

# THE PLAINDEALER

AUGUST 26, 1895.

## The Churches.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**—corner of Lane and Ros streets. Sunday Service: Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Young People's Union, 6:30 p. m.; Mrs. G. N. Ames, President; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; James Chamberlain, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. G. N. Ames, Pastor. Residence, No. 821 Main Street.

**METHODIST CHURCH**—corner of Main and Lane streets. Sunday Service: Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath school, 10 a. m.; Dr. James Barr, Superintendent; Class Meeting at close of the morning service; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Clara Hume, President. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, at 7:30 p. m. N. S. Buckner, D. D., Pastor. Pastorage, corner Main and Lane.

**PENYBENTHAN CHURCH**—corner of Cass and Rose streets. Sunday Service: Pulpit worship, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sabbath School, 10 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. R. B. Dilworth, Pastor.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the M. E. church every Thursday evening until after State Convention. All members should be present at every meeting.

The Loyal Temperance Legion will meet at the M. E. Church Wednesday at 3 p. m. A. C. Buckner, Supt.

## U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

ROSEBURG, ORE., August 25, 1895.  
 BAROMETER 30.5  
 15 p. m. Pacific Time—30.05  
 Maximum temperature, 62.  
 Minimum temperature, 39.  
 Rainfall for the 24 hours ending 5 p. m., 0.  
 Total rainfall since 1st of month, trace.  
 Average rainfall for this month for 47 years, .25.  
 Total rainfall from Sept. 1, 1894, to date, 22.36.  
 Average monthly rainfall from Sept. 1, 1894, to date, 2.85.  
 Accumulated deficiency from Sept. 1, 1894, to date, 6.84.  
 Average precipitation for 17 wet seasons 33.99.  
 THOS. GIBSON, Observer.

PORTLAND, ORE., August 26, 1895; 10 a. m.—Weather forecast for the next 24 hours, for Roseburg and vicinity:  
 Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, fair warmer weather.  
 PAULZ, Local Forecast Official.

## A GENTLE KICK.

At Nom de Plumes in Particular and Everything in General.

OAKLAND, Aug. 23, 1895.

There seems to be an unanimity of feeling here, that nom de plumes are not highly satisfactory. I noticed an inclination not so very long ago to stumble over any one who did not flambé his name to every trivial scrap of correspondence. I have noticed it in a more pronounced degree since I lent you the influence of a mysterious H. I fail to see the necessity (there is positively no modesty) in William Henry McGlynn spattering his name all over a lot of local items. Such an observance would really be ridiculous, and in some instances disquieting to the nerves of McGlynn.

One illustration will suffice. Some years ago when the regular correspondent of a Roseburg paper was absent from Oakland, a friend consented to enlighten an admiring people concerning happenings, etc., within the limits of the Capapoola slope. With strict fidelity and decision he nipped each morsel of news and pinned it fast until the day came to wait the accumulation to the great disseminator at Roseburg. By a blunder-conjunction of two mortals by the printer, the following innocent disclosure appeared:

"Many hogs were in town today."  
 "Mrs. Blank and daughter were here three days."

Nothing in that couplet could awaken yearnings for literary immortality. If George Magnolia St. Clair had written it and signed his name to it, his ambition would now be to die.

For a while H. will do me, but if anything happens worth signing it to, I will be with you. H.

## Weather Bureau.

The following data, compiled from the weather bureau records at Roseburg, Oregon, cover the month September, for 77 years, and should prove of value and interest in anticipating the more important meteorological elements, and the range within which such variations may be expected to keep for the coming month.

Mean or normal temperature, 61 degrees.

The warmest month was that of 1888, with an average of 67 degrees.

The coldest month was that of 1893, with an average of 57 degrees.

The highest temperature was 99 degrees on the 1st, 1888.

The lowest temperature was 35 degrees on the 28th, 1881.

Average precipitation for the month, .93 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 6.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 3.90 inches in 1893.

The least monthly precipitation was .22 inches in 1891.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.19 inches on the 30th, 1882.

Average number of clear days, 16; partly cloudy days, 8; cloudy days, 6.

The prevailing winds have been from the north.

The highest velocity of the wind was 24 miles, from the north south and

southwest on the 6th and 30th, 1887 and 45th, 1894.

THOS. GIBSON.

## BRIEF MENTION.

Buy a Crescent.

Oysters at the Kandy Kitchen.

Caro Bros. are the boss merchants.

Destiny tonight at Roseburg Theater.

Complete line of cutlery at Salzman's.

Go to the Roseleaf for the best cigars.

Fresh oysters this evening at the Kandy Kitchen.

M. S. Ryan of Union Creek, spent Sunday in our city.

Mrs. J. H. Walte returned last week from her summer's outing.

Eli Norcross of Looking Glass, is in the city today on business.

Just Received at J. T. Bryan's, Roger's first-grade silver-plated ware.

Smoked eye glasses at J. T. Bryan's from 10 cents to 75 cents a pair.

Spectacles and eye glasses in gold, nickel and steel bows at J. T. Bryan's.

W. R. Vinson of Winchester, was in the city Saturday evening on business.

W. N. Moore, ex-postmaster of Roseburg, came down from his ranch today.

Wm. Wise of Drain is in town today on business before the United States Land office.

Fresh oysters, the first of the season, at the Kandy Kitchen, Taylor & Wilson building.

Do you read. If so, try the Daily Oregonian, only 15 cents a week. Sunday included, 20 cents.

Don't fail to see "Destiny" tonight at the Roseburg theater, by the Readick Dramatic Company.

At Henry Eastons you can get 16 and 17 pounds of sugar for \$1, and other groceries proportionally cheap.

T. B. Cannon has placed on the market a second crop of Evergreen strawberries. They are as fine ones as ever grew.

M. C. Munson is in the city today in the interest of the Sunday school work under the auspices of the Congregational church.

All parties desiring first-class lumber, sash, mouldings, window frames and door frames, fruit boxes, etc., at lowest cash prices, call at Bear Creek mill.

C. A. BIGGOS.

The W. C. T. U. held their regular monthly meeting at the Presbyterian church at 3 p. m. on Sunday. While the attendance was not large (the exercises were) quite interesting. The papers on the several topics under consideration were very creditable and well received, and show that the ladies are in earnest in this matter. Still greater efforts will be made to render these meetings more attractive, and deserving of the co-operation in the work of those who have the highest interest of our fair town at heart.

The Second Southern Oregon District Agricultural Association.

The managers of this association are bending every effort to build up and make a success of the association. And notwithstanding this we learn that certain parties are circulating damaging reports to the effect that the officers and stockholders are using it for profit to themselves by appropriating the income of the association derived from exhibitors and the gate money.

There is no truth in such reports. We have inquired into the matter and find that these public spirited men and women do not get anything except in common with all others, as the following agreement signed by these energetic, philanthropic and public spirited persons, shows:

"We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to make exhibits at the Second Southern Oregon District Agricultural Society Fair, to be held at Roseburg, in September, 1895.

And we also further agree to invest the proceeds of any or all premiums we may receive in the Douglas County Agricultural Association stock. (Signed):

Mrs. Wm. C. Winston, J. L. Baggo, F. A. McCall, Mrs. F. A. McCall, Neal McCall, W. J. Leeper, Tempie Spaur, Mrs. W. B. Willis, E. B. Dixon.

The officers and employees also sign to a like agreement, viz: F. A. McCall, secretary; J. B. Cannon, L. G. Mathews and H. C. Slocum, ticket sellers; B. Brockway, collector at grand stand, and F. D. Owen, assistant secretary.

Thus it will be seen that those who are devoting their time and talents to this worthy cause, turn in all they get for their services into the treasury of the association, to help raise money to pay expenses and premiums to the outside exhibitors. And as the stock does not pay one cent dividends now, nor is it likely to for several years, possibly never, it is no money making affair to them. They are willing to work and wait, satisfied that for the present, it shall prove a success. These untiring reports thus put in circulation by croakers and carpers, show to what straits certain small, narrow contracted souls will go, always snapping and snarling like mangy curs, at men and women engaged in any public improvement or enterprise.

The PLAINDEALER condemns all such kickers as unworthy of contenance, and on the other hand, it commends these worthy men and women named above, and their sympathizers as deserving of highest praise for their public spiritedness.

## OBITUARY.

Daniel J. Lyons, who died at his residence near Marshfield, Oregon, Aug. 12th, 1895, was born in the city of Cork, Ireland, March 28th, 1818. When but nine years of age he met with a sad accident, having the ball of his right eye knocked out by a piece of broken slate thrown from the hand of a schoolmate. The other eye soon became affected, and although the most eminent oculists were visited and every thing done that money and skill could do to restore his sight, all was in vain. Upon learning the truth, and realizing that all the rest of his life must be spent in utter darkness, he bore it bravely and made a firm resolve to learn every thing possible within the grasp of a man without eyes. Though totally blind for sixty-seven years he always bore his great affliction with uncomplaining resignation.

His parents having come to America in 1836 and settled in Louisville. He entered the Kentucky Institute for the blind, and remained four years, during which time he became very proficient in music, for which he always possessed a peculiar talent, also learned to cane chairs, make brooms, brushes, mattresses and many other useful articles. The embossed books printed for the blind were at that time few and very expensive, so he hired a highly intelligent Englishman to read to him continually for five years, after which he devoted much time to literary and musical pursuits. He became a constant contributor to many of the leading journals of the South and West, and a composer of some note; many of his beautiful songs can still be obtained at some of our large music stores.

In 1838 he opened a book store and circulating library in Louisville, which drew most of the reading public to his establishment. In this way he became acquainted with many of the "Shining Lights" of that age, in the literary circles of the south.

In 1842, assisted by Ben Cassidy and J. Ross Browne (who afterward became a great traveler and was U. S. minister to China for many years), Mr. Lyons began the publication of "The Literary Casket" devoted entirely to literature and art. In June 1849 he was married to Miss Virginia Putnam of Lexington, Ky., and with her came to Oregon, arriving at their destination in May, 1853. They came by way of Panama and San Francisco. In Portland they bought a wagon and yoke of oxen and were eleven days coming to where Chas. F. Putnam lives near Drain. Mr. Lyons took up land near there, but he soon found that he was deficient in two very important accomplishments necessary to the farmer of that day—milking cows and mauling rails, so he moved to Scottsburg, then a thriving business center, and started a newspaper about the size of the PLAINDEALER, (both sides being printed at home) called The "Unqupa" (Gazette), the first copy being issued April, 1854. It is interesting now to look over it and see the names of men who then lived in Scottsburg, but who afterward became known throughout Oregon, many of whom, like the subject of this sketch, have since passed over to the silent majority. Among those mentioned are A. C. Gibbs, S. F. Chadwick, Judge Stratton, G. S. Hinsdale, D. W. Stearns, L. I. Williams, Geo. Haines, Levi Kent, Gen. Jos. Drew, Jas. Cooper, S. S. Mann, and many others.

The Gazette was short lived, for outside news was too scarce for it to prove a success, so the press was sold to some parties who took it to Jacksonville.

In 1857 Mr. Lyons bought the Scottsburg hotel from Captain Levi Scott, and continued in the business until January, 1881, when he moved to Marshfield and resided there (with the exception of three years spent at Gardiner) up to the time of his death.

Until quite recently he had a most wonderful memory and was a fine conversationalist, always having been a great reader he was well posted on current events, besides having an almost inexhaustible fund of stories and anecdotes, both personal and historical. He lived to a ripe old age, and died at peace with God and man, loved and respected by all who knew him.

## Opera House Tonight.

Frank Readick supported by Carltons Company of players, appear tonight in Clay M. Green's ten thousand dollar play, "Destiny." This company comes well recognized by the entire press of California and Oregon. From present indications the company will open with a large house as seats are selling fast, the price of admission has been placed at 25, 35 and 50 cents for this engagement. No extra charge for seats reserved. We clip the following from the San Diego Union regarding this excellent company:

"Frank Readick supported by Carltons' players appeared at Fisher's last night in "Destiny." Our citizens and visitors were all there and many had to stand up during the performance. Mr. Readick as Jack Diamonds won the admiration of the audience, while Jed Carlton and Stanley Ross deserve special mention, Miss Milly Freeman as Annie Dennis was all that could be asked for. Miss Emma Morris was right at home in Cordelia, and handsome Florence Earl, as Leona, gave us a combination of beauty and good acting."

Mrs. E. J. Stroud, who has been at Ashland for the past week, has returned to Roseburg.

State Normal School,  
 Drain, Oregon.

First term begins September 16th. Entire new faculty. Send for catalogue.

LOUIS BARZEE, President.

## NOTES OF INTEREST.

Wood taken on subscription at this office.

Flour at H. Easton's far 80 cents a sack delivered.

You can get the best ice cream and ice cream soda at Neice's.

A cottage to rent. Inquire at this office or of owner at 405 Washington street.

Daily Oregonian only 15 cents a week. Leave orders at City News Stand.

Wanted—A second hand buggy. Apply to G. W. Rapp at People's grocery.

Niece is now making the best ice cream and ice cream soda in town. Try it.

For dress goods, clothing, hats, boots and shoes call on Wollenberg & Abraham.

Daily and Sunday Oregonian, reduced to 20 cents a week. Delivered at your door.

If you want good ice cream and ice cream soda in any quantities go to Neice's.

Everybody is pleased who buy their jewelry and have their watches repaired at Salzman's.

For choice family groceries, call at the People's grocery, corner of Cass and Pine street, G. W. Rapp's.

Remember that cheap watch work is very expensive. Salzman does good watch work at lowest prices.

Why are people flocking to H. Eastons for groceries? Because he sells first-class goods at cheapest rates.

For a good hat, stylish and cheap, call on Wollenberg & Abraham, whose stock embraces all grades of head gear.

DR. SAWYER'S FAMILY CURE invigorates, strengthens, recuperates, rebuilds, restores and brings new life. Ask your druggist for a free sample. Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

For fresh fruits, nuts and candies, good tobacco and cigars, call on G. W. Rapp, People's grocery, corner of Cass and Pine.

Diseases unfriendly to women are positively cured by Dr. Sawyer's Pastilles. Ask your druggist for a free sample package. It heals and cures. Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

Slow Jerry, the reliable jeweler, has just received a large invoice of spectacles and eye glasses. Give him a call and examine goods.

Jack Abraham, gent's furnisher and hatter, keeps up with the procession. His stock is complete. Call and see him before purchasing.

Experience and money cannot improve Dr. Sawyer's Family Cures, because it radically cures Dyspepsia, Liver complaint and Kidney difficulty. Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

Dr. R. W. Benjamin has opened dental rooms in the Taylor & Wilson block, room 10, where he is now prepared to do first-class dental work.

LADIES—Dr. Sawyer's Pastilles are effective for female weakness, pain on top of the head and lower part of the back. It strengthens and cures. Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

I have several hundred nice red cedar posts for sale at three and one-half cents a piece. W. R. WELLS.

Olalla, Ore., Aug. 3, 1895.

Children with pale, bluish complexion, indicating the absence of the requisite red globules in the blood should take Dr. Sawyer's Ukatine. Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

Call on the J. G. Flook Co. for prices on their up to date berry crates. Made of sugar pine, neat and durable. Just the thing to get your berries to market in first-class condition.

Dr. A. F. Sawyer—I have had Rheumatism since I was 20 years old, but since using your Family Cures have been free from it. It also cured my husband of the same disease. Mrs. Bethel, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

Dr. F. W. Haynes has just returned from the East and opened dental parlors in Mark's building, where he will be pleased to welcome persons desiring dental work.

Pale, thin, bloodless people should use Dr. Sawyer's Ukatine. It is the greatest remedy in the world for making the weak strong. Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

The J. G. Flook Co. is prepared to do any kind of mill work at the lowest living rates, and those who are preparing to build should consult them. They can save you money.

## Notice.

Grain bags and twine for sale by Sol Abraham, and the highest market price in cash will be paid by him for grain, delivered at his warehouse at Roseburg.

For first-class dental work, with latest improvements in the art, call at R. W. Benjamin's dental rooms, No. 10, Taylor & Wilson block.

Dr. A. F. Sawyer. Sir—After suffering four years with female weakness I was persuaded by a friend to try your Pastilles, and after using them one year, I can say I am entirely well. I can not recommend them to highly. Mrs. M. S. Brook, Bronson, Bethel Branch Co., Mich.

Sold by A. C. Marsters & Co.

## Roseburg Soda Works.

I have leased the Roseburg Soda Works and will put up a full line of carbonated beverages and bar syrups, which will compare favorably with any in the state. Soliciting your patronage, I am,

Yours Respectfully, O. LUCAS.

## To Stock Breeders.

The undersigned having purchased a thoroughbred Jersey bull for stock breeding purposes, hereby announces that he will be kept on his premises, near Masonic cemetery. Terms reasonable.

J. O. GARDNER.

Buy your cigars at the Roseleaf.

## A Snap For Thirty Days.

For sale, or will exchange for Douglas county property, 10 acres beaverdam land, Beaverton, Ore., 9 miles from Portland, 4 room dwelling house, barn and chicken house. It is the finest onion land in Oregon and will produce \$300 or \$400 worth onions per acre. For further particulars call on or address AD. HARMON, Roseburg, Oregon.

## Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the liens upon mares and colts taken by Haney Bros. of Elkton for services of the stallion, Black Monarch, are recorded in my name with the county clerk of Douglas county, and that said liens must be settled by paying same to me by September 1st, or they will be foreclosed. W. K. VISSON.

## For Sale Cheap.

One Schuttler 3/4 wagon nearly new, also one set of double work harness. Inquire at this office.

## For Sale or Rent.

The Palmer sawmill. For particulars address, E. C. PALMER, Drain, Or.

## CLASSIFIED ADS.

Situations wanted or help wanted advertisements inserted in this column free of charge. Other ads of five lines or less under this head 25 cents per month; each additional line 5 cents per month. No advertisement taken for less than 25 cents.

## For Sale.

FOR SALE—Old newspapers, 25 cents per 100. Apply at Plaindealer office.

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## CHOICE PERFUMERIES

AND TOILET ARTICLES.



## The Finishing Touch.

In putting the finishing touch to your toilet do you always see that your shoes are in keeping with the rest of your makeup? The shoes may be better than the other garments and still be appropriate, but if they are not up to the raiment in style and quality the effect is unpleasant.

**Mrs. Grace Osburn's** fine line of Shoes stand on their merits, is infinite in variety, excellent in quality, and moderate in price.

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# Van Houten,

JAS. CALLAHAN, Propr.

WILL BE CONDUCTED STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS.

The Dining Room will be under the personal supervision of Mr. Callahan, who will guarantee all old and new customers the best the market affords. Come and see me.

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Board and Lodging per week

\$2.50.

Meals, 20 cents.

Beds, 20 cents.

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