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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Frank Lilly is visiting in Portland.

Isidore Jacob's is home on a visit with relatives.

Deeply cut prices in our odd and end sale at Kline's.

Young's Cash Store—Any hat in window for 25 cents.

A brand new typewriter for sale cheap at the Bicycle Hospital.

R. L. Taylor came home from Salem on Saturday morning's boat.

Prof. S. I. Pratt, of Philomath, was in Corvallis, Saturday, attending business.

No better made—continental Tailoring Co.—new spring samples of clothes for men, on display at Kline's.

Clad Lockwood left, Saturday, for Portland with the intention of taking a course in shorthand at the Portland business college.

S. L. Henderson was sheriff of Benton county Saturday afternoon. Sheriff Burnett had gone out to serve a death warrant on a wild duck.

Miss Edith Howard, business manager of the College Barometer, has been confined to her home for the past few days, the victim of a severe cold.

Henry Ambler, the real estate agent of Philomath, will be in Corvallis every Saturday. Parties wishing to see him, can do so by calling at the Occidental hotel, between the hours of 11 and 1.

The date of the appearance of the U. of O. Glee Club in this city has been changed from February 14th to February 21st. The change was thought advisable as the oratorical contest takes place on the first mentioned date.

Hon. D. Solis Cohen, of Portland, will give a free lecture in the College chapel next Friday evening, January 31st. Mr. Cohen is said to be one of the most eloquent speakers in the Northwest, and will be both entertaining and instructive.

A recent letter from John Osborn, who is passing the winter in Meadville, Pa., states the weather turned very crisp and cold back there early in January and slay-bells can be heard in all directions. Mr. Osborn's health has been very good so far and he hopes to return to Corvallis in the spring.

The little friends of Myrtle May Spaulding assisted her in the celebration of her 9th birthday, Saturday afternoon, at her home, corner of 7th and Jefferson Sts. The children passed the time pleasantly with games and left several presents for the little hostess as tokens of their regard. Refreshments were served and the little ones departed happy.

Prof. F. L. Washburn has offered his resignation to the board of regents of the U. of O., to take effect February 7th. He has accepted the chair of state entomology in the state university of Minnesota. This position carries a salary of \$2,400 a year, and the legislature appropriates annually \$5,000 to be expended in research work. Professor Washburn was for six years entomologist at the O. A. C. He is a graduate of Harvard University and is 41 years old.

Cecil Cathey returned home, Friday, from Salem, where he had been for a week or more for treatment by Dr. Gillis for his eye. It will be remembered that a short time ago he was the victim of quite a serious accident at the Organ Factory, which caused him the loss of his sight in one eye. At present Cecil cannot see out of the injured eye, but it is hoped that in the course of a year or two he may have an operation performed whereby the sight may be restored.

President B. F. Jones of the Lincoln County Board of Trade is in receipt of a letter from Congressman Thomas H. Tongue pledging the latter's earnest support of the effort to secure an appropriation for the removal of bars in Yaquina bay between Yaquina and Toledo. It will be only a mite of what we are entitled to, yet thoroughly appreciated. There is reason to believe Congressman Tongue will get the item in the river and harbor bill without much trouble.—Lincoln County Leader.

A short time ago A. W. Moses rented a cottage in this city and went over to Tangent for the purpose of bringing his family, who were visiting relatives in that place, to this city. While there he received a telegram from government officials offering him a position at the Lame Deer Indian Agency in Montana. He was compelled to accept at once and accompanied by his family, left Tangent last Thursday for his new field. Mr. Moses will teach in the day school and Mrs. Moses will be given the position of seamstress. They will each receive good salaries.

W. A. Sanders, Jeweler. Umbrellas repaired, recovered, or made to order at the Bicycle Hospital.

A feast of bargains in our odd and end sale for February at Kline's.

Regent John Daly, left Friday, for a business trip to Portland and Oregon City.

At the Corvallis Saw Mill for the present you can get good shingles for \$1.40 per M. Also good fencing for \$7 per M.

Friday, W. H. Lesh, who visited for several days in this city, the guest of relatives and friends, returned to his home in Portland.

Groceries at Young's Cash Store. We still continue in Ladies' and Fancy goods, Hats, Shoes and Notions. Give us a call. Goods delivered in city.

The family of Ira Hunter departed a day or two ago for Waterville, Wash., where they will join Mr. Hunter. Ira is head clerk in a large mercantile establishment in that place.

Raymond Henkle, who is at present in San Francisco, in company with Harry Withycombe, studying pharmacy, writes that they are getting along nicely in their studies and have passed the California state board examination.

The orations at the college chapel, Friday afternoon, attracted quite a number of visitors. The various orations were all good. During their rendition Miss Telfer played a piano solo and Miss Mary Webb gave a mandolin solo accompanied by Miss Una Stewart on the piano.

Last Thursday, Judge Woodward appointed L. N. Edwards, of Dusty, guardian of the persons of Belle B. Bertha B., Conner W., J. Homer, L. Herman, Dortha M. and Floyd M. Edwards. He was appointed custodian of their property, valued at about \$500. The property is situated in Linn county.

Saturday morning proved to be quite a cool one for residents of this section. It was so extremely cool that one or two parties imagined that their teeth chattered. This, beyond doubt, was a mistake. However, the windows were frosted enough to look quite attractive and a few water pipes were burst.

On January 16th, Miss Hattie Hoover, well known in this city, was married to a gentleman by the name of Lyons, of Fossil, Oregon. They are now spending their honeymoon in the various seaport cities of the coast, but will soon start for Alaska. Mr. Lyons has a good situation at Valdez and is obliged to be up there by the middle of February.

J. E. Fowells, who has been running a shoe shop in this city for some months, is settling up his affairs preparatory to going back to his old home at Fayette, Iowa. He will take his family with him. He has some business affairs there that demand his attention. He expects to leave in the course of a couple of weeks, and we are sorry to have him depart.

General Freight and Passenger Agent R. B. Miller, of the Southern Pacific, returned recently from a trip up the West Side division as far as Independence. He reports the country looking fine, with many settlers already arriving from the East. A party of ten from Iowa settled near Corvallis a few days ago, and others from the same section in the East are to follow. Mr. Miller looks for an era of development in the Willamette Valley, such as this section of the state has not known in years.—Telegram.

A correspondent furnishes the following bit of information: Mrs. David Brown, a pioneer of 1853, lies ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huggins, near Dusty. She has been ill for several months with a complication of diseases. It will be remembered that her husband was killed several years ago. She is a well-to-do resident of Benton county, owning a farm near Monroe, where she has lived since coming to Oregon until a few months ago, when she came to Mr. Huggins', thinking the change would benefit her. She is improving slowly and her many friends will be glad to hear of her recovery. She will also be remembered for her kind acts of charity.

The Hillsboro Independent has the following concerning the suicide of Miss Nannie Ungerman and Mrs. Ollie Gaunt at McMinnville, Tuesday night: Tuesday evening the girls talked to several of the operators along the line, telling them what they were doing. To James Butler, operator at the central station in Hillsboro, with whom both were personally acquainted, they talked in their usual chaffing way. Nannie was at the keyboard and Ollie was in the booth. Ollie said to Mr. Butler, "The kid," meaning Nannie, "is eating arsenic." Butler asked, "What is she doing that for?" "Oh, we don't want to live any longer." He replied, "Well, good-bye, then." Nannie turned the switch and cut out the booth when she answered, "Good-bye." She then cut in the booth again, when the girls continued chatting in the usual glad humor. Mr. Butler had not the least suspicion that he was listening to the recital of a tragedy.

Con Gerhard has the finest line of Valentines ever brought to Corvallis. See them.

Undertaker Wilkins received an order for a coffin from Yaquina last week, in which the dimensions asked for were 26 inches by 7 feet 6 inches.

Mr. Jack Hammill went to Corvallis today to begin work on the new agricultural hall of the O. A. C. and will probably be there most of the year, probably spending Sunday here.—Democrat.

Corvallis youths enjoyed their first bit of skating this season, Sunday. While the elements have made several desperate attempts, there hasn't been enough snow thus far to write a poem about.

Sheriff and Mrs. Burnett will go to Portland, Thursday. The former will attend the hanging of Wade and Dalton. This event occurs on January 31st, the anniversary of the hanging of Floyd Montgomery, who paid the death penalty at Albany, January 31st, 1895.

Arrangement have been made for a concert to be given next Saturday evening, at Philomath, by Miss Mabel Cronise, vocalist; Ruthyn Turney, violinist, and Mordaunt Goodnough, pianist. The people of that city are assured of a musical treat.

Henry Hotes has sold his farm, consisting of 124 acres four miles west of Lebanon (formerly owned by A. Umphrey) to W. B. Kiger, of Corvallis, for \$3,500. The purchase includes some stock, farming implements and other things. Mr. Kiger has been offered \$200 for his bargain. Mr. Hotes and family will return to their former home in Nebraska.—Herald.

Today, Frank S. Ward, of this city, will be united in marriage to Resie Stevens, of Albany. The marriage will occur in Albany at the residence of Bert R. Westbrook. The newly united couple will start immediately after the ceremony for Corvallis. Mr. Ward holds a good position with the drug firm of Allen & Woodward, and is well and favorably known by our citizens, while his bride has many warm friends in this city.

T. Jay Buford, at one time a resident of this city, and until recently Indian Agent at the Siletz, and Miss Lorena Layne were united in marriage in Portland last Thursday evening. Mr. Buford of late has been an organizer for the Order of Lions, while the lady who became his bride was connected with the same work. Thus the Lady of Lions has wedded the boss Lion. They have gone to Baker City to pass their honeymoon and later on expect to organize a lodge of Lions in that city.

The athletic association at the O. A. C. is being reorganized and is formulating a new set of bylaws, rules, regulations, etc. It is now proposed to have a president, secretary and treasurer of the association, also a general business manager. There will be individual managers for the different athletic teams. When any movement of importance is to be considered the matter will be taken before what may be termed an athletic council, consisting of the president of the association, the business manager, and the various managers of the teams. In this way there will be no necessity for calling a meeting of the entire association every time something out of the ordinary is to be considered.

For the benefit of those applicants who expect to take the examination for a primary certificate at the February examination, a recent ruling of the state superintendent has been made to the effect that in the examination of arithmetic a separate list of questions will be prepared and headed "Arithmetic." In this subject such questions will be asked as the state board may deem essential for applicants taking this examination. They will cover such subjects on arithmetic as in the judgment of the State Board of Education all teachers should be familiar with in order to do fair work in arithmetic.

S. P. Kashreret, who is acting as the agent for a colony of 300 Bohemian families now located in Nebraska, is on his way to Oregon to examine the Deschutes Valley with reference to its availability as homes for the people he represents, says the Oregonian. This will be no socialist community. The people will hold their property in severalty, and each manage his holdings as he pleases and take the reward of his own industry. But they are people of congenial tastes and, moreover, they are frugal and industrious. By having their own countrymen as neighbors and co-workers they expect to find life in the new country pleasanter than it would be among strangers, however well disposed they might be. It is estimated that there are about 1000 persons in the colony looking for a home in the valley of the Deschutes. They will probably move West before the end of this year.

**Died Suddenly.**  
The announcement yesterday morning of the death of S. A. Hemphill came as a surprise and a shock to this community. Even the few who were aware that he had been suffering from a slight attack of grip since Tuesday of last week, were unprepared for this sorrowful information. Mr. Hemphill was in his harness shop for the last time Thursday, but he was not confined to his bed. Sunday, his condition seemed considerably improved, and when his wife arose Monday morning her husband seemed in good spirits. About twenty minutes before six o'clock Mrs. Hemphill was in another room, and heard her husband gasp and when she reached his side he was dead. Heart disease is believed to have been the cause of death.

Samuel Anderson Hemphill was born in Indiana county, Pennsylvania, April 28th, 1830. At an early age he moved to Indiana, where he was married to Miss Mary Gordon. At the opening of the Civil War he enlisted in company G, 4th Indiana cavalry and served through the Vicksburg and Red River campaigns. He took part in the Wilson raid which resulted in the capture of Jefferson Davis at Macon, Georgia.

At the close of the war he returned to Indiana and re-engaged in the harness business. In 1876 he came to Corvallis and entered the employ of W. A. Wells who was then conducting a harness shop in this city. Some months later he was joined by his family. Finally he opened a harness shop of his own, and continued in the business until the day of his death. The first of this month he took in his son as a partner.

Mr. Hemphill was the father of three children, but his wife and son, Mack, alone survive him.

The funeral will occur tomorrow Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence. Dr. E. J. Thompson will officiate and the services will be under the auspices of the Odd Fellows, of which order Mr. Hemphill became a member in May, 1851. Interment will be made in Crystal Lake cemetery.

Mr. Hemphill was one of Corvallis' most substantial and highly respected citizens. Although courteous to all, he was no wise familiar, but maintained a reserve which gained the esteem of all who met him. His intimate associates knew him as a congenial, accommodating companion; his family as a kind and indulgent husband and father. Such men are all too scarce in any community.

**Registration of Voters.**  
The voters of Benton county are not registering as rapidly as they should. It seems from what can be learned that in other counties the voters are equally negligent of this duty. Up to Friday evening the registration in the various precincts was as follows:

Corvallis No. 1, 26; Corvallis No. 2, 39; Corvallis No. 3, 21; Corvallis No. 4, 5; Fairmount, 5; Soap Creek, 3; Kings Valley, 7; Summit, 16; Blodgett, 1; Wren, 5; Philomath, 6; Willamette, 8; Alesia, 7; Bellfountain, 2; Monroe, 7. This makes a total of 159. From now on voters will have to come to the front at a lively rate in order to have their names on the books when the time is up.

Clerk waters is sending out blanks to all notaries public and justices of the peace who apply for them. So far blanks have been forwarded to the notary public of Blodgett, and the various justices of Philomath, Kings Valley, Summit and Monroe. The average voter who has an application blank for registration filled out by a justice of the peace or notary public of his precinct is apt to infer that everything in his case is settled and all that he has to do is to vote on election day. In this he may avoid trouble by taking pains to find out that his application has reached the clerk. In whatever precinct a man is registered there he must vote. He can, if he intends changing his residence from one precinct to another before election day, delay registering as late as the 15th of May.

**Agricultural Hall.**  
H. Snook and crew of about fifteen men, including Jack Hammill, of this city, returned last night from the granite quarry near Berry, where they have just finished getting out the

granite for the first story of the new agricultural hall for the O. A. C. It took fifty-one cars to convey the stone to Corvallis and all has moved forward but about nine car loads. The sand stone for the upper stories will be gotten at the Bay.—Albany Democrat.

Mr. Snook and his crew are now in this city and at work. This new building for the O. A. C. will be a most imposing structure and when completed will be a building that would be a credit to any city. A cut of the new Agricultural Hall appeared in Friday's Oregonian, and beyond doubt the building will be a most attractive one.

The new line of railroad connecting the O. A. C. grounds and the C & E line is now completed. The last spike driven is not supposed to have been the proverbial golden one. An engine has already been run over the new line. This is rather a short road and while there will be considerable freight traffic, there will be small returns from the passenger trade.

**New Tax Law.**  
At the last session of the legislature a new law was passed in regard to the collection of taxes, which law took effect on Dec. 1, 1901, and its substance is as follows:

1 If you pay your taxes on or before March 15 you will be allowed a rebate of 3 per cent.

2 If you pay your taxes between March 15th and up to and including the first Monday in April, there will not be any rebate and neither will there be any penalty or interest added.

3 If your taxes are not paid on or before the first Monday of April, they will become delinquent, when there will be added a penalty of 10 per cent, and the tax will also draw interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum in addition to the penalty.

4 If you pay one-half of your taxes on or before the first Monday in April, then the remaining half may run up to and including the first Monday in October following; but if the last half of tax due is not paid by the first Monday of October it becomes delinquent, and there will be added to such balance, a penalty of 10 per cent, and in addition, such balance will bear interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the first Monday in April until paid.

5 On all personal property taxes, if one-half is not paid on or before the first Monday in April, the law compels the sheriff to levy up on and collect the same after May 1st, hence to prevent a levy upon personal property after May 1st it will be necessary for one half to be paid as above stated.

6 The law compels the sheriff to sell all lands on which taxes have not been paid, and that such sales shall not be held later than March 1st of the year in which the tax levy is made.

7 The property will be sold to the person bidding the lowest rate of interest, and certificates will be issued therefor, and deeds given to such property sold, unless redeemed within three years from the date of such sale.

**Took A Spin.**  
Two sons of Walter Yates had an exciting ride Sunday afternoon. They had been attending church at Oakville, and were returning home. When they reached the Henry Stone corner, a dog ran out and frightened the mare they were driving. The lines broke and she dashed down the road. The boys kept their seats. After a run of something more than a mile, the mare made a short turn as she took the road to Owl Creek. One of the wheels struck a stump and was broken, letting the axle fall to the ground. This slackened the mare's speed considerably and one of the boys jumped out and secured the broken lines, bringing her to a standstill. Aside from a liberal coating of mud neither of the occupants of the buggy were any the worse for their ride.

**Additional Local.**  
Mr. H. S. Clodfelter, has accepted a position with the Cramer Organ and Carriage Factory.

Gene Simpson will leave today for San Francisco, where he will join his wife for a couple of weeks' vacation. They will return home together.

The revival meetings at the United Evangelical church closed Sunday night. The meetings were a success in every way. Thirty-six conversions are reported and many accessions to the church. Rev. H. A. Deck, who assisted the pastor, left for Portland, Monday.

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