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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Born, Sunday, to the wife of Rev. A. A. Englehart, a daughter. W. W. Bristow and family are spending the summer at Nashville.

Joseph Emerick and family returned to Corvallis last week, after an absence of nearly two years in Portland. Mr. Emerick says that during his stay in Multnomah county, members of his family have been sick a great deal of the time, and he has concluded to come back to Corvallis to remain permanently.

Geo. W. Smith and George Horning left Saturday with a band of 500 sheep which they will drive to market in Portland. They expect the trip will consume not less than a week, as they drive only during the mornings and evenings, allowing the sheep to feed and rest during the middle of the day.

President Bloss yesterday received the sad intelligence of the sudden death from apoplexy, of his only sister, Mrs. Margaret A. Tatlock, of Canton, Indiana. Although well advanced in years, she had enjoyed good health until the day of her death, and the suddenness of her demise is naturally a great shock to Mr. Bloss.

Astoria will hold its third annual regatta during the week of August 18-22, which will include the state fishermen's tournament. The state press association will also meet in Astoria during regatta week.

When you want prescriptions compounded you are sure of having them properly filled at the store carrying the largest stock of pure drugs, and it goes without saying you are certain of getting what you want in the drug line at Graham & Wells'. They also keep in stock a well-assorted line of stationery, books, paints, oils and toilet articles.

The plan of indicating one's political preference by the use of buttons or medals upon which appear the likeness of the favored candidates, is not of recent origin. Wm. G. Lane, has a relic of the campaign of 1864, in the shape of a brass locket, containing the pictures of the republican candidates for president and vice-president—Abraham Lincoln and Andrew Johnson.

Professors Fulton and Trine, arrived home last Thursday from an extended bicycle tour through California. Going down they took passage on a steamer from Portland, but the entire distance homeward was covered on their wheels. As might be expected their complexions are exceedingly ruddy, due to exposure and extreme hot weather.

Asa Alexander and family departed for Newport Tuesday and will camp for a month at Nye creek. Friday they will be joined by C. E. Alexander, a brother of Asa, living at Vancouver, with his family. Mr. Alexander's mother, who, although having lived in Oregon many years, has never seen the ocean, will also join the party and remain at the coast for a few days.

Geo. U. Piper passed through Corvallis Tuesday, bound for Newport. While at the coast he will furnish the Oregonian with the doings of seafarers at Yaquina. It might be well to caution the Oregonian's society editor to exercise an unusual amount of care in editing George's copy, for with his six months' experience in the bicycle business, he is very apt to get wheels and persons badly mixed.

Marys Peak Camp, Woodmen of the World, and the ladies auxiliary, will hold joint installation ceremonies at their hall in Burnett's brick Saturday evening to which families of the members are invited. After the installation exercises are concluded the assemblage will adjourn to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Wilkins, who are arranging to entertain the lodges and their guests with a lawn party.

A new building will soon grace the premises opposite Miller's clothing store, upon which, during the past year and a half, the charred remains of the old Sorbin saloon building has stood. Yesterday Mr. Sorbin let the contract for the new structure which will be 50x60 feet, and work on the building will begin at once. It will be one story high, covered with sheet iron painted to represent stone work, and it is expected will be ready for occupancy about October 1st. It is understood that both of the store rooms in the building have already been rented.

The GAZETTE force return thanks to Albert Zierolf, of Willamette precinct, for some deliciously flavored peaches which were left on our table Monday. They were of the Alexander variety and very large. Mr. Zierolf has only one acre in peaches, yet he expects to harvest not less than 135 bushels therefrom this season. They sell readily in this market for \$2.00 per bushel. Hales Early variety will likely be ripe next week, and the following week the Early Crawford, Mr. Zierolf believes, will be ready for market.

E. F. Trueax, who fell a distance of 40 feet from bridge 57, west of Summit, Tuesday afternoon and was badly injured, came in on the train yesterday and was driven to his home 4 miles east of Corvallis. When the accident occurred he was standing on a narrow plank assisting in raising a heavy timber into place. In some way the rope used in elevating the timber slipped, causing Mr. Trueax to lose his balance. In falling he struck several timbers before reaching the ground, thus reducing the force of the fall, which, while resulting in numerous painful bruises, no doubt saved him from instant death.

Last evening about 6 o'clock, as the steamer Hoag, which just arrived up from Portland, was trying to effect a landing alongside the steamer Albany, at the O. C. T. Co's dock, she (the Hoag) collided with the rear end of the Albany, badly damaging herself. The whole side of the lower deck, for about 25 feet, was badly demoralized. Besides, some of the machinery of the Hoag was also broken. Scarcely any damage was done to the Albany. The machinery of the Hoag was repaired last night, and that steamer left for down river points today. The damages will not amount to over \$50,000.

The remains of Mrs. E. Hamer, who died suddenly at Independence Saturday, were interred Sunday afternoon at Alpine cemetery in the Bellfountain neighborhood. Mrs. Hamer was a daughter of David Hawley, a highly respected citizen of the south end of the county, and a niece of Sewal Hawley, one of the election judges of Dusty precinct who died at the polling place while engaged in counting the ballots. Mrs. Hamer's disease was scarlet fever, and she was taken ill on the Tuesday preceding her death. She was in her 36th year, and leaves a husband and six children to mourn her loss.

The Elks' lodges of Portland, Roseburg and Salem, says the Statesman, expect to hold a clam bake at Newport on Sunday and Monday, August 9th and 10th. On Saturday evening excursion trains will carry the members of this benevolent and social order to Albany, whence they go to the seaside by a special train, returning Tuesday morning, August 11th. Nearly all of the members of the three lodges named are expected to attend this grand outing excursion, and a royal good time is promised them, as it is well known that of all the fraternal orders in existence, the B. P. O. E. is the most social, and a transient brother in their midst is sure to meet with a brotherly reception and treatment that at once makes him feel at home.

CIRCUIT COURT. Last Friday Judge Fullerton held an adjourned sitting of the circuit court, at which time several orders were made. At this time, upon the motion of plaintiff's attorneys, the case of Lincoln county against J. R. Bryson, assignee of Hamilton, Job & Co., which has been pending for the last three years, was dismissed.

In the matter of the assignment of Hamilton, Job & Co., the assignee, J. R. Bryson, asked for an order authorizing him to settle and compromise the suit begun against him by Lincoln county. The amount involved in the suit was \$1,199.92, and the further sum of \$180.37, and the object of the suit was to make these prior claims payable in full out of the moneys coming into the hands of the assignee. On account of the suit having been brought, the claims were not filed with the assignee as by law required, which would have prevented their participation in the funds of the insolvent estate but for the order of the court allowing the assignee to settle upon the basis of a stipulation entered into, whereby said claims were to receive dividends made and to be made by the assignee, the same as though the claims had heretofore been presented as provided by law.

The old O.P. case came up again for a share of the court's time, upon a demurrer to the amended petition of T. E. Hogg, in which the petitioner asked for the return to him of the \$25.00 deposited with the clerk of the court at the time of the job purchase. The petitioner was represented by Attorney Wallace Nash; B. W. Wilson, the clerk of the court, by J. H. Wilson, and the Farmers Loan and Trust Co. by J. R. Bryson. After argument by counsel the demurrer was sustained.

In the case of Samuel Wyatt vs. Cleson Wood, judgment by default was entered against the defendant in the sum of \$948.40 and attorney's fee of \$70, besides costs and disbursements. The matter of taxing costs in a cause begun by C. Slopier vs. B. F. Hyland, in which judgment was returned for plaintiff, was argued by the attorneys and an order made that the plaintiff recover from defendant the sum of \$1.80 for witness fees.

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Too Much Johnson. The "B" in the initials of the editor of the GAZETTE does not stand for Bob. Unfortunately he is not P. M. at Corvallis and never receives any favors at the hands of our correspondent. Whether general Bob like the "whol-whol'd Ira" has swallowed the whole mixture, put up at Chicago by the usual political apothecaries, or not, he is too discreet to advertise the fact. It is rather cruel to suggest that the work of this paper in the last presidential campaign was or should have been rewarded by the present administration. The following from the Portland Mercury is the cause of the foregoing explanation:

Grover Cleveland appointed the genial, of course, Bob Johnson, editor of the Corvallis GAZETTE, postmaster at Corvallis. Ira Campbell, the whole-souled editor of the Eugene Guard, is a sort of a twin brother of Bob's. Ira is not a postmaster and his paper supports Bryan. Johnson, being a Nasby, goes back on the Chicago nominee. Bob's foolish. Whether Bryan or McKinley be elected he'll get annoyed anyway.

A tired stomach is very much like a sprained ankle. If you suffer from any of the symptoms of dyspepsia, your stomach is tired. It needs a crutch. We must relieve it of all work for a time, or until it is restored to its natural strength. To do this successfully, we must use a food which is already digested outside of the body, and which will aid the digestion of other foods that may be taken with it. Such a product is the Shaker Digestive Cordial. The Shakers have utilized the digestive principles present in plants for the manufacture of this article, and its success has been truly phenomenal. You can try it for the nominal sum of 10 cents, as sample bottles are sold by all druggists at this price.

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THE DEAL CONSUMMATED.

At Least Miller's "Goods" Delivered by the State House Ring.

Governor Lord has evidently not yet learned that to be a successful political boss, one must exercise common sense. With his gang of strikers, he came to Corvallis Tuesday and outraged the whole people of Oregon, by placing a politician at the head of the leading educational institution of the state to further his designs on future political plums. The trade is so palpably rotten, that the perpetrators hardly even affect to excuse themselves, and their air rather implies: "Well, what are you going to do about it?"

The resignation of Miller and the appointment of Hughes, of Washington county, was the act that showed the straits to which the "combine" was reduced. They had to observe some of the requirements of propriety, so Miller gave way to a man who would stand in. Before they arrived, it was reasonably certain that the "state house ring" and those whom they could coerce or cajole would favor Miller. Lord, Kincaid, Irwin, Davenport, Benton Killen, whose actions made it uncertain whether he is Lord's puppet or proprietor, Church, an Eastern Oregon banker and a recent appointee of Lord's, and Hughes, who was selected especially for the job, would listen to no proposition, but the selection of the Josephine county politician. Mr. Nash introduced a resolution setting forth that scientific attainments, teaching experience, good scholarship and familiarity with the national idea of experiment stations, were necessary qualifications for the president of an agricultural college to possess; and the whole "gang," including Irwin the state superintendent of public instruction, voted against it.

The board met at the college Tuesday at 2 p. m., the entire board being present, something unprecedented, at least during the past few years. Mr. Nash's resolution, spoken of above, was introduced and lost, those favoring it being Messrs. Nash, Hillery, Yates, Apperson, Keady and Weatherford. These gentlemen deserve kindly remembrance for their earnest efforts toward making the institution the grand and useful college that the liberality of the national government intended and warrants. Lord and Killen, two members of the committee to whom was referred the matter of selecting a successor to President Bloss, made a majority report in favor of Miller. Mr. Apperson, the other member of the committee, submitted the following minority report:

To the Members of the Board of Regents of the State Agricultural College and Experiment Station: GENTLEMEN:—The undersigned member of the special committee appointed by you to investigate and recommend a suitable person for the position of president and director of the college and station, respectfully submit to you this, my report:

The committee met at Salem, July 14, 1896, and without any investigation or inquiry as to who was available or could be secured, a majority of your committee united in the recommendation of a person to fill the position of president and director of the college and station. At the time the names of several of Oregon's leading teachers were submitted. The other members of the committee had evidently decided upon the person whom they were going to recommend for the place.

- Following is a list of persons whose applications for the position have come into my hands: 1. George Lilly, Portland, Oregon. 2. E. J. McEwan, Logan, Utah. 3. J. W. Houston, Everett, Washington. 4. W. B. Preston, Wylthville, Virginia. 5. D. E. Sanders, Fort Scott, Kansas. 6. J. D. Letcher, Eugene, Oregon. 7. F. A. Golden, Marshfield, Oregon. 8. K. Butterfield, Emporia, Kansas. 9. D. S. Kelly, Emporia, Kansas. 10. L. McLouth, South Dakota. 11. Willis Boughton, Athens, Ohio. 12. H. V. Egbert, Akron, Ohio. 13. T. P. Hull, Tabor, Iowa. 14. H. Stoops, Burlington, Vermont.

It has also come to my knowledge that almost any one of the recognized leading educators of this state, if asked by this board, would be glad to enter upon this work, and yet they are not named in the above list of applicants.

While an Oregon man may be given the preference, I cannot consent to the election and placing at the head of this institution of any one who has not, by previous experience in educational work, proved his fitness for this great and important work. We should feel proud of the growth, standing and achievements of this school. Its future usefulness will depend upon the wisdom and judgment of the members of this board in making selection of a person to be placed at the head of this important institution. I cannot lend my influence or consent to the election of anyone, who, by education, training and experience in the line of work required of him, has not proved himself to rank well up in the profession as an educator. The very best is none to good to manage the young people coming under the charge of the president of this college.

Personally I have very high regard for the gentleman recommended by the other members of the committee. It seems unnecessary.

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essary for me to point out to you the reasons why I cannot join in recommending his election.

I would earnestly recommend that you carefully consider the merits of the several applicants who may be presented or suggested to you; and that, laying aside all personal or political preferences, you make such a selection as will commend your choice to the good people of this state, to whom we are responsible for the faithful discharge of the important trust confided to us.

Respectfully submitted, J. T. APPERSON.

July 29, 1896. After several speeches the members proceeded to ballot for president, the result being Miller 8, Bloss 3, Bercholdt 1 and Lilly 1; Miller was declared elector. Other work of the board was the election of F. Bercholdt dean of the faculty. Miss Helen V. Crawford, of Albany, was chosen instructor of elocution, the vote standing 8 in her favor, to 5 scattering. There were 17 applicants for the position of college printer. On a motion, which was unanimously adopted, Geo. Clark, son of the late farmer, and Lester M. Leland, were placed in charge of the printing department until the further action of the board, each to receive one-half of the \$1,000 salary. H. T. Condon, of Eugene, was chosen stenographer, bookkeeper, and purchasing agent, to fill the position heretofore occupied by Capt. J. W. Crawford.

With the exception of President Bloss the same faculty that had charge of the school last year, and who gave such excellent satisfaction, will continue during the coming school year. Comments upon the action of the board could not have been very gratifying to the president elect or his supporters on the board. There seems to be an unanimity of condemnation. The proceedings were characterized generally as a flagrant political job, and Governor Lord and Superintendent Irwin came in for the principal share of reproach.

TO MEET AT NEWPORT.

There promises to be a very large attendance at the teachers' institute to be held at Newport next month. Very cheap rates have been secured over the O. O. & E., and no doubt the teachers of Western Oregon particularly will avail themselves of the opportunity of spending a few days at this famous summer resort where, while enjoying the invigorating ozone of the coast, they can also spend profitably their time.

While the institute is in session it is proposed to arrange for the organization of a summer school to continue in session until some time in September and to make it a permanent feature of the educational work of the state. Such a school was organized last year at Gerhart park, which is said to have been well attended. This feature it is hoped will meet with proper encouragement from the citizens of Newport, as well as the teachers. It would draw profitable to those engaged in educational work, and besides Newport each year many persons who now spend their summer elsewhere.

Superintendent Irwin has issued a circular letter relating to the proposed institute and is as follows: "It is my purpose to hold a teachers' association at Newport, commencing August 18, and continuing four days.

"This institute, while especially designed for the teachers of the Willamette valley, yet all of the teachers of the state are invited. While not to be considered the annual meeting of the state teachers' association, yet it is greatly desired to engage the attention of all teachers in the western part of the state especially. "It is at a time and place where and when many people will be gathered for their summer outing, and the occasion will be one of profit as well as pleasure. It is to be hoped that much attention on the part of teachers will be given to this association. All earnest teachers will, no doubt, strive to avail themselves of this opportunity.

"No better seaside resort can be found on our coast, and the most economical arrangements, in regard to transportation and entertainment while at Newport, will be made. You can enjoy the recuperative opportunities of the sea beach, and at the same time make a matter of profit in your profession. "All college professors and teachers are invited to be present. It is desired that all the county superintendents, who can possibly arrange to do so, will be present. I am very desirous of meeting all county superintendents that I may confer with them in regard to the work of the coming year. "A number of new county superintendents have been recently elected and no doubt it will be an advantage to them if we can hold a conference and discuss the plans of work. "A suitable program will be duly prepared and sent out to all in due time. Arrangements are being made for first-class workers in the association.

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