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Corvallis Weekly Gazette.

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W. C. CRAWFORD, H P

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Advertisements, notices and communications intended for this paper, should be handed in as early as Wednesday morning, to insure their publication.

Subscribers not receiving their paper regularly will oblige a favor by giving notice of the same at this office.

Subscribers will bear in mind that the subscription price is invariably $3.00, when not paid in advance.

"Look at me Now."

Those of our readers who have lately visited this office and settled their accounts, will readily recognize the above likeness as that of our business manager just after he had filled out one of our beautiful receipts, (of which we have a large number.) He is a jovial fellow and we would be pleased to keep him looking like that all the while. This is merely a representation on paper and is of course unlifelike. You must HEAR that laugh to appreciate it.

Business Sold.

I hereby notify all of my former patrons and friends that on the 3rd day of August 1885 I sold my store and tinware business in Corvallis, Or. to J. R. Smith. All persons indebted to me will please call at the old stand on or before the 15th day of next October and pay all debts due me. Mr. Smith or myself will be in readiness to receive payment at any time. I thank all for past favors and patronage and ask that they continue to bestow the some upon my successor Mr. Smith.

JACOB WEBER.

NOTICE.

All those wishing a copy of the "Illustrated History of Benton County" will please send their order to the undersigned, as I will not publish a book in excess of the number ordered.

D. D. FAGAN,
Cor. First and Ash St's, Portland.

Oregon Pacific Railroad.

Until further notice a train will leave Corvallis for Yaquina every Wednesday and Saturday at 10 a. m. Yaquina to Corvallis every Thursday and Monday at 8 a. m.

C. C. HOGUE,
Comptroller.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have purchased the interest of Mr. Smith in the Corvallis dairy business. I will continue the same, endeavoring to give satisfaction to all old customers, as well as all new ones who may favor me with their patronage.

GEO. TAYLOR,
Corvallis, Or., Aug. 1st, 1885.

Closing out Sale.

The closing out sale at C. H. Whitney's is attracting many buyers who are attracted by the very low prices—actual cost for goods. This is a genuine closing out sale and as the stock is a well selected one and first-class, the people should not fail to improve the opportunity.

Make Yourself Happy.

See here, if you want to enjoy a nice easy shave or a shampoo that will make you happy for a month, go to Moore the Barber, and if he can't please you, try his hand, Mr. C. H. Baker, who is a first-class workman lately from the east does work in all styles, and sure to please the ladies and children.

J. S. MOORE.

The Vincent House.

Having lately purchased this well known house, I will thoroughly renovate and refit the same. The table will be supplied with the best the market affords, and no pains will be spared to make it pleasant and comfortable for guests. No Chinese cooks employed.

D. B. CURTIS.
Corvallis, Or., July 30, 1885.

LOCAL NOTES.

Bird cages at Will Bros.

New sheet music at Will Bros.

Boys clothing at cost at Whitneys closing out sale.

Nobby Hats at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

All goods at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Men's furnishing goods at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Go and see the golden voiced Peerless Organs at Will Bros.

Mr. E. H. Harding of McMinville was in town during the week.

Men and boy's shoes and boots at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Corsets, Kid gloves and parasols, at cost at Whitney's closing out sale.

Mr. C. Hanson, of Eugene City, is visiting his son, J. W. Hanson, our city tailor.

Rev. J. R. N. Bell of the Roseburg *Review* made us a pleasant call during the week.

Rev. Wm. M. Henston will preach at the college chapel this evening at the usual hour.

A new Ketchum wagon, three and one-half inch, for sale at a bargain at Woodcock & Baldwin's.

Royal bargains this month in ladies', men's and children's fine shoes at Nolan's reduction sale.

Choose your sewing machines at Will Bros., where they have ten or twelve different kinds to choose from.

A three and one-half inch steel Whitewater wagon, bran new, at Woodcock & Baldwin's for sale cheap.

Royal bargains this month in clothing and furnishing goods, boots, shoes and hats at Nolan's reduction sale.

The Roseburg *Plaindealer* has a new dress, is all printed at home and is a newsy, neat journal, one of the best in the state.

Machinery owners; I am prepared to furnish you with rubber and leather belting. Call on me for prices. S. L. KLINE.

There are a few more satteen dress patterns to be had at S. L. Kline's on the same terms as they were formerly given away.

Any one desiring a good Sterling organ, can secure a bargain by calling at the residence of A. Emrick in this city, and learn price and terms.

Royal bargains this month in remnants of table linens, dress goods, prints, ginghams, white goods, embroideries and lace at Nolan's reduction sale.

For several days the weather has been so dry and unproductive that the beard and hair grew so little that Jess Spencer last Monday shut up his barber shop and went fishing.

Since the circus has appeared in town it will be well for all of our citizens to be careful to protect themselves from sneak thieves and burglars. Wherever the circus has been we learn of several burglaries and thefts being committed.

Dr. Frank Cauthorn of Gervais has been quite sick for some weeks past. He is getting better however and came up to Corvallis last week and intends going to Yaquina Bay for his health before his return home.

Mr. Geo. Corthauer gathered from his farm two stalks of corn, eleven and one half feet high and six feet to the first ear and brought them to T. J. Buford's office to send East among Oregon products for exhibition.

Some of the fine silver rock ever found in this section, says the Jacksonville Sentinel, was brought to town Thursday by W. J. Stanley, the discoverer. The ledge is in the vicinity of Woodville and shows traces of native silver.

Thos. Read who with his wife was thrown several days ago from his hack and severely crippled by a runaway team was out on the streets this week driving his carriage and team as nimble and spry as a boy of sixteen. One thing certain he will never die by lying idle, pining away about things he can not help.

Mr. Henry McFarland was in Corvallis during the week. Mr. McFarland several years ago was interested with Wallace Baldwin and J. R. Bayley in the tin and hardware business in this place. He now has a ranch near Alkali and is largely engaged in raising stock. He says large crops were raised there this year and thinks that country ahead of the Willamette Valley.

The managers of the Oregon State Fair have procured the printing of their posters for the present year in Cincinnatti, Ohio, and most of the press of Oregon think that it they patronize Cincinnatti printing establishments that they should go to Cincinnatti to get people to patronize the fair and more particularly they should get Cincinnatti papers to publish the usual free notices of the fair and not call on Oregon newspapers as heretofore to do free advertising for them.

We are informed, says the Albany *Bulletin*, that the citizens of Sodaville and vicinity have subscribed a sufficient sum of money to put the celebrated mineral springs spring at that place in good order and beyond the power of any miscreant to use the spring as a deposit of filth etc. Brick and cement are already on the ground for this purpose and a mechanic from Salem will do the work. They purpose to hermetically seal up the spring and draw the water by means of a pipe from several feet below.

Last week a thief entered the house of H. Freekson about three miles west of Albany while the family was absent. He stole and carried away one pair black pants, a coat, vest, hat, pair suspenders, necktie, three silk handkerchiefs, a razor, bottle of cologne, two revolvers, a pocket lookingglass, two combs, tobacco, etc., besides he had a fine feast in eating pies, cake and drinking milk. The house was entered by false keys. Messrs Davis and Lyons, in the neighborhood, was also entered about the same time.

Mr. S. L. Kline, accompanied by his wife, started for San Francisco yesterday morning.

Rev E. R. Murgatroyd will preach at the Presbyterian church next Saobath at the usual hour.

The employment of that young lady to clerk in C. H. Whitney's store, did not "pan out".

The Lucky Queen quartz mill was burned on Monday of last week. Origin of the fire unknown.

Misses Eda and Sarah Jacobs returned from Newport yesterday, where they have been sojourning for some time.

State Supt. of public instruction, E. B. McElroy will hold a teachers' institute at Coquille City on the 26th and 27th of this month.

Mr. J. H. Berry, one of the pioneer hotel keepers of Junction, has recently returned from Soda springs, where he had been in hopes of benefiting his poor health.

Messrs. J. M. Rosenberg and J. W. Wright, business men of Salem, went to Newport last Saturday, where their families have been rusticating for some time.

We are creditably informed that school will begin in both district schools of Corvallis on the 31st day of the present month. The same teachers in each school as taught last year.

That brother of C. H. Whitney's who recently came out from Ohio with his new store clothes on and who had his hair cut with John Moores shaving machine created quite a sensation.

Miss Clara Cecil, who has been visiting in Corvallis for some months, left for her home in Davisville, Cal., she will visit friends in Eugene for a few days, and return to California overland.

A Salem company have leased the steamer Topsy, of this place, and have taken her to run on the river in the place of the Isabell. She will run between here and Albany as soon as the fall rains begin.

Fifteen car loads of cattle were shipped from Baker City, and eighteen car loads from Ontario, Oregon, on Monday. These cattle go by way of the Oregon Short Line and Chicago and Northwestern to Chicago.

Messers. Pete Callahan and Mose Kline fully intended spending last Sunday in Independence, and would probably have done so had it not been for their horse, which took a spin in the country on his own say so.

Mr. John Osburn and wife intend going back to Pennsylvania this fall to visit their old home and where Mr. Osburn spent his boyhood days, among friends and acquaintances. They may remain through the winter.

About 500 cords of wood belonging to the O. & C. R. R. company was burned last Sunday night, just below Salem. The Monday morning express and passenger train were delayed on account of the fire having burned quite a lot of the track.

Mr. Wm. Hamilton one day showed us a potato vine growing in his yard in this city measuring seven feet long, which is, to say the least an extraordinary growth, considering that it has reached this enormous length without any cultivation whatever.

Capt. Gore, of the government snag boat spent Sunday in Corvallis. He informs us that last week his crew did some very effective work in clearing Hogue creek, a channel of the river about three miles above town. This week they are working near Albanyville.

Prof. Grimm, of the Agricultural College, and wife, who have been for several weeks on a tour east of the mountains visiting with Mrs Grimm's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elliott, returned home last week, much refreshed and ready to begin the college year.

Mr. Henry Elliott, an old resident of this county and who for the last year has been living east of the mountains, has returned to Benton county and intends making this his future home. He recently purchased the farm formerly occupied by A. R. Wilcockson, west of Monroe, known as the McCane farm.

Marshal Pygall went to Portland and arrested one of the Engineers who struck a few weeks ago on the O. P. R. R. and brought him back to Corvallis because he had gone away failing to pay Jacobs & Neugass a sum of money which he owed them. He shelled out the money when he got here, and was thereafter permitted to "depart in peace".

Some of as fine peaches as ever grew were placed in our hands a few days ago by Mont. Winkle, who lives south of Corvallis in the river bottom. He informs us that he raises every year forty or fifty bushels of this valuable and delicious fruit. Peaches can be raised successfully in Oregon if the proper protection is afforded to the tree.

The Boone, Iowa, *Standard* says that an excursion is to take place from that place to Portland, Oregon, and adjacent places on the 8th of September. The excursion will be over the same route as the Iowa editors made. A large number of excursionists are expected, as the Iowa papers have been full of descriptions of Oregon for the past three months.

The ten-year-old son of A. Brannum near Harney city, left home on horseback to hunt horses. He did not return at night. Search was instituted next morning. The horse was found with the saddle under its belly, and the boy afterwards found dead and badly bruised; supposed that his foot hung in the stirrup while the horse run and dragged him to death.

Last Sunday evening near Oak Point on the Columbia river the steamer Multnomah struck a snag, which disabled both wheel and rudder when she swung around struck the steamer R. R. Thompson amidship, tearing a great hole in her side twenty feet wide. The hole was above the water, and both vessels reached Portland on Monday.

The Pioneer oil mills of Salem, began running on full time last Tuesday.

A. Lamb, deputy sheriff from Monroe, brought his family down yesterday to see the circus.

Fulton Woodcock and wife, from the Belknap settlement, were in Corvallis yesterday and while here took a view of the circus.

The whistle of the locomotives of the two long rail road trains night before last conveying Robinson's Circus awakened all of the small boys and some of the larger ones who were sleeping with "one eye open" to see the show.

The following notice which was posted around town yesterday is self-explanatory; "Charley McKee, a member of the Yaquina Bay Sazarac Club, will be in the city to-day prepared to meet any Sazaracer in Oregon and compete for the championship of the state. By order of the President."

Charley Rayburn met with a severe accident last Wednesday evening. The side walk had been made very wet in front of the butcher shop where he was attending, and he took a quick step to run across the walk when his feet slipped from under him, letting him fall. He struck the walk first with his back, and next the back of his head and sustained severe injuries.

A number of young people passed a very pleasant evening at the residence of Secretary of State Earhart, on last Monday evening, the occasion being a farewell gathering to Miss Calla, who goes to Oakland, California, soon to enter Mills Seminary, says the Salem *Statesman*. The evening was spent in dancing. Refreshments were served, and discussed with much pleasure by the guests. The Misses Earhart leave in company with their father for San Francisco within a few days.

On Friday of last week Mrs. M. E. Cecil while going from her home on lower Willow Creek to Alkali with her son Wilfred driving, the team became frightened at a dead horse lying alongside the road when one of the lines broke and the team swung around quickly, capsizing the hack, throwing its occupants to the ground. Mrs. Cecil had her right shoulder broken in two places, her collar bone was broken, besides several gashes were cut on her face and head. Wilfred had one of his legs badly wrenched.

The Portland and Willamette Valley Railroad company of Portland yesterday filed a bond with the secretary of state in the sum of fifty thousand dollars with William Reid and Dr. J. A. Chapman as sureties. This bond is for the building of a narrow-gauge railroad from Dundee, in Yamhill county, to Portland, and for the construction of a wharf warehouses, etc., on the public levee in that city. The bond is given in accordance with the act of the legislature at its late session approved on February 24th. Since filing the bond they have commenced action against the city of Portland for the possession of the levee.

All of the small boys from the town and also from the country, with their fathers, mothers, sisters, brothers, relatives and every body else, were on hand last Thursday to see the great exhibition afforded by Robinson's circus. They were all there many who had the cash in hand to spare to spend for the sights and many no doubt wished the grocery man, the butcher, the dry goods man and others for a year for their horses, and who had stood off such bills, on account of the pressure of hard times, yet all were there on this important occasion with cash in hand or must go to their way into the great show. This is always has been and I saw you will be the man who furnishes the necessarys of life to his customers on credit, and thus keeps cold hunger and starvation from their doors is put off, to wait from time to eternity, while the man leaving the luxuries to dispose of, or amusements to attract the attention, comes in and carries off the cash.

Quarterly Meeting.

The fourth quarterly meeting for the present conference year will be held in the College chapel embracing Saturday and Sunday the 22nd and 23rd. Preaching Saturday evening and Sunday morning and evening by Rev. E. G. Michael, P. E.

The Keady law.

From the Salem *Statesman* we learn that Judge Webster of the first Judicial district on the 6th inst., in the case of the State vs T. C. Gaunt, of Linkville, who was indicted at the last term of the circuit court for Klamath county for selling liquor without license held, that the law was operative and could be enforced. This was a case brought to test the Keady law passed by the last legislature. If the Supreme Court takes the same view it will put a difficult question at rest.

Death of Mrs. Eliza Humphrey.

Mrs. Eliza Humphrey, widow of the late Hon. A. L. Humphrey, died at her residence in Eugene City, Oregon, Thursday morning, Aug. 13, 1885, at 2 o'clock, aged about 77 years, says the Eugene *Journal*. The funeral took place from the family residence to the Masonic cemetery Thursday afternoon. Deceased was the sister of Hon. Enos Edmaker and was highly connected in this county where she has resided many years. She leaves a large circle of friends and relatives to cherish her memory. She was remarkably healthy and vigorous, and was never confined to her bed by sickness until within two or three days of her death.

Deceased as well as her husband who died not long before, were both early pioneers of Oregon. The husband in those early days being in good circumstances extended many financial accommodations and saved many poor immigrants from want and hunger.

DIED.

IRVINE.—In Linn county, Or. on last Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock, Elizabeth wife of Jas R K Irvine. She had been suffering for some time with consumption.

Philomath Items.

August 17, 1885.

ED. GAZETTE:—In your last issue there is a communication signed J. X. purporting to tell of the doings of Philomath lodge I. O. G. T. On the evening referred to, the L. D. had a crank in his head, thought he was a "Moses," and would show the members of Philomath lodge a new wrinkle in installing officers, but the youthful W. C. T. was firm and decided that the installation should be conducted according to the rules and usages of the order. The L. D. submitted with very bad grace and proceeded with the installation; a matter of trivial import, again threw the would be Moses, into hysterics, he smote the rock (table) with terrific violence, threw down the gavel, vacated his post, seized the basket containing his fried chicken, and disappeared in a cloud of smoke, much to the relief of all concerned. The L. D. who has been a devoted member of the order for 19 years laid down the gavel and left them in the glory without installing their officers," when under the impulse of a moment, often destroy the noble record of a life time. The lodge is divided in its opinion as to the cause of the L. D.'s exploit; some say it was caused by his impatience to tackle a good things prepared for the sisters for the installation supper, while others contend that it was brought about by the said L. D. partaking too freely of green corn and beans. Philomath lodge is moving along—its officers were properly installed at the succeeding meeting.

Rev. Wm. Dixon, is very sick with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Prof. Sheak and daughter who have been visiting her old home in Indiana, returned yesterday.

Died, near Philomath, August 15, 1885 Rev. J. L. Berry.

The Tabernacle Holiness Camp Meeting will open at the camp ground here September 27th.

REX.

Resolutions.

HALL OF CORVALLIS H. & L. CO. No. 1,
Corvallis, Or., Aug 17, 1885.

WHEREAS: with the death of our fellow member, E Rosenthal, we recognize that this Company has sustained a great loss therefore be it

Resolved: That we sincerely condole with the family of our deceased brother in this great affliction.

Resolved: That this Company has lost one of its zealous and worthy members and the community an energetic business man.

Resolved: That as a testimonial of our esteem and respect for the memory of the deceased, this hall be draped in mourning for the period of thirty days.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be furnished to the brother of the deceased that they be spread upon the minutes of the company's journal, and copies furnished the city papers for publication.

F. M. JOHNSON,
N. A. THOMPSON, } COM.
WILL HOLGATE.

Sad Accident.

The son of Mr. Oliver Witham, of this county, was sent on horseback last Friday evening to hunt the cows. The horse which he rode returned later in the evening without saddle or boy. Search was instituted for the missing youth and his dead body was found just at the edge of a ditch with the saddle on top of him. It is supposed that he was riding the horse at the time he came to the ditch with saddle very loose, and the horse in attempting to jump the ditch threw the boy, leaving the saddle and boy in the position when found. The deceased was ten or twelve years old and was a bright intelligent boy. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Witham join in mourning their sad loss.

Fruit Drier.

Buy the Economy fruit drier at Woodcock & Baldwin's which utilizes the heat on a common cook stove, and enables the drier to work when meals are being prepared on the same stove. The price of the Machine complete is only twenty dollars and will enable fruit raisers to save the fruit heretofore wasted, without expense.

Lost.

A blue twilled overcoat with a velvet collar, was lost last Wednesday between Corvallis and the railroad station at Albany. Anyone finding the same will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same with J. N. Stark, next door to Sorbin's saloon, Corvallis.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of J. H. Moores, late of Marion county Oregon, deceased, will on Friday, August 28th, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Court House door in Corvallis, Benton County, Oregon, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real property belonging to said estate to wit:

The north east quarter of the north east quarter of section 14, township 10, south range 7 west of Willamette Meridian.

Said sale is made in pursuance of an order issuing out of the county court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion, sitting in Probate, said order being made and entered of record under date of September 20, 1884.

CHARLES B. MOORES
Administrator of Estate of
J. H. Moores, deceased.

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PRODUCE PRICE CURRENT.

Wheat per cental, in Portland, sacked,	$1 20
Oats	21
Wool per lb	10 to 14
Flour per barrel	$4 25 to $5 00
Bacon sides	10 to 12
Hams	12 to 14
Shoulders	8 to 10
Lard, 10 lb tins	10
" Kegs	1
Butter, fresh rolls	15 to 25
Eggs, per doz	15 20
Apples, green	30 50
Dried Apples, Pitmmer	to 4
" Sun dried	3 to 5
Plums, pitless	7
Chickens, per doz	2 50 to 300
Hides, dry flint	10 to 15
" green	25 to 40
Potatoes	18
Geese, tame	6 00
Ducks,	5 00 to 6 00