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LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Ette Price, of the O A C, has been quite ill for the past week, but at last accounts was improving.

Wanted—By a thoroughly competent man, a position as book-keeper. Address P. O. Box 272, Corvallis, Or.

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.

We have enquiries from the East for large stock ranches. What have you for sale? Morgan & Eglin, The Leading Land Agents.

The Prineville Journal is authority for the statement that Mt. Jefferson has been the victim of several spasmodic eruptions lately.

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.

Mrs. J. A. Spangler, who is at present in San Francisco visiting with her son, Mart, is somewhat improved in health and is having an enjoyable time.

The cadet battalion of the O A C now drills at the noon hour. This necessitates a change in the class hour of many students and eight o'clock in the morning comes all too soon for some of them.

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.

Tuesday evening, the Odd Fellows initiated J. E. Farmer, Elmer Dinges and L. W. Orin into the mysteries of that order. They are reported to have "faced the music" on this occasion like Romans.

Mrs. C. H. Pearse and son, Harry, found the winter in Kansas City, Mo., altogether too severe for them and have returned to San Francisco to pass the remainder of the winter. Mr. Pearse is still at Kansas City.

L. S. Stovall, a younger brother of Dennis H. Stovall of our city, has received an appointment to deliver lectures on the subject of anarchy in Texas and Oklahoma. He is known in Texas as "Scottie, the boy orator."—Grants Pass Courier.

The voters in Benton county will number about 2,000 this year. The time for registration is one-third gone and only a little more than one-fifth of the vote had registered up to Tuesday evening. The number registered by this time was 460. Do voters want a chromo for registering?

Albany is to have an opera house erected in the near future. The contract for constructing the same has been awarded to John McChesney, and the building was designed by Chas. H. Burggraf, the well known architect. The contract has until July 1st to complete the structure. The building will have a seating capacity of between 700 and 800, and will cost, when finished, upwards of \$5,000.

Billy Williams, who introduced smallpox into our neighborhood, is doing nicely, but his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, who have been nursing him, both have the disease. It is in a mild form and the patients are able to keep up and about the house. There is one other case reported, that of a logger who was employed at C. K. Spaulding's camp on the island above Corvallis a few miles. A strict quarantine is maintained in each instance and there is no ground for the fear of some that it will become wide-spread.

The death of Richard Fruit occurred early Tuesday morning at the home of his uncle near Monroe. Deceased was a highly respected young man and was a member of this year's graduating class at O A C. Some time ago his health failed and he went to California in the hope of benefiting his condition, but it was a fruitless hope and he came home to await the worst. His funeral occurred yesterday at Pine Grove cemetery, near Peoria. Rev. Humbert, of this city, responded to the request that he preach the funeral sermon.

An Oregon schoolma'am, who teaches the "young idea how to shoot" in one of the valley districts, and who is known widely as a choice piece of feminine beauty and sweetness, tried a unique experiment to prevent tardiness of her pupils, with good results. She made the proposal to scholars one evening just before the closing hour that the first one at school next morning would receive a kiss from her rub lips. The next morning on entering the school grounds she was surprised not only to see the entire school with the big boys in front awaiting her, but also the board of directors, who hung about bashfully.

W. A. Sanders, Jeweler. Services at the Baptist church as usual next Lord's Day. S. L. Kline returned Wednesday from a visit with his family in San Francisco.

If you have any aches or pains, call and see Dr. Holt, The Osteopath. Examination free.

Rev. P. A. Moses will occupy the pulpit at the M. E. church, south, Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Ladies, we have just received new silk organdies for evening wear, all the new shades. Nolan & Callahan.

Attorney W. E. Yates and August Fischer went over to the coast, Wednesday, on business that will detain them a number of days.

The weather forecast for March is not the most agreeable in the world. The Idea of March don't cut as much of a figure as the equinox.

Mrs. Ella M. Humbert's subject at 11 a. m. next Sunday at the Christian church will be, "The Mission of the Church;" at 7:30, "Experiences in City Life."

Miss Joyce Hershner is teaching school in Gilliam county. She made an average of 98 per cent in the teachers' examination recently held at Condon. This is excellent.

T. T. Barnhart is at present working at his trade in Everett, Wash., but is almost certain of a government position at Bremerton. A little more "red tape" is all that is required.

Presbyterian church—services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday School at 10 a. m., Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. You are cordially invited to attend all these services. ANDREW CABRICK, Pastor.

Fred A. Edwards, class of '01 U of O, is now traveling for the Chicago Portrait Co. in Eastern Oregon. He will enter Cornell University next fall to complete his course in electrical engineering.—Eugene Register.

Rev. L. Myron Boozer will occupy the pulpit of the United Evangelical church Sunday morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Abounding Grace of God," and in the evening, "The Quest of the Soul." All are cordially invited to these services.

The matter of procuring a nurse for James Whitford, the logger who has smallpox, seemed pretty hard to solve. The county officials took the matter in hand and \$5 per day was offered for the services of somebody to care for the ailing man.

S. L. Henderson made a trip up to the Riley Logan farm, Wednesday, in hope of securing one of the boys to act as nurse for Whitford. The Logan boys have had the smallpox.

A few parties are a little surprised that they are obliged to pay taxes on property that they have recently purchased that was assessed to the man of whom they purchased it. According to the law, if the deed is made out the day before the tax roll is placed in the Sheriff's hands the new owner is obliged to pay the taxes on the property, although it has not been assessed to him.

Ever since the time of Christ people have held various opinions regarding him and his teachings and oftentimes wax warm in the exchange of such views. Such an instance is reported from Monroe, where two extremely religious parties differed in their ideas of the Christ and proceeded to convert each other with ax and club. The melee resulted in a protracted game of "hide and seek" and no bodily harm was done as each proved himself a good "hider" where it was apparent that it was his turn to hide. It would seem from the above that each of the principals in this case completely ignored the teachings of their Christ.

There was a law passed in 1901 making it obligatory upon the various county clerks of Oregon to submit to the secretary of state a report showing the various items of county expense during the previous year. This report had to be in the hands of the secretary of state not later than the 8th of January of each year. According to the old system of keeping these items at the clerk's office this was considerable of an undertaking. A book, called an abstract of county warrants, was recently ordered and is now in use at the clerk's office. This book will contain a complete record of every item in the way of county expense for the next two years and will, in that time, save fully a month's labor for a clerk.

Under the terms of the Permanent Census Bureau bill there will be a number of Oregon, Washington and Idaho appointees transferred to the classified service and permanently retained in the Government service. Those now on the rolls are known to have given efficient service and to be competent in every way to fill Government positions, and while all may not be retained in the Census office, they will at least be sure of some other Government position equally as good as the one now held. The Corvallis appointees to be benefited by the act, and their salaries are: Henry C. Allen, clerk, \$1,000; Brady P. Burnett, clerk, \$1,200; Harry L. Holgate, clerk, \$1,200.

Barrett Lyceum will be open for service next Sunday. Doors open at 2 p. m.; services at 2:30.

S. L. Kline has returned from San Francisco, and is receiving and opening one of the largest stocks of goods ever shown in Corvallis.

The pulpit of the Methodist Episcopal church will be occupied next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Frank L. Moore.

We again call attention to the meeting of the Citizens League at the court house tomorrow night. Officers are to be elected and business of importance transacted.

Salem and O A C basket ball teams will contest at the armory tomorrow night. This is the second in the series between these teams and a red hot game is anticipated.

S. L. Kline is going to give away in March and April a Sewing Machine and would like to have the address of every lady who reads this and is not the owner of a machine.

A telegram from A. D. Morrison to Mr. and Mrs. Thrasher, dated at San Francisco, February 26th, stated that Miss Bertha had stood the operation well and passed a good night following it.

W. W. Calkins left Wednesday for Ashland, where he will visit with his brother. On his way home he will stop off at the various towns and become acquainted with their resources and surroundings.

A fire in the boarding house of the Standard mine at Mace, Idaho, caused the death of four men, the serious injury of two, and badly burning of nine others. Among the latter was L. V. Eberhardt formerly of Corvallis.

Miss Myrtle Simpson gave a party last night at her home in this city in honor of Misses Grace and Mabel Simpson, who have been visiting here for a couple of weeks.

The young ladies, accompanied by their mother, will return to their home in Portland, today.

A. F. Hershner, supervisor of road district No. 2, informed us that last Monday he laid a lot of corduroy on a portion of the road in his district west of this city. Early Wednesday he was informed that it had all been washed out by the overflowing of Oak Creek.

The body of Richard Fruit, who died at Monroe, Tuesday, was brought to Corvallis, Wednesday evening. Yesterday morning it was taken to Peoria on the steamer Leona, accompanied by the senior class of O A C, and a number of sorrowing friends of the deceased.

Mr. W. A. Beal and Mrs. Rebecca Buchanan, both of Wells, were married at the United Evangelical church, Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. L. Myron Boozer, officiating. Mr. Beal and bride are both well known residents and will make their home on Mr. Beal's farm near Wells.

Chas. Thomas, an account of whose exploits appeared in our last issue, was arrested Thursday by Deputy Henderson at Jesse Porter's place. He was brought to Corvallis and given a hearing before Justice Holgate, on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. In default of \$500 bonds, he was committed to the county jail to await the circuit court which meets March 24th.

Ford & Laws have moved their stock of furniture and second-hand goods to Portland, where they will open a similar business. They have secured a three-story building at the corner of 1st and Yamhill streets. The first two floors will be used as auction rooms, while the top floor will contain new furniture.

Mr. Laws left yesterday for Portland, but his family will remain in Corvallis for the present.

Henry Ambler has negotiated the sale of the Whiteside farm of 222 acres, 4 miles south of Philomath to Rufus Skipton, for \$7,250. Mr. Whiteside keeps the crop and gives possession September 1st. Mr. Ambler has also sold 40 acres, 6 miles south-west of Philomath, known as the Jones place, to B. F. Pugsley, late of Lower Boise, Idaho, for \$500 cash. The purchaser has already taken possession. Mr. Pugsley's father purchased the Simes' place a couple of weeks ago.

On Wednesday, Feb. 26, 1902, at the home of Mrs. Rust, this city, Rev. M. Noble united in marriage Mr. E. W. Taylor and Miss Iva Garrett. After the ceremony a delicious repast was partaken of by the guests, who were members of the families, and Pastor Noble and wife. It was a very delightful occasion. The gentleman is a very highly esteemed resident of our county and the young lady one of Corvallis' most esteemed residents, who will be greatly missed by her numerous friends. Many beautiful presents were carried away by the young people to their new home near Philomath, for which they left on the afternoon train. All wish them much joy.

Would Accept Nomination.

The time draws near when the people of this county must select men to represent them in the state legislature. It is proper and fitting that voters should know who are aspirants for these important places, and what their attitude and purposes are.

To this end the GAZETTE takes pleasure in printing the following communication from Mr. Marion Hayden, of Alsea, to a friend in this city:

MY DEAR FRIEND:—Since our conversation some time ago regarding my becoming a candidate for the legislature I have carefully gone over the subject and am now more certain of my feelings than I was at that time. As I told you then many others of my friends from different parts of the county had previously asked me to allow the use of my name. Until the last few days I have not been favorably inclined toward the suggestion.

There is nothing I should dislike more than being mixed up in a factional fight, in which I might become under obligation to some faction, and I certainly would not become the candidate of any men or set of men for this office. But since no one else seems to be a candidate for the office, and so many of my friends are asking me to become a candidate I hesitate to refuse the use of my name, and I am frank to confess that could I become the candidate not of a faction, but of the party in general I should deeply appreciate the honor.

I regard this office as one in which the only return for time and labor expended is the respect of one's fellow man and the honor which follows an honest and conscientious performance of the trust imposed, and looking at the matter in this light I do not believe that any man could consistently become an active aspirant for such honors.

I think that I have sufficiently explained my attitude toward this question, and write you to let my friends know how I stand.

Yours truly, MARION HAYDEN.

What Dilley Says Goes.

"I want you to tell your readers that there are others in bicycles as well as in girls," said Dilley, "the fixer" yesterday. "I am agent for the Imperial. It is not king, but it is as good as the best. It is a member of the great family of good wheels; all its parts fully guaranteed, and all the late improvements. Yes, I have them with cushion frames, but they cost \$5 extra. The bearings are ground steel, just like all first-class wheels. The Imperial is the best selling bicycle I ever handled. Last year I sold 43 wheels and nearly all of them were Imperials. No one ever accused the Imperial of having a tin frame." Dilley is an authority on bicycles, and what he says goes.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Of all the great American plays; the old historical drama of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" has the strongest hold on people. The great Stetson-product is beyond question one of the best plays ever given of this great and masterful story, hence the warm place it retains in the hearts of people of every clime. The great American classics will give to our theatergoers one of the most enjoyable entertainments ever witnessed at the Opera House on March 4th, when manager Leona W. Washburn and his great company play that popular house. Watch for the big street parade at 4 o'clock p. m. Seats on sale at Graham & Wortham's. Prices 50, 35 and 25 cents.

Next Friday Night.

The drama, "The Wife," after conscientious and careful preliminary work, is now being smoothed up and perfected for presentation next Friday night.

The play is a New York success and was written by a master of stage craft. It is replete with strong situations, and comedy and pathos are beautifully blended. While quite difficult for amateur production, the local players will give a creditable presentation. Pretty costumes and attractive stage settings give opportunity for some nice pictures. Prices and other details will be given later.

Real Estate Transfers.

J B Coffey to J H Scott, land near Albany; \$160. G L Lloyd to E Hobson, 160 acres near Monroe; \$750. George Gates to Rufus Skipton, 100 acres near Philomath; \$2,000. T P Schench to H W Schench, 307 acres, t 15 s, r 4 w; \$1,200. T P Schench to H W Schench land, t 15 s, r 4 w; \$2,000. C Homer to H J Troup, 135 acres near Philomath; \$3,375. United States to J C Laskey, patent for 160 acres near Blodgett. E M Elliot to E E Brinner,

3 1/2 acres near Monroe; \$700.

I O Thompson to D C Ecker, 75 acres t 13 s, r 5 w; \$1,700.

F Plunkett to G A Whiting, 158 acres in Kings Valley; \$2900.

Mary C Bryson et al to F Plunkett, q c d 158 acres in Kings Valley; \$1.

E E Wilson to M Porter, lots 9 and 10, blk G, Avery's Addition to Corvallis; \$100.

Emma Fuller to W A Johnston, bond to sell 5 acres near Corvallis; \$1,500.

L V Flint to M L Barnett, 60 acres near Monroe; \$800.

S Munn to M J Fugh, lots 1 and 2, Hoffman's Addition to Corvallis; \$100.

Rufus Skipton to E Conger, 161 acres near Philomath; \$5,000.

A Sime to A W Pugsley, 155 acres near Philomath; \$3,000.

T C & E M Howell to H Underhill, 80 acres near Blodgett; \$200.

E A Chapman to G T Garsiwiler, 10 acres at Philomath; \$1,000.

Money Has Arrived.

Governor Geer has received a warrant from the secretary of the treasury for \$21,799.94, together with a statement of differences from the auditor of the war department. Of this sum \$17,106.44 is for payment of claims of members of the Second Oregon regiment who volunteered and were accepted under the second call of the president. The remaining \$4,693.50 is to reimburse the state for per diem paid about two years ago to men who volunteered and were rejected. This money will be paid as soon as called for, less 10 per cent contributed toward the purchase and erection of a military monument in accordance with the terms of a resolution adopted by a mass meeting of Oregon volunteers Feb. 7, 1902. Persons who call at the adjutant-general's office, 723 Chamber of Commerce, will be given a blank claim to be signed and verified, and will be given checks at once, which can be cashed anywhere in the state. Others are requested to write to the adjutant-general for blanks, which they will forward for verification, together with letter of instructions. Upon receipt of the verified blanks he will mail the checks.—Telegraph.

Letter List.

For the week ending Feb. 22, 1902. Persons calling for these letters will please state date on which they were advertised. They will be charged at the rate of one cent each:

O J Brown, Jay Cooper, A J Campbell, Samuel J. Day, S L Frank, Will Hoba, O Y Kirk, Mrs Pleisla Lapp, A W MacKinzie, Fannie McDaniel, Newton Rust, Mrs Mary Wells, S Sterling, G H Stone (2), J H Scott, Spaulding Bros., J T Whalley and Mrs J H Walker. B W JOHNSON, P. M.

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If you want to sell farms or city property that it with us. Write us or call and see us, we advertise in Eastern papers. If you want to buy property or want a business location write or call on us. Houses to rent, money at low interest, insurance written, collections made, farms rented, etc. Office in Sanders Jewelry Store. N. P. PATTERSON. G. A. ROBINSON.

Miss Mabel Cronise

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makes kidneys and bladder right.

New Silks. New Laces. DRESS GOODS DEPT. FOR SPRING, 1902. We have just received our shipment of Dress Goods which is by far the largest and best assortment we have ever had on display, including all the latest weaves and colors from 25 cents \$1.50 per yard, to which we call your special attention and ask that you call and look them over. SPECIAL On Ready Made Sheets and Pillow Cases 75-cent Shetts at 50 cents 15-cent Pillow Cases at cents Our wash fabrics will arrive this week. S. L. KLINE. New Belting. New Buckles.

NOW IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY To secure a Good Home, Splendid Stock Ranch, or Perfect Summer Grazing lands at Nominal Prices. The Coast Land & Live Stock Company having purchased 40,000 acres of the Corvallis and Yaquina Bay Wagon Road lands, known as the "Coe Lands," have now placed them on the market. These are unimproved lands situated in Benton and Lincoln counties, along the line of the Corvallis & Eastern railroad, in the best grazing and fruit-raising section of Western Oregon. Prices: \$1.00 to \$4.00 per Acre Easy Terms. Perfect Title. M. M. DAVIS, Agent Corvallis, Oregon! October 7, 1901.

MORGAN & EGLIN Real Estate, Insurance, Collecting and Exchange Agents. TITLES EXAMINED. Mortgages, Wills, Deeds and All Kinds of Legal Papers Drawn. We advertise in 200 weekly news papers in the East, through 800 news advertising agencies, and our facilities for handling your properties are the best. If you wish to buy, sell or swap anything from a calf or a dog to a 50,000-acre ranch in any part of the United States; see us. We will buy, sell, trade, kill or give it away. We try to do you justice and give satisfaction. Our charge are reasonable. Collections of old out-lawed debts a specialty. Insurance written in best companies in the United States. Office over Postoffice, Corvallis, Oregon.

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TO HOMESEEEKERS.

No. 101—40 acres, 15 in cultivation, good buildings, fine fruit and water, good bottom land; price, \$650. 1/2 miles from Philomath. 74—160 acres; 30 in cultivation; small house; good barn and water; 1 1/2 miles from town; cheap at \$1,500; on main county road; good pasture and timber. No. 112—86 acres, 30 in cultivation balance good pasture and timber, fair house and barn and other buildings, fine fruit and water, one and one-half miles from Philomath, price \$2,000; a good place for the money. No. 8—165 acres, 140 in cultivation, good house, barn, orchard and water. All well fenced, two miles from Philomath, one of the best farms in Oregon; price \$30 per acre.

Bids for Wood.

Bids for furnishing the Agricultural College with wood for the ensuing year will be received by the Purchasing Agent up to and including March 8, 1902. See the Clerk of the College for the specifications. JOHN D. DALY, Sec. Board Regents, Corvallis, Oregon, February 3, 1902.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Samuel A. Hemphill, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Benton County, sitting in Probate. All persons having claims against said Estate are required to present the same, duly verified, to me at my residence in Corvallis, Oregon, or at the Law Office of E. Holgate in Corvallis, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first Publication of this notice. MARY A. HEMPHILL, Administratrix.

For Sale or Exchange.

I have 160 acres of Land located 6 miles from Corvallis, Benton Co., Or for sale or will exchange for Portland city property. For further particulars call on or address Mrs. J. Mason, owner, Corvallis, Or.