

LOCAL LORE.

(Advertisements in this column charged for at the rate of 5 cents per line.)

—James Flett left Thursday for his claim on Five Rivers.

—Mrs. Harold Strong and children left Thursday for California.

—Miss Georgia Hartless returned Thursday from a three week's visit in Seattle, with friends.

—Miss Clara Bohannon returned Wednesday from a month's visit with relatives at Balston.

—Miss Myrtle Spaulding returned to Portland Thursday, to resume her musical studies.

—Mrs. Johnny Johnson returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives at Independence.

—D. M. Smith has purchased property and is building a residence at Sunnyside.

—Prof. and Mrs. G. Taillandier go to Portland today, to hear the great pianist, De Pachmann.

—W. D. DeVarney has been a business visitor in Forest Grove this week.

—Lewis Hollenberg returned last evening from Iowa, where he has been for sometime on business.

—After a brief visit with their sister, Mrs. B. A. Cathey, John and James McFerron returned to their home in Portland Friday.

—Mrs. William Robinett and daughter returned to their home at Halsey Wednesday, after a visit with Corvallis relatives.

—There is to be a big dance at Wilhelm's hall, in Monroe on the evening of the 14th. Parties from Corvallis are to attend.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lizzie King returned to their home in Portland Thursday, after a visit with Mr. King's parents in Corvallis.

—This evening, at the college, the Amicitian Literary society is to entertain the members of the Fernan society.

—Mrs. A. B. Cordley is to give a dinner party this evening, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Prof. Cordley.

—Mrs. A. B. Cordley gave an "afternoon" Wednesday, in honor of Miss Winnifred Miller, of Eugene. The event was very enjoyable.

—J. D. Mann arrived Thursday for an over Sunday business visit. He has purchased a fifteen acre prune orchard and is located at Liberty, three miles south of Salem.

—Another large shipment of city telephone instruments arrived Thursday morning for the Independent company. Among the goods was also the switch board for the Monroe system that has been put in by the Wilhelms.

—A model life saving station equipped with a crack crew will be one of the Government displays at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. Daily drills will be given showing how Uncle Sam saves the lives of persons shipwrecked off the coasts.

—The roads about the grounds of the Lewis and Clark Centennial will be paved with crushed red granite, brought from South America. The granite, when crushed and laid out on the roads, works together so as to make a hard, compact road, almost free from dust.

—It is hoped that the Independent telephone line from Corvallis to Tangent will be completed this week. When this connection is made, Corvallis will be in communication by the new company lines, with Tangent, Dallas, Airlie, Falls City, Nashville, Independence, Monroe and Junction City. Service is given between these places and Corvallis over the rural lines, and the method is entirely satisfactory to patrons.

—Rehearsals are in progress almost daily now among the ladies of the First Methodist church for the Martha Washington tea that is to be given by them in the church February 22nd. Costumes of the Washington period, and a patriotic program will be features of the evening, and a supper will follow in the church parlors. It is a public function, and will no doubt attract a large audience.

—Invitations have been received in this city announcing the marriage on the 18th inst of Miss Dora Lindgren, and Carrol Cummings. The event takes place at Melrose. Miss Lindgren is a graduate of OAC, and was formerly stenographer for S. L. Kline. Mr. Cummings is a teacher in the Corvallis public schools, and an exemplary young man. Both parties have hosts of sincere friends who join in good wishes and congratulations.

—A. C. Schmitt was a business visitor in Corvallis Wednesday.

—Miss Kate Tiedmann left Wednesday for Portland.

—The age limit of the 2500 is now 15 to 45 years.

—Miss Nora Pratt returns home to Blodgett today.

—W. M. Clark of Summit, was a business visitor in Corvallis Thursday.

—J. H. Rycraft, who has been for a year or two in Idaho, arrived Thursday. He has enough he says, of Idaho.

—Mrs. S. R. Farra entertained at Whist Monday evening. About 20 guests enjoyed Mrs. Farra's hospitality.

—John Mills of Salem, paid a fraternal visit to the local lodge I. O. O. F. this week, and visited friends while in the city.

—Emil Howard, who has been studying medicine in the East, was summoned home to Monroe this week by the serious illness of his little child, who has typhoid fever.

—George A. Waggoner has been for several days at Salem on business connected with the publication of his book which is shortly to appear.

—Regular services at M. E. church South tomorrow morning, by the pastor. We join in the union services at night. Everybody welcome.

—At their hall next Wednesday evening, the United Artisans are to have a general jollification. There will be a program, a banquet and other features, and each member will bring some friend with him.

—Mrs. E. C. Hayward gave a whist party Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Winnifred Miller. Miss Mabel Withycombe captured first prize, the consolation being awarded to Prof. Shaw.

—Tuesday, Prof. Coote received at the clerk's office his final citizenship papers. His witnesses were, T. H. Davis and J. D. Wells. Prof. Coote, who is a native of England, has resided in the United States since 1877.

—The first railroad locomotive ever run in Oregon will form an interesting exhibit in the Transportation building at the Lewis and Clark Exposition. The locomotive is the property of Davis Hewes of San Francisco, who had it for thirty years.

—A canvas was made Thursday morning among business men, relative to holding a mass meeting at the Opera House, Tuesday. It is proposed to close all business houses from 11 to 1 o'clock, that business men may join in a union departmental service. Dr. Harsha will speak, and the public is invited.

—The 1,900 pound imported French Percheron stallion Banyard was sold by S. Y. Evans Wednesday to Link Allen of Kings Valley. The price paid was \$3,000. The sale is the second of the kind made by Mr. Evans within a week, the other animal going to a Monmouth man.

—Miss Mabel Withycombe gave a successful party Monday evening. The amusement was "500." Her guests numbered twelve and were as follows: Misses Grace Gatch, Mary Nolan, Edna Irvine, Juliet Cooper, Winnie Miller, Mabel Davis, Messrs F. L. Kent, M. B. Moores, Karl Steiwer, Rae Walker, S. Damon, and D. V. Walker.

Valentines, kinds at greatly reduced prices. See Gerhard.

Gerhard has valentines to please everyone. Prices way down, come early.

"Short" on Peruna, but "long on prunes. Italian prunes, 50-pound boxes, \$1.50. F. L. Miller.

What Good Is a Watch

if it don't keep right time. Perhaps yours is not running as it should, suppose you bring it to us. New mainspring, none better, \$1 Cleaning, ordinary watch, \$1 Can not be done better at any price Matthews the Jeweler, Room 12 over Nat'l Bank.

Lost

Probably on Madison street, on Monday Feb 6th, a small black purse containing \$20.15. Finder please return to John Smith and receive suitable reward.

Estray Notice.

Dark bay and roan pony, square cropped tail with rope around neck; came to my place Dec 20, 1904. Owner pay for this notice and expense of keeping. L. L. Brooks. Phone 155

IN THE LEG.

Shooting of James Lewis—Gopher Gun Figured—Was Set for Squirrels.

While entering the unoccupied farm house on Spencer Bicknell's place Thursday afternoon, James L. Lewis was accidentally shot in his right leg. About 25 number 5 shot took effect in the fleshy portion of the limb, mostly above the knee. The weapon was a gopher gun, set eight or ten feet from the door, and which Mr. Bicknell explains, had been set for squirrels. He says the gun was placed in the middle of the room and so adjusted that the squirrels would discharge it if they attempted to eat the bait. The discharge of the weapon came as Mr. Lewis entered the door. He is a real-estate agent and was at the farm with a prospective buyer. They had been looking over the land, and it was proposed to enter the house. Mr. Bicknell was not with the party, but Mr. Lewis had a skeleton key. Fitting it to the lock, he opened the door and passed in, when a blinding flash and a loud report stopped proceedings. A hasty examination and a flow of blood from two dozen wounds in his leg showed that he had been shot. Without waiting even to examine into the cause of the shooting, the party put Mr. Lewis into their carriage and hurriedly drove to Corvallis. Dr. Perrot was summoned, and with much diligence and patience, he managed to extract a dozen of the shot. A further attempt at removal will be made in a few days. No permanent injury is expected as a result of the shooting. The distance of the weapon from the victim was great enough to permit the shot to scatter well, and no bad wound was made.

LEGISLATORS COMING.

Stop to Look at O. A. C. While en Route to Yaquina.

Many members of the Oregon legislature will be in Corvallis today. They are to arrive about a quarter to one o'clock by special train from Albany. The party will be en route to Yaquina Bay, and stops over at the noon hour at Corvallis for a look at the college. The party leaves Salem by the regular train at 11, and on arrival at Albany takes the special for Corvallis. The stop at Corvallis will be of indefinite duration. It will largely be left to the members of the excursion to determine. Time enough will be taken to eat luncheon prepared by college ladies at Agricultural Hall, and to take a look at the college. In honor of the visit of the legislators, and to give them a chance to see the college in operation, all the departments will be in session today and a week from Monday will be made a vacation. The legislative party will number about 100.

Lost.

At or about Thanksgiving one yellow or dark sable colored dog. White breast white ring around neck; white fore feet; tip of tail white; small strap around neck and small snap fastened in strap; answers to name of Tam. Liberal reward offered for any information leading to his recovery. Address Dan Savage, Willamina, Or.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frantically and spit blood, but when all other medicines failed, three 1.00 bottles of Dr King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 38 pounds." It is absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Allen & Woodward's.

At Dunn & Thatcher's.

Cracked corn \$1.60 per cwt.
Granulated shell 1.60 "
Granulated bone 1.75 "
Crystal Grit 1.60 "
And we handle the very best poultry and stock foods.

Call and look over our stock of groceries, granite and tinware; also carry nails. No pity shown.

"For years fate was after me continuously" writes F. A. Gullidge, Verbona Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles causing 24 Tumors. When all failed Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. Equally good for Burns and all aches and pains. Only 25c at Allen & Woodward's drug Store.

Will Our patients are our best advertisements

Every pair of glasses fitted by us sells others

We want to add you to our chain

To fit you is to fit your friends in the future

MATTHEWS the Optician Room 12 over Nat'l Bank

Announcement Extraordinary

This announcement, the most important ever made by any mercantile house in the Willamette Valley, must be of vast interest to every man, woman and child in this city and vicinity.

Our 35th Clearance Sale closed yesterday, and in giving thanks for your generous patronage, I make the following extraordinary announcement. I will refund the money on all cash purchases made on a certain day of the month of February, the day selected to be announced in the "Times" of March 4th. No matter what you purchase for cash at retail rates, be it a five cent or \$100 purchase, if your duplicate checks bear the date of the LUCKY DAY, your money will be cheerfully refunded.

Be sure and save your duplicate checks secured with cash purchases as no money will be refunded except on presentation of duplicate cash checks.

Buy something every day and you are bound to be one of the lucky ones. My popular prices will prevail during this month. All goods marked in plain figures.

Mail orders accompanied by cash will participate in this offer.

Corvallis, Oregon. **S. L. KLINE** Regulator Low Prices

LOCAL ITEMS

Read this Column, You may Find Just What You Want.

Ladies! If you once use Compressed Yeast, you will have no other. Ask for it, at Horning's.

If you want fine china go to Zierolf's. He has the largest and most complete line in the city. 1-1

Wall Paper. Largest line ever shown in Corvallis. To make room we will sell good wall paper 5c and 10c per roll. Come and see. Hollenbug & Cady.

1300 shares of Great Eastern Mining Co stock for sale at 10 cents a share. Address Lock box 62, Corvallis. j28-4t

For Sale. A few nice houses in Corvallis, well located. Also farm implements McCormick binder, 1 Bain wagon, steam wood saw, all in good order. Write or enquire of Chas. Everett, Second & VanBuren sts. Corvallis.

When you wake up in the morning, And do not feel just right, You settle down to breakfast With a want of appetite. There is nothing that is better To revive your sinking soul, Than a cup of Seal Brand coffee Steaming in the flowing bowl.

It is Seal Brand coffee Don't forget the special brand. Its such a splendid seller; And our patrons call it "Grand." Buy it once, and try it; You will find it out of sight All our customers want it, And the price is always right. P. M. ZIEROLF.

Call for Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there is money in the city treasury to pay general fund warrants Nos. as follows: 3409 3406, 3410, 3411 3415, 3416, 3425, 3431. Also from no. 3432 to number 3437 inclusive. Interest will stop on same from this date. Dated at Corvallis, Or, Jan 20, 1905.

Wm. McLagan, City Treas.

For Sale.

Mill feed, flour, wheat, oats, vetch, chicken feed, potatoes, wood and gravel Delivered to all parts of city. Phone 342. Opposite Steam Laundry John Beach.

Page Woven Wire Fence

Best in the market. Most economical for farm or other use. Orders promptly filled. Address Charles E. Allen, Agent, Philomath, Or. J14-1m

A large amount of no. 2 rough lumber all lengths.

At Corvallis saw mill for \$6.50 per M.

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. Waters has set Saturday, February 22, at 11 o'clock a. m. at County Court room, Court house, to hear objections thereto if any. Robt. L. B. Executor. Dated this Dec 29, 1904.

20 PER CENT OFF ON ALL Suits and Overcoats FOR 30 DAYS, CASH ONLY.

No reserve, every garment in the house Kuppenheimers and all. See our window.



The "Flatiron" Hat Latest Spring Styles Just Received Always \$3, never less.

F. L. MILLER.

SPECIAL SALES.

Rubber Goods
Millinery, . . .
Shoes, Etc. . .

GREAT SHOE SALE.—The Largest Assortment of Shoes ever offered on special sale in Philomath, comprising the entire stock of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes, will be on sale during the month of February, at

J. E. Henkle's Gash Store.

Each will be offered at reduced prices. This reduction is made for cash only. There are special prices on Rubber Goods—men's, women's, boys', children's rubber boots, rubber and oil coats. We also call your attention to our large assortment of Millinery Goods which are offered on special sale.

J. E. HENKLE, Philomath, Or.

G. R. FARRA, Physician & Surgeon,
Office up stairs in Burnett Brick Residence on the corner of Madison and Seventh st. Phone at house and office. All Calls promptly attended.

J. FRED YATES ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
First Nat'l Bank Building, Only Set Abstracts in County