

Of Local Interest.

Don't forget H. S. Gould, the new blacksmith. 54 lm.

Robt. Foster, of Myrtle Creek, was in Roseburg Friday.

Editor A. S. Bleton, of the Medford Mail, was in Roseburg Friday.

F. S. Barzee, has returned from a trip to Willamette Valley points.

H. S. Gould, the blacksmith, makes a speciality of horse-shoeing. 54 lm

A new washing machine has been added to the Roseburg Steam Laundry.

F. E. Alley returned Thursday evening from a business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kohlhagen have returned from a trip to Klamath Falls.

H. S. Gould, the blacksmith, guarantees all his work. 54 lm.

Rolland Ramp, and J. A. Oneal with their families have returned from an outing at Froggs.

Lowell L. Tweedale, of Albany, has accepted a position as night cook in Mosiers restaurant.

Mrs. Wm. Currier and little girl left Sunday for Lebanon, where they will spend a short time visiting relatives.

Al Kent, F. A. Boyce and Ed Russe left Saturday night for Crater lake where they will spend their vacation.

Dr. Galbreath, Supt. of the Oregon State Insane Asylum at Salem, was a passenger on Thursday's southbound local.

One of the oldest buildings in Oregon, the Patterson hotel in Scottsburg, which was built in 1850 burned to the ground last week.

Miss Regina Rast returned Thursday evening much improved in health after a two weeks outing in the mountains near Drain.

G. S. Stirtan, agent for the White sewing machine returned Friday from a trip through the southern part of Douglas county.

H. G. Somemann, of Glendale, was in town Friday completing arrangements for his new brick building, soon to be erected in Glendale.

Last Thursday's local was nearly an hour late. A flat car in a freight train just ahead broke in two at Boswell Springs, causing the delay.

Mrs. A. W. Armstrong, who for the past two months has been spending her vacation in Roseburg, left this morning for her home in California.

Conductor G. F. Bleu and wife and son Hughie and Miss Myrtle Bogges left Saturday for West Fork where they will camp for a week or ten days.

E. Bender and wife, of Coquille City, were passengers on Saturday's southbound local for Phoenix, Arizona, where they will remain for a short time.

E. A. Wood, J. H. Anderson, E. H. Otey and son Ray left Friday morning for the mountains south of Canyonville where they will spend their vacation.

Mack Smith, of Elkton, was in town Friday. He states that the surveyors, who are now surveying the route for the new railroad, are doing a thorough job and seem to mean business.

Miss Bertha Schibred, has accepted a position as manager of the Roseburg and Cottage Grove Music house of T. K. Richardson, during the absence of Mr. Richardson in the east.

T. J. Critser, while wheeling gravel up a plank over the dam in Deer Creek just above the bridge last Tuesday, slipped and fell about 9 feet, and is now very much bruised and shaken up.

Mrs. Geo. M. Brown entertained the W. C. T. U. at her home in West Roseburg on Friday. Music and games made the afternoon pass away very quickly and late in the afternoon refreshments were served.

Miss Lillian Collier, who for the past seven years has been head milliner at Mrs. M. Josephson's, has resigned her position and will remain in Seattle. We understand a young lady from Portland has been engaged to fill the position.

Mrs. O. W. Fox, is visiting at the home of her aunt Mrs. Antenreit.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. Allison, are in Cottage Grove visiting with relatives.

The timber for the new trestle over Deer Creek is already on the ground and work on the same will commence at once.

W. A. Burr and wife, J. W. Maiden and wife and son, Maurice, and Miss Pluma Chitwood, returned Saturday morning from Coquille, and report a very enjoyable trip.

The highwaymen have gotten as far as Drain having held up a young man from Elkton at that place the other night. Next thing they will strike Roseburg and we will all be broke.

Misses Roda and Madge Calloway, of Eugene, who have been visiting the family of their cousin, Marion Calloway, of this city, left Thursday night for Medford, where they will spend a short time before returning home.

Geo. Monteith and J. W. Brown were found guilty of unlawful trespass by a jury in Justice Buchanan's court Friday afternoon, and were each fined \$15.00 which they paid. The offense was cutting down a bee tree on the farm of Wm. and J. L. Boggs, after being warned to desist.

Ernest W. Shively, of Glendale, is in the county jail this week awaiting trial before the Circuit Court on a charge of attempted rape alleged to have been committed on his 13 year old step-daughter, Alice Maloney. At the preliminary examination in Glendale his bond was fixed at \$1000.

Roy Bellows and Thomas McCarthy, returned Friday night from San Francisco, where they have been for the past year. Thomas has been employed as General Pacific Coast Advertiser, for Herbert Heyneman, of the American Tobacco Company, while Roy is traveling for the Penn Tobacco Co., of Reidsville, North Carolina. The boys will stay in Roseburg for a short time at least.

The official call of the 11th National Irrigation Congress, which will be held in Ogden, Utah, September 1 to 8, was issued today. It calls attention to the importance of the convention and states that leading irrigation experts, practical farmers, Government and noted foresters, and state engineers will be in attendance and participate in the discussion of subjects of importance not only to the West, which is especially interested, but to every state in the Union.

W. H. Murdock, of Cleveland, brought to the PLAINDEALER office this morning seven or eight branches cut from his hazelnut trees. Several years ago he planted some French hazelnuts and now he has twenty-four large trees. The branches were well filled and had more nuts on them than the writer ever saw on nut bushes, in either France or England. There are thousands of opportunities open, for enterprise, grit and gumption in Oregon that would give profitable results, and the hazelnut is one of them, because the hazelnut is indigenous to the soil.

Word has been received that Smith Bailey of this city just had what came near proving a fatal accident. He had started for Roseburg with his trotter and sulky and when going around a curve about two miles from Jefferson, he ment an automobile. The horse reared and plunged throwing both over the grade. Mr. Bailey lay there, he knows not how long when a man going by on a bicycle found him and worked with him for some time before he recovered. He was then taken to Jefferson and sent to Eugene on the train. He is expected home tonight. Whether he is fatally injured or not is not yet known.

On last Thursday our sister town, Oakland, had a little excitement to break their monotony of peaceful sublimity. A timber man by the name of Bestul, who was carrying a heavy load of fire-water, was charging through the main streets of Oakland at a pace too furious to be allowed by law, and was placed under arrest by City Marshal Hogan. He was taken before the recorder where he plead guilty and was set free. Imbibing more freely than ever, he followed the marshal all over town and finally sprang on him. As soon as the officer could recover himself and draw a weapon Bestul ran. But City Marshal Hogan fired with the result that Bestul is now nursing a sore arm and stands a good chance of facing the charge of resisting an officer.

W. L. Cobb and wife went to Oakland this morning for a short visit with friends.

Mrs. B. W. Maddox left this morning for Portland, where she will enter the hospital for treatment. Afterwards she will go to the seaside where she will spend the summer.

W. C. T. U. Entertainment.

At the entertainment given last Friday night by the Womens Christian Temperance Union the program was carried out as published with the exception of the male quartet, which was canceled on account of the illness of Mr. McGowan. Ray Henderson who won second place in the oratorical contest at the Ashland Chatauqua, delivered an excellent oration which was well worthy of praise. Mrs. G. W. Short, of Wilbur, sang and as usual her solos were well rendered. Mrs. Barzee in her recitation No Saloons up There, received well merited applause. In short all the pieces were well executed, and the people of Roseburg hope that the W. C. T. U. will give another entertainment in the near future.

MARRIED.

SHELTON-CLARKE.—At Cleveland, Sunday, July 19, 1903, at the residence of A. L. Marsters. W. L. Shelton and Margaret Clarke, Rev. N. J. Harbit officiating.

Mr. Shelton is a well known resident of Garden Valley. Miss Clarke is the daughter of W. B. Clarke, the genial postmaster at Millwood. The PLAINDEALER joins their many friends in extending the happy couple best wishes.

BORN.

In Roseburg, July 24, 1903, to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jarvis, a daughter.

DIED.

McGOWAN.—At the McCullen House, Sunday, July 26, 1903, Charles McGowan, of appendicitis, after an illness of four days.

Deceased was a quiet and industrious young man, and was 23 years of age. He was born at Napanee, Indiana, where his parents now reside. He has been in Roseburg about two years, for the past year having been a valued employee of the firm of Rice & Rice, the house furnishers.

He was a member of the local order of Woodmen of the World, in which he carried a one-thousand dollar insurance policy; the Artisans, in which he carried \$500 insurance; the Royal Arcanum, \$1000; and the Liliac Circle, in which he was a social member.

The body will be shipped east on this evening's local.

Charlie will be sadly missed in Roseburg, as he was a general favorite with everybody.

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Fryer, Mr Wall Page, F A

Furner, J L Rice, George

Gibson, Mrs L V Shields, Miss Mary

Gottfried, Henry Thompson, John S

Gladstone, W S Topkin, Richard

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