

## 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

—Chickens.  
—Poultry show begins tomorrow.  
—The chickens have come here to roost.  
—The local market has been bare for a day or two, of Extra C. sugar, much used by housewives. A supply is expected soon.  
—Mrs. C. L. McCausland arrived Friday from California to join her husband, who was recently stationed here as presiding elder of the M. E. church, South, for this district.  
—Milton Young on Monday joined the ranks of the Corvallis transfer people. He is now operating what has heretofore been known as a job-wagon, which is intended more especially to quickly convey light loads.  
—James Brodie returned last Monday from a three-months' visit to relatives in Scotland. When he took his departure from Corvallis, he thought of remaining in the old country, but the general conditions there did not suit him so well as here.

—Adolph Leder, mentioned elsewhere as having arrived from Stuttgart, Arkansas, has purchased lots out of the Henry Gleek holdings near the carriage factory, and is shortly to begin the erection of a dwelling house thereon. The Lederers are friends of Louis Hollenberg of the furniture store.

—Sunday was quarterly conference at the First M. E. church. Presiding Elder Hollingshead was present and delivered two strong and highly interesting sermons to large congregations. This was his first visit to Corvallis, and Rev. Hollingshead declared himself highly pleased with the place, speaking in particular with the stand the town had recently taken on local option.

—In College chapel Monday morning Prof. Horner gave a short talk relative to the farmer's short course that is to open at the college January 9th. Prof. Horner stated that so many Eastern Oregon farmers are planning to be present at the coming course, that much more extensive preparations will be necessary than was at first intended. The fact is a demonstration of the growing popularity of the farmer's short course giving the busy people an opportunity for advancing with the age, without taking time for a full college course.

—In Miss Snell's room at the college Friday evening, the Juniors entertained the Seniors in a most pleasant manner. A literary program was given, which included an instrumental solo by Miss Gretta Harrington; address of welcome, Miss Alice Edwards; response, Karl Steiner; recitation, Miss Lucella VanCleave; vocal solo, Arthur Bouquet; recitation, Miss Minnie Phillips; mandolin duet, Miss Una Stewart and Marion Stokes; reading, Ronald Esson. Games and dainty refreshments were enjoyable features of the evening.

—Miss Melvena Elgin had a narrow escape from losing the sight of one of her eyes Saturday afternoon. Miss Elgin is a saleslady in the S. L. Kline store, and she stood upon a box to reach for a sofa pillow cover that hung upon a line. Just as she reached up, another of the clerks sprung the cash carrier box. Miss Elgin stood in line with the carrier, and it struck her above the left eye with great force, knocking her down and causing a large lump to appear on the forehead. Striking but two inches lower, the blow would certainly have put out the eye.

—Residents of the suburbs along the Moonmouth road are exhibiting a public spirit not prompted by the chief of police as is the enterprise shown by many people within the corporate limits of the city, in respect to improvements, especially in construction of sidewalks. In the locality named Messrs. Locke, Taylor and Davis are building a long stretch of sidewalk, extending from the Hadley houses to the Creeks Lane a distance of probably half a mile. The walk is three feet wide, the decking is laid crosswise upon three lines of stringers, and is otherwise well constructed. It is outside the city's sphere of influence and we therefore must assume that the property-owners made the improvement through a desire to have things right.

—Mrs Charles Lee is to give an "Afternoon" at her home today.

—Roscoe Bryson of Eugene, spent Sunday with relatives in Corvallis.

—Adam Wilhelm Jr. of Monroe, was in Corvallis Saturday, enroute to Portland.

—Jesse Moses went to Portland on a business trip, Sunday. He returned yesterday.

—Don't fail to call on the Baptist ladies at Miss Johnson's millinery store, Dec. 9th.

—A new city job wagon has just been put into service. It is operated and owned by Milton Young.

—Miss Sylvia Michael of Lancaster, is a guest for this week at the M. P. Fruit home in Corvallis.

—The Ladies Coffee Club will give a dancing party in Firemen's Hall Friday evening. Fechter's orchestra of Albany, has been secured and a pleasant evening is assured those who attend.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. Dowling now occupy a residence in Job's addition. They moved to Corvallis Monday from Monroe. Mr. Dowling is a brother-in-law of O. J. Blackledge, and will be employed in the Blackledge furniture store.

—Saturday, a bunch of keys was found and brought to the TIMES office to be advertised. A few hours later, the owner called and recovered his property. This is another example of how advertising pays.

—Fruit & Waggoner have just brought from the farm a colt which is the pride of its owners and to all horsemen a source of admiration. The animal is six months old. It was sired by the German coach horse, Excellenz, and its dam is of Morgan stock. The youngster may be seen at the brick stable.

—Mrs W. H. Seits returned Sunday to her home in Alsea, her husband having so far recovered that her presence in Corvallis, was no longer deemed necessary. Mr. Seits, who was recently operated on to relieve a pressure on the brain, will soon be able to go to his home, being now almost as well as ever.

### Private Sale.

Until Jan 1st, at my farm, 9 miles S W Corvallis. 15 tons of hay, grain, Chatham fanning mill feeder attached, 2 horse grain drill, Gem seed sower, 12 disc 20 in disc harrow, seeder, attached, plow 3 sec iron lever harrow, 4 cows, 2 year old colt, 7 shoats, and numerous other articles.  
C. A. Bareinger, d72t

D. E. Matthews, Chicago optician will open an optical store in Corvallis about Dec 1st. Wait for him.

Have your eyes fitted by our resident optician, D. E. Matthews.

E. W. S. Pratt, jeweler and optician, will give to the holder of the lucky number, a \$50 diamond ring. One number given with each \$1 worth of goods bought between Dec 5, 1904, and Jan 5, 1905.

### Wanted.

Sewing by the day. Inquire at Mrs. R H Colbert's residence, two blocks north and one block west of court house.  
Miss Pearl Gutbrie. d73t

### Coming.

Dr. Dayton the eye specialist, will be in Corvallis on his regular visit Dec 8-9-10th. Office at Hotel Corvallis. 12-7

Everything new, everything attractive, everything you can think of, Moses Bros. 12-7

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### Bargains.

One ton vetch seed. Also English rye grass, Speltz, vetch straw, Poland China hogs, Shropshire bucks.  
1 Kitelemen woven wire fence machine.  
1 3/4 axle wagon. 1 reversible 2horse tread power. 5 cords of wood.  
Silo cutter and elevator; one 24-foot silo, holds 13 tons. Power cutter, elevator, gang plow and silo will be sold for \$125.  
L. L. Brooks.  
Telephone 155.

S. L. Kline has one of the prettiest trimmed Christmas windows that has been seen in Corvallis in a number of years. The card work is especially attractive.

### PRIZES FOR THEM.

**Those Who Attend Poultry Show— Four Awards Each Evening.**

It is a band of hustlers that is behind the Poultry Show. Prizes are offered not only to those who enter exhibits, but they are given those who attend. Four handsome prizes will be given the general public each evening, the decision to be made by a drawing. With each admission ticket sold there will be a stub. The latter is placed in a box, and each evening after the contents is thoroughly shaken up, four of the stubs will be drawn out and the holders of tickets to match will each secure a prize. The list of such prizes is as follows:

Thursday December 8, First prize Trio White Leghorns value \$10, donated by Gene Simpson. Second prize, Pair Buff Orpingtons value \$7.50, donated by F. L. Miller. Third prize, Pair Silver Laced Wyandottes value \$5, donated by Mrs. Geo. Linderman. Fourth prize, Setting Barred Rock eggs, value \$5, donated by W. G. Emery.

Friday evening December 9 First prize, Trio White Wyandottes, value \$10, donated by Dr. Bowen Lester. Second prize, Pair Buff Leghorns value \$7.50, donated by Gene Simpson. Third prize, Pair Buff Rock Pullets value \$5, donated by Mrs. J. A. Buchanan. Fourth prize, Setting Buff Orpington eggs, value \$5, donated by F. L. Miller.

### THEIR NEW CHURCH.

Is Staunch and Cozy—Its Dedication [Sunday, and Without a Debt.

After a half dozen successive rainy Sundays, the sun rose clear and bright, turning to crimson banners the soft gray clouds that ushered in December 4th, the day set for the dedication of the new Simpson chapel, a \$2,000 church, which takes the place of the old one built in the Belknap settlement during the winter of '61-2.

Fifty years ago last September, in a little log school house, about 1 mile from the site of the present building, Bishop Simpson held the second M. E. conference ever held in Oregon, and in memory and honor of that truly great man, the name, Simpson Chapel is still retained.

Dr. Rader of Portland, who was to have preached the dedication sermon, was quarantined at home because of scarlet fever, but fortunately Dr. Rockwell of East Portland, was secured to take his place.

The house was filled with people when the pastor, Rev. Zimmerman began the services by announcing a hymn which was followed by an earnest uplifting prayer by Dr. Rockwell, who at its close, read the 48 psalms, that beautiful tribute to the temple of Zion.

The choir with Mrs. M. M. Waltz at the organ, and Dr. Cathey as director, then rendered in an impressive manner, that fine dedication anthem, beginning, "Except the Lord build the house they labor in vain that build it." After which Dr. Rockwell gave a very interesting and helpful address from the text, "The Church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood." In a broad minded way, Dr. Rockwell, spoke, not of his own denomination, but of the foundation principles which underlie every true church, and all right living, and which alone can give either churches or individuals the stability that endures.

At the close of the sermon, Mr. L. N. Edwards made a statement of the financial condition of the church. It was shown that after receiving \$250 promised by the church extension fund, there would remain due to complete the basement and put in a furnace at a cost of \$100. Donations were called for and in a few minutes \$265, was subscribed, \$25 of which was a gift from the members of the M. E. church of Corvallis.

In the beautiful service of the M. E. church, the building was then formally dedicated to the service of God, after which the audience repaired to the unfinished basement where a most bountiful lunch and hot coffee was served to about two hundred people. The new church is a thing of beauty and doubtless will be a joy forever. It is a strictly up-to-date building, modern in all its appointments, and though comparatively small, is large enough for the needs of the community. The workmanship both within and without, and from foundation to spire, is of the very best, and the painstaking effort and self-denial required for its completion, deserve much praise.

The best line of hosiery in this city, bought direct from mills at Henkle & Davis, d74t

**Protected the Judge.**  
After the jury in a Texas case had listened to the charge of the court and had gone to their room to deliberate upon the verdict, one of the twelve went right to the point by saying: "That thar Pike Muldrow orter be convicted an' gen'ral principles. He's bad as they make 'em."  
As the hum of approval went around a weazened little juror said, "I heerd that Pike guv it out that he'd go gunnin' fur us, if we sent him up, Jes' soon's he got out, an' fur the judge too."  
"We must protect the judge," they agreed, and the verdict was "Not guilty."—Detroit Free Press.

**A Peculiar Ornament.**  
Berlin has probably one of the most peculiar ornaments for a reading room that has ever been seen in a similar position in a civilized country. This is a gravestone which stands, large and massive, in one corner of a small room. It is not only a gravestone, but is in its legitimate position at the head of a grave. The history of its location in the house is interesting. It was not put up in the house, but the house was built around the stone. Its original position was in the burial grounds in the churchyard at St. Hedwig's.

**How Could He Help It?**  
He—Do you think marriages are made in heaven? She—I don't know. Perhaps they are, but I'd be satisfied with one made in—oh, that is, of course, I wasn't thinking what—oh, Charlie, do you really mean it?—Chicago Record-Herald.

**Nothing Definite.**  
Her Mother—Mr. Sloman has been coming to see you for quite a long while, Maude. What are his intentions? Do you know? She—Well, I think he intends to keep on coming.—Philadelphia Press.

### HOMESEEKERS.

We have properties that no other agent can handle if you are interested come and see us. If you do not know us ask some citizen of the county of us and our business methods. We expect to carry on a legitimate real estate business in this county whether you have a home for sale or desire to purchase one it will be to your interest to come and see us.

Try it. The following bargains are handled exclusively by us; watch this space for new bargains next week.

No 511 120 acres, 16 acres in cultivation, fair house, 6 rooms, 2 barns, 1 acre fine orchard; well watered; 21 head of goats, 32 head sheep; 3 milk cows; 2 two year old heifers; 2 two year old steers; 1 yearling steer; 3 calves; 1 good team; wagon and harness; plow; cultivator; 1 harrow; new mower and hay rake 25 ton hay; 6 miles northwest of Bellfountain; price \$2,000.

No 512 160 acres; 80 rich bottom land 60 acres top land; balance pasture and timber, house, barn, sheds, etc; all under good fence; 2 1-2 miles from Corvallis; price \$35 per acre.

No 298 161 acres; 140 acres in cultivation; good house; 2 barns; good orchard well watered; good pasture and timber; 2 1-4 miles southeast of Philomath; price \$6000.

No 127 32 acres 15 acres in prunes; 4 acres in apples; balance in cultivation; well watered; good fruit dryer; fair house and barn; located 1 mile south west of Philomath; price \$3000.

No 88 45 acres, all in cultivation; good house, barn, fruit and water; located 1 mile southwest of Philomath; price \$2250.

No 39 80 acres; 40 acres in cultivation; good house, barn, fruit and water; fine timber and pasture; located 6 miles from Philomath; price \$2250.

No 163 20 acres 2 acres garden; good orchard; fair house and barn; well watered; near school; 3 miles southwest of Philomath; price \$750.

No 182 262 acres on main county road 2 1-2 miles from Corvallis; 220 acres fine grain land, 12 acres orchard; balance timber and pasture; price \$40 per acre.

No 183 150 acres all under cultivation; 2 barns; large house; good out-buildings; fine fruit; well watered; 2 1-2 miles from Corvallis, price \$50 per acre.

### Ambler & Watters, Real Estate Agents.

### CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. W. B. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said that he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago. Since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Graam & Wortham.

### NEURALGIA PAINS.

Rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bone and being absorbed in the blood, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body, and effect some wonderful cures. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Graham & Wortham.

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" " " " Corvallis.....	1:45 p. m.
" " " " arrives Yaquina.....	5:40 p. m.
Returning:	
Leaves Yaquina.....	7:15 a. m.
" " " " 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.

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

Train No. 2 connects with the S P train 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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**Notice for Publication.**  
Timber Land, Act June 1879, United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Nov. 9, 1904.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 9, 1879, 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, 1892, Charles C. Huff of Corvallis, county of Benton, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 6519, for the purchase of the S. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Section No. 22 in Township No. 11 South, Range No. 6 West, W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or some than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Victor P. Moses, County Clerk, Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, on Saturday, the 18th day of Feb. 1905.

**WINTER EXCURSION RATES.**  
To Yaquina Bay—A New Departure on the S. P.  
Recognizing a long felt want, and desiring to give the public cheap rates to the Coast in the winter as well as the summer, for persons who desire to see the bounding billows in their wildest moods and imbibe the pure ozone of the winter air at the Coast, the Southern Pacific in connection with the C. & E. have placed on sale taking effect Nov. 2, 1904, and continuing until March 31st, 1905, from all points on their lines round trip tickets to Yaquina Bay at the same rate as during the summer time. These tickets will be sold on Wednesdays and Saturdays only and will be good for return sixty days from date of sale. Miss Dr. Athorn's baths will be in operation and anyone who desires a genuine health resort during the winter cannot do better than to spend a month or so at Yaquina.  
Similar tickets will be sold from Albany, Corvallis and Philomath and all points on the C. & E.  
Full information as to rates, baggage, etc, can be obtained by applying to the nearest S. P. agent or direct from W. E. Coman, G. P. A. S. P. Co Portland, or Edwin Stone, Manager C. & E. Albany, P. S.—Through tickets to Portland are sold by the C. & E. at Corvallis and by the S. P., Portland, to Corvallis via Albany and the C. & E. at the same rate as via the Westside, \$2.60. C. & E. trains connect at Albany with the Albany. Portland local both ways.

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