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Fishing Excursion TO THE Santiam and Breitenbush Rivers ON THE Corvallis & Eastern R. R.

Another enjoyable fishing excursion is arranged by the C. & E. for those who desire to go fishing up the Santiam and Breitenbush rivers and spend Sunday in the mountains. Round trip tickets will be sold from Corvallis ann Albany good leaving Corvallis at 6 p. m. and Albany 7 p. m. Saturday July 21st to Detroit, with stop off at any point east of Mill City and return on extra train from Detroit after arrival of excursion from the bay at that point. Fare for round trip Corvallis or Albany to Detroit and return \$1.00.

LOCAL LORE.

For advertisements in this column the rate of 15 cents per line will be charged.

—There will be service at Plymouth at 3.00 o'clock.

—Mrs. C. E. Cummings is to leave in a day or two to visit relatives near Roseburg.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell left Thursday for a few days trip to Newport.

—Prof. Cummings of the public school, is to leave the first of the week to spend the rest of his vacation in Marion county.

—Subject of sermon at the M. E. church, South, Sunday morning "A Forward Command." At 8 p. m., "A Heroic Band."

—Mr. and Mrs. Lee Henkle are to leave Saturday for Chehalis, Washington, for a ten days' visit with their son Arthur.

—Mrs. F. E. Smith of Salem returned to her home yesterday morning after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. R. M. Gilbert.

—Born, at Victoria, British Columbia, Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest C. Hayward, a daughter.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kiger and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Elgin expect to leave tomorrow for a two weeks' stay at Newport.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Davison of Portland arrived Wednesday evening, leaving the next day for Elk City.

—Adolph Leder and J. D. Bodine have purchased a steam hay press and expect to begin work next Monday at the farm of Dick Kiger three miles north of this city.

—Presbyterian church, M. S. Bush, pastor. Communion and reception of new members 11 a. m. Evening service at 8, subject is, "Abiding Enthusiasm."

—Morning sermon at the Congregational church Sunday, "The World's Greatest Need. What is it?" Evening sermon, "One of the Greatest Evils of our Time—of all Time." Preaching by the pastor.

—F. E. Edwards arrived Monday from a visit of four weeks with his parents at Mayville. Mrs. Edwards and children are to remain in Eastern Oregon for several weeks.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McKellips and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Taillander expect to leave Sunday for a month's outing at Yachats. Mrs. B. W. Jonsson may accompany them.

—Albany Democrat:—A delightful farewell reception was given by Alpha Temple No. 1, Rathbone Sisters, last night, to one of their members Mrs. C. C. Hogue, who will soon join her husband at Klamath Falls.

—At the Church of Christ next Sunday morning Pastor T. S. Handsaker will preach on; "The Beauties of Old Age." Any old person who may wish to attend and needs conveyance will be provided. In the evening the subject will be: "Christ the Master Builder."

—Mrs. Clarence Chipman and children arrived Tuesday from The Dalles where they have resided for the past two years. They are at present visiting relatives, but expect to move into their home on Fourth street, as soon as it is in readiness. Mr. Chipman is yet in business at The Dalles, but contemplates a removal to this city later on.

—Pasted on the window of the book publisher's store was the sign, "Porter wanted," and in the window itself on a pile of books the placard, "Dickens' Works All This Week for \$4." The able-looking Irishman read first the sign and then the placard. He scratched his head and blurted out, "Dickens take the job! Dickens can wur-ruk ahl the week fer four dollars if he wants to, but I'm a union man. I'll not touch it. Ye'd bether kape Dickens."

—A music-master in Chicago was recently visited by a woman who said she wished to become a professional singer. Would he try her voice?

"Yes," was the answer. "Are you a soprano or contralto?"

"I really don't know," was the answer. "I haven't any voice yet."

The teacher was naturally puzzled. "What do you mean?" asked he.

"Well," she replied. "I'm 48, and I've never sung a note in my life. But I'm a widow, and I've only \$750 income a year. One can not live on that. I can't say I am fond of music; I never was, but I've been told it's a lucrative business, and so I want to become a professional singer. How long will it take?"

—Miss Mary Sutherland was a guest this week at the Rosendorf home.

—The wool clip is nearly all sold and delivered. Local dealers quote it at 20 to 23 cents.

—Mrs. Henry Reed and little daughter of North Bend are guests for a few days at the Lee Henkle home.

—Married, Wednesday, at the court house by Rev. T. Vincent, D. M. Ro-s of Box and Miss Daisy M. Miller of Kings Valley.

—Mrs. Frank Alexander of Olympia, Washington, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Foster at the farm home twelve miles south of this city.

—R. E. Moore, C. & E. engineer on the Corvallis-Albany local, returned Thursday from a week's visit in Portland.

—Rev. J. C. Goo'rich, Ph. B., of Riverside, California, has arrived at Philomath, and is to be professor of mathematics at the College. He has purchased property at Philomath.

—During the past month the number of visitors to Reading Room has averaged eighty per week. The room is especially open to out of town people, who will find it a pleasant place in which to rest.

—According to the annual report of the director of the experiment station, the number of farmers' institutes held last year was 44. They were attended by more than 16,000 persons.

—W. W. Weeks of LaGrande, arrived Tuesday, and is the guest of Corvallis friends. Mr. Weeks was recently elected secretary-treasurer of the Blue Mountain Creamery Company, which owns creameries at Pendleton, LaGrande, Union, Enterprise and Wallowa, and in which company he is a stockholder.

—Mrs. J. F. Mayberry, wife and mother in a well known family in the north end of the county was committed to the asylum Wednesday. There is a lot of pathos in the case as there is in all cases, and the family has universal sympathy. Mrs. Mayberry is 45 years of age.

—The man who was first to violate the new local option law in old Yamhill got it where Eliza buttons her collar. He sold a bottle of whiskey and a bottle of beer to a Yamhiller, and when it was proven on him the court fined him \$500 and sentenced him to serve 20 days in jail. At that price Yamhill will not be bothered much with bootlegging.

—The annual game of football between O. A. C. and U. O. O. is scheduled for November 10th. It is to be played at Corvallis. Another probable game is with Whitman, with a possibility that November 21st will be the date and Corvallis the place. Seattle has asked for a game and wants O. A. C. to go there to play it. No arrangement has been made yet, however. Graduate Manager Pilkington is at work on the schedule.

—The Cordley-Shaw bug and bird hunting expedition arrived home Wednesday. After five weeks of travel in a land where the mercury played around 108 and 110 in the shade most of the time, the caravan didn't move like a boy-killing Portland auto car or present the shiny appearance of a newly painted buggy in the morning sunlight. The horses didn't prance up street like war steeds, but meandered along with bowed heads and weary steps. Prof. Shaw secured 75 fine specimens of which 30 are believed to be new ones, several of which he did not expect to find. Prof. Cordley's search for bug specimens was equally successful, and the trip fruitful of results. Both know now what an Eastern Oregon desert means in the good old summer time.

—Albany Democrat:—The silicate sand for the two big filters of the Willamette Valley Co, arrived by freight last evening, and the 100,000 pound capacity steel car filled with it was side-tracked at the Magnolia Mills, from which it will be taken to the water power station and placed in the filters. Besides the sand, a special kind of gravel, to come from Seattle, is also delayed, and will be here tomorrow or next day, when it will take a day or two to place them in the filters ready for use, so that by Monday perhaps they will be in use, a consummation generally desired by Albany people, for the water has been pretty muddy, making an unpleasant food for those using hydrant water. The company is as anxious as its patrons for the new conditions to begin, and will use every effort to have the filtered water in the pipes, which will give the city a fine water system, not excelled in the valley, for there is no question as to the purity of the Santiam water, shown by the health record of the city.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. W. S. Pratt left today for a week's outing at Elk City.

—Lewis Hartley returned Friday from Seattle.

—Corvallis will furnish quite a crowd for the fishing excursion to the front Saturday evening.

—Miss Agnes Wilson is expected to arrive this evening from her trip to the Yellowstone Park.

—The story of Corvallis men who have been down there is that Albany is closed tight as to local option. Some of the boys who happened down hunted for the Crayther but couldn't find a drop, and came home with the announcement that it was useless to make a trip.

—S.lem Statesman:—Professor R. A. Heritage, formerly of this city but now a well known musical director of Spokane, Washington, has been engaged to take charge of the Willamette university college of music for the coming school year. Mr. Heritage is rated as an eminently able instructor of music and the university faculty is entitled to congratulations in securing his services.

—In two weeks, the Albany Democrat says the new Independent Telephone exchange will be working in Albany. Two hundred independent phones have already been wired, and by that time an additional fifty will have been installed. It will then, except for legal restrictions, be almost possible for the twin Willamette cities to swap drinks by phone.

—The annual summer search for houses in Corvallis has begun. In the main those who are looking for quarters are people from abroad who want to come here for educational purposes. Several of this class have already made engagements, and it is likely from indications that those who apply late will as usual, be unable to find suitable dwellings. The eighty houses built last year have greatly increased the visible supply, but it is the opinion of those conversant with the situation that all and more will be required to satisfy the demand. Catalogues at the college are going out at a lively rate now, and applications for them are daily increasing.

—It is expected now that Independent telephone connections with Portland will be available at Corvallis within two months. The construction gang is already started out of Portland, running south on the Eastside. The survey is now at Salem and the stringing of wire is nearing Oregon City. Ten circuits are being built which will provide for the swift transaction of business. Albany is expected to be reached within two months with the long distance circuits, at which time Corvallis, via the local independent system will begin at once to talk direct with the metropolis. The present haste of the Independent people is to hurry the line through as quickly as possible in order to get the Corvallis and Albany exchanges in communication with Portland.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following real estate transfers have been filed at the office of Recorder Newton at the court house

Addie E. Job and husband to Alfred Stevenson and wife, three lots in block 9. \$1,000

Joseph T. Taylor to Martha J. Rodertek, 160 acres west of Corvallis, \$1500.

Louisa Irwin to Dally D. Gray two lots in Irwin's addition to Corvallis, \$400.

J. F. Yates and wf. to Mary Taft Skelton, 1 lot in block 15 in County add. \$450.

Best line of postal cards, comics and scenery, at the Bazaar.

E. R. Bryson,

Attorney-At-Law, E. E. WILSON, ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Portland Market Report.

Wheat valley 71c
Flour \$3.40 to \$3.66
Potatoes .50 persack
Eggs Oregon, 22c doz
Butter 14c per lb
Creamery 17 to 21

Corvallis.

Wheat 60c
Oats 38c to 40
Flour \$1 10
Potatoes \$1 per sack
Butter 35 per roll
Creamery 50 per roll
Eggs 20 per doz
Chickens 12 to 15c per lb
Lard 15 c per pound

PERRY MITCHELL.

He was in Corvallis—Plans that his Sister's Revolver Disarranged.

Perry Mitchell, brother of the slayer of Creffield was a Corvallis visitor Wednesday. He came in on the Westside from Newberg at noon and left for Portland on the 6:30 C. & E. yesterday morning. His errand in town was to consult with O. V. Hurt. He was by the side of George Mitchell at the Seattle depot when the latter was shot down by Esther Mitchell. He says that what makes the affair the more terrible is that both Esther and George Mitchell were favorites in the Mitchell family. Both were extremely beloved by all other members of the family.

In appearance Perry Mitchell so much resembles his dead brother that he was recognized on the street by stragucas as likely to be a Mitchell from pictures of George published in the newspapers recently. He is of medium height, rather slight build, with brown hair, and a smoothly shaven, pleasant face. He is 21 years of age. He expects to be a witness at the trial of his sister, but does not want her convicted. At the time of the shooting, he was almost prostrated with grief, and signs of sadness were plainly visible on his face when in Corvallis. He became for a time in a measure embittered toward his sister, but according to all accounts it has largely passed away, and though likely to be called as a witness for the prosecution, he will only be in the witness box against his will, and as far as he can, will shield his sister. He went from Corvallis to Portland, where he expects to obtain employment. He was to have worked in the same establishment side by side with his brother George who was to assist him in learning the business but the sister's revolver at the Seattle depot disarranged that plan.

For Sale

Stock ranch, 295 acres in Belknap settlement, 20 miles southwest of Corvallis, running water, house, barn and orchard, unlimited outgrange, \$6 per acre, terms easy. Independent phone 555, drop 4, Belfountain. Address, A. W. Hawley, R. F. D, r. Monroe, Ore.

Imported Black Percheron Stallion

55296 Potache 40064 Will make the season of 1906 at Abbott's feed barn, Corvallis, Ore. Potache was winner of 1st prize at St. Louis Fair; 1st at American Live Stock Show, Kansas; 1st at overnment Show in France; also International Live Stock show at Chicago 1904. Mares from a distance will be furnished first class pasture. Terms \$25 to insure. T. K. Fawcett, Corvallis, Oregon.

Wood For Sale.

Ash, maple, oak and fir wood at lowest prices. Orders promptly filled. Independent phone 364, three bells. Leder Brothers.

M. M. Loug has received a late improved rubber carriage tire setter and is prepared to do all kinds of rubber tire work.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon for the county of Benton, administrator of the estate of William Seckler, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me properly verified, as by law required, at the office of J. F. Yates, Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 19th day of June, 1906. ANNE SECKLER, Administrator of the estate of William Seckler, Deceased.

Ice and ice cream delivered on Sunday—any part of the city—by Corvallis Creamery Co.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Pamela Winkle, deceased, has filed in the county court of the state of Oregon, for Benton county, his final account as such administrator of said estate, and that Monday, the 6th day of August, 1906, at the hour of 10 o'clock has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing of objections to said report and the settlement thereof. JOHN WHITAKER, Administrator of the estate of Pamela Winkle, Deceased. Dated June 20, 1906.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Harvey Eugene Burns, deceased, by the county court of Benton county, state of Oregon. All persons having claims against the estate of the said Harvey Eugene Burns, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with the proper vouchers, duly verified as by law required within six months from the date thereof to the undersigned at her residence at Corvallis, Benton county, Oregon, or at the office of E. R. Bryson, in Corvallis, Oregon. Dated this 3d day of July, 1906. IDA A. BURNS, Administrator of the estate of Harvey Eugene Burns, deceased.