

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.

—Mrs. Borst returned Wednesday from a week's visit in Centuria, Wash.

—Prof. Cordley went to Portland Thursday, to visit his wife who is in a hospital there.

—Samuel Jackson returned yesterday from a business trip to Independence.

—Dr. Morrison arrived Thursday from Carlton, being again summoned to the bedside of his mother at Oakville, who is very ill.

—The J. H. Simpson hardware store has been re-painted this week. Artistic work was done by Alva Miner.

—Miss Eva Milner left Wednesday for a week's visit in Portland. During her absence, Miss Mamie Starr is night operator in the Independent telephone office.

—O. S. Noyes and family now occupy their new house in the western part of town. The removal occurred Tuesday.

—At their hall Wednesday evening the Artisans had a jolly time. There were games and refreshments, and a general good time for all.

—Burt Bryant, a former well known student at O. A. C. has been a college visitor for a day or two. He is now a telegraph manager and operator at Prescott, Wash.

—Mr. Miller, who recently purchased the Beach ranch just across the river from Corvallis began Wednesday the erection of a barn, 48 x 80, on the property.

—Presbyterian church, Rev. M. S. Bush, pastor. Reception of new members and communion 11 a. m. C. E. consecration meeting 7 p. m. Miss Hanna will address the Endeavorers. Evening service at 8, subject, "Tell John."

—Workmen began Wednesday on the fine new residence that Norman Lilly is to have built on his ranch south of town. The dwelling will be quite large, and in all respects modern.

—Warren Hartley and wife left for their home at Cottage Grove Wednesday, after a visit of two weeks with Corvallis relatives. They were accompanied home by Mrs. A. F. Peterson.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Underwood returned Wednesday from a three weeks visit to Los Angeles, where Mr. Underwood went as a delegate to the W. O. W. national convention. They report a delightful trip.

—Claude Starr and family left Wednesday for Albany, where they will reside. Mr. Starr and Mr. Anderson have purchased and will conduct a general grocery store. Lindsay Sharp succeeds Mr. Starr as book keeper at the Hodes grocery.

—A force of men are repairing the Dave Irvin building, a few doors south of the J. H. Harris store. The ceiling is being raised, a new floor put in and the interior freshly painted and papered.

—Rev. M. J. Ballantyne of Dallas, Presiding Elder of the Dallas district of the United Evangelical church will preach in that church here on Sunday next both morning and evening. The communion service will be held in the morning. A preliminary service will be held on Saturday evening at which Rev. Ballantyne will preach and after which the first Quarterly conference of this year will be held.

—The field meet on College field this afternoon begins at 2:30 o'clock and should not occupy two hours of time. It is the purpose of the management to pull off the event in rapid succession, in order to avoid tedious delays. Special arrangements are also to be made so that people in the grand stand will get an unobscured view of the finish in the sprints which are expected to be of most spectacular character. The report is that people are coming from as far as Brownsville to see the meet. In chapel Wednesday morning, Physical director Trine announced that the sprints will be the greatest of the kind to be seen in Oregon this year in college athletics, declaring it to be his belief that the three men to participate, Williams, Kelly and Smitson are the fastest men on the Coast.

—Harold Rumbaugh is confined to his room with illness.

—Born, Wednesday, to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Taylor, a daughter.

—Mrs. Lura Campbell, of Albany, is expected to arrive today for a visit with Miss Bessie Irvine.

—Walter Kline, who has been seriously ill at the home of his parents, is slowly recovering.

—County Clerk Wade and Commissioner King, of Toledo, were Corvallis visitors Thursday.

—Quite a number of Corvallis young people attended the dance at Wells station last night.

—Deputy County Clerk John F. Irwin left yesterday for the home of his sister, Mrs. David Hood, near Philomath, where he will spend his vacation.

—Married, at the home of the bride's father, Isaac Jackson, at Wren, Tuesday noon, James Blodgett and Miss Emma Jackson. The couple will reside at Blodgett.

—Fifty dollars was donated by the county court in session Wednesday and Thursday, to the Citizens League.

—The county court is preparing to build a new bridge across the Long Tom at Monroe. The span is about 80 feet. Work is to begin in a short time.

—Congregational church tomorrow: Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship and sermon at 11; vesper service and sermon at 8 p. m. Subject morning sermon, "Are All Men God's Children?" evening subject, "Elijah, or One With God Is a Majority."

Mrs. Lincoln, who is a deaconess at the Presidio, San Francisco, gave a highly interesting lecture at the First Methodist church Monday evening. While only a fair sized audience was present, the verdict of all was that the address was decidedly good. The affair was given by the W. H. M. S. of the church. A special feature of the evening was an excellent vocal quartet, rendered by Dr. Cathey and his sons, Cecil, George and Collie.

—F. P. Sheasgreen made a short visit to Portland this week for the purpose of taking measurements and arranging plans for the fitting up of the space to be used by the Independent Telephone Co. for display in the electrical building at the Lewis and Clark Fair. The space secured by this company will be 16x24 feet and will be enclosed by a very fine arrangement of panel work and massive turned columns. Mr. DeVarney will reserve a small corner of this space for a private office and a resting place for his many friends.

—An adjourned term of the county court is to be held next Saturday. In part, it will be devoted to an examination of Oak Creek road, the improvement of which, the court has in contemplation. Beyond it, is what is, perhaps, the best stretch of road in the county. It is the road that was built by the county court two years ago, and which has been the occasion of unjustifiable newspaper criticism, but which has turned out to be a road that will stand for all time. If the Oak Creek road can be made equally excellent as a highway, then all the roads leading into the county seat will be practically without bad spots.

—More fleeces are needed for the Benton county wool exhibit. In particular, Merino, Cotswold and Downs fleeces are now needed. It is requested that the fleeces be delivered in the county court room on Saturday of next week when the court will be in session, and at which time a committee consisting of Dr. Withycombe, Mack Porter and one other person, name unknown, will make selections of the best. All fleeces accepted by this committee will be paid for by the court.

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Referee's Notice of Sale of Real Property.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a decree and order of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Benton made the 27th day of March, 1905, in a suit wherein George T. Vernon was plaintiff, and N. P. Slater et al. were defendants, appointing the undersigned referee, to sell the hereinafter described real property, and directing the sale of said property. Now therefore in pursuance to the said order and decree, I will on the 13th day of May, 1905, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. at the Court House door, in the City of Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate to-wit: Lots one and two of Section 2 Twp. 15 S. R. 8 West Willamette Meridian, in Benton County, Oregon, containing 13.81 acres of land more or less, together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging. Said sale will be made in the manner required by law for the sale of real property on execution. M. P. Burnett, Referee. Dated this 15th day of April, 1905.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree, execution and order of sale, issued out of the circuit court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton, bearing date of April 13th, 1905, under the seal of said court, on a decree and order of sale in favor of Mary H. Whitby, plaintiff, and against M. P. Totten and Leah J. Totten, defendants, for the sum of four hundred ninety and 38-100 dollars, \$490.38, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from date of said decree until paid, and the further sum of forty nine dollars, \$49.00, attorneys fees, and for the further sum of forty eight dollars, \$48.00, costs and disbursements of said suit, which said decree was only entered in said court on the 27th day of March, 1905, and duly docketed on the 27th day of March, 1905, in a suit wherein Mary J. H. Whitby was plaintiff, and M. P. Totten, Leah J. Totten, August Strake, John Strake, M. P. Totten, Leah J. Totten, et al. were defendants; said decree, execution and order of sale to me delivered, commanding me as sheriff of Benton county, Oregon, to sell in the manner provided by law for the sale of real property on execution, all of the following described real property to-wit: The South west quarter of the North East quarter; the North East quarter of the South West quarter; the South East quarter of the North West quarter; and the North West quarter of the South East quarter of Section Eight (8) in Town 14 S. R. 9 W. of the Willamette Meridian in Benton County, Oregon, together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining; and in obedience to the command of said decree, execution and order of sale I will on Saturday, the 20th day of May, 1905, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, the above described premises to satisfy said sums of money, costs and accruing costs. M. P. Burnett, Sheriff of Benton County, Oregon, April 22, 1905.

M. W. A. Picnic.

There will be a picnic at Ridders Grove near Suver, Saturday, June 3rd, under the auspices of Suver Camp No. 7332 M. W. of A.

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