The Comings and Goings of People Bryson, Friday atternoon. Social Gossip, Personal Mention and Other Items of Public In.terest

-Burl Galloway of Brownsville, was a Corvallis visitor over Sunday.

-William Hawkins of Portland, and John W. Wyart are on a weeks' hunt-log trip on Mary's Peak

Bell'ountain, Lon Persinger left Mon-day for Spokare.

-Mr. and Mrs. Rockey Mason of Albany, were Corvallie visitors, Sun-

-Miss This Johnson returns today

the bedside of Harry Withycombe announced that the crists had passed and that the patient was rapidly im-

-- A man is in "bard luck" indeed, if he has a wife who "never reads the ads," and who does her shopping in comparative ignorance of what things should cost.

being rushed. Painters and plasterers were in charge Monday. The shelving is all in, and the building will soon be teady for occupancy.

-F. C. Hall and Mr. Palmer, represchool, arrived Wednesday and are quartered at Hotel Corvallis, looking after business in their line.

-The Corvallis Business College is in a flourishing cordition, a number of pupils being enrolled in the day school. Prof. Richardson is in charge on Thursday afternoons, other lostructors holding classes the remainder of the days.

-While on his way to Jesse Brown's farm, Saturday, George Collens, of Sa-It is described as containing a box of cartridges, some cigars and a handkerchief. Mr. Collens requests the find- it about the first of November. Painter to leave the coat at the Times of- lag is now in progress.

bany, Sunday. The groom is the stage Iowa. driver on the Albany-Corvallis route. Mr. and Mrs. Dow are to reside in Cor-

-The farmers' institute staff returned Monday from Eastern Oregon the big football game on OAC field. where a series of institutes have recently been held, under the auspices of the college. More than three thou-sand attended meetings held by the staff in that section during the past for his home in Orroville, California.

-Cal Thrasher is to leave about the 10th of next month for Pendleton, Hillsboro, from whence where he is to write fire insurance for the Oregon Fire Relief. Those who the study of music. want policies renewed or new ones written in the company should see him before his departure.

-A new coffee por of unusual dimensions is now on duty at Elgin's bakery. It was brought from Portland a few days ago by Grant Elgin and cost \$40. Mr. Elgin is operating. a lunch counter in connection with s takery and is meeting with good

-Homer Davesport, the carroonist offers to bring his famous collection of Arabian horses, zebras, pheasants and water fowls to the Lewis and Clark Fair if the management will allow him an acre of ground upon which to display them. He is said to have the finest collection of pheasants in the world, and some of the finest Arabian horses in this country.

-The O. A. C. junior football eleven plays a match game with the second U. of O team at Eugenenext Saturday. It is the annual game between the two elevens. In a similar game last year the score was 0 to 0. The local players are to leave here on the eleven o'clock C. & E. train Saturday, and the game is to be called at, three o'clock in Eugene.

-Rev. Couly, whose pastorate of the Episcopal church of Corvallis, was to have begun at this time, will be unable to meet the expectations of the congregation. Mr. Conly is in England attending the bedside of his aged mother who is afflicted from a fatal and lingering illness. She requested her son to remain with her to the end, and he intends to comply with her wish. Mr. Conly's pulpit, however,

—The Mystic Midgets at the Opera house Friday and Saturday evenings was a very enjoyable production. Very fair houses were present each evening, though far short of what was expected by the management. The entire receipts for the two nights were \$186. The Florilla Sextette and the Jockey dance by sixand eight college girls respectively were star features of the programme. At the second performance each number was called back three times, and a fourth recall would doubtless have been insisted upon but for the fact that the audience saw signs of fatigue in the per formers. Other features were excellent, including Miss Kate Daulels as the prince and Miss Allen as the queen.

Office over postoffice. Residence Corlication Streets. Hours 10 to 12 a.m., 1 to 4 p.m. Orders may be eff at Graham & Wortham's drug store.

-Adam Wilhelm Jr. of Monroe, was a Saturday visitor in Corvallis. -Born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs.

-The Crabtree prunes at Philemath changed hands Monday. The purchaser was Henry Stone.

-Invitations are out for an "At Home" to be given by Mrs. E. R.

—A party of ledy friends are to be entertained by Mrs. E. R. Lake to-morrow afternoon. -Mrs. J. K. Johnson returned the

first of the week from a visit with

Monmouth relatives. -After a visit with his parents year

-Students Rumbaugh and Shaw were over-Sunday visitors with their parents in Albany.

-Rev. Father Springer returned from a brief visit with Philomath from Portland Saturday after a lew days' visit.

port to be enjoyed. John Kiger and Ernest Fischer left Sunday for a hunting trip in the Alsea country.

-W. W. Ashby and family, who arrived from Fayette, Iowa, last week are now located in the Wuestefeld cottage in the northern part of town.

-A crowd of Corvallis young people -Work on the Henderson brick is drove to Brownsville Sunday to hear a sermon by their former pastor, Rev.

-Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ireland, who were married in Independence, last week are new located in the ressenting the Scrapton Correspondence idence on north Main street, formerly occupied by O. V. Hurt and family.

> -The new church that has been erected near what was formerly Simpson's chapel, is to be dedicated the Surday following Thankegiving day.

-Prof. Baldwin and pupils of the Philomath College made the trip to Mary's Peak and return, Friday. The weather was ideal. and the journey was thoroughly enjoyed.

-The handsome new residence of lem, lost an overcoat from his vehicle. Johnny Wells in the northern part of town is rapidly nearing completion. and Mr. Wells expects to move into

-After a month's visit at the home -Charles A. Dow and Miss Mabel of J. M. Cameron, Mrs. Mary Goudy Tapp, of Albany, were married at the and daughter, Miss Cartle, left yes-home of Mr. and Mrs. Rozell, in Al-torday for their home in Medford,

> -Not only the business houses, but the Corvallis public echools as rell, are to close this afternoon in order that all who desire may attend

-A visitor for some weeks at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lizzle Mer-

-Miss Ethel Pierce one of last years students at OAC, in now at she makes weekly trips to Portland to pursue

Mrs. M. Brunk, left for Fossil last me t Jefferson, Or. J. W. PATE. Friday. Before their departure the Rebekah lodge members presented Mrs. Brunk with a handsome silver fruit dish as a mark of their esteem.

-A dozen of his juvenile friends were enterpained at a birthday party see and sound judgment. He could slaughter of a deer. But the triumph by Arthur Allen Thursday afternoon Games and refreshments were the not be induced to make such a state-animal in the woods by fair still huntfeatures, and the occasion was much enjoyed by the little ones.

-The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church will give a tea Wednesday afternoon at the home be assisted by Mrs. Berchtold and treatment
Mrs. Kiger. All are invited.

-Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Speidell old Corvallisites who have resided at Beuna Park, California, for the past eighteen years are visiting relatives at Oregon City, and are expected in Corvallis in a day or two.

-From a trip to Portland, Mrs. G. A. Waggoner, returned home Friday While absent, Mrs. Waggoner attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Anna Houck, to Walter Shearer, manager of the Hazelwood Icecream Company of Portland.

Notice to Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by the sewer committee until 12 o'clock a. m. Monday, the 14th day of November, 1904, for the construction of a wish. Mr. Conly's pulpit, however, sewer through block 14 original will be occupied temporarily by anoth-town of Marysville, now Corvallis, according to the plans and specifications now on file in the office of

the police judge.
A certified check of fifty dollars must accompany each bid, The right to reject any or all

bids are hereby reserved. A. RENNIE, P. AVERY, J. M. CAMERON,

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For the past five years I have been troubled with deafness in one ear. I am happy to say Dr. Dar- bacco a year for every tithe payer in rin cured me with electricity and a the parish, whether churchman or disslight operation in twenty minutes, so I can hear as well as ever in my life. I reside at Sodaville, Linn county, Oregon, and formerly lived in Albany 18 years. Refer to me by letter or in person. WM. W. PARISH.

HE CAN HEAR A WHISPER. To THE PEOPLE:-About three years ago I commerced being deaf in one ear and a few weeks ago I could not hear with it. Not long gyman unless he would consent to take ago I began to lose the hearing in one salary for serving two parishes. In my ther ear. I was almost dig- 1758, when the price of tobacco had tracted with the inconvenience of greatly risen, the house of burgesses not belog able to hear. I heard of passed a law fixing the cash equivalent Dr. Darrin and applied to him for relief. He has cured me. I can bear a whisper across the room and a watch tick. Refer to me at Brownsville, Or. J. L. OXFORD. HAPPY AFTER TWO YEARS OF MISERY

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> The writer knows Mr. Pate very well and is pleased to inform his feel almost guilty of a crime in the demany friends of his recovery, and struction of so much that is grand and ko ws the case must be a genuine weird, a feeling very different from the on, as Mr. Pate is a man of good ment unless he knew it to be true.

Dr. Darrin will be in Corvallie until Oct. 3. Then he will visit Dallas, stopping at the Hotel Gail until Dec. 4. If you cannot consult the doctor here send for a of Mrs. Thomas Bell. Refreshments sult the doctor here send for a will be served at 4-30. Mrs. Bell will question blank free and get home

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HE WAS A REAL FARMER.

Hence He Couldn't See the Poetic "Oh, yes," a man in the hotel lobby

ras overheard to say. "I'm a real farmer now. My farm only costs me about \$75 per month now, so you can see I'm getting along." Then the man was heard to comment upon farm

"It's all right to talk about the poetry of farm life," he said, "but if farm life is poetry I want the proslest sort of prose in mine. Is there any poetry in greasing harness? Do you find any rhyme and rhythm in milking a double jointed, back action cow twice a day? Well, I guess not."

"But there's the scenery," his com-panion interjected, "and the smell of

"Yes," said the amateur farmer, "and the chiggers, and the red bugs, and holes in the fence, and rats in the seed corn, and the potatoes sprouting. And if you are through plowing for awhile and haven't anything better to do you fix the wheelbarrow for recreation, or you can see that the pen is made hog proof, or that the water trough doesn't leak too much. Then if everything else falls and it's too rainy to do anything else you can get out a secondhand kit and fix the crupper on the harness or nail strips of boiler plate on the feed box so that crib eater of a plug won't have too many splinters in him when he dies. Oh, you can bet I'm too much of a farmer to look at the poetic side of it. I'm a realist farmer; that's what I am."-Dallas

TOBACCO SALARIES.

A Custom of the American Colonies Before the Revolution.

Before the Revolution, ministers of the Anglican church in those American colonies where that church was established by law were remunerated "in kind" instead of in money. Maryland gave an incumbent forty pounds of tosenter, white or colored. These terms were handsome enough to secure the pick of the clerical market. In Virginia the stipends represented a fixed and unvarying quantity, by weight, of the manufactured leaf. These stipends were rather beggarly in quantity. In a bad year even the "sweet scented parishes," where the minister's salary was calculated on a high priced and exceptionally fragrant tobacco, yielded only about \$500 a year. The parishioners sometimes refused to induct a clerof debts payable in tobacco at onethird their true value, thus wiping out two-thirds of the incomes of ministers. Patrick Henry made his first fame in defending this law when a test case was brought in behalf of the injured clergymen.

A Dead Moose. When a bull moose lies dead in the forest he looks like some strange antediluvian animal, with his square prewith the prehistoric Irish elk and the nearly extinct European elk of later times. The huge form tells of strength and swiftness, and withal the still dangerous gleam of the eye, glazed in its last stare, bids the hunter pause and sentiment supposed to attend the ing and by grimly sticking to the track for many a weary mile amply atones for any regrets.-Century.

Sneak Thieves In Churches. An old sexton was discussing the amount of stealing that is done in churches. "Scarcely a day passes," he said, "when the church is open without some distracted woman coming to me bowed down with grief because somebody has stolen her purse. There are certain contemptible thieves who prey on unsuspecting women who pray so hard that they forget to look after their pocketbooks. The thief watches until the woman is deep in prayer and then leans over, grasps the purse and sneaks out."-Philadelphia Record.

Came In Handy, "The weather man said it would rain today, and I'm glad I carried my um-brella."

"Wby, it didn't rain at all today." "Of course it didn't, but I met the weather man on the street, and I used the umbrella to bang him good and hard."-Catholic Standard and Times.

Quite Probable.

The Publisher-The insolence of these authors! Here's Spiffles demanding to see the illustrations before he writes the story for them! His Partner-Absurd! First thing one knows they will be asking to have the illustrators read the stories before they draw the pic-tures for 'em!—Brooklyn Life.

His Exercise.

"Excuse me, Softly," remarked Pen-dennis curiously, "how is it you always wind up your watch immediately after dinner

"For the benefit of my health. You see, my doctor has recommended me always to take a little exercise after

The man who trusts to luck to make him rich is generally a strong believer in had luck by the time he is forty-five. —Somervifie (Mass.) Journal. Here's The Latest

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