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LOCAL NEWS.

Grain hauling has commenced. Wall paper—new designs, at Barnhart's.

Good Bye Prices on all Summer Goods. NOLAN & CALLAHAN.

We acknowledge a call from Albert Tozier, of Portland, secretary of the Oregon Press Association.

Attorneys W. E. Yates and E. E. Wilson came back from the coast on the excursion train, Sunday night.

Butter is now a very good price. Almost any kind of butter will now bring 25 cents per pound in this city.

The Gibson-Baker party arrived home last Thursday evening from an outing in the Alsea country. They report deer scarce in that part of the world.

A new sidewalk is being laid in front of the Hunter property, on Third street, in the southern part of the city. This a much needed improvement.

Prof. B. E. Emerick, of Philomath College, was in Corvallis, Saturday, on business, and while here paid this office a call. The prospects for Philomath College this year are said to be flattering.

Charley Heckart came down from Eugene, Sunday, and returned to that city yesterday. He is doing the finishing work on the W. W. Calkins residence and it will be about two weeks yet before it is completed.

In its last issue, the Oregon Observer, of Grants Pass, says: Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stovall left Wednesday evening for Newport to remain a week. They will also visit Mr. Stovall's father and mother, who reside near Corvallis.

The excursion to the coast, Sunday, was well patronized. There were five coaches, well filled, and there must have been about 300 excursionists aboard. Forty-two Corvallisites availed themselves of this opportunity to visit the seashore.

Miss Bessie Michael, the pleasant young lady who holds a position in F. L. Miller's establishment, returned last Friday, from an outing at the coast. She enjoyed herself every moment of the time she was absent and has picked up in flesh accordingly.

Sam Thurston passed through Corvallis, Sunday, en route to his home in the northern part of the county. He has just arrived from California and may return to that state ere long. Sam is still bothered with rheumatism, with which he has suffered of late.

Miss Kate Jones, of Albany, was the guest of Miss Mabel Cronise during Saturday and Sunday. She returned to Albany on the excursion train Sunday evening. Miss Jones is quite a pleasing vocalist and is thinking of going to Chicago this fall to take a course in the Chicago College of Music.

Mr. Vaude Moore and wife are occupying the residence of Mr. Moore's parents in this city during the absence of the latter on a visit to their old home in Illinois. Vaude Moore and wife were recently married in Lincoln county at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Moore's maiden name was May McDowell.

The brick stable has changed hands several times during the past few years, but at present is in the hands of men who understand their business. Messrs. Fruit, Waggoner & Keeney, the proprietors, are making arrangements to "slough off" a quantity of their old rigs and horses and replace them with new. The proprietors mean business.

Clerk Moses has not received any deerskin tags up to date from Game Warden Quimby. Upon receiving these tags the clerk must give the game warden a receipt for them, and the various justices of the peace who may receive them are obliged in turn to give the clerk a receipt for them. Without these tags a hunter cannot lawfully dispose of the pelt of any deer he may slay.

Owing to mistakes that have appeared in notices published, we are requested to state that the open season for quail, grouse, partridge, prairie chicken and pheasants is from Oct. 1st to Dec. 1st of each year. There is no law on snipe and one can go "sniping" at any time of the year. The open season on buck deer, moose and mountain sheep is from July 15th to November 1st; but on females of above animals the season opens August 15th and closes November 1st. It is unlawful to kill or take a spotted fawn at any season of the year. The session of the legislature, 1901, passed a law protecting elk until 1904, and beaver for a period of twenty years from the date of the passage of that act.

S. E. Simpson has placed a new walk in front of his residence on 7th street.

Charley Shenofield arrived home Saturday, from a ten-days sojourn at the coast.

A large number of people passed homeward from the coast during the past few days.

The Elk's Carnival, which is to occur in Portland, will be held from September 1st, to 13th.

Attorney J. H. Wilson was in Southern Oregon last week attending legal matters. While down in that section he met many old-time Corvallisites.

Mrs. C. F. Hotchkiss and son left, Saturday, for Sidney, Washington, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Hotchkiss' father for an indefinite period.

Mrs. A. D. Morrison and Miss Mildred Linville, of this city, have been visiting in Buena Vista during the past week, the guest of their aunt, Mrs. A. J. Richardson.

W. C. Metcalf and family left last Thursday for a week's outing at the coast. They drove over with their own outfit and will undoubtedly have a most enjoyable time of it.

The work of completing the sidewalks so that they connect with the new bridge across Marys river has just been completed and "foot pads" will suffer no further inconvenience.

Elmer Raber, of Granger, states that his peach crop this year will be only about one-fourth as large as the yield last year. However, the fruit that he has is first-class, and sells rapidly at \$1.50 per bushel.

The ice cream social given last Thursday evening by the ladies of the Catholic church of this city, was a most pleasant and successful social event. It was held on the church lawn and the proceeds amounted to something like \$60.

Mrs. B. W. Wilson recently received a letter from her son, Lefe, who has been in Alaska during the past three or four years. At the time of writing Lefe seemed to be getting along all right, and stated that he was working at the carpenter trade at Haines Mission.

Miss Mattie Lee, who was obliged, on account of ill health, to resign her position last year as teacher of the seventh grade of the Corvallis schools, is now filling the position of postmistress at Buena Vista. She assumed charge of this office about two weeks ago.

The salmon hatchery is rapidly nearing completion in Alsea. It is being placed at the north and south forks of the Alsea river, and the racks for heading the fish off are nearly all in. The hatchery vats are nearly completed and are to be placed a short distance below the racks.

E. L. Wroten, of Sandwich, Ill., arrived in Corvallis, Friday, to have a good look at the country. Mr. Wroten it will be remembered carried a card in the GAZETTE, in which he stated that he desired to hear from parties with a farm to rent, the particulars of which were set forth in the advertisement.

The twentieth annual catalogue of the Oregon State Normal School, of Monmouth, for 1901-2, has just reached us. It is quite an attractive and well printed booklet. It contains quite a number of half-tones, and the general matter of information is well written. The school is certainly enjoying a healthy growth.

Game and Forest Warden Quimby desires county clerks to know that he has on hand a large quantity of deer skin tags for distribution. Under the new law no deer skin can be sold without the leather tag properly stamped, provided by the game department. They may be obtained from county clerks who are supplied by the game warden.

Stephen M. Sampson, of Philomath, left, Saturday, for Santa Monica, Southern California. He intends to remain down in that part of the world for a matter of six or eight months for the benefit of his health. Mr. Sampson is an old soldier and he may, after a couple of months residence down there, conclude to enter the Soldiers' Home for a time.

The party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ogg and O. J. Blackledge and family arrived home Thursday evening from a three-weeks' outing in the Yachats country. The party succeeded in killing three deer and one bear and catching all the fish they could consume. They were the most successful, from a sportsman standpoint, of any party that has taken to the mountains from Corvallis this year. Mr. Ogg is an old friend of Mr. Blackledge and was out here on a visit. He is a whole-souled gentleman, wide awake, and thorough; alert to the conditions that surround him. He stated that he was well pleased with our country. With his wife, he departed, Saturday, for his home in Newton, Iowa. On the road home the party intended visiting in Tacoma and Seattle, Wash., and at the Yellowstone Park. They aim to arrive home in about three weeks.

Attorney E. R. Bryson is home from Eugene.

Mrs. A. J. Hall, of Wells, was in Corvallis, yesterday.

Mrs. J. C. Taylor returned from the coast, Sunday evening.

Prof. A. B. Cordley and wife returned from their outing at the coast, last Friday.

Mrs. Grace E. Hall, of Buena Vista, arrived in Corvallis, yesterday, for a week's visit with her parents.

Father Jurek arrived home, Saturday, from a trip to Washington, where he was called on church business.

Grover Headrick drove over to Alsea, Sunday, and returned with his sister, Miss Alice Headrick, who has been over there visiting for ten days. Miss Headrick expects to leave for Salem today.

W. W. Collins was up from Suver, yesterday. He will begin threshing today and says that he will have about three-fourths the yield he should have, but will fare as well as some of his neighbors.

Dr. Rowley's famous steed has out another caper. A few evenings ago the doctor and a friend drove down to Sulphur Springs. While unbiting, the beast began a protracted series of bucking and kicking and finally made its escape. It hasn't been seen since.

A party consisting of Clum Reed and son, Tam Case and Charley Barnhart expect to leave, Thursday, for a trip to the Des Chutes river country. Mr. Case has a timber claim over there which he desires to prove up on and the rest of the party are going to hunt and fish. They will go via the Santiam route and will return over the old military road. They will be absent three or four weeks.

We are indebted to S. B. Bane for a liberal treat of "jerked" venison: Mr. Bane recently returned from a hunting trip in Southern Oregon, and was accompanied by French E. Oliver. The latter passed a day here with Mr. Bane. Mr. Bane must have had splendid success, for alluding to the reward spoken of by our contemporary, he said that if Frank would keep quiet he would give him some jerked meat.

Our sportsmen who have kept a close lookout on the China pheasant proposition with a view to shooting this fall, declare that the prospects for an abundance of birds are not flattering. It is said that pheasants are unusually scarce, and the reason attributed for this fact is the late spring rains. Those who are posted state that if the first broods are lost on account of the weather the parent birds do not nest much later.

In the last issue of the GAZETTE it was mentioned that Mrs. J. W. Walker, who formerly resided near this city, had been committed to the insane asylum from Monmouth. Her mental derangement was brought about by the death of her child. We are reliably informed since our last issue that Mrs. Walker's death has occurred in the asylum. This is certainly a sad affair and Benton county friends will remember it with regret.

Last Saturday, while trying to push a cartridge into a shotgun, the shell exploded and injured two of the Warfield boys, of Alsea. Particulars are meager, but it is stated that quite a fragment of the shell entered the side of one of the boys and cut a gash two or three inches long. The face of the other boy was considerably powder burnt and he also was struck in the side with a piece of the shell. Neither is seriously injured.

The horse race on the Kiger track, Sunday afternoon, drew quite a crowd. It was the fourth race between these horses. The race animals were formerly known as the Tartora and Cook horses. They are now the property of E. R. Case and W. N. Work. Three of the races were for a distance of a quarter-mile, were run on the Kiger track, and the mare now owned by Work won all of them. One was run in Albany, the distance being 300 yards, and this race was won by Mr. Case's horse. The race Sunday was for a purse of \$200. Some side bets were made.

Minstrels Coming.

Will appear in the Opera House, Corvallis, Tuesday, August 26, The Sweeney Alvido Big White Minstrels, a perfect organization of modern minstrelsy and has proven best by test; a minstrel show in every sense of the word, excelling in its first part, in its olio and novelties. Following our big olio of Eastern acts, notable the Howards, singing and dancing comedians; Roscoe and Sims, the musical kings; Giulio Rosetti, operatic tenor in illustrated songs; Frank Kay, the funny comedian; the Valdares, the wonderful acrobats. See the great Golf Parade at noon, headed by Prof. Maurer's great band, with band concert at 7:30 p. m. in front of the Opera House. The superb orchestra is a feature in itself, for it contains efficient soloists, all of which is a sufficient guarantee that a perfect performance will be given.

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

John Barnhart.

It is with exceeding sorrow and regret that it becomes our painful duty to chronicle the death of John Barnhart, which occurred in this city, last Friday, August 15, 1902, that we indite this notice. For years Mr. Barnhart had been in the habit of visiting our office daily, reading the exchanges and conversing with us. We had grown to look upon him as a part of the force and to respect him as a father. He was of a cheerful disposition and wished no man harm. His life had been one of varied experiences and his mind was clear, active and alert, making his a most entertaining personality.

He was in this office during the afternoon preceding his death and seemed to be in his usual good health and spirits. After leaving this office he visited the Agricultural Hall which is nearing completion at the O. A. C. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon he arrived at his home and complained to his wife that he was experiencing some pain in his stomach. However, on retiring for the night he gave no evidence that his end was drawing near. Friday morning he arose as usual and proceeded to where his wife was busy with her household duties. He drank a cup of coffee and, on the advice of Dr. Flint, ate lightly. Later on he went back to his chamber and went to bed. At no time did he make any particular complaint and his wife and other members of the family did not suspect that his condition was serious.

Mrs. Barnhart's household duties called her to his bedroom and, as he was lying awake, conversation ensued as she worked about the room. During this time Mr. Barnhart started to arise from bed and she noticed that he was sitting on the edge of the bed with his feet on the floor. Presently she noticed that he had fallen back on the bed, and as she advanced to brush the flies away, she spoke to him, but received no answer. Then it was that the truth dawned on her that her husband was no more.

John Barnhart was born in the year 1827, in Lancaster county, Ohio, and had reached the age of more than 75 years. He lived in Ohio, Indiana and Minnesota previous to coming to Oregon in 1889. On arriving in Oregon he took up his residence in Corvallis and has resided here almost constantly since that time.

The funeral occurred at 2:30 p. m. Sunday, and was under the auspices of the Order of Odd Fellows, of which order he had been a member for 46 years. The interment was made in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. The deceased is survived by his wife and two sons, Theodore and Charley, who reside in this city, and Mrs. Clara Newman, of Everett, Washington.

He Wants to Know.

EDITOR GAZETTE: Since the inauguration of the free ferry the county court has authorized the ferryman to collect fees for services beyond certain hours. The ferryman is authorized to appropriate such fees to his own use. It is presumed the court has fixed these charges, but we have not found anyone who knows what they are. We have heard complaints, in a number of instances, that excessive fees have been demanded by and paid to the ferryman. In justice to him, and for the protection of the public, the rates authorized for this services should be widely and conspicuously published. The practice is vicious. Reasonable fees should be collected and paid over to the county and the salary of the ferryman justly increased. ORION.

We have taken some pains to find out regarding this matter. "Orion" is perfectly correct in his claim that the rates of ferrage should be widely published and we are informed that the authorities are taking steps to this end. Notices are soon to be posted on the ferryboat and other conspicuous places. However, it may be as well to allow the ferryman to retain what he collects after certain hours, as, if he is placed on a strict salary, with no contingent or additional pay, it might prove very difficult to awaken him along about midnight.

When the ferry was purchased by the county in 1901, the court made an order regulating this matter and nothing further has been done. The order bears date of April 24th, 1901, and is as follows:

"It is ordered that the following rates of ferrage shall be charged and collected, between the hours of 8 o'clock in the evening and 6 o'clock in the morning, from May 1st, 1901, till the further order of this court, to-wit: Footmen, 5 cts.; single rig, 15 cts.; two-horse rig, 25 cts.

Was Drowned.

Word reached this city Saturday evening to the effect that James Moore had been drowned in the Willamette river between Harrisburg and Peoria about 4 o'clock that afternoon. From what can be ascertained, it appears that Mr. Moore was assisting to bring a drive of logs down the river to the Corvallis sawmill when the accident occurred. He undertook to break up a "log jam" and in some manner was thrown into the water. One account is to the effect that he swam across the river to the bank, but the bank proving very steep, he could not get out of the water and he grasped a small root or something for support. This broke and he undertook to swim to the opposite side of the river, but was unable to make the shore and sank. The current in the river was very swift and parties with the unfortunate man were unable to render any assistance.

James Moore was about 43 years of age and had lived here for many years. He leaves a widow and five children. He was a son of Mrs. O. J. Treese and a brother of William and George Moore of this city, who survive him. Mr. Moore was a Maccabee and carried an insurance of \$1,000 on his life. The Maccabees are rendering every assistance possible for the recovery of the body, but up to the hour of going to press we have not learned if the body has been found.

Railway "Smash-Up."

Yesterday morning as the C. & E. train from the coast was pulling into Philomath, it caught a hay wagon containing T. W. Hudson and Milton Wyatt as they were endeavoring to cross the track and it is a miracle that both of the men were not killed.

The wagon was cut squarely in two and the hind wheels remained on one side of track, while the horses ran off with the forewheels and hounds. Both of the men were thrown some distance. Milton Wyatt was picked up unconscious and bruised about the head. His condition is not considered serious. T. W. Hudson fared far worse. His thigh was badly broken, and he was otherwise bruised.

The railroad officials rendered every assistance to the injured men. Mr. Hudson they brought to Corvallis and arranged to have Drs. Pernot and Farra take charge of him on his arrival. He was taken to the Tunison home, near the court house, and his fractured limb set and made as comfortable as possible. It is hoped that in time both men will fully recover.

The accident occurred right in Philomath. It is stated that no blame can be attached to the railroad officials, as the train was on time, the whistle had been sounded giving warning of the approach of the train, and the bell was ringing. It is said that there was a small clump of bushes that obscured the train from the men in the wagon until they turned across the track, and then it was too late for them to save themselves.

Additional Local.

Calling cards for the ladies at the GAZETTE office.

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S. L. KLINE, Corvallis, Oregon.

Home-Seekers:

If you are looking for some real good bargains in Stock, Grain, Fruit and Poultry Ranches, write for my special list or come and see me. I shall take pleasure in giving you all the reliable information you wish, also showing you over the country.

HENRY AMBLER, Real Estate, Loan and Insurance. Philomath, Benton County, Oregon

REMNANT and ODDS SALE!

QUANTITY OF REMNANTS have accumulated during our Mid-Summer Sale. There are Remnants of Silks, Satins, Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, White Goods, Gingham, Prints, Muslins, Towelings, Table Linens, Tickings, Shirtings, Wash Dress Goods, Outing Flannels, Scrims, Curtain Nets, Wool Dress Goods, Etc.

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A Lot of Ladies' Belts at 15c; some worth 50c. A Lot of Men's Fine Shoes at \$2.50; some worth \$5.00. A Lot of Men's and Boys' Odd Suits at \$3.90; some worth \$10.00. A Lot of Men's Shirts at 50c; some worth \$1.00.

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