

## LOCAL LORE.

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

#### The Comings and Goings of People Social Gossip, Personal Men- tion and Other Items of Public Interest

—A Wednesday visitor from Albany was Laundryman Simpson.

—Dr. Maud Holt is to leave today for Salem, to reside.

—From a two weeks' outing at Newport, Miss Clara Fisher returned home Wednesday.

—For a visit with Corvallis relatives Miss Lottie Rose came up from Portland, Thursday.

—J. L. Underwood and family returned home from an outing at Cascade, Thursday.

—After a pleasant outing at Cascade, W. H. McMahon and family returned home Thursday.

—After a seven weeks' visit at Newport, Mrs. Lucy Francisco returned home Wednesday.

—From a visit with Portland friends Miss Juliet Cooper was a returning passenger Tuesday.

—Misses Zoe and Laura Yantis were guests yesterday of Mrs. B. W. Wilson. Their home is in Salem.

—Returning pleasure seekers from Newport Wednesday were Rev. Green and family.

—Charles Shonfield returned from the coast Wednesday, and proceeded to Portland for a visit.

—Wednesday, Mrs. Mulkey and Mrs. Eva Miller, of Summit, came in for a visit with friends.

—Accompanied by her daughters, Marie and Evelyn, Mrs. B. A. Cathery left yesterday for a two weeks' visit in Portland.

—Mrs. T. H. Wells, accompanied by Miss Vivian, leaves today for a ten days' visit with Ed Cummings, in Portland.

—A guest at the home of Judge and Mrs. Watters this week was Mrs. Mendy, of Grants Pass. She departed for her home Thursday.

—Three tons of chittim bark was brought in from Alsea by Wade Malone this week, and stored in a local warehouse.

—For a visit with friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Small are to leave tomorrow for Turner, Marion county. They will return Monday.

—El Aldrich, of the class of 1900, O. A. C., now holds a good position, in Portland, with a chance for promotion as he learns the business.

—Mrs. Peters, accompanied by her daughters, Verna and Pansy, left a day or two ago for the hop fields of Polk county.

—After a two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. Meng, in this city, Miss Mabel Thrift departed Thursday for her home at Shedd.

—Ed Bryan and wife have arrived from Idaho for a visit with Benton county relatives. Both are former popular young people of this county.

—Prof. J. B. Patterson arrived Wednesday, and was shaking hands with old friends. Mr. Patterson has been a medical student at St. Louis for the past year.

—The wedding of Stanley Starr and Miss Emily Florence Turner, both of Portland, is to occur next Thursday, in that city. Mr. Starr is a former well-known Corvallisite.

—With his family, A. C. Miller left this week for Portland, to reside. For some time Mr. Miller has been agent for the Singer sewing machine company, with headquarters in Corvallis.

—Incoming passengers from the bay Thursday were Mrs. C. Greff and daughter, Miss Adelaide. The latter left immediately for Monroe, where she will be a guest at the Heald home.

—Reports from Mrs. Nina Rycraft, of Alsea, who was recently the subject of a surgical operation, are encouraging. Although far from well, Mrs. Rycraft is slowly improving, with the chances for complete recovery decidedly in her favor.

—In honor of the birthdays of Adolph Peterson and J. C. Hammel, two of its members, the Degree of Honor of Lodge gave an informal reception Tuesday evening. There were light refreshments and a general good time.

—New and modern fronts are to be placed in the Graham & Wells drug store and the Huston hardware establishment. The roofs are to be raised, making the ceilings considerably higher, and other changes made. W. O. Heckert has the contract, and a number of men are now engaged on the job.

—An informal dinner party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Horace Locke, Wednesday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Kerker, who left Thursday for California. Only a few intimate friends were present, but the affair was most enjoyable.

—Mrs. Dolph and children returned Thursday from a visit in Portland.

—From a week at the Bay Frank Strong returned Thursday.

—Dr. George A. C. is to arrive today for a brief visit at the John Smith home.

—S. N. Wilkins and family are to leave in a few days for a visit at the Exposition at St. Louis.

—George and Collie Cathey departed Thursday for a month's trip to the Bohemia mines.

—Elmer Mays, a former Corvallisite, now a merchant of Gleneden, Oregon, was a Corvallis visitor Thursday.

—For a hunting and fishing trip at Big Elk, Z. H. Davis left Thursday afternoon.

—Mr. G. out, who fell recently and sustained a severe injury to her hip, is slowly improving at her home on the Lower Alsea.

—Major Baird and family leave Thursday for San Francisco. They sail for the Philippines about the first of October.

—After a pleasant outing at Newport, Richard Graham and family returned home Thursday.

—Prof. Mordant Goodnough left Wednesday on a business trip to Portland.

—An afternoon tea was given by Mrs. H. F. Fletcher at her home in South Corvallis Thursday.

—The Evening Whist Club was entertained in a most pleasant manner by Miss Grace Gatch, Wednesday.

—For an outing at Monterey, George Armstrong and family departed Thursday.

—George Whitesides, who has been very low with typhoid fever, is slowly recovering.

—Harvey Lounsbury, traveling freight agent for the Southern Pacific was a Thursday visitor in Corvallis.

—From a visit to Portland and various points in Washington, Miss Mayne Crawford returned home Thursday.

—Mrs. William McLagan is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tucker, in this city. The patient is quite aged, and doubts of her recovery are entertained.

—En route to Astoria, where he will engage 40 Chinamen to work in his canneries at Florence, O. W. Hurd, of Florence was a Corvallis visitor this week. The Steamer Roscoe will meet Mr. Hurd at Astoria, and be used in transporting the celestialists to Florence.

—Cards have just been received in this city announcing the marriage, a few days ago, in Huron, South Dakota, of Prof. H. Tallantier, who is to be principal of the piano department at O. A. C. the coming year. The announcement says that the newly married pair will be "at home" in Corvallis, Oregon, after October 1st.

—Voting for the handsome silk flag comes to a close next Wednesday evening. It is the universal wish that O. A. C. may be the winner. No other institution or organization can make such good use of a flag as can the boys in blue at O. A. C., and none need it worse. Let every one cast their ballots for the pride of Corvallis—the Agricultural College.

—There was a wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carmel Hotchkiss, in Job's addition, Thursday evening. The bride was Miss Pearl Hotchkiss, and the groom Ernest Wilson, of Mountain View. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Deck, of the Evangelical church. The young people are well known and many friends join in congratulations.

—Out at the Bodine & Peck warehouse, many improvements are being made. The grounds have been cleaned up, the building repaired and improved, scales put in position for weighing stock, a yard fenced in, and now a windmill and tank with a trough for watering stock, are to be put up.

### Corvallis & Eastern Railroad Time Card Number 22.

2 For Yakima:  
Train leaves Albany..... 12:45 p. m.  
" " Corvallis..... 1:45 p. m.  
" arrives Yakima..... 5:40 p. m.

1 Returning:  
Leaves Yakima..... 7:15 a. m.  
Leaves Corvallis..... 11:30 a. m.  
Arrives Albany..... 12:15 p. m.

3 For Detroit:  
Leaves Albany..... 1:00 p. m.  
Arrives Detroit..... 6:00 p. m.

4 from Detroit:  
Leaves Detroit..... 6:30 a. m.  
Arrives Albany..... 11:15 a. m.

Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to connect with S. P. south bound train, as well as giving two or three hours in Albany before departure of S. P. north bound train.

Train No. 2 connects with the S. P. trains at Corvallis and Albany giving direct service to Newport and adjacent beaches.

Train 3 for Detroit, Breitenbush and other mountain resorts leaves Albany at 1:00 p. m., reaching Detroit at 6:00, giving ample time to reach the Springs the same day.

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## NEGROES FLEEING

### BURNING OF REED AND CATO FRIGHTENS ALL CLASSES OF COLORED PEOPLE.

Made a Profound impression in the Race—Reports of Whipping Negroes—Militia Offers to Resign—Other News.

Statesboro, Ga., Aug. 18.—The exodus of negroes following the burning to death by the mob of the condemned murderers, Cato and Reed, continues. The terrible punishment meted out to the slayers of Henry Hedges and his family has made a profound impression on the negroes, and all of them are frightened, notwithstanding that there is no desire to harm the better class of the colored people. In rare instances irresponsible bands of marauders have acted without reference to the character of the negroes attacked, as in the case of old man Roberts and his son, but these acts are deprecated by all. Roberts has lived seventy years in this community, and commands the respect of every good citizen.

The fleeing of the negroes threatens a shortage of labor in the cotton fields, where cotton picking is soon to commence.

Reports from the country hereabouts tell of various whippings of disreputable negroes, and of the intention the people to clear Bullock county of them. There are also stories of the shooting of negroes, but none of these is substantiated. Offers of assistance in subduing the negroes have been received from Brunswick, Valdosta and other points in the state.

Gaines, head of the largest negro church in the county, accused by Reed as being the chief conspirator of the Before Day Club, ran away this morning. Reed said that Gaines was under bond to pay a certain sum of money, and instituted the plan of murder for the purpose of raising money to discharge his debt.

A thoughtless young man placed the bones of the burned negroes in a box today and shipped them by express to President Roosevelt, accompanied by a note saying that Reed and Cato were two negroes with whom he would never eat. The box was taken from the express office by wiser citizens, who convinced the young man that he was doing a foolish thing.

Handy Bell, implicated by Reed as a ringleader in the murders, was seen today in the woods in the rear of a distillery about five miles from here. J. A. McDougal, owner of the distillery, who found him aimlessly wandering about, asked him what he thought of the burning of Reed and Cato. He said that they should have been burned. McDougal permitted him to go and he struck across the country.

The negro shot yesterday by a posse that thought him to be Handy Bell has not been identified.

The officers of the local military company are preparing to send their resignations to the Governor. Leading citizens are endeavoring to dissuade them from this intention. An officer declared that the members of the company were required to give up loaded cartridges issued, and that other and similar cartridges were issued to fewer than half a dozen soldiers. He said that orders were given that there should be no firing. The local men lay the blame on the officer in command, Captain Hitch, of the Savannah company.

It is not denied that the mob with the two negroes on the way to the stake passed within a few yards of the soldiers stationed about the jail, and that these soldiers could have rescued the negroes.

Omaha, Aug. 18.—Two hundred passengers on the southbound Union Pacific express last night owe their lives to the courage and presence of mind of ten-year-old Claud Nickerson, of Valparaiso.

The youngster while walking along the track from Mead, discovered that a long trestle was in flames. He ran two miles to notify the station men at his town.

The express was brought to a stand still a few yards from the burning bridge by danger signals. The bridge fell while trainmen were alighting to ascertain the reason for the delay.

Chefoo, Aug. 24.—Information of undoubted authenticity states that the Japanese armored cruisers Nishin and Kasega have bombarded and silenced the Russian forts east of Golden Hill at the entrance of Port Arthur.

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Citation.  
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For the County of Benton.  
In the Matter of the Estate of  
Wm. F. Byer, deceased.  
To W. F. Byer and Rilla A. Abrams, heirs and devisees of Wm. F. Byer, deceased.  
Greeting: In the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton, at the Court Room thereof, at Corvallis, Oregon, on Saturday, the 10th day of September, 1904, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause if any you have, why an order of sale should not be made, as prayed for in the petition of W. N. Alfors, administrator of said estate of Wm. F. Byer, deceased, of the following described real property to wit: Lots numbered 7, 8, and 9 in block numbered 4 in Hausman's Addition to the City of North Brownsville, Linn County, Oregon; Lot numbered 8 in block numbered 10 in Riverside addition, to Albina, now within the City of Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon; And Lot numbered 23, in block numbered 5, in Hyde Park, Washington County, Oregon.  
And you are further notified that this citation is served upon you and each of you, by publication thereof in the Corvallis Times newspaper for four weeks, under an order made by the Hon. Virgil E. Waters, Judge of said Court, bearing date July 30th, 1904.  
Witness: The Hon. Virgil E. Waters, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Benton, with the Seal of said Court affixed this 30th day of July, 1904.  
VICTOR P. MOSER,  
Clerk.  
By J. F. Irwin, Deputy.

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