

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

—"Saucy Susan" caps at Kline's.
—Born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Grant Elgin, a daughter.

—Mrs. Thomas Jones returned Friday from a visit in Independence.

—Mrs. B. Woldt and daughter, Miss Minnie, were Portland visitors from Saturday until Monday.

—Surveyor General Daly was up from Portland to audit accounts at the college Saturday.

—Mrs. W. T. Bohannon who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Jones, is to leave Saturday for her home at Seaside.

—This Wednesday evening, the Knights of Maccabees are to hold their installation of officers. All members should be present.

—J. W. Ingle left Monday for Walla Walla, summoned there by the sad news that his father was at the point of death.

—H. V. Meade, editor of the Grants Pass Courier, and brother-in-law of Judge Watters, was a Corvallis visitor the first of the week.

—The First Spiritual Union of Corvallis will hold services in Barrett Lyceum on Sunday at 3 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone.

—The Corvallis Band of Mercy will meet at the free reading room at 3 p. m. on Saturday, January 14th. Mrs. Caithorn, president. Mrs. Flint, secretary.

—After a three weeks' visit with her daughters, Mrs. Sherman Wade and Miss Belle Ranney, at Olex, Eastern Oregon, Mrs. John Rickard returned home Monday.

—In company with Lewis Holleberg who goes to Iowa on business, Mrs. Jane Harlan, aged 83 years, left Sunday for a visit in Nebraska. She expects to return to Oregon in the spring, with relatives who will visit the Lewis & Clark fair.

—There was installation of officers at the Rebekah lodge Monday night, with a banquet and a general good time. The new officers are: Past noble grand, Mrs. Ellen Mundy; noble grand, Sadie Dixon; vice grand, Grace Huff; financial secretary, Mrs. Lee Henkle; recording secretary, Margaret Fowells; chaplain, Mrs. Levi Oren.

—Two OAC students united their lives and fortunes Sunday. They were J. C. Wright, whose home is at Silver Lake, Oregon, and Miss Mae Harris of Summer Lake. The wedding occurred at the home of Mrs. McDowells, at high noon, in the presence of a small party of friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. H. Feese of the M. E. church. The young people will leave in a week or ten days for their new home in Lake county. Only the best of wishes follow them.

—The contract to supply the State Insane Asylum and the penitentiary flour has been awarded to the Corvallis Flouring Mills. Notice of the award was received by August Fischer Saturday. The contract requires 1,200 barrels for the asylum and 400 for the penitentiary. Many of the mills of the state, including a number of Eastern Oregon mills were bidders for the contract. In making the award quality and price is the basis for determining which is the best bid. Last year the Pendleton Flouring Mills secured a part of the contract.

—A better lecture has not been heard in Corvallis in many a day than that on "The Possible Man," delivered at the First Methodist church by Rev. G. H. Feese, Friday evening. Because of counter attractions in town on the same evening, the attendance was not large, but the audience was appreciative. The lecture was a polished, scholarly address, with truth, wit, and humor so cleverly interwoven that all who listened were charmed. Taken as a whole, the address was an appeal to humanity to live closer to God, and truer to principle, casting aside the fads and frivolities that govern too many lives today, smothering out the nobler and more elevating things of life.

—Born, to the wife of Charley Wiley, in Corvallis, last week, a girl.

—Bert Hollister is incapacitated for duty at the Centennial Meat Market on account of illness.

—Dr. J. M. Guthrie, who has been for some time visiting at the home of R. H. Colbert, left Friday for Blair, Kansas.

—Fred Clark was able to be up town Monday afternoon, having almost recovered from a three-week illness which confined him to his home.

—The Times is in receipt of a letter, without a signature, enclosing money. If the writer will send his name the request will be granted. The letter is postmarked at Albany.

—The condition of Miss Grace Huff was not materially changed yesterday afternoon. The case is appendicitis, and the physicians believe an operation to be imminent.

—The Guild of the Episcopal church meets at the rectory Thursday afternoon. As business of importance is to be discussed, all members are urgently requested to be present.

—The 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pernet of Granger, was taken to Portland Sunday, for an operation for removal of tumor in the back of the nose. He was accompanied on the trip by Dr. and Mrs. H. S. Pernet.

—Prof. Covell is a member-elect of the city council. Councilman Johnson resigned Monday night, and the council elected Prof. Covell to the vacancy. He has consented to serve, and will probably be sworn in at an adjourned meeting Friday night. Councilman Johnson resigned, because he has become a bidder for a water franchise and contract.

—O. A. C. walloped Monmouth at basket ball Saturday night. The score was 41 to nine in favor of the Aggies. The team work of the latter was conspicuous, and the individual play in several instances, brilliant. The team is apparently stronger than at any past time. The lineup was Steiwer, Rinehart, Moores, Stokes and Swann. In the second half, Cate and Bilyeu relieved Steiwer and Moores. A big crowd watched the play.

—Thomas McFadden, 1903 coach of the O. A. C. football team, arrived yesterday for a day's visit with Corvallis friends. He is en route from California to Bellingham, where he is engaged in the practice of law. This season he coached the De Pauw eleven at Greencastle, Indiana, and had a very successful season. His services for coach next year are sought by the De Pauw team, but Mr. McFadden expects to retire from the business.

—Corvallis poultry fanciers are heavy winners in the poultry show at Seattle. All of the awards have not been heard from as yet, but well known Corvallisites have taken awards as follows: White Wyandottes: Dr. Lester, first and second hen, first cock, first cockerel. Buff Leghorns: Gene M. Simpson, first cockerel; W. J. Fisher, first cockerel; Silver Penciled Wyandottes: J. M. Porter, first cockerel and second pullet.

—The city council had a midnight seance Monday evening. It was the regular meeting, and business was piled up. The session began at 7:30 and did not end until near 1 o'clock in the morning. After the clock struck twelve, the brethren locked horns over the extension of the city limits. All kinds of visions were had by those in attendance, other than councilmen. One proposed that a dozen hot tamales be sent for as a peace offering. Another suggestion was that a doctor be sent for to write prescriptions in the hope that a little stimulation might help out.

—Hamar Buffin, aged 13, was sent to the Boys and Girls' Home at Portland Saturday. Before he left there was an examination in the county judge's office. The father was there, and was amazed when the son, in answer to an inquiry, stated that he had not been to school during the past three months. The father, who saws wood about town, thought he had been there all the time. The parting of the father with his boy was a melancholy scene, but the transfer of the lad to a place where he will be surrounded by kind people and have the care that he so much needs, is by far the best for all concerned.

Notice of Final Settlement.
Notice is hereby given that the final account has been filed in the matter of the Last Will and Testament of Guilford Barnard, deceased, and Judge Virgil E. Watters has set Saturday, February 11 at 11 o'clock a. m. at County Court room, Court house, to hear objections thereto if any there be.
Robt. Kyle, Executor.
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Philomath, Or., Jan. 4, 1905.

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TO HOMESEEKERS.

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No 333 500 acres, 150 acres in cultivation, balance timber and pasture, good house, 2 good barns and other out buildings; fine fruit; located near Wren, Ore. Price \$6,500.

No 334 100 acres, nearly all in cultivation, fair house; well fenced; located at Wren, Ore; price \$2500.

No 524 1370 acres; 300 acres in cultivation; good buildings; fine pasture timber, water and fruit; 3 miles from railroad station; price \$12,500 per acre.

523; 4 lots; house of 6 rooms; woodshed; chicken house; well and pump; 1600.

No 525 One acre of land, house and store combined; barn and other out buildings. Stock of groceries, store fixtures and house furniture; price \$1000.

No 526 333 acres, 60 in cultivation; balance pasture and timber; good house, and 2 barns; good fruit and water; price \$3,500. 4 1-2 miles from Philomath.

No 527 5 acres all in cultivation; located right in Philomath; price \$600.

No 528 21 acres nearly all in cultivation; new house and barn; fine fruit and water; some timber; 1 team. wagon and harness, 2 cows, chickens and house hold furniture; 1 mile north of Philomath; price \$2,500.

No 529 160 a, 30 acres in cultivation; good house and barn, fine fruit and water; good timber and pasture, 100 acres fenced, 8 miles southwest of Philomath; price 1500.

530 62 acres, 15 in cultivation, balance pasture and timber, good water and out-range, new house of 6 rooms, 2 barns, good orchard, located 1 1-2 miles west of the Alsea store. Nine head cattle, one team, wagon and harness, 4 hogs, household furniture, some farm implements etc, price \$1100.

531, 80 acres, 50 in cultivation, balance timber and pasture, good house, 2 barns, fine fruit and water; 4 miles from Philomath; price \$3000.

370, 1 3-4 lots, good house of 5 rooms, good barn, fine fruit and water right in Philomath; price \$1400.

532, 234 acres 10 in cultivation, balance good timber and pasture; 80 acres fenced new house, 2 barns, well watered, young orchard, 3 miles west of Philomath; price \$10 per acre.

533, 1 lot, large new house and barn in Philomath, nice fruit, a fine house, price \$1700.

136, 160 acres 6 in cultivation, good orchard, fair buildings, well watered, 2 million feet cedar timber and 5 million feet of fir. 12 miles southwest of Philomath on Alsea road; price \$2000.

419, 920 acres, 180 in cultivation, 400 seeded to grass, 60 bottom land slashed and seeded to clover and orchard grass, balance timber and pasture, good house of 6 rooms, good barns, water piped to nice stream running through farm, on county road 2 miles from store and post office; price \$10,000.

534, 2 lots in Corvallis, house of eight rooms in good condition, barn to accommodate 4 horses, other out building, price \$1500.

535, 2 lots, house of 6 rooms with basement in Corvallis, nice shubbery, all in good condition; price \$2200.

536, 170 acres, 18 in cultivation, 40 in good cedar and balance pasture and fir timber, 100 of above in bottom land, log house and barn, 1 team harness and wagon, 4 head cattle, chickens and all farm tools and 7 tons clover and timothy hay. 10 miles from railway station; price \$1550.

537, 320 acres, 80 in crop, 115 under cultivation, balance pasture, fine running water in pasture, house of 8 rooms, in good condition, barn to accommodate 8 horses and 18 cows, hay for same and other out buildings, all under fence with orchard and small fruit, 18 cows, 16 yearlings, 80 sheep, 41 goats, 5 horses, 1 bull, 21 pigs, 100 chickens, 5 turkeys, new binder and mower, disc plow, harrow with seeder attached, new wagon and harness, 1-4 inst. in threshing machine. All tools including cream separator; price \$26 per acre including stock.

539, North half of block 22 in Wells and McElroys add to Corvallis; price \$300.

540, 267 acres, new house of 6 rooms, 2 barns, granary etc. Well fenced, 100 acres under cultivation balance pasture and timber 1 1-2 miles to school; 9 miles to county seat; price \$35 per acre.

541; 140 acres; 100 in cultivation balance pasture and timber, good improvements, 7 miles from county seat, 3-4 mile to R. R. siding, on co road; price 30 per acre.

542, 2-3 of acres, nice location on college hill; price 700.

543, 162 acres, house 6 rooms, barn 20 x 100 ft, other out buildings, 25 in cult.; balance pasture and timber; 3-4 mile to P. O., 10 miles below Alsea store; price \$10.

544, 1 1-2 acres adjoining Corvallis; house 6 rooms barn etc., some fruit; price 900.

Ambler & Watters, Real Estate Agents.

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Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executrix of the estate of William Groves deceased has filed in the county court of Benton county, state of Oregon, her final account for settlement as such executrix of said estate, and that Saturday the 7th day of January, 1905, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing all and any objections to the said report and the settlement thereof.
EMMA K. GROVES,
deceased.
Dated this 10th day Dec 1904.

Notice for Publication.

Timber Land, Act June 1878.
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 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California Oregon Nevada and Washington Territory" as extended to 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. 619, for the purchase of the S. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 of Section No. 32 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 stone 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 15th day of Feb. 1905.

He names as witnesses:
L. Wendes Stovall of Philomath, Oregon.
George Stovall " "
Caleb A. Davis " "
Zebadiah H. Davis of Corvallis, "
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of February, 1905.
Algernon S. Dresser,
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