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LOCAL NEWS.

Wild geese have been flying about within the past few days.

Hops are quoted at from 13 to 16 cents and wheat at 50 cents.

To-night is Halloween. Wonder whose post will lose its gate?

A. F. Peterson is expected home from Hood River in the course of a week.

Mrs. L. L. Porter, of Oregon City, arrived in Corvallis last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Spangler.

Miss Mary Gerhard returned, Saturday, from a week's visit in Albany, where she was the guest of Miss Barbara Vandran.

Steamers have been running up the Willamette as far as Independence. The Altona was the first boat to reach there this season. There is now plenty of water to allow boats to reach Corvallis.

Prof. V. Crawford and Miss Ida Maxwell, the latter being one of the teachers of the public school, took an outing Saturday, driving to Prof. Crawford's sister's, Mrs. Dugger, five miles east of Tangent.

Mr. E. G. Trachsel, who had charge of the "Jersey Creamery," west of this city, for a couple of months, left with his family yesterday, for his old home at Summit where they will reside for the present at least.

Lewis, a young man from Corvallis, who now resides in Pendleton, will play left half in the local foot ball team and is a very plucky fellow and grand stand player, are expected from him.—Pendleton Tribune.

A copy of "The Inland Empire" has reached our desk. It is a journal published at Walla Walla Wash., in the interest of the farmer and stock-raiser. It is worthy of all that may be said of it, both editorially and typographically.

Mr. J. J. Sorafford, a spry young man from Corvallis, and nearly 84 years of age, was visiting his sons, J. B. Sorafford of this city, and Mart Sorafford of Airle, during the past three weeks and returned to his home on Monday.—West Side.

During the recent high wind storm, its violence was so great that it started a car standing on the track at Yaquina City. It continued on its way until it ran off the track at a switch. It is also reported that the brake was set on the car when it started.

Judge McFadden and Attorney Bryson of Corvallis, of Dr. J. A. Lamberson, of Lebanon, when in the city the other evening, were extended the courtesy of the Alcoa club, and think such an institution a fine thing and the Albany business men are to be congratulated in securing the same.—Albany Herald.

On Monday night, October 22nd, about 7:30 o'clock, the house and barn of Miles Starr, near Monroe, were destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss is in the neighborhood of \$2,500, and the property was only insured for \$1,100. Up on the front gate at Mr. Starr's residence was a large star, indicating the name of the owner.

Irvine & Roy are reported to have sold 187 bales of hops Tuesday, realizing 14 1/2 cents per pound. T. A. Livesley, of Salem, was the buyer. Buena Vista hops are being hurried into the warehouses here before the heavy rains begin. Hopbuyers are flocking in here to get the remainder of the hops that have not been sold. One buyer is said to have refused a 10 cent offer from Portland.—Polk County Observer.

Prof. James Withycombe, vice director and agriculturist of the Oregon Experiment Station, Corvallis, Oregon, is on an extended tour through the Central and Eastern states in an investigation of the dairy industry. There are fine prospects for the development of this industry in the Northwest states and it is hoped to profit by the experience of Eastern dairymen in building it up. Prof. Withycombe reports a largely increased enrollment this fall in the Oregon Agricultural College and a considerably brightened outlook for improved stock in the Northwest.—Breeder's Gazette, Chicago.

S. N. Wilkins and wife returned, Saturday, from a business trip to Portland.

Charley Felton arrived in Corvallis, his old home, a few days ago from Eastern Oregon. He has been away from Corvallis for several years and on his return brought a number of horses with him, which he expects to sell.

We have been asked to correct a statement made by our contemporary to the effect that the Eastern Star lodge will meet in regular session next Friday night. The fact is they are to meet this evening, Tuesday, October 30th.

All parties interested in the poultry business or kindred industries are requested to meet at the court room in the court house next Saturday at 1 p. m., to perfect arrangements for holding a poultry show in this city December 15th.

The frame is now up for the new residence now being built by Clyde Phillips on his property. The structure will replace the old building formerly occupied by the family of Prof. Bristow and will be an ornament to that neighborhood.

There will be a republican rally at Oak Grove, Friday, November 2, at 6:30 p. m. A program has been prepared consisting of short addresses by speakers from Corvallis and songs by the quartet. This is the quartet whose singing has made it so popular during this campaign. An enjoyable time is assured and everybody is invited.

The annual convention of the W. C. T. U. of this county was held in Philomath during Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. Mrs. B. W. Wilson and Mrs. McCormick were among those who attended from this city. Mrs. Harford, a prominent worker of Newberg, was present and assisted at the meetings. A very entertaining and profitable session is reported.

In the game of football between the Salem Athletic Club and U. of O. teams at Eugene, Saturday, Salem was victorious as the Gazette predicted, the score being 5 to 0. Scott, O. A. C's quarterback last season was a tower of strength. The Eugene Register says: "The work of Scott, the quarter-back from O. A. C., was phenomenal." Sam Thurston played tackle. We hope the university has met her last defeat this season.

Jeweler E. P. Greffoz has secured a graphophone which he intends presenting to his customers. His plan is this: Every purchaser of fifty cents worth of goods, between November 1st, 1900, and January 1st, 1901, will be given a ticket which entitles him or her to a chance on the graphophone, which will be awarded at a drawing to be held on the last-named date. The instrument is no cheap affair, but is first-class in every respect.

A band has been organized in Corvallis with a view to concert work and general advancement in music. Only the better class of music will be rendered. Quite a repertoire has been ordered from a publishing house in New York city. The personnel of the band is as follows: F R Overlander, solo Bb clarinet; F Steiwer, 2nd Bb clarinet; J McBrien and E Redd, solo and 1st Bb cornets; E Simpson, saxophone; C A Barnhart and H. Martyn, altos; V Moses and J Wiley, trombones; G. L. Paul, baritone; C. Riddle, tuba; I R Daniel, traps; Ruthyn Turney, director.

Herbert friendly arrived in Corvallis, Monday noon, from Portland. He is now in the employ of the Oregon Telephone Company and came up to his old home to put in a new switchboard in the central office in this city. It is considered quite a task to properly place such a board and he expects to be in the city for about a week. There will also be some changes made in the central office that will give more room. It may be that when the time of changing from the old to the new switchboard arrives there will be a brief period that the line will be out of service, although it may be that this will not be necessary.

The Albany Tent of the Maccabees had some special instruction last night and invited the degree team of the Corvallis lodge to come over and assist in the work and make the occasion a rally feature for the opening of the work for the winter. The team accepted the invitation and about twenty members of that city came over, headed by state representative I. M. Hunter. They had gotten fairly well started and were getting into the mysteries of Maccabism when strange and unfamiliar knocks were heard at the outer doors. The picket unlocked the door and was overpowered by about fifty Ledy Maccabees, each of whom was dressed in strange and ghostly apparel, consisting of sheets, pillow cases and many other such household articles. The inner guard hearing the commotion in the anti-hall unlocked the door when he too was overpowered, and the host of strangely clad ladies marched into the hall and took complete possession. The surprise was gotten up on short notice, in fact was thought out and gotten up after the men had met for work last night.—Albany Herald.

THEIR FIRST MEETING.

The Bryan Brethren Had Two Speakers. Fare Name of 2nd Oregon Draggied in the Mire.

The Bryan forces held their first public meeting of this campaign at the court house Thursday evening. The big court room was crowded, the audience being composed about equally of republicans and supporters of the Nebraskan. The former maintained respectful silence, while the latter were liberal and earnest in their applause. The Philomath quartet was accorded a generous reception.

The program was divided into two parts—graceful and disgraceful. Judge Stuart spoke with much earnestness and his utterances were temperate yet telling. That he was sincere in his contentions, was the impression gained from his words and manner. That his assertions were open to debate is, of course, beyond question. Nor can it be admitted that his conclusions were correct in all instances. Still there was nothing offensive about the address, and if he was at fault, it was in his judgment and not in his intentions. Had he been given the entire evening the impression of the Bryan method of campaign left with the audience would have been much better, and the people of this city would have been spared the worst calumny against our citizenship, our soldiery and our flag which has been uttered since the days of the civil war. It is to the credit of the better element of Mr. Bryan's supporters to say that they do not endorse the tirade of abuse and invective hurled at the Oregon volunteers by the young man Sanders, nor his disparaging comparisons of our civilization and national character with that of the Filipinos. As one of them expressed himself: "It is a dirty bird that fouls its own nest."

In order to disprove the republican argument that the inhabitants of the Philippine Islands would be raised, by contact with our civilization, out of the darkness, and ignorance and immorality by which they had been held and surrounded during years of Spanish oppression and misgovernment, the speaker deemed it necessary to defame the character and morals of the volunteers of this state and make the republican party stand sponsor for the good name and conduct of our soldiers in the Philippines. If the republican party is to be placed in the position of champion of the Oregon volunteers and is made to stand shoulder to shoulder with them in defense of their honor and glorious record, it accepts the charge, for this is holy ground. That the 2nd Oregon contained some men who had better, for its sake, have stayed at home, is evidenced by the spectacle presented at the court house last Thursday night. Mr. Sanders undertook to show that the thievery, looting and wanton destruction of property by the privates of his regiment and the lecherous and generally immoral character of its officers, were not apt to improve the character of the Filipino nor impress him with the exalted condition of our civilization. This conclusion is true if we are willing to accept his assertions concerning the infamous, degrading character of the officers and men.

He said he had seen privates "hold up" poor, defenseless Filipino women on their way to Manila and "relieve" them of the few copper cents they carried on their person, but failed to explain why he so far forgot his duty as a soldier and a man as not to interfere or notify his superiors of this infamous proceeding. Surely there was at least one officer in the regiment with decency enough to demand an investigation.

The officers, said Sanders, maintained brothels in the city of Manila and compelled the private soldier to stand guard and prevent other privates from entering and polluting the sinuous forms of their serpentine amours. "Republicans," exclaimed the infuriated speaker, "aren't you proud of your civilization." He was no longer proud of the flag, he said, since it had been made to cover such degradation as this.

When Sanders wished to take issue with the republicans again on the question of the fitness of the Filipinos for self-government, our soldiers were again made to stand disparaging comparison with the followers of Aguinaldo. Nine-tenths of the Filipinos could read and write; they were natural born musicians; they never looted, they never burned;

they were meek as lambs and we forced the war upon them and we began hostilities. Our soldiers and officers were guilty of everything and their standard of civilization was below that of the Filipinos.

But this was false, and Sanders knew it. For after whimpering over the fate of 30,000 Filipinos, he told how our troops were opposed to the war in all its aspects, and pointing to a picture of Bryan, he exclaimed, "And to a man they will support that peerless Nebraskan." What! These robbers, highwaymen, lecherous brutes, to cast their lot with that embodiment of purity! Gods forfend!

Not content with vilifying the volunteers while they were in service, Sanders made an unwarranted attack upon General Summers because that gallant officer recently published a call in the Oregonian with the purpose of forming a McKinley and Roosevelt marching club or something of that nature, composed entirely of members of the 2nd Oregon. These boys are now all civilians and only those who wished to respond to the call needed to do so. About all Sanders succeeded in making out of the matter, was the conviction of himself as a prime mover in an attempt to break up the meeting in a disorderly manner.

Thomas J. Denman.

The death of Mr. Thomas J. Denman occurred at his residence in this city of heart failure, at 6:30 a. m. Saturday, October 27, 1900. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. J. Thompson at the family residence at 2 o'clock p. m. Sunday, October 28, 1900. The remains were interred in Crystal Lake cemetery.

Thomas J. Denman was born at Bristol, England, November 1, 1822, and at the time of his death only lacked a few days of being 78 years of age. He left England in 1857 and came to the United States. After living in several cities he arrived at Pittsburg, Pa., and was united in wedlock with Miss Jane Glass in 1864. After living there for about a year the couple moved out to Kansas and remained there until 1868, when they went to Missouri. Here they remained for four years, going to Nevada in 1872. Mr. Denman seems to have had far West in view all the time for he left Nevada after a few years and moved to Independence, Oregon. This move was in 1878, and he and his family remained there until 1888, when they moved to Corvallis, where he has lived ever since.

Mr. Denman was put at the trade of brick and stone mason at the age of ten years and followed this business with good success until a few years ago. He was a good workman and had worked on many memorable structures. His health began to fail about two years ago. Nearly a year ago he was stricken with partial paralysis and was bedfast for a period of four months. During last spring he rallied sufficiently to be up and around during the summer. However, during all of this time he was troubled more or less with his heart. He was in about his usual health until last Thursday evening, when he was again stricken with a chill, caused by failure of heart action, and from this he never rallied.

During his final brief illness everything that could in any way relieve him was done, but it was unavailing, and at dawn Saturday morning he expired, his wife, son, George, and daughter, Anna, being present at his bedside.

Mr. Denman had a large circle of friends who esteemed him for his quiet, unassuming manner and his many estimable traits of character as a neighbor and a citizen. And, although the day was raw and rainy, the services at the residence, Sunday, were attended by a large circle of friends who were present in honor to the memory of the deceased.

Married.

The wedding of Mr W T Nichols and Miss Lulu Rees was solemnized at the United Evangelical parsonage yesterday afternoon. Rev. L. M. Booger officiated.

Belgian Hares.

Corvallis Rabbitry in A F Peterson's shop, 313 Ninth St. has for sale pedigree hares of finest strains. Prince Cayenne, son of Lord Cayenne, is at the head of the rabbitry. Prices reasonable. Call at rabbitry or write for prices.

To Purchase Oregon Roads.

Negotiations for the transfer of the Southern Pacific lines in Oregon to the Northern Pacific Railway Company have been on for some time, says the Albany Herald. They were interrupted by the death of President Huntington, of the Southern Pacific, and affairs are in such a condition that no immediate results are looked for. It is said, by some, that the deal has been practically abandoned as impossible of consummation under the present circumstances. There is reason to believe, however, that the transaction will eventually be carried through. The Northern Pacific's desire to secure the Oregon line of the Southern Pacific is believed to be based on the fact that it has great faith in the Pacific Northwest, and wishes to get as much of the business as possible.

The Southern Pacific Company has no proprietary interest in the property of the Oregon & California Railroad. It has a lease of the property running 34 years from August 1, 1893, at an annual rental of \$5,000. This leaves the remaining term of the lease 27 years from last August. The lease may be modified or changed by the agreement of both parties. The bonded indebtedness, upon which interest is guaranteed by the lessee, is \$19,625,000, and the capital stock is \$19,000,000—\$12,000,000 preferred and \$7,000,000 common. Besides these there is a large sum of outstanding current liabilities. Until the past year or two these lines have lacked about \$500,000 annually of paying expenses.

Resolutions.

At a meeting in its hall Alpha R. D. Lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F., Corvallis, Oregon, October 26, 1900, passed the following resolutions on the death of L. G. Kline:

Resolved: In view of the loss we have sustained by the death of our friend and brother, L. G. Kline, and of the heavier loss sustained by those nearest and dearest to him, therefore be it

Resolved: That in the death of L. G. Kline this lodge laments the loss of a brother who was ever ready to proffer the hand of aid and the voice of sympathy to the needy and distressed of the fraternity; an active member of this society whose utmost endeavors were exerted for its welfare and prosperity; a friend and a companion who was dear to us all, a citizen whose life was a standard of emulation to his fellows.

Resolved: That the heart-felt sympathy of this lodge be extended to his family in their affliction.

Resolved: That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the lodge, and a copy thereof be transmitted under the seal of the lodge to the family of our deceased brother, and to each of the newspapers of Corvallis.

Fraternally submitted,
PRECIOUS SHEDD,
MARY ALLEN,
MARY WILKINS,
Committee.

A Campaign Story.

There are numerous campaign stories in circulation, but the neatest of all we have seen in print is told of some Hillsboro ladies. It is related by the Independent as follows:

Three or four Hillsboro wheelwomen started out one lovely morning last summer for Portland. Everything went well and the joy of the road was great when the ladies reached that magnificent spring of water in the Canyon this side of Portland. There they halted for a rest and for a drink of water. One, after slaking thirst had yet an ounce of water in her cup which she dashed on her wheel as she said, "I baptize thee William McKinley because you are a good runner." Her companions not to be outdone took water, one as she sprinkled water, said, "I baptize thee Teddy Roosevelt because you are a rough rider." The turn of the third was now, as she sprinkled pure water on her wheel she said, "I baptize you William J. Bryan because you are full of wind."

Miss Byrle Daniel arrived home from Portland, Saturday. While down there she purchased for herself a Ludwig & Son piano.

The Maccabees of this city visited the Albany Maccabee lodge Wednesday night by invitation. Among those who attended were: Clum Reed; Geo. Moore, William Moore, Walter Sconce, N. Adams, J. F. Irwin, Ralph Irwin, Cliff Kerr, Fred Davis, George Whitesides, John Zeis, Ira Hunter, Chancy LaVee, Wm. Kisor, Clyde Trapp, Dolph Norton, Carl Hodes and Seth Hurlbert. They report having enjoyed a very pleasant evening.



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