag Sale, Continued Only 30 Days.

Following our annual custom of running a clearance sale previous to stock-taking, we have inaugurated a Red Tag Sale, which means that any article in the store marked with a Red Tag will be sold for cash at a price insuring its removal from our counters within 30 days.

Chanks.
 We wish to thank our many friends for their most liberal patronage during the past year. As you have been liberal with us, so will we be liberal with you and make Red Tag prices, during our annual shelf cleaning.

Blankets.
 All wool and a yard wide; all kinds and plenty of 'em. They won't sell well in July, that's why they are included in our Red Tag sale.

Boys' Suits.
 It's just like this; if a suit of clothes will do your boy a little good, two or three dollars will do us a lot of good. We have every boy's suit in the house Red Tagged, at prices that will surprise you. We would rather carry the money over next season than the suits, and they won't keep Johnny or Willie warm lying on our shelves. The time to buy is when the other fellow is anxious to sell; that is just the frame of mind we are in right now.

Men's Pants.
 We've entirely too many for this late in the season, so we have given every pair of 'em 30 days notice to get out. We need the room, you need the pants. Let's get together.

Pointers.
 Cabot W, per yard, 7c, Red Tagged, 6c
 Am. Indigo Blue Calico, 6 1/2c, Red Tagged, 5c
 Regular Shirting, 12 1/2c, Red Tagged 10c
 Regular Shirting, 10c, Red Tagged, 8 1/2c
 Novelty Dress Goods, 16 1/2c, Red Tagged 12 1/2c
 Outing Flannel, 10c, Red Tagged, 8 1/2c

The Good Old Summertime.
 A pair of Ladies' Felt Juliets worth a dollar and fifty for a dollar and twenty, made expressly for this cold weather—your feet will think it's summer.

All Men's Suits and Ladies' Jackets are Red Tagged. In fact, everything in the store is Red Tagged, excepting Top Round, Tony or District 76 Shoes, Kingsbury Hats, Monarch White Shirts, and J. & P Coats' Spool Cotton.

F. L. MILLER Corvallis, Oregon.