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LOCAL NEWS.

Rev. L. M. Boozer will preach in the Witham school house Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Kerr & Underwood are adorning the Occidental hotel with a new coat of paint.

August Fischer went to Elk City Wednesday on business. Before coming home he will go over to the coast.

Bicycle riders must bear in mind now that they are liable to be fined for riding on any sidewalk within the city limits.

On account of Conductor Webster laying off a few days for a vacation, Charley Berry, of the freight, came up Wednesday in charge of the West Side passenger.

There will be special services at the Oak Ridge Presbyterian church next Sabbath at 2 p. m. A program has been arranged for the children to be followed by an address.

Work is progressing rapidly on the brick addition to Peter Zierolf's store. When completed this will satisfy a "want" long felt in the grocery business, while there will be additional office room upstairs.

Marion Hayden, who was out from Alsea a couple of days ago, states that owing to the cold weather the grain crop of that vicinity does not look very well. Fall sown grain is making the poorest showing.

The Juniors at the college are making great preparations for an entertainment and dance to be given some evening just before commencement. The services of the Salem orchestra have been secured for this occasion.

"A short story entitled 'Buckskin's Fight With the Wolves,' by Hon. G. A. Waggoner, appears in the May number of the 'Native Son.' Mr. Waggoner is one of the most valuable contributors to this really excellent publication.

The O A C Cadet Battalion will go into encampment today near Brown's bridge, a few miles west of Corvallis. They are to remain until Monday. The boys will undoubtedly enjoy an experience of this kind very much after so many months of close application to their studies.

Next Sabbath is Children's Day at the Presbyterian church. In the morning Dr. Thompson will preach a sermon on the topic, 'Home and Character,' in the evening there will be the children's exercises. An excellent program has been provided and will be interesting to all. The Y P S C E will meet at 7 p. m. A very kind welcome to these services is extended to all.

Wm. Frickey, a stockman of Wheeler county, arrived in Corvallis Tuesday. He took a number of horses from his ranch to Washington county, and after finishing his business in the stock line he came up here to investigate the merits of the agricultural college. Mr. Frickey is also an oldtime friend of H. W. Hall. The gentleman expressed himself much pleased with the school and it is very probable that he will send his son here to college when it opens this fall.

C. H. Gleim, traveling passenger and freight agent of the Colorado Midland, says the Telegram, is making a record for his road in shipments of stock. He will have secured 300 carloads of sheep by the end of the season. Last year the company shipped 12,000 head of stock out of Oregon, and this year's business will amount to about the same figure. Mr. Gleim was formerly at the head of the management of the carriage factory in Corvallis, and is well remembered here.

A gentleman in this city recently received a letter from Father Jureck. He was nearing England's shores at the time of writing and stated that his boat had experienced a rather rough passage. He stated that last Sunday, Ascension Sunday, he would attend Holy Mass in London. The Father is on his way to visit the pope at Rome and the Paris exposition. He will most likely visit many points of interest in the old world. He failed to mention anything about Carl Hodes, but this omission is evidence that Carl is all right.

E. R. Bryson and family will shortly occupy the Ralph Davison residence on 5th street.

T. J. Buford, Indian agent at the Siletz, recently passed through Corvallis enroute to Oregon City where he visited his son, Jay Buford.

C. E. Rice, of Kings Valley, states that the crops of that section do not look quite as well as they should, and attributes it to the lack of warm weather.

Preaching morning and evening in the United Evangelical church next Sunday by the pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. and C. E. at 7 p. m.

According to the Kentucky game law a man is allowed to kill a nigger at all seasons and there are no restrictions. Six white men per diem is the limit.

Rev. E. C. Warren, O. P., will conduct services at the Catholic church next Sabbath. Mass at 10:30 a. m.; evening service at 7:30. Rev. Warren is a splendid preacher and all are cordially invited to hear him.

Lee Henkle has been appointed administrator of the estate of Francis Slate, deceased, on petition of Laura E. Vernon. The estate consists of real property, and is valued at about \$3,500. There are a number of heirs to the property.

Mrs. Taylor Porter, who has been out in the neighborhood of Shaniko, Oregon, for the past ten days, was expected to arrive home yesterday. Her husband is employed there on bridge construction for the railroad that is being built through that section.

It seems strange that the Corvallis Baptist Association, should, as far as can be ascertained, have no connection whatever with Corvallis. But this seems to be the case, and the association's field is Lane, Coos and Douglas counties. How it comes to be called after this city is puzzling.

The schools of Albany and Corvallis joined forces and arranged for an excursion to Newport and return Wednesday. The fare was put at the lowest possible figure for school children. The excursion was fairly well patronized and the young people were enabled to enjoy a day on the sandy shores of old ocean.

Ed Dunn, who recently returned from a business trip to Eastern Oregon, states while in Pendleton he visited Will Fichter and wife. They are greatly pleased with their business outlook and report a fine trade in their line, which is confectionery. Will also handles the fiddle bow to good advantage and this helps to keep down expenses.

"When I was a boy in China," Rev. Gam Sing Quah will deliver this popular lecture at the South Methodist church Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. He will deliver the lecture in a rich Chinese costume and there will be songs by himself and wife in Chinese. Admission 15 cents. Benefit Y. W. C. T. U.

Belgian hare must be great meat producers. Supposing a doe raises five litters of eight young each, she has forty to her credit. Presuming half of this litter to be does, there are four, and these four, if all goes well, will produce two litters by the end of a year. Figuring on the same basis they will produce 104. It may be presumed that the second litter of the original doe will produce once, and the basis of figuring there will be sixty-two more, making a total of 136 hares, as the increase of one doe. If they are of good breeding they will weigh eight pounds each at the age of eight months. Thus it will be seen that three figures are required to express the weight of the increase of one doe in the course of a year.

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Walls Nash arrived in Corvallis yesterday from his home on Rock Creek.

The front of the Pioneer Bakery and Restaurant has received a new coat of paint. T. T. Barnhart was the artist.

Miss Nellie Hogue arrived home from Stanford university yesterday morning after having spent the past year in that splendid university.—Albany Democrat.

Supt. Denman is making preparations for a school picnic at Monroe on the 23rd inst. There will be many interesting features introduced to make the occasion of interest to all.

Bear in mind when you have farm produce to sell that there is a commission in town; bear the same thing in mind when you want to purchase any, also that John Lenger is the proprietor.

Attorney W. E. Yates will go over to Albany today on business for the city of Corvallis. He will inspect the records there in regard to any incumbrances that might be hanging over the plot of ground that the city and county are negotiating for, with a view of purchasing the same of Sol King. If everything is found to be correct on the records at Albany the deal will be consummated tomorrow. It is the intention of the city and county authorities to begin spreading gravel at once and in large quantities as soon as this gravel bar is at their disposal. The hauling and spreading of gravel on the thoroughfares will give employment to many men and teams.

Mrs. M. M. Elliott, of San Francisco, and Miss J. Reed, of Pasadena, California, arrived in Corvallis Wednesday enroute to Alsea, where they are to spend the summer. Miss Reed is quite an accomplished violinist and entertained a few guests with her violin at the Occidental hotel Wednesday evening. Her selections were appreciated by a number of people on the streets as well as those in the parlor. The ladies were met here by Marion Hayden who escorted them over to the Alsea valley. Miss Reed's mother and brother are living over there and have erected a number of cabins for the accommodation of summer visitors, friends of the family, who are expected to arrive from various parts of the county.

The last senior rhetorical of the school year took place at the O A C chapel Monday afternoon. The following program was given: A paper on "Ventilation," by Albert Leavens; piano solo, by Mordaunt Goodnough; vocal solo, "Because I Love You," Maud Hoover; "Some Haunts of Song," was the subject of an address by Meldora Jackson; "The Maiden's Song," a vocal selection by Constance Holland; Etta Agnes Smith followed in a discussion of "Our War With Spain," "Hope Makes All Things Possible," was the subject of an oration by Lillian Ranney; Lulu Spangler sang, "O Promise Me;" "The Coming Conquerors," was the subject of a discussion by Herbert Junkins. The O A C orchestra furnished music for the occasion and the affair passed off nicely. One of the musical features was the rendition of a march for orchestra, composed by Glen Winslow, of the college. The march was dedicated to the O A C cadets.

To Exchange.

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WILL CELEBRATE.

The Nation's Natal Day to be Observed With Pomp and Ceremony.

Corvallis is not to be outdone by her sister cities in patriotism or enterprise. She will observe the nation's birthday this year, and that with an enthusiasm never equalled in former efforts.

At a meeting of citizens held at the office of E. R. Bryson, Wednesday evening, June 6th, for the purpose of considering the advisability of celebrating the Fourth of July, this decision was arrived at. J. M. Nolan was chairman of the meeting and E. R. Bryson acted as secretary.

Believing that enthusiastic young men should have charge of the arrangements and that the business men and older citizens should stand behind and support their efforts, the following committee of arrangements was appointed: E. R. Bryson, Robt. Johnson, J. F. Yates, George Paul, E. E. Wilson, Jesse Spencer, George Irvine, J. N. McFadden, B. W. Johnson, George Denman and V. E. Watters. This committee will probably meet this evening, when final arrangements will be perfected.

Council Organized.

June 4th being the first Monday in the month, the council met on that evening and organized for the ensuing year as required by law. P. Avery was elected president and the following committees were appointed:

- Finance Committee—Kline, Henkle and Hayes. Street Committee—Smith, Avery and Wilbanks. Fire and Water Committee—Nolan, Heckart and Henkle. Liquor license bonds of T. Whitehorn, Ben Wolft and Julius Wuestefeldt were approved.

Court Notes.

Many matters of importance came before the county court at its session this month. A detailed statement of the proceedings will appear in our next issue.

The newly elected democratic commissioner Richard Irvin, was appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late Commissioner Buchanan, owing to the urgent necessity of a full representation this month.

Several bridge matters came on for consideration, and numerous petitions for the establishment of new roads were presented. In the matter of the purchase of the Sol King gravel bar, the court and representatives of the city have delegated City Attorney Yates to go to Albany and examine into the title of this property which lies in Linn county. It is hoped that the transfer will be accomplished in time to begin hauling gravel by next Monday.

Letter List.

For week ending June 2, 1900: J. A. Brooks; Ellsworth Bethers, John P. Combes, Nute Davison, M. Frechler, Mrs. Chas Goodale, Howard & Stearns, Miss Millie Jones, Miss Annie Kupetz, Mrs. Myra Lehrbass, Vance Taylor, Miss Bertha Townsend.

B. W. JOHNSON, P. M.

Wanted.

Old cast iron of any kind. Farmers, we will pay you from one-fourth to one-half more for your iron than any junk dealer. We are ready to do repair work of any kind, at any time. Patronize us. Bring your old iron and get your money. THE FOUNDRY, Corvallis, Or.

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Ko-nut for pies and all pastry—once used, always used; for sale at Zierolf's.

To Wives and Sweethearts.

To home and friends, we bid farewell! For distant shores we're leaving. To sail upon the flowing sea. Where waves o'er waves are heaving.

Our bark will safely ride the waves, Will reach the golden strand; The stars of hope will guide us o'er The Arctic's frozen lands.

The Alaskan hills we will explore, Its golden streams we'll pan, And bring you nuggets from the shores Untrodden yet by man.

We'll search the Arctic circle round, And when our task is done Bring back the treasures we have found From the land of the midnight sun.

But, if perchance, too long we wait And yet no news the while, Don't think we're shipwrecked on the straits, Or on some frozen isle.

And when the bells on Christmas day Ring out their joyous sounds Then think of loved ones far away In Arctic fetters bound.

Think of the long polaric gloom And how we pass the time While towering glaciers heavenward loom Eternal and sublime.

Yet, we'll return, you may depend, It will never be our lot To leave our bones where polar bear Will ever find the spot.

We'll bring a schooner load of gold From the Alaskan hills; We'll doff our boots and corduroys Then you can put on frills.

We'll take a trip around the world And through the foreign lands, And wander north Italian bowers By lone arctician strands.

And, now, farewell, till we return, And with the gold we find We'll build you all palatial homes On the Hudson or the Rhine.

WILLIS VIDRO.

Chautauqua Association.

The seventh annual assembly of the Willamette Valley Association will convene at Oregon City, July 11th, and remain in session until July 21st. Great preparations have been made for this event, which is of so much importance to the people of Oregon who are interested in educational matters.

In the way of entertainment much will be done and the Metropolitan Jubilee Singers of Chicago have already been secured for this occasion. Congressman Landis, of Indiana, will speak at intervals during the sessions. Mrs. Rose Bloch-Bauer and other prominent singers will be in attendance. There will be a large number of addresses made and papers read by local professors and through the efforts of the association, many eastern men of great prominence have been induced to attend and assist in making this occasion one to be long remembered.

Ko-nut, the purest, sweetest, most healthful cooking material made; call for it at Zierolf's.

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Official Returns for Benton County, Oregon, June 4, 1900.

Table with columns for Candidate Name and various precincts: Corvallis No 1, Corvallis No 2, Corvallis No 3, Corvallis No 4, Soap Creek, Willamette, Monroe, Kings Valley, Alsea, Seaside, Tillamook, Hood River, Multnomah, Wagon Wheel, Rainier, Toledo, Majority.

THERE'S PROFIT IN TRADING HERE.

LADIES who wish to avoid the bother of home work, or the details of dressmaking, will be interested in our new line of dress skirts. All the fashionable fabrics of the season are included in the line, and the skirts have the fit and "hang" of the best dress-maker's. Take a look at them and you will agree with us. Prices from 45c to \$6.50.

GROCERY selling in a department store no longer attracts attention because of its novelty, but for the reason that the best of food products costs less there than the exclusive grocer charges. This store is easily in the lead in this respect. Our grocery department is appreciated by well posted buyers because it offers an opportunity to supply the family needs in this line at closest prices. Country produce taken.

WHENEVER you find a properly organized and rightly conducted men's furnishing store in a dry goods store there you will find a successful one. Men no longer shun dry goods store furnishings, for they know they can get correct styles at close prices. We invite the attention of our customers to an especially fine and complete line of neckwear just opened.

SHOE value consists in wear, style and comfort. If any of the three are lacking the footwear is not good value. Our shoes are strictly reliable in quality, therefore long wearing; they are stylish, as can be seen at a glance; they are comfortable, because fitted by an expert. All our customers will bear out these statements. We believe this is the best place for you to buy shoes, and solicit your patronage.

Every item offered below is proof of the above assertion.

The quotations are only a very meagre representation of the values which place this store unquestionably in the lead. This store is crowded with the most complete and comprehensive stock of dry goods we have ever shown. Every line was bought at close prices, and the goods will be passed along to our customers at the usual small margin of profit which has made this store so successful and popular.

The New Spring Parasols Are Here.

This store offers many attractions to economical buyers.

A store that relies solely on low prices to win and hold trade is playing "a losing game." To win such success as this store is winning it is necessary that the low prices should represent goods of strictly reliable quality. Every woman in this city who is posted on dry goods, and who takes the time to compare goods and prices will admit that our values are superior. We make and hold customers by treating them right. We lead; others follow.

IF you want a stylish spring hat for \$3.00, just as good as the \$5.00 kind, come here. The only difference is in the absence of the name, and "what's in a name." If you are willing to pay two dollars for a name, buy the five dollar hat. If you want to pay only for the hat, come here. Agent for Kingbury hats.

OUR glove stock is the best patronized and most popular in this vicinity, because we make a constant effort to show a larger line, and offer better glove values than any other local dealer. It is not easy to do a satisfactory kid glove business. It requires long experience, careful buying, conscientious selling and a willingness to be content with a small profit. We recognize all these requirements and conform to them. That's why Corvallis women can get better gloves here for the price than elsewhere.

BEFORE your spring gown are fitted a new corset will be needed. That goes almost without saying, for everyone knows that an ill-fitting or worn-out corset spoils the fit of the dress. Our corset woman can help customers select the proper model—one that will improve the figure. Consult her and you will be better satisfied with your corset, and the fit of your dresses. Prices from 50c to \$1.50.

RECENTLY advances have taken place in all lines of cotton goods. Before the advance we stocked up with cords of domestics—shirtings, sheetings, gingham, prints, and other cotton goods. We are now selling these goods at just about what other merchants have to pay for them at present prices. You will find this store a good place to supply your needs in this line.

Advertisement for Adler's Durable Clothing, Men's New Spring Suits, Young Men's Suits, Nelson's Custom Fit \$3 50 Shoe for Men. Includes image of a man in a suit and text 'At Kline's'.

Advertisement for Dille The Fixer, Improved Service to the Kootenai Mines via the O. R. & N., Money to Loan, and a Notice regarding timber claims.

Advertisement for Belgian Hares!!! California Belgian Hare Association, Capital Stock \$25,000. Includes text about imported hares and breeding.