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LOCAL LORE.

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—Wilbur Garrow is justice of the peace at McCloud, California.

—Mrs. Casteel of Yaquina, is the guest of Mrs. S. L. Cauthorn.

—Mrs. H. S. Pernot and Mrs. E. C. Pernot have been Portland visitors during the week.

—Miss Sophia Eign left Wednesday to take a course in nursing in the Florence Sanitarium at Salem.

—Mrs. H. H. Kreger returned Wednesday to her home in Santa Barbara.

—Subject at the Church of Christ Sunday a. m. "The Lord's Supper," 7:30 p. m., "Conversion."

—Mrs. Wallace and son returned Thursday, to Portland, after a visit at the Garrow home.

—A marriage license was issued Monday to E. T. Small and Miss Elva Prior.

—Mr. Bark and family have arrived from Kentucky, and are at the home of Samuel Bane. They are looking for a location.

—Baptist church:—Sunday, bible day program will be rendered by the Sunday school at 7:30. All other services as usual.

—United Evangelical church—Services Sunday morning and evening. At 11 a. m. "Doubts," at 7:30 p. m. "Christian Discipleship." Services at Mt. View at 2:30.

—William I. Huggins has filed his final account in the estate of Sarah Ann Brown, and December 11th has been set as the day for final settlement.

—Regular services at the M. E. church South, tomorrow, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject for morning, "Heaven;" for evening, "We all do Fade as a Leaf." League at 6:45. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

—J. H. Wilson has been appointed guardian at law of the minor heirs in the estate of B. B. Blodgett. The real property in the estate is valued at \$9,000, and the property has been ordered sold at a private sale to satisfy claims.

—The First Spiritual Union of Corvallis will hold services at Barrett Lyceum Sunday. Doors open at 2:30. Free healing service at 2:45. Regular service at 3 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Harry Eyler, merchant at Eddyville, was in Corvallis a couple of hours Thursday, having come out on the O. & E. train and taken the Westside for Portland. Harry was formerly an employe at S. L. Kline's, and during his recent brief stay met many Corvallis people who were greatly pleased to see him. He had seemingly been out of the world a long time.

—The Christian Endeavor Union will hold its next meeting Sunday at six o'clock in the Presbyterian church. Ben Smith, of the Evangelical society leader. The several pastors will give short talks, the object being to help the society to understand our practical needs and how best to further practical work. All are cordially invited.

—The business property formerly owned by the late J. A. Knight and so long occupied by him as a furniture store and undertaking establishment, has changed hands. The buyers are D. M. Smith and J. D. Mann, and the seller, Hugh D. Smith. The consideration named in the deed is \$1,000. The sale was negotiated by Captain Robinson, and was closed several weeks ago, but the deed was signed and delivered within the last few days. The property has a frontage of fifty feet. The statement is that the new owners will build a brick on the site next year.

—A statement highly complimentary to Judge James Hamilton was recently published in the Oregonian. In a new volume of supreme court decisions about to be published it appears that of all the Oregon judges, Judge Hamilton maintained by far the highest average for sound decisions. Six of his cases that are to appear in the volume were affirmed, and each of them was affirmed, making his percentage 100. No other judge in the state maintained so high an average, all the others sustaining one or more reversals. Judge Hamilton is not only a sound lawyer, but a man of highest intelligence and spotless character.

—If all the projected brick buildings now talked of materialize, Corvallis will experience a great building boom in the business portion next year. Reports current are to the effect that buildings will be erected as follows: J. D. Mann & Co., at the northeast corner of Main and Monroe. Small & Son, on the site now occupied by Chlpman's restaurant and Spencer's barber shop; S. L. Henderson on the 35 feet of ground just north of the Small building, occupied now by the tailor shop and Turner's grocery store; it is also known that Mrs. Philis has figured on building a brick on the site now occupied by Miller's grocery store. In most of the above instances it is the present purpose of the owners to build. Of course, circumstances may arise to prevent the erection of any of the projected structures.

—Erwin Lee arrived yesterday from Honolulu and is the guest of Corvallis friends.

—Mrs. B. W. Wilson left Thursday for a week's visit with Mrs. Norris Humphrey at Eugene.

—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Logan, Wednesday, November 4, in South Corvallis, a son.

—Miss Mary Klecker returned Thursday from an extended visit with friends at Eugene.

—A private letter from Brady Burnett states that he will leave Washington about the 231 of this month for an extended visit here.

—Invitations are out for a social dance to be given Wednesday evening, the 11th, by the ladies of the Coffee Club.

—William H. Hornlog and wife went to Tacoma Wednesday to visit the latter's sister and other relatives. They will be absent three weeks.

—At this week's session, the county court appointed Dr. James Withycombe and M. S. Woodcock delegates to the Irrigation congress to be held at Pendleton November 9th and 10th.

—The county court has appointed C. E. Ballard as supervisor of Wren Road district, vice W. D. Reed, removed from the district.

—O. J. Blackledge, who has been associated for two or three years with J. D. Mann & Company in the carpet department, has retired from the firm. The matter was closed up last Tuesday.

—The collapse of one of her bridges bids fair to cost Douglas county a large sum of money. A man drove his team on the bridge and it fell, killing his horses, breaking his arm and injuring him internally. He sued for \$11,000 damages and a jury at Eugene has just awarded him \$6,000.

—The Albany City election a month hence is to be conducted on the party plan. Both democratic and republican conventions were held last Wednesday night, and full tickets were put in the field. J. K. Weatherford is named by the democrats for mayor and W. H. Davis for the same place by the republicans.

—Married at the home of the bride's parents, November 1, 1903, Mr. and Mrs. James Calvert, two miles south of Junction City, Mr. John Edmiston to Miss Rena Calvert. Mr. Andy Calvert was the best man and Miss Lela Tracer bridesmaid. The bride was attired in cream silk and carried pink and white roses. G. L. Lobdell was the officiating clergyman.

—Rev. Mr. Clapp, of Forest Grove will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening at the Congregational church tomorrow. Rev. J. M. Barber of Sheridan, will begin a series of meetings at Plymouth chapel next Monday evening. He is to be accompanied by Mrs. Barber who will assist in the meetings.

—Born, Saturday morning, to Mr and Mrs. George Moore, in Corvallis, a daughter. The birth was duly reported to the "Times" but an oversight prevented its appearance in Wednesday's issue. It is not the purpose of this paper to overlook any of these diminutive but important items, and it will endeavor to do better the next time.

—Mrs. Millie Smith has fitted up her business house recently damaged by fire, and it is to be used as a restaurant by George W. Smith. For several days Mr. Smith has been arranging for the business, but he does not expect to be prepared to serve meals until about the 21st of this month. Mr. Smith, however, will continue in the business of shipping dressed stock and poultry, with headquarters at the old stand.

—On the rural free delivery routes out of Corvallis, there is a fairly good showing with reference to the volume of business. The carrier on each route keeps an accurate account of the number of pieces of mail matter handled. The number that the department expects each route to deliver per month is at least 8,000. On the three routes out of Corvallis, the number of pieces handled during the month of October was as follows: Route 1, 4148; number 2, 2657; number 3, 3162; total, 9,977. On the two new routes the number is smaller by reason of the fact that all patrons have not yet put up boxes. The present number on Route 1 is more than double what it was in the beginning, and a similar increase is expected on the other two routes.

—A spell of Oregon weather has struck the Willamette Valley and relieved the growler who had it so venomously in for the long period of sunny days. The rain of a month ago started the grass to growing prolifically and there has been no cold weather to check it. It moistened the ground so that the low lands and ground cultivated this season could be ploughed, so there was no great rush for the prevailing humidity. Still there ought to be no complaint. We prayed for dry weather through hay and harvest, and we received it; we asked for good weather in order to save the hops, and it was given; then, if we would only have favorable weather in which to pluck and dry the prunes, we would be all right. We had it. We next wanted a rain to start the grass, moisten the ground for plowing and football, set the deer to moving on the trails, grow a crop of mushrooms and soak our webs. We received it, and then followed almost a month of delightfully clear days. In view of this record everybody ought to let the weather clerk run his business to suit himself during the winter.

IS CREFFIELD BACK.

They Tell That he has Returned to Corvallis—Some Roller Incidents.

Is Creffield, the prophet of the Holly Rollers, again in Corvallis? That is a question with people on both sides of it. Some relate that the apostle crossed the ferry Tuesday evening and that he is again in town. Ferryman Michael, though not positive on the point, has the impression that the man he crossed is Creffield. A lady, who claims she knows him, asserts positively that she saw Creffield at a certain place late Wednesday afternoon. James Horning, who lives near the Hurt house believes that the prophet is here. Mrs. Hurt is said to have told a caller at the house who went to buy cattle yesterday morning, that Creffield is here. The general uncertainty about his presence however, and the relapse of the members of the sect into comparative quiet has so far aroused but little interest in the question of the apostle's whereabouts. With another eruption like that of last week, the condition might be otherwise.

A LATE INCIDENT.

One of the young women who was a participant in the late manifestations at the Hurt house, is slowly recovering from an illness which the events of the time seem to have occasioned. She was an eager participant in the meetings at the Hurt house. At the time of the burning of personal effects and furniture, she packed a trunk of her clothing and effects, and placed it on the porch at home. It was the plan to have a drayman remove it to the Hurt house. Word was sent to the father, and he prevented the removal. The young woman however, went to the Hurt house, and remained there. When the apostle were on trial before the county board as to sanity, she was subpoenaed as a witness. After she had finished her testimony at the court house, she was taken by relatives and friends to a carriage that was in waiting, and driven to her home. There she has remained ever since, being most of the time confined in bed with illness. The intense nervous and mental excitement through which she passed during the meetings is ascribed as the cause of her trouble.

WHIPPING THE DEVIL OUT.

The late upheaval at the Hurt house has awakened curiosity in the summer meetings in the tents on Kiger Island. The worship there was in a wigwam, built of boughs and about twenty feet square. It was closely enclosed with a curtain for a door. The private tents of the worshippers to the number of half a dozen were scattered promiscuously about, and laundry and other evidences of human abode were visible among the surrounding trees. In the wigwam the lamentations rolling and singing incident to worship were carried on. The story is told that one of the young men was believed to be possessed of the devil, and all the company labored in vain to pray old Nick out of him. Salvation by that method was finally given up, and Prophet Creffield took the lad out into a private tent to "whip the devil" out of him, as the sect styles the process. While the lambasting was in process, Ed Sharp who has since backslidden raised the flap of the tent to see how the two were making it, so the story goes, and the apostle and his patient saw the act. In the dim light they took Ed for the devil, and both took after him. Ed ran his best, but was overtaken, according to the account, and given such a beating that he appeared in town next day with two black eyes. The story has not been confirmed by the Times, but is given as a sample of what goes the rounds with reference to the summer meetings on Kiger Island.

WANT NO SYMPATHY.

The members of the sect are confirmed in the belief that they have the true and only faith and have no patience with those who proffer advice or sympathy. A friend undertook to convince a new convert that the worship is folly. Both had served together among the Indians on the reservation at the Siletz agency. The friend reminded the convert of the incantations in which the Indians periodically indulged, and of the similarity between the savage manifestations and of the practices incidental to the new worship. He reminded the convert of the doings of Indian medicine men when they worked with patients and that the Indian doctors if possible did not permit white men to be present when they went through their orgies. The refusal of Creffield and Brooks to permit friends to see and talk with new members of the sect was instanced as identical with the

ideas of the Indian medicine men. Arguments were offered, and representations made to show the convert the character of present conditions, and finally the friend remarked that many friends sympathized. "I don't need their sympathy, it is they who need sympathy," was the stoical reply, and the interview closed.

WIDE INTEREST ELSEWHERE.

The late eruption among the Rollers has attracted attention all over the United States. Coast and Eastern papers are beginning to arrive with full accounts of the destruction of furniture and clothing and the burning of cats and dogs. The various peculiarities of belief and the manner of worship is recounted about as it appeared in Oregon newspapers. Most of the dispatches relative to the affair are sent out from there by the Associated Press and special correspondents. A Corvallis man's letter from the interior of California inquired what kind of religion the people up in Corvallis practised, and asked if the local recipient had joined yet. He had been reading the San Francisco papers. Another letter written from San Francisco and received here joked a Corvallis recipient with reference to the new religion. It is doubtful if any outbreak by religious enthusiasts at any time in the past, especially in which so few people were involved, has attracted such wide attention and comment.

MAKING HATCHING TRAYS.

How Salmon are Born—Some are Freaks, but those are Short-Lived.

J. R. Smith & Co. have been at work the past days in manufacturing hatching trays for the Elk river hatchery. The trays are box-shaped, 12 inches wide, 24 inches long, and 5 inches deep, manufactured from galvanized wire netting having an oblong mesh. Salmon spawn is placed in the trays which are in turn fitted into wooden troughs through which clear water constantly flows. The meshes of the netting are oblong, but just wide enough to prevent the loose salmon eggs from passing through. In the process of hatching, after a given time, the egg breaks and an infant salmon pops into existence. The oblong form of the basket's netting permits the tiny fish to pass through, and with its salmon instinct, it makes a shoot up the stream, which is flowing through the trough, but is soon assisted by a screen having meshes too small for it to pass through. Still, while it is confined in the trough, it never gives up its efforts to reach a higher point and every little salmon maintains a constant struggle to keep his nose against the obstructing screen. When the little fish breaks the spawn, a globule of the egg remains attached to its abdomen as a provision for the sustenance of the newly-born until it is able to procure food from another source. The appendage is entirely absorbed after a few days. Various forms of freaks emerge from the egg. Siamese twins are frequently born; little fish with double heads, and cripples in various degrees of deformity appear toward the head of the trough. Those having disabilities of any character can readily be detected because they are always at the rear of the writhing mass of infant salmon endeavoring to overcome the barrier to their progress up stream. They can not hold their own in the struggle for the coveted positions at the head of the school. The freak fish, however, are very short-lived.

FOR SALE.

Vetch seed at Corvallis Flour Mills

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton county. Sarah S. Ball, Plaintiff vs. Cyrus Perham, Ed Perham and Lona Chamberlain, Defendants. To Cyrus Perham, Ed Perham and Lona Chamberlain, the above named defendants: In the name of the State of Oregon, you and each of you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit, in the above entitled court, now on file in the office of the clerk of said court, on or before the 21st day of November, 1903, said day being the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons made by the county judge of Benton county, Oregon, (which said order is hereinafter referred to by law). On or before six weeks from the day of first publication hereof. And you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief demanded in her said complaint, namely, for a decree determining all conflicting and adverse claims, interests and estates in and to all that part of the northeast quarter of the north-west quarter of Section 33 Twp. 10 S. R. 5 W. Will. Mer. which lies north of the Alfred Williams branch or creek, in Benton county, Oregon; that defendants have no claim, interest or estate therein; that plaintiff's title therein is good and valid; and that defendants be forever barred and enjoined from asserting any claim whatever in and to said premises adverse to plaintiff; and for general relief and costs and disbursements of said suit. This summons is published in the Corvallis Times once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of October 10th, 1903, and ending with the issue of November 21, 1903, in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, county judge of Benton county, Oregon, (being the county where the above entitled suit is pending in the above entitled court) dated October 9, 1903. Date of first publication is October 10, 1903. E. R. BRYSON & E. E. WILSON, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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Oxfords and Grade Merinos—all two years old past. Good sheep with prices reasonable. Call on or address T. W. B. Smith, Corvallis, Phone Suburban 43.

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New goods all the time at Nolan & Callahan's.

Racine feet for men, women and children, Nolan & Callahan.

New line of novelty dress goods just received.

Another shipment of the Crouse and Brandegee suits and overcoats for young men arrived this week. Nolan & Callahan.

Dr. Wells, the Albany V S will be at Fruits livery stables every Friday of each week. Bring your horses and have them examined free of charge.

Wanted.

A girl, at Occidental Hotel.

For Sale.

Good gentle driving horse and buggy. J. K. Berry.

Notice for Publication.

Timber Land Act June 3, 1878. United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon. October 22nd, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1902, Barney L. Carey of Falls City, county of Polk, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 6817, for the purchase of the Lots 1 & 2 of Section No 2 in Township No 13 S, Range No 7 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Victor P. Moses, Clerk of Benton County, at Corvallis, Oregon, on Saturday, the 16th day of January, 1904.

He names as witnesses: Jacob L. Henkle of Philomath, Oregon, John W. Hyde " " " Frank Spover " " " Michael L. Flynn " " " And all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 16th day of January, 1904. ALGERNON S. DRESSER, Register.

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