

—Frank Connor spent Sunday with Dallas friends.

—Dr. James Harper leaves Thursday to attend the meetings of the Oregon Dental Association at Portland. He expects to return Sunday.

—A special meeting of the O. A. C. board of regents occurs in the president's office at the college Thursday afternoon. One of the matters to be considered is the election of a president to take charge of the institution after the July meeting when the resignation of Dr. Gatch as president goes into effect.

—After an absence of five months at San Jose, San Diego and Los Angeles, George Hanks arrived home last night. He was for three months with his son Raymond who is in the drug business in San Jose. The town has 4,000 inhabitants, and the Corvallis boy's drug store is the finest in the city, doing the largest business.

—The Bell telephone office is in new quarters in the Fisher brick next door north of Victor Moses store. The transfer of the switchboard occurred Sunday, and it kept the lines out of business only about an hour and a half. A new switchboard and other appointments to be installed has not yet arrived, and the office is operating under temporary arrangements.

—A musical comedy, one of the first ever given in Corvallis, and probably the first one of its class ever produced in the town, will be at the Opera house next Tuesday night. It is Murray and Mack, the name being a perfect guarantee of its high character. Murray and Mack are two Irish comedians of national reputation. The show carries forty people, including a big chorus. It appears at the Hellig in Portland Saturday and Sunday night, and comes to Corvallis Tuesday. A huge guarantee has to be given by Manager Groves in order to get the attraction, a fact that will doubtless lead Corvallis people to come out with a big audience in order that Mr. Groves venture may prove successful enough to warrant the bringing of other first class attractions. The fact that the production goes to the Hellig in Portland and the Grand Opera house in Seattle is its own comment.

Neglected Colds Threaten Life.

[From the Chicago Tribune.]

"Don't trifle with a cold," is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in the case of a child. Proper food, good ventilation, and dry, warm clothing are the proper safeguards against colds. If they are maintained through the changeable weather of autumn, winter and spring, the chances of a surprise from ordinary colds will become severe if neglected, and a well-established ripe cold is to the germs of diphtheria what honey is to the bee. The greatest menace to child life at this season of the year is the neglected cold. Whether it is a child or adult, the cold slight or severe, the very best treatment that can be adopted is to give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is safe and sure. The great popularity and immense sale of this preparation has been attained by its remarkable cures of this ailment. A cold never results in pneumonia when it is given. For sale by Graham & Wortham.

What Seattle Says of Them.

Murray & Mack who are two Irish comedians on the stage and Hibernian millionaires off the stage, opened at the Seattle yesterday afternoon in the musical comedy "Around the town." People fought for admission at both the afternoon and night shows, and it will be the same story all week. All of the bald-headed gentlemen will offer premiums for seats within winkshot of the stage, and the other players who like to see a good dollar musical show will try for seats at the box office. Charles Murray and Ollie Mack are excellent comedians, and their team work results in a peerless concoction of comedy. They are supported by a good cast of chorus principals, and their entertainment is one of the best in its line that Seattle patrons will see in many months; those who are fortunate enough to secure a seat during the engagement will join in the praise of this very excellent company—Seattle Times, Apr. 22, '07.

For Chief of Police.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Chief of Police of Corvallis, subject to the will of the voters at the coming election.
LINCOLN CHAMBERS.

Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by the County Court up to Wednesday, May 1st, 11 o'clock a. m. of said day for completing the unfinished portion of the wagon road around Digger Mountain in Benton County, Oregon, according to specifications now on file with the county clerk at the Court House. The right to reject any and all bids, by order of the County Court. T. T. Vincent, Clerk.

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GENTLEMAN RUBE.

Local Lore of Long Ago.—The Heart May be White in the Bosom of a Black Man.

On a train approaching the Corvallis and Eastern depot the following tale was told:

Some black men have hearts as white as snow. And you needn't pass Old Rube Shipley for a sample.

Old Rube was once a slave down South with about as much liberty as a rabbit in an iron cage. But he was honest, and good, and willing to work. So his master told him one day that he might purchase his freedom, paying the whole in installments as he could earn the money. All went well, until one day Reuben was told that his master's family was about to move to Oregon. This was startling news, for he feared that his owner would turn him over to a severe master. And with that devotion to his own that had actuated him in all the days gone by he said:

"Massa Shipley, do you s'pose you is gwine away to leave poor Rube? No sah, Ise gwine with my massa as slave or debtor—my massa judging 'twixt de two."

"Reuben" said his master, "If I should take you to free territory would you pay me the remainder that you owe me?"

"Massa, shore, Rube will pay you all he owes if he lives; and if he dies, shore as de Lord am in de heaven, Rube am a dead nigger."

"Reuben, I am going to take you to Oregon, where you can earn your freedom sooner than you can here in the South."

The family came to Oregon, where, in due time, Rube earned his freedom. Then, in the sight of God and man he was free, and Reuben was light hearted and happy.

With some encouragement from his master he purchased a farm three miles from Corvallis which was eventually paid for as was his freedom. This was great—almost too good to think about; but it wasn't enough, so it wasn't all. Reuben went to Salem one day, where he found the kindly face he had been looking for, at least twenty years. At once she was the joy of his life. They were soon married. Children blessed the home. These were educated in the public school with the white children who were taught by their parents that the negro children were aristocratic, for they had good hearts, clean minds and nobility of character. And Reuben's life was happy.

But a chilly hand touched his brow one night, and next morning the news was passed to the neighbors that Reuben Shipley was dead. In a few years the family were scattered, without leaving even a monolith to mark the father's resting place. And the neighbors forgot to inscribe this tribute in the story of the pioneers. But to this day when the old settlers pass a little log cabin in the rear of a farmyard near Corvallis, they think of the old black man whose heart was so white that they never stopped to consider his color; and they sometimes say:

"There lived an honorable man."

Notice of Administrator's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, administrator of the estate of T. Egerton Hogg, deceased, pursuant to an order of the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon, made and entered in the matter of the said estate on the 13th day of April, 1907, will on and after the 25th day of May, 1907, offer for sale and proceed to sell, at private sale, for cash in hand, subject to the confirmation of said County Court the following described real property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

Lot Five (5) and six (6) in Block Five (5) and Lot One (1) in Block six (6) in the town of Corvallis; Lot Five (5) and Six (6) in Block Two (2) of fractional river blocks in Avery's Addition to Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon.

The following property situated in Polk County Oregon, to-wit: Beginning at a point twenty-six (26) rods east of the southeast corner of Lot numbered Three (3) in fractional block One (1) in Hill's addition to the town of Independence, in Polk County, Oregon; running thence north Four (4) rods, thence east to the Willamette river, thence south Four (4) rods, thence West to the piece of beginning.

The certain river lot four rods wide by eight rods long and the building thereon, and situated directly north of and adjoining the river lot formerly owned by Smith & Vanduyne, and conveyed by them to T. Egerton Hogg, both of said lots, the one here described, and the one conveyed by said Smith & Vanduyne, being situated on the west bank of the Willamette river at Independence, in Polk County, Oregon.

The following real property in Lincoln County, Oregon, to-wit: section Thirty-one (31), and southwest quarter of section Thirty-two (32); Lot No. One (1) section Thirty-one (31); Northwest quarter of the north west quarter of section Twenty-two (22); East one-half of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-nine (29); and east one-half of the north west quarter of section Twenty-two (22); the west one-half of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-nine (29); Lots Three (3) and Four (4) section Thirty (30); Lot No. One (1) of section nineteen (19); Lot numbered Three (3) section Nineteen (19); and the south west quarter of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-two (22); the southwest quarter of section Twenty-four (24); the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, the south half of the northeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section Twenty-six (26); the northwest quarter of section Twenty-six (26); the southwest quarter of section Twenty-six (26); the northwest quarter of section Twenty-six (26); the north half of the southeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section Twenty-three (23); Lots 1, 2, and 3 in section 28, all of the site and overflowed lands on the shore of Yaquina Bay in front of Lot Eight (8) in section 27, and Lots 1, 2, and 3 in section 28, and lying between the meander line of said lots on the shore, by and low water mark, covering about 25 50 acres; the undivided one-half interest in lots numbered 1 and 2 and the south half of the north west quarter of section 10, all situated in township 11 South, Range 11 West of the Willamette Meridian in Lincoln County, Oregon.

Also the following real property situated in Benton, Polk and Lincoln Counties, Oregon, to-wit: All of Section Thirty-one (31) in Township 10 South, Range 8 West; South Half of Northeast Quarter; Northwest Quarter of Southeast Quarter; and Northeast Quarter of Southwest Quarter of section 11, Township 11 South, Range 6 West; Lots 1 and 2 and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 15 in Township 11 South, Range 6 West; the West Half of the Southwest Quarter, East Half of the Southeast Quarter of section 28, Township 12 South, Range 6 West; the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 11 South, Range 7 West; East Half of Southwest Quarter, and South Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 29, Township 9 South, Range 8 West; all of Section 31, Township 9 South, Range 8 West; all of Section 33, Township 9 South, Range 8 West; North Half of Northwest Quarter, Southeast Quarter of Northwest Quarter of Section 3, Township 11 South, Range 8 West; East Half of Southwest Quarter, East Half of Northeast Quarter, Northwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter and Northwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 10 South, Range 9 West; all of Section 21, Township 10 South, Range 9 West; North Half of Southeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 11 South, Range 10 East; Southwest Quarter of Southeast Quarter, West half of Northwest Quarter and Southwest Quarter of Section 19, Township 12 South, Range 6 West; South Half of Section 9, Township 11 South, Range 9 West; Southeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 11 South, Range 8 West; Southwest Quarter of Northeast Quarter of Section 1, Township 12 South, Range 9 West.

Offers for the purchase of said real property may be made to me in writing at my office in the Zierolf Building, Corvallis, Oregon; from and after the 25th day of May, 1907; and the said sale will be concluded by me on Friday, the 31st day of May 1907, at my office for the best offer by me received up to and at that time. Dated this 26th day of April, 1907.

FRED YATES, Administrator of the estate of T. Egerton Hogg, deceased.

For Chief of Police.

In response to the request of many citizens, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of chief of police, of the city of Corvallis, subject to the decision of the voters at the coming city election. If elected, I shall consider my oath of office binding, and shall do my duty without fear or favor.

J. D. Wells.

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Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth W. Taylor, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same duly verified as by law required, to me or at the office of J. F. Yates, Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated April 15, 1907. W. A. BUCHANAN,
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth W. Taylor, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern that the undersigned has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of B. F. Hyland, deceased, by the county court of Benton County, Oregon. All persons having claims against the estate of said B. F. Hyland, deceased are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers therefor, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at the office of McFadden & Bryson, attorneys, Corvallis, Oregon.

Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, this 29th day of March, 1907.

MARY A. DINGES,
Administratrix of the estate of B. F. Hyland, deceased.

Notice of Sale.

Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, as the administrator of the estate of Peter Wilson, deceased, by virtue of an order of the county court of Jackson County, Oregon, sitting in probate, said order being of date the 25th day of April, 1907, will from and after Monday the 30th day of June, 1907, and at and from the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, offer for sale, and sell all of the right, title and interest of said estate in and to all of the following described real property, situated in Benton County, Oregon, to-wit:

The North-east quarter of section 15, in Township 12 South, Range 6 West, containing 160 acres.

Said sale will take place at the law office of E. E. Wilson in Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, and will continue until the highest possible price has been received for said tract of land, and said property sold. Said property will be sold free from all liens and incumbrances whatsoever.

Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, this 26th day of April, 1907.

D. H. CHENEY,
Administrator of the estate of Peter Wilson, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of }
Eliza A. Knight, Deceased. }

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Eliza A. Knight, deceased, by the county court of the state of Oregon for Benton County. All persons having claims against said estate of Eliza A. Knight, deceased, are hereby required to present the same with proper vouchers therefor, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof to the undersigned at his law office in Corvallis, Oregon.

Dated April 30, 1907.

E. E. WILSON,
Administrator of the Estate of Eliza A. Knight, deceased.