

**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.

—Miss Lessie Bush spent Saturday and Sunday in Mosmouth.

—John H. Simpson visited his Linn county farm Sunday.

—Harry Beard spent Sunday with his parents at Tangent.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kaupisch arrived today from a visit with Portland and Albany relatives.

—Mrs. John Rickard has returned from a visit with friends at Eugene.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hall returned Saturday from a week's visit with Polk county relatives.

—Born, Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. George Horning, near Peoria, a son.

—Mrs. J. H. Penn of Yaquina has been the guest for several days of Mrs. B. A. Cathey.

—Miss Mary Nolan, Tom Nolan, Sam Nelson and Sam Nolan attended the Delta Phi dancing party in Albany Friday evening.

—W. D. DeVaney and F. H. Jones passed through Corvallis on their way to Astoria.

—The Oregonian contest, in the fifth district, with 15,000 votes to the credit.

—Ninez Francisco began today the erection of a \$500 cottage on lots belonging to him on north Third street.

—Miss Mabel Davis, whose illness was reported in Friday's Times, is suffering with typhoid fever.

—About 50 Independent telephone instruments arrived Monday for use on the line that has recently been put up in the Jesse Foster neighborhood.

—Charles Heckert, who returned yesterday from a business trip to Eugene was told while there that the number of typhoid cases at that time in Eugene was above 90, his informant was a physician of the city.

—Keith Brown is now sole owner of the Pioneer bakery. Last Friday he purchased the interest of Joe McEadden, and the latter departed at once for Portland. Mr. Brown expects a baker to arrive from Portland in a few days to take charge of that part of the work.

—Clay Shepard, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at the college was taken to his home in Polk county Saturday. He is suffering with an ailment that it was feared might develop into typhoid fever. He was however, able to be out of door, the day after his arrival home, according to the statement of his brother, who returned to college yesterday.

—Harry Cronise displayed on the street yesterday a spray of lemons, sent him from Merced, California. There were three on the branch, each in size larger than any of those ever seen in the markets. As a setting to the dark green leaves they made an appearance so slightly that Mr. Cronise had them photographed. They came with a box of oranges to Mr. Cronise from a California friend.

—Saturday evening the Rebekahs held a special meeting at their hall to receive Mrs. Frazier, President of the Assembly. As the president wished to witness the manner of putting on the floor work and there was no regular candidate Miss Marvin, a visiting member, was duly taken through the mysteries of the degree. Both the candidate and the president praised the staff for their splendid work. Afterwards there was a cordial invitation to the banquet room, which no one declined.

—They have fire drill on occasions now, out at the public schools. There is a given signal which the pupils have come to understand. Sometimes it is given without warning, but in a twinkling the youngsters catch its significance and hurry into their positions for leaving the building with proper haste. Every pupil knows his or her place, and by reason of this knowledge it is possible to empty either building without confusion and in only a minute or two.

For Rent.

Nice office rooms to rent in my concrete building. Also cheap back room.

B. R. Thompson.

—Mrs. A. Johnson left Sunday for a visit with her daughter at Albany.

—John Igle returned Monday evening from a visit at Pendleton and Wa'la Wells.

—The Valentine party to be given by the Coffee Club ladies occurs tomorrow, Wednesday evening.

—Miss Mary Nolan returned yesterday from a visit of several days in Albany.

—The letter "a" in place of "e" in an editorial in the Salem Statesman made the republication of the article necessary.

—"Why is it, Willie, that you did not take any prizes at this term of school?" "Well, you told me not to be fish, and some of the other pupils seemed to want them."

—The O. A. C. basket ball girls suffered a defeat at the hands of the Coconawm's in College arena Friday night. Early in the first half the visitors took the lead, which they continued to increase until the end of the game, the score standing 11 to 19 in their favor when the game closed. A large crowd was in attendance.

—The lad that engages in bazing at O. A. C. hereafter and gets caught at it will have to go. A resolution adopted by the faculty yesterday morning is as follows: WHEREAS, in bazing, several unite against one, thus rendering the practice cowardly, and particularly unworthy of cadets, therefore, Resolved, that any cadet found guilty of bazing shall immediately be expelled from the company as a cowardly and dishonorable act.

—The entertainment which was given last Friday evening at the Opera house, for the benefit and under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., reflected great credit upon all the parties interested, the inaugurators and the artists alike. The programme which was of unusual length, consisted of musical and elocutionary numbers, and pleased and entertained a large and appreciative audience to the end.

—A force of a dozen men and three teams is doing the grade work for the new side track extension on Water street for the convenience of the Corvallis sawmill. In addition, a bridge gang is at work, building a bridge at the intersection of Tyler and Water street where there is a roadway by which teams reach the Willamette. Most of the grading from the mill to Tyler street is already completed. Between the bridge and electric light plant there will be considerable cut and also a heavy fill. The new siding will end at the chute at the mill.

—Bids are called for by the government for delivery of mails between the Corvallis postoffice and the C. & E. station. John Lenger has been rendering the service, but the trips have so increased that he has struck for higher wages. The result is a call for bids, which are prepared and to be handed in to Postmaster Johnson within ten days to be forwarded to the department at Washington. Blanks for use of bidders are to be had at the local postoffice. The service involves trips between the local office and the C. & E. station at six a. m., 8:30 a. m., 11 a. m., 1:30 p. m., 3:20 p. m., 5:30 p. m. and 8:15 p. m., on week days, and 8:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m. and 1:30 p. m. on Sundays, making in all 45 trips per week.

—There is much inquiry by farmers with reference to cleaning up orchards and it is apparent that many of them will make an effort to save their fruit trees. There is always a warm spot in the family heart for favorite old apple trees or pear trees or cherry trees, even though disease and pests may have overwhelmed them to the extent of interfering greatly with their fruitage. There are associations, oftentimes around many of these trees that make them especially interesting to everybody on the place, and in many instances it would be an unpleasant incident to see such trees cut down at the behest of the law. A great wave of agitation, however, for strict enforcement of the law is sweeping over Western Oregon, and it is apparent that the spray pump must be used, or the axeman will come.

5 Cents Per Setting  
For eggs. Best brown L'ghorns.  
J. B. Irvine, Corvallis.

Notice of Final Settlement.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of said estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased, has filed her final account as such administratrix with the clerk of the county court of the state of Oregon, for Benton county, and the said court has fixed Saturday, the 10th day of March, 1906, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day as the time, and the county court room in the court house in Corvallis, Oregon, as the place for hearing any and all objections to the said account and for settlement thereof.  
Dated the 2nd day of February, 1906.  
MARY BIER,  
Administratrix of the estate of Mary Elizabeth Mangas, deceased.

**COMES TO CORVALLIS.**

**Changed From Eugene on Account Fever Epidemic There**

—C. E. Convention.

Owing to the epidemic of typhoid fever in Eugene the State C. E. convention which was to be held there February 22nd to 25th had to be postponed. The programmes had been printed and everything arranged for a great convention. A number of the best speakers on the Coast had been engaged long in advance. Hence the great desire of the State C. E. committee to hold the convention at this time. Corvallis had tried for this convention a year ago, and the state committee yesterday asked Corvallis and the Corvallis churches in particular, if the convention could not be transferred from Eugene to Corvallis. At a meeting in the Evangelical church last night representatives of all the C. E. societies in the city met and unanimously decided to welcome the convention to this city.

The first meeting will be held Thursday evening, February 22nd, when Rev. E. L. House, D. D. of Portland, will preach the convention sermon. In the next issues of this paper the complete programme and all arrangements will be given.

It hardly needs to be said that the coming of this convention means much to Corvallis. There will be delegates from all over Oregon. They are interested in our town and college and we should extend to them a hearty welcome. This is for all Corvallis. It has been suggested that business houses and our homes be decorated as in other towns when the convention has met. Though the time is short by hard work this convention can be royally entertained.

Different committees have been appointed but the committee on entertainment and welcome is the most important and will begin work at once by calling on all the people of the town to provide entertainment for the delegates. This committee is as follows: Rev. Green, Misses Mary Sutherland, Emma Crawford, Cameron Graves, Emma Thompson and Leona Jackson, and Messrs Hill and Wyatt.

**Teacher's Examination.**

Notice is hereby given that the county superintendent of Benton county will hold the regular examination of applicants for state and county papers at Corvallis, Oregon as follows:

For State Papers.  
Commencing Wednesday Feb. 14 at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Saturday Feb. 17, at 4 o'clock p. m.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, spelling, algebra, reading, school law.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, bookkeeping physics, civil government.

Friday—Physiology, geography, mental arithmetic, composition and physical geography.

Saturday—Botany, plane geometry, general history, English literature, psychology.

For County Papers.

Commencing Wednesday, February 14, at 9 o'clock a. m., and continuing until Friday February 16 at 4 o'clock p. m.

First, Second and Third Grade Certificate.

Wednesday—Penmanship, history, orthography, reading.

Thursday—Written arithmetic, theory of teaching, grammar, physiology.

Friday—Geography, mental arithmetic school law, civil government.

For Primary Certificates

Wednesday—Penmanship, orthography, arithmetic, reading

Thursday—Art of questioning, theory of teaching, physiology.

Notice is further given that teachers will be confined in their answers in theory and practice to White's Art of Teaching.

Notice is further given that applicants who are strangers to the county board of examiners will be expected to furnish testimonials as to their moral character before certificates will be issued.  
Dated this 31st day of December 1906, at Corvallis, Or.  
Geo W Denman,  
County School Supt Benton Co., Or.

**Wood Wanted.**

Notice is hereby given that the County Court of Benton County, Oregon, will receive sealed bids for furnishing wood to Benton County, for the year 1906, as follows: 25 cords of oak grub wood, four feet long, and not less than 8 inches in diameter; also 35 cords split maple wood, four feet long, also 15 cords of second growth fir wood, four feet long. Said wood to be delivered at the county court house in Corvallis, Oregon, between June 1st and August 1st, 1906, and when so delivered and accepted to be paid for in county warrants. All bids must be filed in the office of the county clerk of Benton county, Oregon, on or before Wednesday, March 7, 1906, at the hour of 1 o'clock P. M. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated this 10th day of February, 1906.  
VICTOR F. MOSES,  
County Clerk.

**Veterinary Surgeon.**

Dr. E. Jackson, veterinary surgeon, has located in Corvallis for the practice of his profession. Office at Winegar & Snow's livery stable.

**J. G. MORRIS**  
SUCCESSOR TO A. M. AUSTIN  
**Practical Shoer & General Blacksmith**  
Prices for general shoeing. Setting 25c a shoe, New shoes \$1.50 a horse. No 6 and over \$2.  
Careful attention given knee hitting, interfering, lameness. Treatment without extra charge.  
**ALL WORK FIRST CLASS.**

**Remember Blackledge is Here**  
We have just received 45 Malleable Iron Beds, all prices, from \$2 90 up. One thousand yards Matting, just in. New wall Paper just received. Lower than any house in Benton county The new folding Go-Carts are here.  
  
We don't have time to change our ads every week, but we sell goods to beat the band.  
Don't buy until you see our large stock of House Furnishing Goods—4 rooms full. Acme Washer.  
**Remember Blackledge is Here**

**Abe Lincoln Said**  
"You can fool some of the people all the time, and all of the people some of the time; but you can't fool all of the people all the time."  
We have adopted a better plan than that  
**NEVER FOOL ANYBODY**  
The merchandise we sell is exactly as represented  
If not we request you to allow us to exchange it for other goods or real money.  
**A. K. RUSS**  
Corvallis, Oregon.

**Moses Brothers**  
**Sure Pop**  
You will always find us up and coming and our prices reasonable.  
**FOR**  
Boots and shoes for men, women and children, hats, caps, underwear, everyday and Sunday shirts, ladies skirts, mens and boys suits in fact things to numerous to mention,  
**ALSO**  
A fine line of groceries, crockery and everything that is needed in a grocery department  
**LOOK OUT**  
For Moses Bros quick delivery wagon. Listen for the bell and you will find there is something doing

**E. B. Horning,**  
**The Grocer**  
We are not inclined to spend much time in writing advertisements—we prefer to let our goods and customers speak for themselves.  
**OUR TRADE IS GROWING FAST.**  
**WE WANT YOUR TRADE.**  
**WILL ASSURE SATISFACTION**  
**E. B. Horning.**

**BANKING.**  
The First National Bank of Corvallis, Oregon, transacts a general conservative banking business. Loans money on approved security. Drafts bought and sold and money transferred to the principal cities of the United States, Europe and foreign countries.

**E. E. WILSON,**  
**ATTORNEY AT LAW.**

**H. S. PERNOT,**  
**Physician & Surgeon**

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

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**ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.**

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**PHYSICIAN & SURGEON**

Office, room 14, Bank Bldg. Hours: 10 to 12 and 2 to 4.  
Phone, office 97. Residence 251.  
Corvallis, Oregon.

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**Physician & Surgeon,**

Office up stairs in Bank Bldg. Residence on the corner of Willamette and Seventh st. Corvallis, Oregon.

**C. H. Newth,**  
**Physician and Surgeon**  
Philomath, Oregon.

New Time Card for C. & E.  
Taking effect January 1, 1906, the new time card of the C. & E. will be issued, changing the times of trains between Albany and Corvallis as follows:  
Leave Albany for Corvallis: 8:00 a. m., 12:45 p. m. and 7:35 p. m.  
Leave Corvallis for Albany: 6:30 a. m., 11:30 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.  
Sunday Trains:  
Leave Albany for Corvallis at 7:35 p. m.  
Leave Corvallis for Albany at 6:30 p. m.  
The afternoon train leaving Albany at 2:40 p. m. will be discontinued.

**WILLAMETTE VALLEY**  
**Banking Company**  
CORVALLIS, OREGON

**Responsibility, \$100,000**

**Deals in Foreign and Domestic Exchange.**  
**Buys County, City and School Warrants.**

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PORTLAND } The Bank of }  
SEATTLE } California }  
TAOMA }

NEW YORK—Messrs. J. P. Morgan & Co.  
CHICAGO—National Bank of The Republic.  
LONDON, ENG.—N. M. Rothschild & Sons  
CANADA.—Union Bank of Canada

**Summons.**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County  
MYRTLE BENSON, Plaintiff,  
VERSUS  
JOHN T. BENSON, Def't.  
To John D. Benson, the above named defendant:  
In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled suit in the above entitled court, now on file in the office of the clerk of said court, on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for publication of this summons made by the county judge of Benton county, state of Oregon (which order is hereinafter referred to) to wit, March 2nd, 1906, and you are hereby notified that if you fail so to appear and answer the said complaint as herein required, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the above entitled court for the relief demanded in her said complaint, namely, for a decree of divorce from the said defendant forever dissolving the marriage contract existing between the plaintiff and said defendant, and for such other further and different relief, order or decree, as to the court may seem proper.  
This summons is published in the Corvallis Times once a week for six successive and consecutive weeks, beginning with the issue of February 9, 1906, and ending with the issue of March 23, 1906, under and in pursuance of the directions contained in an order made by the Hon. Virgil E. Walters, county judge of Benton county, Oregon, being the county where the above entitled suit is pending in the above entitled circuit court, dated February 8, 1906. Date of first publication hereof is February 9, 1906.  
E. E. WILSON,  
Plaintiff's attorney.

**One Dollar Saved Represents Ten Dollars Earned.**

The average man does not save to exceed ten per cent. of his earnings. He must spend nine dollars in living expenses for every dollar saved. That being the case he cannot be too careful about unnecessary expenses. Very often a few cents properly invested, like buying seeds for his garden, will save several dollars outlay later on. It is the same in buying Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It costs but a few cents, and a bottle of it in the house often saves a doctor's bill of several dollars. For sale by Graham & Wortham.