

WEEKLY CORVALLIS GAZETTE.
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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.—Preaching every second and fourth Sabbath in each month at the College Chapel, by the Rev. F. P. Davidson. Services begin at 11 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. All are invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Regular services every Sabbath morning and evening. Sunday school at the close of the morning service. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Public cordially invited. H. P. DUNNING, Pastor.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH.—Regular services every Sabbath—morning and evening, unless otherwise announced. Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Public cordially invited. H. P. DUNNING, Pastor.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—The Rev. B. E. Haberham will hold regular services in this church through the winter months on the first three Sundays in each month. Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Lay services on Sunday—no hereafter—at the same hours.

M. E. CHURCH.—Regular services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at the close of morning service, with class for old and young. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. A general invitation and cordial welcome.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.—Services every Sabbath at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., at the college chapel. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Public cordially invited. JAMES EMMETT, Pastor.

LOCAL NOTES.

T. J. Buford keeps the best brands of Cigars and Tobaccos in the city.

Hans, shoulders and bacon at Ray's.

Prof. E. B. McKelroy is on his annual tour visiting the public schools of the county.

Prof. M. H. Parker of Philomath, was in the city yesterday and favored us with a call.

Boots, boots.—Fine calf boots made to order at eight dollars per pair at S. H. Look.

Mr. L. Howe, of Douglas county, was in the city Tuesday and favored us with a call.

Rev. Mr. Wood, late of California, is holding religious services in a large tent on the Pacific grounds in Philomath.

The new district school house at Philomath is now in course of erection and will be completed by Sept. 1st.

Some of our Corvallis boys claim that the camp meeting at Robert's bridge last Sunday was very dry in the afternoon.

E. J. Wilson, of Portland, was in Corvallis Wednesday, on business connected with the Oregon and Washington Trust Investment Co.

We are sorry to announce that T. J. Buford is quite sick at his residence in this city, though we trust his sickness is not dangerous.

Camp meeting will commence at the Philomath college grounds, under the auspices of the United Brethren church on the 15th inst.

Rava P. O. Hurdler and H. J. Booker passed through the city this week on their way to Philomath to attend the United Brethren conference at that place.

The social party at Will Sillison's, near Philomath, on Wednesday night was a very good one. There were about forty couple present, good music and an excellent supper.

John H. Lewis is still at his market with the avowed determination of selling better meats at lower prices than anyone else in the city. Satisfaction guaranteed. Give him a call.

E. D. Hamilton, recently from Iowa, was in the city yesterday. He was looking for a location, intending to make Oregon his future home. He had been reading the GAZETTE in Iowa and called at our office.

English Literature, New Testament Revised, Shakespeare Complete Works, Lives of Great Men, Don Quixote's History of England, and a complete assortment of standard books at Beasford's New Depot.

A. Cantham & Son have for sale the California Adjustable Spring Toiled Cultivator and Harrow, which is undoubtedly the best cultivator in market for the extermination of wild oats and other noxious weeds, and answers every purpose of the common harrow.

Good time at the Bay for the Fourth. We learn that there will be an excursion on the Bay, and a big dance on the largest scow in the evening. Rumor has it that Kit will make the best of masters of ceremonies.

We learn that there was a shooting affair at Albany last Wednesday between a man called Warm Spring Charley and a fellow by the name of Nell, resulting in the latter being shot seriously but not fatally. It seems to have been a drunken row in the city suburbs, and we were unable to get further particulars.

On last Tuesday evening on the streets of Corvallis, we once more observed the familiar countenance of Henry C. McFarland. He left here last year for Klittick County, W. T., where he settled on a farm about 8 miles from the Columbia river. He is here for a short time to settle up business and will then return to his newly selected home. His family came down with him.

The camp meeting at Robert's bridge, in Linn County, was largely attended last Sabbath. Quite a number of Corvallis people were present. The following named ministers preached on Sabbath: A. L. M. Rev. W. C. Chapman, of Corvallis; at 3 p. m. Rev. M. Lambert, of Salem; and in the evening Rev. Mr. Sayles, of Brownsville. There were a large number of campers and the very best order observed during the entire exercises.

T. J. Buford keeps all of the leading Newspapers, Magazines, Novels, etc. Next Monday is the glorious fourth. Thos. Month of Albany was in the city Monday.

N. A. Thompson, of Monroe, was in the city yesterday on business. Try the celebrated "Owl" and "Our Peg" Cigars at Ray's.

Don't forget the Drama at the Hall tonight.

Mr. C. Herbert Nash made a short trip to the Bay last week.

Just received 3000 of those Beauty's Bower cigars at Buford's.

L. G. Kline & Co. are offering their entire stock of clothing at reduced prices. 100,000 Pounds of wool wanted by Jacobs & Neugass, for which they will pay cash.

Mrs. McKelroy, of Portland, daughter of Mrs. Kelly of this city is visiting in the city this week.

Prof. J. W. Johnson, President of the State University at Eugene, is in the city visiting friends.

Wm. D. Johnson and family and Lewis Wilson and family have gone to the Bay on a pleasure trip.

Rev. J. A. Hanna has been in Yamhill county for several weeks past and returned home Monday.

Prof. Lawson's writing classes commence Tuesday, July 5th, at each of the District school houses in this place.

Capt. S. L. Wasm, of Newport, passed through Corvallis enroute for home the first of the week. He had been to Portland.

John Rock, well known in this city and the present editor of the Oregon City Enterprise, was in the city last week on a visit.

Wallis Nash Esq., was in Portland the first of the week and on Monday argued the case of the Corvallis Fruit Company vs. Thomas before Judge Deady.

John H. Lewis sells and delivers anywhere in town the very best quality of meats, and also pays the highest prices for beef, and veal. Don't fail to call at his market.

The Albany celebration is near Corvallis and as preparations are being made for a grand demonstration at that place, quite a number of our citizens will attend the celebration there.

A. Hodes & Co. have just received a new invoice of goods, consisting of pocket cutlery, base balls, notions, &c., which they have added to their complete stock of groceries heretofore kept.

Mr. E. Rosenthal, accompanied by his wife, started for Olympia this morning on a visit to relatives and friends, and will be absent for several days. We wish them a pleasant journey.

The W. O. R. R. will run its train from this place to Portland next Sunday at half fare rates, the tickets holding good until Wednesday, July 6th. The train will leave this place at 10 o'clock, a. m.

The Peruvian ayupha has cured thousands who were suffering from Dyspepsia, Debility Liver complaints, Boils, Humors, Female complaints, etc. Pamphlets free to any address. Send W. Fowler & Sons, Boston.

A. Nolter has retired from the editorial management of the Daily Standard, but will continue to edit the weekly. The publication of the daily will be continued under the management of S. H. Hurdler & Christie.

100,000 feet of assorted lumber for sale at the Corvallis saw mill for \$10 per thousand feet. Special rates on dressed and other lumber for cash.

We are in receipt of Dyer & Howard's Journal of Music, published at Minneapolis, Minnesota, at the astonishingly low price of 60 cts per year. It is a very readable journal and contains a number of pieces of excellent music.

The "Bos" coffee and tea pots, at Woodcock & Baldwin's, makes coffee as clear as wine in five minutes without the use of eggs or other clarifying substance.

Over 4,000 sold in Portland, 1,000 in Salem, 300 in Eugene.

Mr. P. M. Zierolf keeps constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of groceries, provisions, cigars, and tobacco, also a bakery in connection with the store where the best of fresh bread and cakes can be had. See ad. in another column.

Have Winters Balsam of Wild Cherry always at hand. It cures coughs, colds, "bronchitis," whooping cough, croup, Influenza, Consumption and all throat and lung complaint. 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle.

City politics in Portland are settling down after the boiling stage of last week. Mayor Thompson has the show by one vote at present, and as the ultimate decision rests with the Common Council, Joe Simon stands very good chance of staying out in the cold.

We understand that Bishoo Morris is in great trouble over the special extra assessments of about \$4000 for street improvements in Portland around St. Helen's Hall and Bishop Scott's Grammar School. Rather a heavy price for locating in the commercial metropolis of the Northwest.

J. M. Rankin, formerly of this city but now of Ashland, writes us that the woolen mills at that place are running to their full capacity, and other business correspondingly brisk. Mr. R. also appreciates good reading matter and sends an order for the GAZETTE.

We make our most polite bow to the secretary of the Oregon State Agricultural Society for a complimentary ticket to the approaching State fair. A large crowd is expected and every effort is being made to make the fair a perfect success, and it certainly deserves to be.

A few days since we counted one hundred and sixty-three pods on one Windsor bean plant, which has stood out all winter in the bed where the beans grew last year. Each pod will average three beans. The largest yield anyone has ever heard of from one root. The plant is in the garden of Mr. Wallis Nash, at his hill farm one mile from town.

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"Among the Breakers" to-night. See the July "Colonist" this week. Wm. A. Yantis, of Linn county, was in the city yesterday on business.

Dr. F. M. Carter, of Philomath, was in the city yesterday and favored us with a call.

W. S. Walker, President of Philomath College, was in town on Wednesday and favored the GAZETTE office with his presence.

Marshall Pygall was in our office Wednesday. He has been suffering from the effects of a bilious attack and is not looking well.

Mr. Nofgaker will talk temperance at the Evangelical church next Monday evening, followed by a reading by one of the boys. Singing as usual.

Services will be held by Rev. B. E. Haberham at the Episcopal church in this place, in the morning and evening on Sunday, July 3d.

John Wiles, one of Oregon's oldest residents and a prosperous farmer from near Wells station, favored us with a call this week and renewed his subscription to the GAZETTE. Mr. Wiles is a man who appreciates the news of the day and always takes the GAZETTE to find it.

The material belonging to the Albany Register was sold at public auction last Thursday and purchased by Col. Van Cleave for \$340. We are informed that Mr. Van Cleave intends starting up the Register again and we wish him all success in the enterprise.

FOR ALBANY.—The fire department of Corvallis have succeeded in getting a boat for the Fourth of July, and will take Young America Engine to Albany on that day to compete for the prizes offered. This insures a large delegation of Corvallis people at the Albany celebration.

MORE RAILROADS.—Articles of incorporation of the Salt Lake and Western railroad, were filed in Carson City, June 17th. The road will run from Salt Lake through Nevada to San Francisco to compete with the Central Pacific. Gould and Dillon are backing the scheme.

DIED.—At Mitchell, Wasco county, June 15th 1881, Agnes, wife of Jas. E. L. Keyes. She leaves a husband and three infant children. The deceased husband is a son of David L. Keyes of this county, and is well known to many of our readers who will deeply sympathize with him in this sad dispensation of providence.

IMMIGRANTS.—Quite a number of immigrants have arrived in Corvallis during the last week who expect to make Benton Co. their future home. Among them we have met the following: Sarned Beal and family, W. A. Beal and family of Hampton, Ill.; Frank S. Ball, Moline, Ill.; and G. W. Zion and family from Missouri. They all express themselves satisfied with the country.

THE COMET.—The comet has been one of the chief topics of conversation for the past week. It seems to be an erratic sort of a creature having no permanent abiding place and no definite time for its appearance. At first it was only after midnight, but when the young people commenced to make this an excuse for late hours, the careful parent discovers to his infinite gratification that it was visible at nine o'clock and Adolphus no goes home at 10 p. m. as usual.

MARRIED.—In this city, yesterday morning, June 30th, 1881, Mr. Allan Wilson and Miss Mollie Kelly were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's mother, Rev. H. P. Dunning officiating. The wedding was a very quiet one, there being no one present except the immediate family of the contracting parties. Mr. Wilson and wife took the 8:30 train for Portland and will be absent for a few days. We trust their lives may ever be as bright and cheerful as the morning on which they commenced life's journey together.

PHILOMATH COLLEGE.—The catalogue of Philomath College for the present year is on our table. We are pleased to note the fact that this excellent institution of learning is in a prosperous condition and fast becoming one of the first literary institutions in the State. As citizens of Benton county interested in its welfare we rejoice in the prosperity of our neighboring town and her excellent College.

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STATE NEWS.
The five-month-old infant child of Mrs. and Mr. L. C. Palmer, of Vancouver, says that Independent, was found dead in bed by its parents, on Sunday morning, on awakening. The cause of its death is a mystery, although it had not been in full health for a few days. The sudden blow is a great grief to the family.

The body of J. Dwyer who was pulling boat for Cooksfoot and was lost with him, was picked up Thursday, says the Astorian, and brought to Astoria for burial. He was found by Mr. Andrew Johnson, fishing for Baldcutt & Co., and brought to Astoria in one of Cook's boats. His uncle at Turner Station was notified by telegraph.

James M. Ofield, who shot and killed Mathew Montgomery near Almoita, in Columbia County, W. T., some time ago on account of some land troubles, was on preliminary examination at Pomeroy, acquitted, having clearly established the fact that the killing was done in self defence. Mr. Ofield was for many years a resident of Clackamas County where he was considered an upright, honorable citizen. His friends in this locality will be pleased to learn of the fact of his acquittal.

The Salem Statesman of the 24th says: Another crime has been committed, but by whom, will perhaps remain a mystery, unless it be made known by some conscience stricken mother. Wednesday last while Wm. Holston was walking on the river bank, he discovered a small wooden box lying near the water's edge. He picked it up and raising the lid, found wrapped in a white skirt a pretty baby, apparently two or three days of age. In the bottom of the box was a large brick. Some person had evidently thrown the box into the river a few days before, and the river receding had left it exposed on the bank. Squire Johnson took the baby in charge and gave it a decent burial.

Last Thursday, says the Telegram, a well dressed young man was enticing a little girl about five or six years of age to a vacant lot at the corner of Eleventh and H streets where he was endeavoring to get to a place concealed from observation, when an older sister of the child made the discovery that her little sister was missing, and looking out saw her just disappearing led by the hand of the villain who was enticing her away. So soon as he caught sight of the young lady approaching the fellow pulled his hat down over his eyes and leaving the little girl, made off as rapidly as possible. From the child's story, the purposes of the vile scoundrel were understood to be of the basest character.

At about 10 o'clock this forenoon Dr. D. W. Ward was called to attend a child in Stephens' addition who had, while playing with an iron screw, attempted to swallow it, says the Telegram. When the Doctor reached the little patient, only about two years old, it was almost suffocated and was perfectly black in the face. The screw was so far down in the throat as to be beyond reach, and was accordingly pushed on down into the stomach. Of course the child was instantly relieved, and the Doctor says experienced no further difficulty with its peculiar food. Other and similar screws, with which the child was playing, were shown the physician, which he says were ordinary 14 inch screws, such as are used by carpenters in hanging doors.

Who has not noticed the different effect hot weather has upon men and women? A man will go fuming down the street, coat unbuttoned, suspenders flying, puffing like an engine, moping his face and swearing at every step. Immediately behind him sails a lady dressed in some soft, flimsy, white material, a bonnet pinned coquettishly on her shoulder, a dainty little parasol over head, looking cool, collected and happy, without a ruffle misbehaved or a frown out of order. The sight of her is soothing to the mind and cooling to the eye and the reverent man removes his hat and forgets to say "ain't it hot?"—E. K.

A dispatch several days since announced the death of E. G. White, of Oakland, Douglas county, by the accidental discharge of a gun in his own hands. A correspondent from that place gives the following particulars of that event: "Saturday brought forth one of the saddest accidents that ever befell this section. E. G. White and family and John and Will Cronch were preparing to go blackberrying. After they were all in the wagon ready to start, they found they had forgotten a shot gun they had intended to take. Mr. White returned to the house for the same. While putting the last charge of shot in Mr. White discovered he had put both charges into one barrel. He turned the gun up, emptying the shot into his hand, and as he went to let the gun to the floor again the hammer struck the lounge, causing the gun to discharge, taking effect in one side of his face, almost completely tearing it away, causing his brains to ooze out. Death was instantaneous.—Telegram.

CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.
Mrs. John H. Lillis, while walking on College street on last Monday in Portland, between Fifth streets, with a child, the little one stepped on the end of a loose plank in this side walk, causing the child to fall and trip Mrs. Lillis, who fell and broke an arm and dislocated one of her shoulders. The fracture of the arm is a very bad one, the bone being much splintered. Mr. Lillis intends commencing suit for damages at once.

Captain L. W. Poole, an old resident of Astoria, attempted suicide at that place on Saturday evening last by shooting himself in the left breast. He was sitting in the office of the Occidental Hotel at the time. He has been suffering from rheumatism and while brooding over his illness brought on a fit of despondency, during which he sought to end his misery.

Mr. C. C. Phillips, while engaged in running a machine, called a sticker, on last Tuesday, at the corner of Second and E streets, Portland, one of his thumbs came in contact with a sharp pointed and swiftly revolving knife, and the first joint was cut off with the exception of a piece of the skin.

While Mr. J. Clark, of Portland, was out driving with his family, his son Willie was thrown from the seat of the buggy striking his head on the ground, which stunned him and inflicted a severe wound.

DIED.
In this city yesterday morning at 2 o'clock, Lucinda J., wife of Thomas J. Blair, of this city.

Lucinda J. Montgomery, daughter of Jno. G. and Martha Montgomery, was born in the State of Virginia in the year 1829, and in early childhood removed with her parents to the State of Iowa, where she was married to Thomas J. Blair on the 27th day of January, 1851. In 1853, in company with her husband, she undertook and accomplished the long and tiresome journey across the plains to Oregon, arriving in this State in the Fall of the same year, and settled in Benton county, where they have ever since resided.

About two weeks since she was taken sick with neuralgia of the heart, but by the almost superhuman skill of physicians the disease was for a time controlled and hopes were entertained of her recovery until a few days since. Mrs. Blair was a faithful and devoted wife and mother, a kind neighbor, a true friend and a consistent Christian. More cannot be said in her praise. She was a member of the Methodist church.

Her family, who are now grief stricken with this affliction of Divine providence, consist of her husband and three daughters, namely: Mrs. Martha Sawtell and Misses Ella and Clara Blair, the youngest being about ten years old. The afflicted family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends, who feel that they too have sustained a severe loss by this untimely dispensation.

The funeral will take place from the family residence to-day at 11 a. m. The services will be conducted by Rev. H. P. Dunning, after which the remains will be laid to rest in Crystal Lake Cemetery.

TO FARMERS.—Study the facts. "A dollar is saved is as good as two dollars earned." The McCormick Twine Binder uses a twine measuring 750 feet to the pound, and wastes no time in making small bundles, but makes every bundle the same size. Other binders in the market use twine so large, it costs as much or more than wire. Figures won't lie:

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