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LOCAL NEWS.

Prof. J. B. Patterson arrived home a few days ago from a trip to Eastern Oregon.

Tommy Flett has sufficiently recovered from his recent serious illness to be about the streets.

County court meets tomorrow for the transaction of county business that requires monthly attention.

Invitations are out for a dance that is to be given in the Opera House next Friday evening, Dec. 5.

Frank Abram Powell, now of this city, has accepted a call to occupy the pulpit of the Unitarian church at Salem.

The close season for China pheasants began yesterday, as our hunters must now let these game birds alone for many months.

Miss Carrie Danneman, who spent Thanksgiving with relatives in this city, returned to Clem, Eastern Oregon, Sunday.

George Cathey, who is studying medicine in Salem, returned to that city, yesterday, after a visit of a week with his relatives in this city.

A. F. Hershner, who is now principal of the public schools at Gresham, spent Thanksgiving at his home in this city. He returned to Gresham, Sunday.

Our new Hart Schaffner & Marx suits are in, more coming. We have suits for the fat and lean man who are hard to fit. Come in and see them.

Mr. Mason and family arrived from Mason City, Iowa, last week. Mr. Mason visited Corvallis last spring with Mr. Rice, who purchased the N. P. Peterson place just west of town. He will make this city his home.

Ralph Lane, who has held a position in Portland with the O. R. & N. Co. for several months, is home on account of ill health. It is thought that his trouble is the result of a fall received at the college gymnasium a year or so ago.

Last Wednesday afternoon, the ladies of the Presbyterian church held a Missionary Tea at the home of Mrs. S. N. Wilkins. Some fifty or sixty ladies were reported to have attended and passed a profitable as well as an enjoyable afternoon.

Miles Young, who is at present in this city with his family, will proceed to Los Angeles, California, in the course of a couple of weeks. Miles has nothing definite in view and is making the trip in hopes of improving the health of his family.

Doc Tom was out from Alea last week, for the purpose of laying in his winter supplies. From now until spring it will be extremely difficult to cross Alea mountain with a wagon load of freight, or even with a light wagon, for that matter.

W. A. Gellatly, the well-known cattle buyer, recently returned to his home after a two weeks' trip through various sections along the coast. He gathered up a very fine band of cattle while on the trip and intends to stall feed about 60 head of them.

J. Wraga arrived home, Friday, from a trip to Klamath county. He went down to locate a party of nine persons on timber claims and succeeded in doing so. The timber in that belt is yellow pine and is said to be of very fine quality. Mr. Wraga was absent ten days.

Practically all the prunes of this section have been sold. It is estimated that prunes which were 35¢ in size brought on an average about 4 1/2 cents per pound. The Benton County Prune Co.'s stock has been sold and the prunes are nearly all stacked awaiting cars for shipment.

It is reported that George Garshwiler has sold his property at Philomath to a gentleman recently from Kansas for \$1,500. The property referred to is what is known as the old Chapman place. Mr. Garshwiler purchased this property a year ago for \$1,000. It is not known what Mr. Garshwiler intends doing.

H. C. Mahon, who has the contract of supplying the Southern Pacific Co. with an almost unlimited quantity of piling, has commenced active operations at E. Odgett. Two large bunk and ock houses are nearing completion and everything is moving apace. The preparations are made on a substantial basis, as it is thought that it will require from two to three years to complete the contract. About \$3,000 will be expended in preparations for the work before active operations are commenced. It is understood that from 80 to 100 men will be started at work in the woods some time during the present week and that Mr. Mahon will pay \$2 per day per man. This certainly will prove a good thing for timbermen and the people around Blodgett. Mr. Mahon is said to be a Line county man.

Get your umbrella ribs fixed at the Bicycle Hospital.

Last Friday, Clayton Herron started for Everett, Wash., for a visit with relatives.

E. W. Strong went to Portland, Friday, to attend some business. He is expected home today.

The rattling comedy, "The Irish Pawnbrokers," will be presented by a first-class company at the Opera House, December 11th.

Mrs. Harding, whose serious illness was spoken of recently in the GAZETTE, died at the home of her son, in Jobs addition, Saturday.

The Albany ice works is being enlarged. Can this fact be connected in any way with Albany's refusal to comply with her agreement to meet the O A C football team?

The eighteen year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Day, formerly of this city, died at Whiteson, Sunday. The funeral will occur at the Christian church, this city, this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Humbert officiating.

The Rev. W. E. Randall, of Portland, will be at the Baptist church on Friday evening to commence two weeks of Evangelistic meetings. Everybody is most cordially invited to attend all the services. Commence at 7:30 every evening.

It is said that the football game played on Thanksgiving day at Philomath between teams from the above place and Dusty was a warm affair considering the weather. That they played ball is evidenced by the score—5 to 0 in favor of Dusty.

Miss Clara Duncan, formerly a teacher in the public schools of this city, was married November 18th, to F. E. Baker. The marriage occurred in Muskogee, Indian Territory. Miss Duncan's home was for years at Summit, this county, and she has many friends throughout this section, who wish her every happiness.

A very pleasant surprise was given Rev. M. Noble, on Thanksgiving evening, by a large number of his friends who suddenly appeared, all being well loaded, but all went off very pleasantly in conversation and singing for an hour or two, when they departed bearing away with them and leaving behind them many pleasant memories.

Philomath had a city election yesterday, but the result of the contest was not known when the GAZETTE went to press. One ticket had for its candidates: W. A. Jolly, for mayor; W. H. Boles, for recorder; Geo. A. Scott, marshal; Jess Moses, treasurer. For councilmen: 1st ward—J. G. Becker, W. T. Wyatt; 2nd ward—R. O. Loggan, N. P. Newton; 3rd ward—J. E. Henkle, F. S. Haroun.

The Young People's C. E. society of the Presbyterian church, gave Rev. Carrick a surprise party last Friday evening, that day being the anniversary of his arrival in our midst. All enjoyed a most pleasant evening in playing different games. Light refreshments were served after which the merry party left, wishing their pastor and host many pleasant returns, and giving him the assurance that he can hereafter sign his name to the marriage certificate with pen and ink.

The game of football between the Corvallis High School team and that of the Salem High School, on the Willamette University campus yesterday afternoon was a vigorously contested one throughout and resulted in a victory for the visitors by a score of 5 to 0. The teams were very evenly matched, they having played a scoreless game at Corvallis two weeks ago, and the game was a most interesting one. Some good plays were made by members of both teams.—Statesman.

A surprise party was given Miss Lois Horton at her home, Friday evening, Nov. 28. The evening was spent in games and a general good time. Refreshments were served which were much enjoyed. Those present were, Misses Lois Horton, Bessie Chipman, Winnifred Gats, Edna Strong, Ethel Case, Claire Holgate, Mattie Strong, Leona Scott, Messrs. Archie Burns, Leo Burnett, Delmar Hedgpeh, Merrill Hammel, Albert Strong, George Birrell, Arthur St. German, A. J. Fuller, Alva and Walter Horton.

Letter List.
For the week ending Nov. 29, 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:

W. M. Carpenter, William Dillee Carpenter, Mr. Casteel, John Ernberger, Z. M. Montroy, James Mackey, E. J. Moore, Mrs. S. J. Miller, Miss Emma Mulkey, J. M. Nelon, Lulu Nolen, Miss A. Patterson and Will Weaver.

E. W. Johnson, P. M.

Shooting Gallery.
I have opened a shooting gallery in a tent north of Dilly's bicycle shop and a cordial invitation is extended to all who desire a harmless sport. Wednesday will be Ladies' Day and prizes will be given on this day to the ladies making the best scores. HARVEY SARGENT.

OVER A CENTURY OLD.

A Choice Bit of Parchment Describing the Funeral of Washington.

Among the effects which fell into the hands of Miss Kate Gerhardt, of this city, on the death of her friend, Mrs. Margaret Ma-day, in Albany recently, was a copy of the Ulster County Gazette, No. 88, Vol. II, published by Samuel Freer and Son, Jan. 4, 1800; price 25 cents.

It is a most valuable piece of old paper, containing as it does the notice of the entombment of the remains of General George Washington, whose death occurred on the 14th of December, 1799. The paper is printed in mourning. Under the sub-head, "Washington Entombed" is the following notice:

"On Wednesday last, the mortal part of Washington the great—The Father of his Country and Friend of Man—was consigned to the tomb, with solemn honors and funeral pomp.

"A multitude of persons assembled, from many miles around at Mt. Vernon, the choice abode and last residence of the illustrious chief. There were the groves, the spacious avenues, the beautiful and sublime scenes, the noble mansion—but, alas! the august inhabitant was now no more. That great soul was gone. His mortal part was there indeed; but ah! how affecting! how awful the spectacle of such worth and greatness, thus! mortal eyes fallen!—yes! fallen! fallen!

"In the long and lofty porticos, where oft the Hero walked in all his glory, now lay the shrouded corpse. The countenance was composed *** the dignity of the spirit, which lately dwelt in that lifeless form. There those who paid the last sad honors to the benefactor of his country, took an impressive—a farewell view.

"On the ornament, at the head of the coffin, was inscribed SURGE AD JUDICIUM—about the middle of the coffin, GLORIA DEO—and on the silver plate, 'GENERAL GEORGE WASHINGTON'

Departed this life, on the 14th December, 1799, Aet. 68."

Descriptive of the occasion, are the following paragraphs: "Between three and four o'clock, the sound of artillery from a vessel in the river, firing minute guns, awoke afresh our solemn sorrow—the corpse was moved—a band of music with mournful melody melted the soul into all the tenderness of woe."

"When the procession had arrived at the bottom of the elevated lawn, on the banks of the Potomac, where the family vault is placed, the cavalry halted, the infantry marched toward the Mount and formed their lines—the clergy, the Masonic Brothers, and the Citizens, descended to the Vault, and the funeral service of the Church was performed. The firing was repeated from the vessel in the river, and the sounds echoed from the woods and hills around."

"Three general discharges by the infantry—the cavalry and 11 pieces of artillery, which lined the banks of the Potomac back of the Vault, paid the last tribute to the entombed Commander in Chief of the Armies of the United States and to the departed Hero."

"The sun was now setting. Alas! the SON OF GLORY was set forever. No—the name of WASHINGTON—the American President and General—will triumph OVER DEATH! The unclouded brightness of his GLORY will illuminate the future ages."

Rehearsals Begin Wednesday.

Manager Glen, of the festival to be given at Eugene next May by the Willamette Valley Choral Union, has been in Corvallis for the past several days making arrangements for getting rehearsal work under way in this city. As a result of his labors, rehearsals will begin next Wednesday night at the college chapel, and will occur once each week for the present. All local vocalists, who desire to join the chorus, and have a determination to practice faithfully and participate in the festival at Eugene, are invited to appear at the college chapel Wednesday evening at 7:45. Mr. Otto Herse will direct the Corvallis chorus.

The program for the festival at Eugene, contemplates a concert by the Portland Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Edgar Courson on the first night; "Feast of Adonis," and "Redemption," the second evening;

and "Elijah" for the last night. Partial arrangements have been made to secure the services of Mr. Towne, the noted tenor of Chicago, for the entire festival. If pledges for 500 tickets can be secured before January 1st, Mr. Towne will be secured.

Mr. Dom Zan, of Portland, will sing baritone the second night, when Mr. Glen will direct the oratorios. Mrs. Walter Reed and Mr. Glen will be the soloists in "Elijah," and the chorus will be directed by W. H. Boyer.

Season tickets will be sold for \$2.50.

Albany Flunked, After All.

There is to be no football game next Saturday, between teams from O A C and Albany College. The great blow and bluster indulged in by the management of the champions of Linn county some weeks ago, has been gradually growing weaker, until it finally winked out in an expiring gasp last Saturday evening.

Knowing that O A C had every available date filled up to Thanksgiving, partisans of the Albany team began aspiring to the championship of the state, and taunted the farmers with being afraid to meet the Albany aggregation. Manager Johnson on behalf of the Agricultural College team, sent Albany College a challenge for a game after Thanksgiving, which Manager Thompson refused to accept. He, however, sent a counter challenge which stipulated that the game be played on the Albany grounds on December 6th, 1902, the details to be agreed upon by the managers of the teams.

Before this challenge reached the farmers, they had considered Albany's failure to accept their first proposition, and, being exceedingly anxious to nip the aspirations of the Albany school, they sent a challenge containing five propositions, giving Albany her choice.

What followed is thus told by the Albany Democrat:

"In a telephone conversation last evening between Coach Edwards and Manager Johnson of the Corvallis team, Manager Thompson of the Albany team being sick, arrangements were made for a game on the college campus at this city on Saturday, December 6, without gate receipts."

The Albany Herald gave a like account, showing that it was thoroughly understood at Albany as well as at Corvallis that definite and final arrangements had been made for the game. The terms named in Albany's challenge—that the game be played in Albany, Dec. 6th, and that details be agreed upon by the managers (Edwards officially represented Thompson, who was sick) were all complied with.

The O A C management believing that Albany was acting in good faith, began preparing for the game. Coach Herbold was engaged for an additional ten days and Coach McFadden, of Stanford, was secured as an assistant. Arrangements were also made to run a big excursion to Albany on the day of the game.

Then Manager Thompson, of Albany desired to negotiate again. He wanted to alter the conditions already agreed to. Although O A C had offered to play at Albany and divide the gate receipts after the expenses of the teams had been paid, Albany chose to refuse this proposition, the first one in O A C's challenge, and accept the one providing for a game with no admission fee.

Now comes Manager Thompson, declaring that the team will not play unless an admission fee is charged. It was feared that as Manager Thompson had acted in bad faith in one instance, his conduct might not be better in the future, so he was asked to wire immediately and place himself on record as to his intentions, as the farmers were under heavy expense, which they did not wish to continue if there was to be no game. Thompson remained firm in his refusal to play under the conditions that had been agreed upon, and the game was declared off. Coach Herbold is visiting in Eugene, on his way to Montana, and Coach McFadden has returned to Forest Grove.

As the football situation now stands, O A C is the only college team in Oregon that has not been scored against by some other team in the state, and it has scored more points against opponents than any other team in the Northwest.

Season Closed Sunday.

The season for killing China pheasants closed Sunday. Game Warden Quimby estimates that 5,000 upland birds have been killed since the season opened.

Mr. Quimby believes there have not been so many violations of the law as during former seasons, but there was enough to keep him and his deputies busy. In fact, at the present time, several cases are pending. The Warden has confiscated one case sent from Benton county and consigned to parties in Seattle, as well as three other lots from other places intended for San Francisco parties. One of the latter confiscation was shipped by a banker in Salem, who claims that the birds were for friends in San Francisco, and while that is undoubtedly the truth, it is just as much an infringement of the law as though they were actually for sale. If the Warden winked at one person for sending birds out of the state to friends, he would soon have his hands full, as many persons would sell them outside and claim that they were giving them away to friends. The line must be drawn somewhere.

New School House at Monroe.

The new school house of the Monroe district is nearing completion. On account of scarcity of material during the past summer and fall its completion has been retarded very much to the regret of the board of directors who wanted a fall term of school. According to the contract it should have been completed a month ago. It is now painted and plastered. The windows have been placed in the casing and the blackboards have been completed. The building presents a most attractive appearance. When it is entirely completed it will be one of the best school houses in the county. The rooms are so arranged that by opening folding doors the two rooms can be made into one large room. The halls and cloak rooms are most conveniently arranged.

Such a building as this is a credit to the entire county. It will do much toward building up Monroe. It will cause many of the citizens of southern Benton to go to Monroe during the winter to educate their children. This will no doubt be the cause of many new dwellings being built. The citizens of this district are to be complimented on their progressive spirit. The clerk, Adam Wilhelm Jr., and the board, Mat Wilhelm, James Martin and James Pfouts deserve great praise and credit for their efforts in securing such an excellent addition to Monroe. With such officers in charge a wide awake and successful school is insured.

Beaver Creek School Notes.

Following are the names of pupils on the honor roll for school month ending November 24, 1902: Jesse Gates, Ray Davis, Oma Davis, Earl Thompson, Opal Thompson, Joey Park, Mary Park, Loa Carey, Noma Ireland, Theodore Ireland and Maggie Daniel.

Owing to stormy weather the attendance of our school has been considerably reduced, the average daily attendance for the past month being twenty.

Maggie Daniel, Loa Carey, Oma Davis, Gertie Thompson, and Mary Park are back here in the different spelling classes.

Our visitors number thirty-five so far this term.

The regular monthly meeting of the literary society was postponed this month, the school preferring to reserve their energies for a Christmas tree and entertainment which will be held at the school house on the afternoon of Wednesday, December 24th.

JENNIE ROBINS, Teacher.

Additional Local.

Oil meal for sale at Graham & Wells. Splendid feed for dairy stock.

Chickens.

I have a few fine bred Barred Plymouth Rock cockerel, from Judge Hitchcock's poultry yards, for sale. Inquire at Huston & Bogue's hardware store or call at Wm. Bogue's residence and see them. O'CAR TOM.

Young's Cash Store.

Ladies' Goods at low prices, to close out. Full line of woolen hosiery, also fancy goods. Orders for groceries may be sent by telephone.

For Sale.

One fawn colored Jersey milk cow. Inquire of D. C. ROSE.

Guns and Ammunition.

In the future I will keep a full line of guns, ammunition and sportsman's supplies. Those desiring to rent guns or have shells loaded to order can secure either at my establishment. J. K. BERRY.



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Clothes made to measure from the reliable Continental Tailoring Co. Fit guaranteed.

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- 2 oz. Golden Cupid, " 10c, now 4 for 25c
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- 2 oz. Plum, " 10c, now 4 for 25c
- 1 1/2 oz. Sledge Mixt, " 5c, now 7 for 25c
- 2 oz. Seal North Car. " 10c, now 5c

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Fine Work a Specialty.

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