

**LOCAL LORE.**

**NEWS OF CORVALLIS AND VICINITY TOLD IN BRIEF.**

**The Comings and Goings of People Social Gossip, Personal Mention and Other Items of Public Interest**

—Lela Stewart's family left Thursday for an outing at Cascadia.

—George Hankle was a Philomath visitor Wednesday and Thursday.

—Miss Agnes Klecker arrived Wednesday from Portland for a visit with her aunt in this city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Callahan returned Wednesday from a sojourn of several days at Newport.

—O. J. Blackledge and family left Thursday morning for a month's camping trip at Fish Lake.

—Mrs. Walter Wiles and little daughter are attending Clatsop at Gladstone Park.

—Mrs. Lucy Francisco was a passenger to Newport Thursday for a summer outing.

—Superintendent Denman and family left Wednesday for a camping trip in the Alsea country.

—Fifty-five passengers came in on the West-side train Thursday, most of whom were headed byward.

—A carload of sheep left Corvallis for Portland Thursday. The shipper was William Gollatly.

—Miss Modesta Barendorf left Wednesday for Jefferson for a visit with Mr. Lyle Stelwer.

—Mrs. A. B. Cordley and little daughter left Thursday for Newport, where they will spend the summer.

—Dick Kiger and Ralph Davison leave this week to join the Johnson-Ronnie-Bryson party in the Alsea country.

—D. M. Smith and Louis Hollenberg returned Wednesday from a business trip to Portland.

—Miss Gertrude Springer left Thursday for her home in Portland, after a two weeks' visit with her brother, Father Springer.

—A 100-foot dive of 100,000 feet of ash and maple arrived Thursday at the Strong sawmill from the Adamaker place.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson of Burt county, Nebraska, have arrived for an extended visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Meeker.

—Thomas Whitehorn and family, and Mrs. M. P. Burnett and baby left Thursday morning for an outing at Cascadia.

—Wednesday there were 65 and Thursday 85 Newport passengers on the westbound train as it left the Corvallis depot.

—Mrs. Mosby has arrived from San Francisco, to join her husband who is employed in one of the Corvallis tailoring shops.

—J. Hash and family of Alsea, were in Corvallis Wednesday and Thursday while here they purchased a bill of furniture at a local establishment.

—Theodore Garrow arrived from Calloria Thursday for a visit with relatives. He goes from here to Portland, where he will enter a business college.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. Woodward and daughter have gone into camp on their ranch near Philomath, for a period of rest and recreation.

—The Presbyterian Missionary society members were delightfully entertained at the home of Mrs. H. F. Fischer, Wednesday afternoon.

—Charles Wright, who has been an employe at the brick livery stable for sometime, has accepted a position in Albany, and left Thursday.

—A roan cow, advertised in the last issue of the Times as about to be sold from the pound, has been recovered by the owner. Advertising did it.

—Born, to the wife of Clarence Albin, at Philomath, a son. Mr. Albin is assistant agent at the C. & E. depot in this city, but Mrs. Albin has been residing in Philomath.

—Miss Gladys Richardson of Hoquiam, Washington, a former well-known student at OAC, is with relatives at Monroe, and is expected in Corvallis shortly for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Welsher.

—Dr. Roberts and sister, Mrs. Campbell, are expected in Corvallis in a few days. They will be at the Occidental, and will remain two or three weeks. Dr. Roberts is quite well-known hereabouts as an optician who has visited Corvallis in the past on various occasions.

—There was installation of Rebekah officers at their lodge Monday evening. They are: Noble grand, Mrs. Ellen Mundy; vice grand, Miss Sadie Dixon; recording secretary, Miss Lillian Ranney; financial secretary, Mrs. Emily Henkle; treasurer, George Forkis.

—Bids are called for in this issue for construction of the Spangler-Wiley sewer lateral.

—New type has been received for plain and fancy job printing at the "Times" office.

—The "For Sale," "Lost" and "Want" ads in the "Times" are always fresh and readable. Look over them.

—O. J. Blackledge and family are at Cascadia on a four weeks camping trip. They left Thursday.

—A new awning was placed in position Thursday in front of the repair shop of Dilley, the fixer.

—Dr. Cathey was a business visitor in Portland from Wednesday until yesterday.

—In the probate court the estates of Martha J. Walker and W. D. Armstrong have been finally settled and the bondsmen released.

—Clarence Wilson and wife, who reside near Mount View, are to remove to Corvallis next week, where they will hereafter reside.

—William Baker and family left Thursday for a camping trip to Alsea. They and the Denman's are of the same party.

—The date to which your subscription is paid appears in the address on your "Times." It looks good to you and your neighbors for it to show that you are not in arrears.

—Miss Mary Hurt arrived Wednesday from Ohio, and is at the home of her brother, Victor Hurt, for an indefinite period. She was met in Portland by Mr. Hurt.

—The family of Ed Starr of Bellfountain, are to reside in Corvallis this winter, for educational purposes. The Hunter house has been secured for their occupancy.

—The smallpox quarantine at the Jones house in Corvallis was raised yesterday, and the place was fumigated. This clears Corvallis of the disease, at least, for the present.

—George C. Dickey has arrived with his family from Jackson county, and is camping near Mary's River bridge. He wants farm or other work, and Mrs. Dickey will do plain sewing, nursing or other work that may be required in Corvallis homes.

—Somebody took a bell from a cow tied at Mary's River bridge Wednesday night. Whether the act was a joke or otherwise, is not known. If the bell is returned to the family camping at the place, no questions will be asked.

—A new edifice stands stately and staunch, on lots at the rear of Mrs. Martha Burnett's residence. It is a family barn, with all the details of architecture symmetrical and technically correct. The designers and builders were Brady and Bruce Burnett.

—Some of the finest cherries seen in this vicinity were brought from McMinnville by D. C. Rose, Thursday, on his return from attendance at a meeting of the Fire Relief Association. The fruit was of the Lambert variety and remarkable for size and superior flavor.

—The lawn at the Nolan residence was beautiful Wednesday evening with electric lights and decorations of bunting. The occasion was a lawn social given by the ladies of the Catholic church. The function was popularly attended, and the sum of \$65.75 was realized. The refreshments were candy, ice cream, cake and coffee.

—With the Lewis and Clark Fair commission offering to buy Benton's exhibit in case she makes one at the 1905 exposition, it would seem that every citizen who has an extra fine growth of wheat, of oats, of corn, of potatoes or other product of field or garden would take care of the same and place it within the reach of those to gather a county exhibit. The commission proposes to give credit to every individual who contributes a sample. Save the best things and notify the committee.

—Police Judge Greffoz and Chief Lane, with an elaborate commissary and munition department, left yesterday for a two weeks' hunting trip. It is expected that they will wind up somewhere in the vicinity of Frank Seits ranch. For deputy police judge, during his absence, Judge Greffoz leaves Justice Holgate, and Officer Osburn is to be acting chief. O. B. Connor relieves Officer Osburn as night watch. Burt Van Housen is in charge of the Greffoz jewelry establishment.

—The following real estate transfers have been filed for record: Martha Burnett to Ida B. Callahan part of lots 11 and 12 in block 7, county addition, \$350; James Price and wife to Mrs. Dollie Smith 38 acres near Walls, \$1500; S. L. Henderson and wife to W. T. Small and Son part of lot 4, block 11, \$1; O. E. Small et al to S. L. Henderson north 1-4 of lot 4, block 11, \$1; E. R. Bryson et al to J. F. Oviatt and wife four lots in block 13, Job's addition, \$133; W. A. Wells and wife to Gabriel Long block 10, Job's addition, \$500; Marlon Hayden and wife to Ole B. Reed land in Alsea, \$160; Amos Vance to Nannie E. Emery 8 lots at Summit, \$300.

**IN DOUBT NOW**

**JUDGE PARKER'S FAMOUS TELEGRAM AND ITS EFFECT.**

Said to Have Made New York, Illinois, Wisconsin and Other States Doubtful—Bryan Will Support the ticket.

Washington, July 11.—Almost without exception eastern papers today express the opinion that Parker's telegram on Saturday gives the democrats some chance of success in the election this year, whereas, had that telegram not been sent, and Parker had entered the campaign on the platform adopted at St. Louis, Roosevelt would have had a walkover. It is admitted that Parker's declaration for the gold standard has strengthened him in the East, but destroyed his chances of carrying the Western states. It is likewise admitted that he will draw back into the party many gold democrats who could not stand for Bryan and 16 to 1, though the party at large is evidenced by the action of the convention, even yet refuses to repudiate the Chicago and Kansas City platform.

Parker's action is declared to make New York a probable fighting ground, and placing Indiana, Illinois and Wisconsin in the second place. At the same time the nomination of Davis as Parker's running mate makes democratic success in West Virginia quite probable, and possibly will make Maryland again in the democratic column. It is apparent that Davis was selected because of his enormous wealth, because the party had to have some source of campaign funds.

New York papers today freely comment upon the fact that Parker's telegram was sent to Sheehan and not to Hill. They interpret this to mean Parker has shaken off Hill, and will insist the campaign will be conducted throughout in a straight forward manner.

Lincoln, Neb., July 12.—W. J. Bryan today gave out the following statement:

"I shall vote for Parker and Davis, the nominees of the democratic national convention, and shall do so for the following reasons:

"First—Because the democratic ticket stands for opposition to imperialism, while the republican ticket stands for an imperialistic policy. On this question, which was the paramount issue of 1900, and which must remain an important issue so long as an attempt is made to hold colonies under the American flag—on this issue the convention was unanimous, and I have no doubt that the candidate will carry on the platform.

"Second—Mr. Roosevelt is injecting the race issue into American politics, and this issue, if it becomes national, will make it impossible to consider questions that demand solution. The election of the democratic ticket will put a quietus on this subject.

"Third—Mr. Roosevelt stands for the spirit of war. His friends present him as a man of blood and iron. He believes in strenuousness and inculcates a love for warlike things. The democratic ticket stands for peace, for reason, and for arbitration rather than for force, conquest and bluster.

"Fourth—The democratic platform declares in favor of the reduction of the standing army, and as this plank was unanimously adopted, there is reason to believe a democratic statement on this subject would bring some advantage to the people. For these reasons, I feel justified in supporting the ticket."

**American Railways.**  
Railway mileage in the United States has passed the 200,000 mark, which is considerably more than two-fifths of the entire railway mileage of the world.—Railway News.

**Tall Men in Indiana.**  
A record of the height of Indiana soldiers in the civil war shows that out of 118,254 there were 15,047 5 feet 10 inches high, 8,706 5 feet 11 inches, 6,679 6 feet high, 2,614 6 feet 1 inch, 1,357 6 feet 2 inches, 406 6 feet 3 inches, and 335 over 6 feet 3 inches. Commenting on these statistics, Dr. Gould, actuary of the United States sanitary commission, writes: "It is evident from our statistics that the Indiana men are the tallest of all natives of the United States and these latter the tallest of all civilized countries."

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