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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Great agitation, war or peace.

Miss Emma Crawford is in Albany, the guest of Mrs. Pipe.

Rev. W. S. Gilbert, of Eugene, is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. Frank Bowersox, of Salem, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kerr, in this city.

The Misses Gatch left this week for a visit with friends in Seattle, their old home.

Miss Amy Plummer is visiting the family of County Clerk Montague in Albany.

Work has begun on the new Methodist church on the old college property, and the building will soon be well under way.

After a short visit in Albany, Mrs. Herbert Kittridge and Mrs. W. H. Mahoney, left Monday evening for San Francisco.

Mr. W. W. Fry has abandoned his intention of going to Alaska. He left Monday for Montana, where he will look for a business location.

Rev. G. W. Gue, of Portland, will lecture at the college chapel on Friday evening, April 22, taking for his subject, "The reminiscences of the war."

Dr. Thompson will preach at Oak Ridge Presbyterian church next Sabbath at 3 p. m. Public reception of new members and baptism at that time.

George Weber, who is now in the barber business in Eugene, joined his wife in this city Monday, and will visit a short time with relatives and friends.

Mr. L. N. Edwards, who had the misfortune to lose his splendid stallion "Cephas," has brought a French coach stallion into the county for the coming season.

Mrs. T. Samuels and Miss Anna left Thursday for Portland, where they will make their future home. They will be greatly missed by a host of friends in this city.

Miss Mabel Johnson left yesterday for Albany, where she will take the part of Zerish in the cantata of "Esther," which is to be presented in that city tonight and tomorrow night.

Excavating for the foundation of the new Masonic temple is now in progress. When completed, this building will be an elegant and substantial addition to the appearance of our city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Phillips returned Monday from Portland, and are now residing in the James Hayes residence. Mr. Hayes and family will occupy their residence near Oak Creek.

Emil Zies returned home Monday from San Francisco to take charge of the ice works here during the summer. He has spent the past year in California, and has seen nearly all of the state.

The services at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath will be of much interest. The living subjects of the day will be presented both morning and evening, and a cordial welcome to all.

Mrs. Dr. Altman, Mrs. J. W. Crawford, Mrs. M. L. Davis attended the ladies' Presbyterian society, which met in Lebanon on Wednesday. They returned on the boat the same evening.

Mr. A. D. Morrison, formerly clerk in Graham & Wells' drug store, returned from Frisco the first of the week, where he has been studying medicine for the past several months. He says all the Corvallis boys are apparently doing well there.

Treasurer Buchanan has made the final payment of the taxes due the state from Benton county. He has \$6,200 on hand and has issued a call for warrants, which will cancel all those up to and including March 23, 1895. The amount of warrants called in is 165.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered r. F. Sheagreen at his home Monday evening, the occasion being his 44th birthday. Dancing, games, social converse and a short musical and literary program served to make the evening most enjoyable.

At Monroe on Friday evening, April 22, an interesting debate on the financial question is to be held. The Monroe cornet band will furnish music and an excellent program has been prepared. Admission free. The room to be used will be Wilhelm's hall.

A small blizz Monday evening caused a ripple of excitement, and gave the fire laddies a little exercise. The flue and roof of a residence in the south part of town were in flames and threatened a conflagration for a few moments. No serious damage resulted.

H. J. Wilkins, an old time Corvallisite, was a visitor at this office Monday. Mr. Wilkins has been proprietor of the Depot hotel in Roseburg for some time, but disposed of his interest a few days ago. He arrived in this city Saturday and will visit with his brother, S. N. Wilkins.

Among the many recent arrivals from the east who have declared their intention of making this vicinity their home, is Mr. Charles McKenny and family, who arrived from Nebraska Monday. He is now looking about with a view to purchasing a suitable piece of real estate.

There will be a dance given by the Young America Engine Company at the firemen's hall tomorrow evening, to which all firemen are invited. Dancing will begin at 8:30. Good music will be furnished and tickets will be sold for 25 cents. The proceeds will be used to pay indebtedness of the company.

It is possible for a man to be weaned from almost any form of dissipation except that of editing a paper. That habit, once formed, follows him to the grave and probably some distance into the beyond. Robt. Johnson, after an abstinence of several years, is wielding the pen in the absence of John Daly.

Yesterday's Oregonian omitted the views of one congressman on the president's message. This distinguished gentleman said: "While there seems to be some diversity of opinion regarding the message in question, it is not putting it too strongly to say 'we are a unit as to Spencer's ability as a tonsorial artist.'"

Tangible evidence of the superior article we are to expect from the new cheese plant at the Agricultural College, was left at this office this week by Prof. Kent of the dairy department. This specimen of cheese has been sampled by the entire force and a few privileged visitors and pronounced first class in every particular.

Corvallis is to have a camera club. Soberly but surely, the snap-shot had made its impression, until now it stands up assuming that a fact can stand up as evidence for recognition. A movement is on foot to save all those owning cameras to meet and form a club for the purpose of studying photography as an art, and for the pastime it affords.

Just as the services of the 25th anniversary celebration of the Westminster Standards of the Presbyterian church began at Lebanon Wednesday evening the cry of fire was heard and a building near the church was soon wrapped in flames. The excitement and alarm made it necessary to suspend the services and postpone them to some future date.

At the Methodist Episcopal church Lord's day, morning, the pastor will discuss the resurrection of the human body, giving reasons why it must rise and substantiating the doctrine by facts from nature, closing with a description of the risen body. Evening: The first of three or four sermons on "The would-be destructive work of the pen-knife." These discourses have been received with great favor wherever delivered. Everybody invited.

One more of the heroic little band of bachelors, who have held out so well against the repeated assaults of Cupid, has succumbed to the inevitable and joined the ranks of the benedicts. Sunday afternoon at the residence of Mr. Al. Johnson, Mr. B. Paul Schmidt and Miss Ellian M. Pomeroy, daughter of F. M. Pomeroy, were united in marriage. Justice Carlie officiating. The young couple will make their home in this city, where they are well known and highly respected. A host of friends join the GAZETTE in offering congratulations.

Dr. Thompson returned Thursday afternoon from a meeting of the Willamette Presbytery, which was held on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at Lebanon. He reports a large attendance and the Presbytery acting more powerfully and more vigorously in this section than ever. Large accessions to the membership of the different churches and increased liberality in giving to benevolent objects, were reported. Rev. W. S. Gilbert, of Eugene, was elected delegate to the general assembly and Dr. Thompson, of this city, alternate. The assembly meets at Warsaw, Indiana, in May.

Rev. B. J. Kelly, after a pastorate in the United Evangelical church of this city for three years, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening. During his pastorate here Mr. Kelly has succeeded in having a handsome church building erected, increased his congregation from seventy to seventy-eight members and organized an active Sunday school with an average attendance of fifty. He left Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Kelly, to attend the annual conference of the church, which was held in Portland yesterday. Should Mr. Kelly be assigned to another field the fruits of his efforts here will keep him long in kind remembrance.

The associated press dispatches announced several weeks ago that Alba Heywood, the well-known comedian, who has appeared in this city on several occasions, had fought a duel with the manager of a Texas opera house and that both men were probably fatally wounded. Mr. P. J. Smiley, of Albany has received a paper from Mr. Heywood, which gave all the particulars, showing that Mr. Heywood was not to blame for the trouble, and that both men were alive and will fully recover. Heywood has four bullets in him and the other man five. After the shooting Heywood walked to his hotel before giving up. He is now nearly recovered, but it will be several weeks before he can go upon the road again.

A Little Lilt. Another liltch between the city council and the water company occurred last Monday evening, when the latter refused to comply with the order of the council to place a fire plug near the public school building. Believing that the school house, as well as adjacent property, is without adequate protection from fire, the school board and fire companies have petitioned the council to have a hydrant placed in that neighborhood. The contract between the city and the water company requires the latter to put in fire hydrants at reasonable points within the city, but no penalty is attached if the company fails to comply. The water company has a franchise for fifteen years and this time does not expire until 1900. In the meantime the school building is without protection and the city has no way of forcing its demands. When the monthly bill of the water company was presented it was not allowed on the ground that said company was not complying with its contract.

What the Shakers of Mount Lebanon know more about than anybody else, is the use of herbs and how to be healthy. They have studied the power of food. They nearly all live to a ripe old age. The Shaker Digestive Cordial is prepared by the Shakers from herbs and plants with a special tonic power over the stomach. It helps the stomach digest its food, and digested food is the strength maker. Strong muscles, strong body, strong brain, all come from properly digested food. A sick stomach can be cured and digestion made easy by Shaker Digestive Cordial. It cures the nausea, loss of appetite, pain in the stomach, headache, giddiness, weakness and all the other symptoms of indigestion, certainly and permanently. Sold by druggists. Trial bottle 10 cents.

County warrants taken at par for merchandise at Nolan & Callahan's. French candies at Hodes & Hall's. Dyspepsia Cured. Shiloh's Vitalizer immediately relieves Soar Stomach, Coming up of Food Distress, and is the great kidney and liver remedy. Sold by Graham & Wells.

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Who goes to the club while her husband tends the baby, as well as the good old-fashioned woman who looks after her home, will both at times get down in health. They will be troubled with loss of appetite, headaches, sleeplessness, fainting or dizzy spells. The most wonderful remedy for these women is Electric Bitters. Thousands of sufferers from lumbago and weak kidneys rise up and call it blessed. It is the medicine for women. Female complaints and nervous troubles of all kinds are soon relieved by use of Electric Bitters. Delicate women should keep this remedy on hand to build up the system. Only 50c. per bottle. For sale by Graham & Wells.

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THE STATE CONVENTION.

Simon Delegates Seated. Lincoln County may get Joint Senator.

ASTORIA, April 15.—Resolution denouncing the hold-up was defeated. T. T. Geer was nominated for governor by acclamation. F. P. Moore met no opposition for supreme judge. Dunbar, of Clatsop, received nomination for secretary of state, Moore, of Klamath, for state treasurer, and Leeds for printer.

A special to the GAZETTE from Astoria last night conveys the following intelligence: At the state convention today Attorney Woodcock, of Lane county, received the nomination for circuit judge. Geo. M. Brown, of Douglas county, is choice of the convention for district attorney. After a warm contest the Simon delegates from Multnomah county were seated. Lincoln county is claiming the joint senator and will probably get it. Geer will undoubtedly be nominated by acclamation.

Halcolm A. Moody, of the Dalles, was nominated by acclamation for representative from the second district by the republican congressional convention at Astoria Wednesday evening.

The convention met at 10 a. m., each faction putting temporary officers on the platform, and for several hours two republican conventions for the second district were in session. The Mitchell faction adjourned at 1 a. m. to meet Friday at 10 a. m. The Simonites took a recess, after appointing a committee on credentials, until 2 p. m.

C. W. Fulton, of Astoria, undertook and successfully carried out a plan to harmonize the party in this district. The Mitchell faction proposed to allow the delegates outside of Multnomah county to settle the differences by ballot, which plan was adopted and organization effected.

The concert given by the Boston Ladies' Military Band at the Opera House Tuesday evening scarcely justified the extravagant praise of the local bills. Classical selections found no place on the program and brilliant solos were conspicuously absent. However, the numbers played were creditably rendered, the performers displaying some idea of expression and a fair knowledge of time and harmony and giving promise of becoming, under the able direction of Prof. Earnest Fleck, a very efficient organization.

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Weber Exhonorated.

The grand jury finished its labors Thursday morning and made its report. Probably the most interesting case which came before the grand jury this session was the one concerning the sad and deplorable accident which resulted in the death of Wm. Kerr a little over a year ago. It was made the subject of much sensational newspaper gossip at the time and many serious charges were made against Geo. Weber, who was Kerr's companion at the time of the latter's death. The report completely exonerates Mr. Weber, and is as follows: "We have made a full, rigid and searching examination into the matters attending the death of the late Wm. Kerr, of this county, which occurred on the 10th day of April, 1897, and find that the verdict of the coroner's jury thereon is correct."

The report says further: "We recommend that the windows of the court house be examined and where necessary the putty be renewed. We have examined the various county offices and records and find the same properly and neatly kept and the jail secure; and we recommend that the jail floor be painted."

Council Proceedings. At a regular meeting of the city council Monday evening the following business was transacted.

The street committee recommended that the matter of placing a light at the corner of Adams & First streets be postponed until the resumption of steamer traffic in the fall renders a light necessary, until 2 p. m.

J. M. Cameron and R. H. Huston having become ineligible by reason of removal from their respective wards, J. H. Simpson and J. H. Harris were elected to fill the vacancies.

Street committee was authorized to begin the work of grading and graveling the streets.

Resolutions by both fire companies, recommending that both companies be disbanded and reorganized as one company, were read and a special committee was appointed to draft resolutions and such ordinances as will carry into effect these recommendations.

The police judge and chief of police were instructed to determine property owners proportionate cost of a sidewalk on Jefferson street from the C. & E. railroad track to the college grounds. The ordinance to amend the bill pending ordinance was read twice and went over to the next meeting.

Police judge was instructed to determine the amount of city taxes due from the county. The city is entitled to some interest in the property bid in by the county at sales for delinquent taxes, as these were due the city from this property. It is possible that the county owes the city on other accounts, and the order was given to clear this matter up, if possible.

Bills allowed on general fund, \$251; on street fund, \$98. Fire and water committees reported that the water company refused to place a hydrant near the public school building in accordance with a resolution passed by the council, and as a consequence the water company's monthly bill was not allowed.

Exercises at Philomath. The graduating exercises of the Philomath public schools were held Friday afternoon, April 8th, before a large and attentive audience. These were the first graduating exercises held under the county classification, and the results speak well for the present system.

After an excellent literary program, in which the school and graduates took part, Supt. Denman presented in a neat speech the diplomas to Bessie Meats, Ella Alexander, Florence Clark, Faith Keezel, Oliver Woods, Nat Dixon and Arthur Boles. Rev. Peart, of Corvallis, delivered a beautiful and impressive address to the class.

There was abundant food for the body as well as for the mind. Four long tables were spread with such a feast as has made the ladies of Philomath famous, and it is needless to say that every one gave evidence of their appreciation in the amount of substantial consumed.

Prof. Guthrie and Mrs. Bryan deserve much praise for the careful training the pupils had evidently received. Prof. Guthrie is one of the most efficient and painstaking instructors in Benton county and a wise choice was made in re-electing him as principal for another term. Miss Lewis will be his assistant.

Notice is hereby given that there is money on hand at the county treasurer's office to pay all orders endorsed and marked "Not paid for want of funds" up to and including those of Mar. 20, 1895. Interest will