

To cover the cost of setting and distributing the type in such matters, a charge of fifty cents will be made for each "Card of Thanks," and five cents per line for each set of "Resolutions of Condolence" appearing in these columns.

LOCAL NEWS.

Postmaster Johnson was a metropolitan visitor last week.

G. U. Leeper has gone to Roseburg to spend a few days.

F. M. Plummer, of Newport, was a Corvallis visitor Saturday.

C. E. McLane, and wife of Suver, were in town last Saturday.

T. B. Williamson, a prominent farmer of Fairmount, was in Corvallis Saturday.

J. H. Ground and wife and R. Ground, of Monmouth, were visiting in Corvallis last Saturday.

Rev. J. A. Townsend, of Roseburg, attended Synod here last week. We acknowledged a pleasant call.

Mrs. Sarah Cauthorn, who has been visiting in Eastern Oregon with her daughter, Frankie, has returned home.

Fish Warden Vandusen, of Astoria, was in town yesterday, enroute home from Newport, where he went on business.

Mrs. J. H. Simpson, who has been in Sacramento visiting her daughter, Mrs. Merle Cathey, arrived home last week.

A. G. Adkins, of Monmouth, was in Corvallis Saturday enroute home from a deer hunt above Eugene. He had some venison with him.

Harry Wittman, an OAC boy is again in school, after having nursed a very sore hand caused by blood poisoning for several days.

Z. H. Davis has been indisposed and confined to his room for several days. We are glad to see him on the streets and at his place of business again.

Our fellow townsman, Robert Johnson, will go to Portland on Monday as a representative to the Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias to convene there next week.

Noble Leadbetter has returned from an extended trip through Coos and Curry counties. He went in the interest of the International correspondence schools of Scranton, Pa., and was very successful.

On last Saturday the football team from the Corvallis public school met the Philomath College team at Philomath, and were vanquished by a score of 5 to 0. The home boys were greatly handicapped by the size of Philomath's players.

Rev. Robert Robe, of Brownsville, returned to his home yesterday after attending the recent meeting of the Synod of the Presbyterian church. Mr. Robe is one of Oregon's pioneer ministers, and one of the oldest members of the Synod.

Yesterday morning Major Hardin, during his regular visit to the Cadet band, announced the appointment of E. D. Wetmore as chief musician. This makes a junior and a senior chief musician in the band, E. W. Yates being senior chief musician and leader.

The chapel of the college was very crowded last Monday morning, the occasion being a full attendance of students, and about twenty five of the visiting ministers who are attending the Presbyterian Synod. Rev. McIntosh, of the Theological Seminary at San Francisco, made a very entertaining and instructive address. He spoke for about fifteen minutes on "Higher Manhood and Womanhood." After chapel exercises the visitors were shown, by the professors, over the buildings and campus.

Rev. Joseph A. Hanna and wife, of Los Angeles, California, have been in Corvallis the past few days attending the meeting of the Synod. Mr. Hanna is one of the oldest members of the Synod, having come to Oregon as a missionary in 1852. In 1853 he organized the Presbyterian church in Corvallis. Having been a resident of Corvallis for over thirty years, Mr. Hanna has many warm friends who have much pleasure in this opportunity of renewing their intercourse with him. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna went to Eugene yesterday where they will visit with relatives a few days before returning home.

For thorough short courses, attend the Corvallis Business College.

Samuel Jackson, a recent arrival from Iowa, who came to Benton county for the benefit of his health, died on Sunday morning and was buried from his home in the western part of the city on Monday. Rev. Mark Noble conducted the funeral services at the Baptist church.

Eggs 24 cents at J. E. Henkle's Cash Store, Philomath.

Mr. J. B. Fields recently arrived from Forest Grove accompanied by two sons and two daughters. He came from Kansas about a year ago and bought property in Forest Grove and remained there about one year. His present object is to thoroughly educate his children. After investigating the schools in Oregon he concluded that the Oregon State Agricultural College at Corvallis is the best and most practical school in which to educate his family. Mr. Fields is highly spoken of by acquaintances at Forest Grove, and his old friends near his home in Kansas favor him as a high-minded, honorable gentleman.

The Clement-Keefe Company.

The above-named company on Saturday night completed a three nights engagement in this city. On Thursday and Friday nights they presented "A Mountain Romance" and "A Bachelor's Honeymoon," respectively. Both these plays were greeted with fair sized audiences and the performances were above the average. Clinton E. Lloyd and Miss Alice Hoxsey played the leading parts and their acting was worthy of credit.

Friday's evening bill was "Resurrection," a strong drama in five acts, to which Clement-Keefe Company have the coast right. With a large stage and proper scenery, this play would be hard to excel, but should not be attempted except in large cities. Nevertheless under the circumstances, the company handled it in an able manner.

A Father's Pathetic Search.

Last Thursday's Evening Telegram contained a long article from Walla Walla regarding the pathetic case of R. A. Shinn, of Monroe, this county. As the story goes, Mr. Shinn, was a sheep herder in the mountains in the wilds of Salmon river, in Northeastern Oregon, and upon going to camp one day, Shinn found a note scrawled by the campfinder stating that his (Shinn's) boy was in the Walla Walla hospital, and was dying of typhoid fever. That was enough for the faithful parent, and not thinking of the hardships he had to endure he walked to Dayton, Wash., a distance of 60 miles, and from there he went on the train to Walla Walla, where he began search for his son, but after inquiring at the hospitals and of the doctors in Walla Walla, the distracted father could find no clue to his son. Knowing that his boy is dying and not knowing where to find him, has made the father wild with grief. The young man's name is Arthur and he is 22 years old. The parties are well-known in this county.

PHILOMATH ITEMS.

Born—in this city, October 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Moore, a son.

Mr. Knov, bookkeeper for the Benton Co. Lumber Co. has located his family in Philomath.

Rev. Crook, Pastor Radical U. B. Church, was tendered a donation party last Thursday evening.

The new General Mds. Store offers the best assortment of up-to-date goods ever brought to Philomath. We have long needed such a store, now we have it let us patronize it.

Mrs. Jennie Gellately Palmer, and her two children, arrived last Wednesday, from Baker City. Mrs. Palmer is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Gellately. Her many friends are glad to hear of her arrival.

The city fathers all desire that this town should be a model. If they would keep the city lights "trimmed and burning" they would, in a great measure, prevent some things they are condemning.

It is hoped those coming to our town will not judge the town by the depot. The town is not to blame. The small, unpainted shack does not suit the ideas of our progressive citizens and it is to be hoped that the officials of the R. R. may, in the near future, fulfill their oft repeated promise and erect a suitable building.

Great Grange Rally.

Arrangements have been made by Supt. Denman, deputy master of the State Grange for Benton county, for the greatest rally of Grangers ever held in Benton county. Nothing has been left undone to make the program interesting. There will be an orchestra consisting of grangers. In addition to this there will be singing by all present. Mr. M. H. Whitby, master of Willamette Grange, will make the address of welcome. This will be responded to by J. Fred Yates. The meeting will be honored with the presence of the State Master G. H. Leedy, who will address the meeting. Dr. James Withycombe will favor the grangers with one of his profitable addresses. Besides these Profs. Horner and Kent will have something interesting to say. Grangers J. B. Irvine and James Bruce will discuss the question, "What must be done to arouse greater interest among the Granges of Benton county?" The entire audience will be invited to participate in this discussion.

The program will begin at 10:30 a. m., prompt, in the Willamette Grange Hall. This being the oldest Grange in our county, this place was selected as the proper place for such a meeting. During the noon hour an old fashioned grange basket dinner will be enjoyed by all. The meeting is open to all grangers, their families and their friends. The meeting includes all the granges of Benton county, which are Bellfountain, Alesa, Corvallis, Fairmount and Willamette. Let every Granger bring their families, friends and basket and make the meeting a success. Inasmuch as the State Grange meets in Corvallis next year, every granger owes it to his order to stir up as much interest and enthusiasm among the several granges and grangers as is possible. This meeting is the beginning of such a movement. Let Benton show the Granges of the State that we are truly a grange county. This will do much toward helping our State Agricultural College.

School Meeting.

The board of directors for the district school at Corvallis held their meeting on last Friday evening and transacted the usual routine business of paying teachers and other incidental expenses. The board also voted to buy the necessary desks and black-boards to furnish two rooms in the new building under construction. At this meeting the title was completed to the block of land upon which the new building is situated. The pupils in attendance at the public school now number 500. When the new school building is completed Corvallis will be as well equipped for the accommodation of its patrons as any town in the state. The teachers employed are industrious and energetic instructors and much interested in the work. Last, but not least, the genial and kindly disposed janitor, Mr. H. C. Miller, who always has a kind word for every child who happens his way, is still in attendance in administering warmth to the little ones and their instructors.

Herron-Heckart Nuptials

W. O. Heckart and Miss Laura Herron were married last Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Barclay, about twelve miles south of Corvallis. Rev. Reeves, of Corvallis, performed the ceremony. About twenty-five relatives and friends were present. At 10 o'clock amid a copious shower of rice, the happy pair left by private conveyance for Junction City, where they took the train for Eugene, their future home. Both parties are well known in Corvallis. Mr. Heckart lived for about fifteen years in Corvallis and operated extensively as a contractor and builder. He is a very popular member of the community. The popular bride is one of the most distinguished of Benton County's young ladies. She was born and raised in the southern part of this county where she grew to womanhood. The last few years lived with her mother in Corvallis where Miss Herron attended school at the Agricultural College. She comes from an excellent pioneer family. She is universally popular with her friends and acquaintances. Mr. Heckart for the last several months has been operating in contracting and building at Eugene where the newly wedded couple have made their home.

Benton County School Journal.

On last Friday the first edition of the Benton County School Journal, edited by School Supt. Geo. W. Denman and published in this office, made its appearance. It is a neat three column quarto, and is devoted entirely to the public schools. The business men have appreciated its effort and have the columns well filled with ads. The subscription price is only 25 cents per year and every person interested in the advancement of school work should subscribe. Subscriptions received at this office.

Leg Broken in Peculiar Manner.

While playing around the new stone seat, erected by the class of 1903, on the college grounds, yesterday morning, little Ruth Harnady, 11 years of age, while climbing over the back of the seat, accidentally loosened one of the large stones which fell, striking her left leg and breaking both bones a short way above the ankle. The child was picked up and carried to the home of Rev. Hand-saker, where she is making her home. Dr. Farra was summoned and set the leg and at present the little unfortunate is resting easily. The stone slab on the back of the bench is about four feet long, two feet high and six inches thick, consequently very heavy.

Big Game Saturday.

The first football game of the season will be played on the O A C campus in Corvallis next Saturday, October 17, when the college team will meet the University of Washington aggregation. Coach McFadden has had a large number of men on the field each day and will be able in a few days to give out the line-up that will represent the agricultural college this year.

Bert Pilkington, one of the strongest men on the team, will be out of the game Saturday, on account of a split hand which he received during practice. The coach is much encouraged over the present outlook and says that his team will make the Seattle team work every minute of the game.

Mr. T. H. Welsher and family spent Sunday at Cottage Grove with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cummings.

The finest line of rubber boots and shoes ever displayed in the city can be seen at J. E. Henkle's Cash Store, Philomath.

Girl Wanted.

At the Occidental Hotel. Apply at the dining room.

On last Friday morning, Clinton E. Lloyd, of the Clement Keefe Company entertained the students at the college with Shakespearean readings. Among his readings he gave a selection from Julius Caesar in which Mr. Lloyd displayed rare talent. He has a striking personal appearance and with a magnificent voice over which he has perfect control, it is certainly a pleasure to have the opportunity of listening to him. He also gave a selection from "Lady of the Lake," and several comic pieces, which were greeted with much enthusiasm by the college students.

"For Sale" and "Wanted" Column.

If you have anything for sale, insert a notice in this column and the result will surprise you. If you want domestic help of any kind, our "Want" column is the place you are looking for. Each notice is charged for at the rate of Five Cents per line for each insertion.

Buck for Sale.

Some one and two year old bucks at the farm of J. E. Wyatt.

For Sale.

One cow, cheap.  
One horse, eight years old.  
Two small heating stoves.  
Three cords oak wood.  
Two and one-half tons of hay.  
Must be sold by October 6th. Call at residence. E. L. FITCH.

For Rent.

Sixty acres arable land, six miles north of Corvallis. For information address H. BICKNELL, Portland, Or. 780 Thurman St.

Room for Rent.

Large front corner parlor bedroom, furnished, for one or two gentlemen. Southwest corner of second and Harrison.

Wanted.

Girl for housework on John Smith ranch, near Wells Station. Apply to Mrs. Jas. Taylor, corner Third and Madison.

Seventy-five head of good ewes and lambs for sale or rent. Call on J. E. Henkle, Philomath, Or.

PHILOMATH MILL CO.

MANUFACTURERS OF

FIR LUMBER

Complete Stock of Rough and Dressed Lumber kept constantly on hand

OFFICES AT

PHILOMATH, OR

Almost every train carries new goods to Philomath for J. E. Henkle's new store.

**LET'S HELP YOU**



To pay less and dress better. That's our business, and it is your business. To get the most for your money. That's just what you do when you buy one of our Hart-Schaffner & Marx ready-to-wear, hand-tailored suits \$13.50, \$15, \$16.50, \$18 and \$20.

**The Home of the SWELL OVERCOATS**

Largest Stock in Town

\$5 to \$20

Everyone is buying Ralston Shoes this damp weather. The Shoes that keep you happy. We are Sole Agents.

**S. L. KLINE**

**SCHOOL OF MUSIC, O. A. C.**

This department will afford first-class advantages to all who desire to become accomplished in pianoforte and violin. In connection with artistic instruction on these instruments, harmony, musical theory, counterpoint, musical history, sight-reading and ensemble will be taught.

**EVERYTHING ARTISTIC AND HIGH CLASS.**

All college students taught at O. A. C. Down-town pupils may take at the college or at city studios, as they may desire. All pupils of college and city are enrolled at the college, and all enjoy equal privileges. All the advantages of an Eastern Conservatory at one-third the cost.

MORDAUNT GOODNOUGH, PIANIST.  
RUTHYN TURNER, VIOLINIST.

**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

**He Sees Best**

Who sees to the Consequences.



DO YOU REALIZE the serious Consequences of continued eye strain? Priceless beyond all possessions is the eyesight, and deserving of your highest consideration.

**E. W. S. PRATT,**  
Jeweler and Optician, Corvallis, Oregon.

**THE Pioneer Bakery**

Fresh bread daily. A complete stock of candies, fruits and nuts kept constantly on hand. Smokers supplies a specialty.

**Confectionery**

**H. W. HALL, Proprietor.**

**THE RICHEST, DAINTEST EFFECTS IN PHOTOGRAPHIC PORTRAITS ARE TO BE FOUND IN OUR NEW STYLE, UP-TO-DATE CARBONS**

THE STYLE THAT CARRIED OFF THE LAURELS AT THE NATIONAL PHOTOGRAPHIC CONVENTION.

The carbon parchments are not mounted on cards, but are delivered in ARTIST-PROOF folders, or loosely attached to thin LINEN mounts, forming a combination both pleasing and attractive. Samples of this work now on exhibition at

**EMERY'S GALLERY, South Main St**

**The Popular Grocers**

**DUNN & THATCHER**

Will Give You Low Prices on Groceries, Mill, Stock and Poultry Foods, Granite and Tinware.

**All Goods Damaged by Fire or Water at a Bargain.**

**KUPPENHEIMER CLOTHING**

Just look at some of those nobby garments we've on display—then ask a tailor anywhere to give you as nobby a pattern, trim it as well, finish and give you as good a fit—ask his price, and then come back here and we'll do the rest.



**Regulation O. A. C. Uniforms**  
**Top Round Shoes for Men**  
**Suits and Overcoats**  
**Iron Clad Hosiery**  
**Mrs. Jim Hopkins' Boys' Clothing**  
**Drews, Selsby & Co's.**  
**Ladies Fine Shoes**  
**Kingsbury Hats**

**F. L. MILLER, Corvallis, Ore.**

Mr. Frank Williams, of Portland, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Seely, in this city. Mr. Williams holds a position with Olds & King of Portland.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**

Cures Crip in Two Days on every box. 25c.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. This signature, *E. W. S. Pratt*

Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.