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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Dave Gellatly spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of W. E. Yates.

M. C. Ryan, of Salem, was a visitor in Corvallis on Sunday and Monday.

W. E. Wann was registered Friday at the Occidental from Waldport.

L. E. Knapp, a Polk county sawmill man, paid Corvallis a business visit last week.

C. H. Piggott, a prominent attorney of Portland, was in Corvallis last week.

Miss Maud Morrison, of Albany, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Bates.

G. A. Leiter, a cousin of the Eastern wheat king of Chicago, was in Corvallis last week on business.

The two leaders of Holy-Roller fame, Krosfield and Brooks, left on Sunday afternoon for parts unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kerr, of Corvallis, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stanton over Sunday.—Toledo Reporter.

G. W. Brunk, a prominent Polk county farmer of near Eola, is visiting his brother, Landord Brunk at the Occidental.

F. L. Miller has the lumber on the ground preparatory to building a chicken shed on the lots recently bought by him. He prides himself on having some fine tuff leghorns.

Eggs 28cts at J. E. Henkle's new store in Philomath.

Wm. Seckler, a Southern Pacific employe, formerly employed by the railroad in this city, was in town yesterday. He is making arrangements to move his family to this city.

Dents dress gloves for men \$2 per pair. S. L. Kline, agent.

Home comforts, blankets, white and colored Indian blankets for cosy corners, quilts, lace curtains, draperies, portieres and rugs, all these things are to be found at Nolan & Callahan's.

O. P. Wolcott and wife and the Misses Owena Wolcott, Lyda Caldwell and Frances Murphy, of Albany, drove over to Corvallis Sunday, taking dinner at the Hotel Corvallis.

O. De Haven, proprietor of the Corvallis Steam Laundry, intends adding about \$500 worth of new machinery and was in Portland last week making the necessary purchases.

More new clothing for men this week at Kline's.

Mine host Brunk, of the Occidental Hotel, is making extensive improvements in all parts of the building. The new wash room off the office, with its marble wash basins, is a model of neatness and utility.

Hallowe'en passed off very quietly in Corvallis and was devoid of the usual rowdiness that is generally perpetrated by a certain element. The night police force had several deputies on duty but no mischief was committed so as to require their services.

Geo. Himes, assistant secretary of the Oregon Historical Society, was in town on a flying visit on Friday, looking up information on several topics connected with the early history of the county. He will return soon and will appreciate any information bearing on the early days of Benton.

Try a 5c loaf of that fine white bread at the D. & T. store.

Victor Mises, clerk of Benton county, and his brother, Jesse, bookkeeper in the Moses Bros. store, were here several days visiting their sister, Mrs. Trask, troling for salmon and having a general good time.—Yaquina items in Toledo Reporter.

Attend the night school in the Corvallis Business College.

The following personals were clipped from the Suver correspondence to the Independence Enterprise: Emmitt Maxfield and wife visited at Corvallis last week with his aunt. P. L. Withrow and baby, of Corvallis, is visiting his brother, J. A. Withrow. Miss Cecil Bryant, of Corvallis, is visiting at the home of Jos. Hecker this week.

New goods all the time at Nolan & Callahan's.

Brown & Leonard, who have been running the Silvertonian, in Silverton, Or., have purchased the plant and list of the Appeal, lately run by J. E. Hosmer, and consolidated the two papers under the name of the Silvertonian-Appeal. This stops a newspaper war, and gives the new proprietors a chance to make a business success of the new paper.

For Crouse & Brandegees fine suits and overcoats for good dressers, see Nolan & Callahan.

The one-sided write-up in Sunday's Oregonian of the Albany game on Saturday, written by an Albany correspondent, is a fair sample of the smallness of their spirit. We believe in "giving the devil his due."

Our stock of footwear is full and complete of reliable makes. If it's style you want, we have it; if it's quality here you will find everything the best of its kind. Our prices are right. Nolan & Callahan.

Benton county sheep are all right and are models for sheep men through the state to swear by, not at. R. C. Kiger, stock inspector for the county, reports that there is not a single case of scab on sheep in Benton county. Can our neighboring counties make a better showing?

A very interesting session of the Woman's Missionary Society of the United Evangelical was held in this city Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Among those who were present and took part in the convention were Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Pelling, Mrs. Metzger and Mrs. Weaver of Dallas, and Mrs. Fletcher of Lafayette.

R. C. Kiger, of this city, brought in from his Kiger-Island ranch and sold to Smith & Boulden, a lot of the finest calves that has been seen in this city for many days. They are fullblood roan shorthorn stock, spring calves, of an average weight, dressed, of 260 pounds. They are certainly beauties, and a credit to the county.

W. E. Williams, a leading farmer living near Airle, was in Albany, yesterday, on business. Mr. Williams' son was the crack-sprinter in the Oregon Agricultural College track team last season and is now playing half-back on the Farmers' strong football team, so he is greatly interested in intercollegiate athletics.—Albany Herald.

Reports from several parts of the county are to the effect that the San Jose scale on the fruit trees, is spreading rapidly. This should be looked after at once, unless the farmers are willing to have their orchards destroyed. Effective means for its removal have been published, and now is the time, when work is slack in other lines, to give this matter attention.

Real Estate Transfers.

Serepta Price to W. L. Price, 306 a, Kings Valley; \$10.

Josiah Prady to R. Norwood, land south of Corvallis; \$200.

R. Norwood to Burt Norwood, above land; \$200.

Rachel Purdy to F. G. Blumhar, 29 a south of Corvallis; \$150.

C. E. Hout and wife to W. O. Heckart, 2 lots bl 3 Helms add; \$1.

W. H. Harrison and wife to C. M. Gorley, 94 a near Dusty \$2200.

J. C. Phillips to B. B. Wooldridge, 40 a near Dusty; \$150.

W. O. Heckart and wife to C. E. Hout, 4 lots, bl 8 Co add; \$3850.

O. DeHaven and wife to H. B. Cramer, bl 11 Wells & McElroys add; \$500.

T. D. Huff to W. A. Ross, 1/2 int 80 a west of Philomath; \$5.

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M. L. Adams to J. A. Dawson, E 1/2 bl 8 Wells & McElroys add; \$525.

W. D. Vanhorn to H. S. Pitman, 360 a near Blodgett; \$2750.

M. R. Johnson and wife to B. W. Johnson, 1/2 lot 37 Wells & McElroys add; \$250.

B. W. Johnson and wife to Mary Leadbetter, same 1/2 lot; \$175.

Henry Ruiter and wife to Louis Macks, 37.33 a north of Corvallis; \$5200.

Sadie E. Horning to M. C. Miller, 1/4 a south of Corvallis; \$10.

David Ash to M. L. Adams, lot 6 & N 1/2 of 5, bl 11 Wilkins add; \$250.

A. F. Luther to P. J. Schmidt, 164 a north of Corvallis; \$5000.

William Groves Paralyzed.

While watching some workmen putting in a bridge at the Horning place, about one mile from town, last Saturday morning Wm. Groves, the manager of the Corvallis Opera House, received a stroke of paralysis of the entire left side of his body.

Mr. Groves was immediately placed in a wagon and brought to his home in Corvallis, and Dr. Farra was summoned. He found the arm, leg and eye on the left side entirely useless, but later on Mr. Groves was able to use his leg a little. His condition is still serious. This is the second attack from which Mr. Groves has suffered, having received a light stroke on the right side last June.

LOSE BY FUMBLING

Albany Retains Reputation for Playing Dirty Ball.

The 250 football rooters and enthusiasts who accompanied the O. A. C. team to Albany last Saturday, returned home a very disgusted and disheartened crowd; disgusted because of the playing by the Albany team, and disheartened because of the useless defeat they met by unexcusable fumbling.

Saturday's game in Albany brought forth two facts which the GAZETTE has proclaimed of late. First, that the O. A. C. team had no business to play the Albany College, because they knew what they would go up against; second, that Albany can't play clean football.

We could take the above facts and fill a volume, but it would do no good. The game was played; we were defeated by poor but clean playing on our side. We never want to witness another such game. We stand for clean athletics, but the performance on Saturday by Albany was a disgrace, and we would rather see the Corvallis team lose every game than to win by resorting to such unsportsmanlike methods as was adopted by the winners on Saturday, and we hope that Corvallis gets beat every time they are guilty of meeting them.

The game in detail is as follows:

FIRST HALF.

Vonderhellen kicks off to Albany and Coates secures ball but is soon stopped. Albany fumbles but the ball is regained by them and Rinehart brings them to a stop. Albany then consecutively gains 2, 10, 8, 3, 3, 10, 3, 0, 5, 3, 1, and 5 yards, and then loses 3 yards on each of next two plays and then are held for yardage. O. A. C. fumbles but regains ball and gains 5 yards on next play. They then fumble and Albany gets ball and makes 5, 0 and 3 yards and then touchdown. They kick the goal and the score stands 6 to 0 in favor of Albany.

Albany kicks off to Pilkington but on first play O. A. C. fumbles twice but still retains ball. Corvallis then makes good gains, when Du Pois, of Albany, is sent to the side-lines for slugging, and his place is taken by Underwood. Pilkington then gains 10 yards through the line. O. A. C. then gains consecutively 3, 3, 0, 0, 15 and 5 yards but finally lose ball. Albany makes required yardage, then a 25-yard end run, and attempted a place kick but fail, the ball flying wide of the mark. Time is soon called, making the score 6 to 0 in favor of the Presbyterians.

SECOND HALF.

Albany kicks off to O. A. C., who gain 5, 10, 2, 0 and then punt. Albany loses 5 yards then gains, 5, 3, 4, 2, 2, 5, 1, 2 which brings them near enough to attempt place kick which they fail to make. When O. A. C. gets ball they make some good gains but lose ball on fumble. At this time Rupert is taken off the field, having received an injury to his head. Albany again fails on place kick. After kick off Coates makes a long run, but they soon lose ball on downs. Corvallis makes several gains and Rhinehart gains 15 yards but drops ball and it is captured by Albany man. There is now but six minutes to play and the ball is punted backward and forward without much attempt at line play by either side, although Albany makes another long end-run. Time is called with the final score of Albany 6, Corvallis 0.

Will Meet Pullman.

Arrangements have again been made whereby the Pullman, Wash., football team will fill her cancelled date in Corvallis on Wednesday, November 11th. Word was wired the manager at this place on Monday to the effect that Pullman would meet the O. A. C. team at Corvallis on the above day. We are glad to hear this as it will give the local team a chance to redeem herself and we sincerely hope she will be able to do it and score a victory for a change.

Coach McFadden has the men for a cracker-jack team and if they can play together and not "go up in the air" as in Saturday's exhibition, they should make a creditable showing. The University of Washington has defeated both Pullman and O. A. C. by a small score and after a hard fight, and the coming game with Pullman will no doubt be worth witnessing.

Miss Crawford Entertains.

One of the most novel and successful "afternoons" ever given in Corvallis was enjoyed at the home of Miss Helen V. Crawford, by over forty of her friends on Saturday, October 31. The invitations which were sent out two weeks in advance, read:

At her home on College Hill, Miss Helen V. Crawford will be glad to greet you with good cheer, With other friends who may appear.

Would you know your fate on earth, Please send at once date of your birth. It will assist the Mystic Three. To cast the horoscope for thee.

The rhyme proved a challenge, and for several days Pegasus had little time for rest, for forty-six invitations must be accepted and in original verse. But the women of Corvallis were not to be outdone, and the result proved they are not without poetical talent. Being Hallowe'en day the entertainment took the form of the mystical. The shades were drawn and the rooms lighted while the fire in the grate burned low. The decorations were simple and artistic. The mantle was banked with sprays of gorgeous colored vine maple, with an upturned basket of brilliant colored rose leaves which shone with rare beauty in the soft glow of the candles on either side. Above the door leading to the dining-room were the words: "May fortune treat thee fairly," while above the arch opening into the den were the words: "Beware you are now in fortune's power." The soft glow of candles lighted the room within.

When the guests had assembled Miss Crawford announced that since so many had responded in verse she felt that it would not be right to let their efforts be lost to the world, and then to the enjoyment of all read the replies. All were timely, and some of real merit. This was followed by a short program which consisted of a song by Mabel Keady, a paper on Hallowe'en by Mrs. Waggoner, solo by Mrs. Lake, reading by Mrs. Hayward and a "Jack o' Lantern" song by Mrs. Pernot.

Miss Crawford then announced that she had engaged the services of three Mystics from the planet Mars, but at the last moment one was detained, and that they would foretell the future of those present. A bell sounded out the strains of minor music, while the Mystics entered, clad in their ghostly garb. One was seated at a table in the parlor while the other occupied a place in the dining-room, and soon both were busily engaged. Again the bell sounded and they silently glided away. Each person was then given a beautiful autumn leaf mounted on card board and tied with a crimson and yellow ribbon and with it a quotation. Each lady sought her partner by finding the one who had the same quotation. After this dainty refreshments were served, and when the plates were removed, Miss Crawford again appeared bearing a basket from the Mystics, which contained dainty envelopes bearing the names of each guest who had sent date of birth, and the lines:

Were you born under a lucky star? Look within, 'tis a message from afar, From the Mystics—who dwell on the planet Mars, It floated down from their golden cars.

The moments that followed were interesting ones, for each one wanted to know what the Mystics had to say for her, and all wanted to know what they had said of the others. But the afternoon was spent and Hallowe'en, 1903, will long be a pleasant memory to those who a few moments later bade Miss Crawford goodbye.

O. A. C. Gleanings.

[BY BERT YATES]

Mr. McArthur, a football enthusiast of Eugene, is visiting at the home of E. R. Bryson.

Mr. Bodine, of the '97 championship team, witnessed the Albany-Corvallis football game Saturday.

Mr. Fred Ward, a former College student, paraded a star at the ball game Saturday. He is now a Linn county deputy sheriff.

Among the former O. A. C. students who attended the football game at Albany Saturday, were Smith Mann, A. Hensome, Ross Wimer and Worth Henry, all of Salem. Messrs Wimer and Henry spent Sunday with Corvallis friends.

The first good rain of the season commenced yesterday.

Miss Irvine, of Corvallis, visited Mrs. Sarah Irvine last week, returning home Sunday morning.—Independence Enterprise

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