

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Wheat 75 cents.

Blackledges for furniture.

Don't fail to come to Corvallis July 2, 3 and 4.

Mr. Tyron, of Philomath, was in the city Friday.

T. K. Fawcett, of Bellfountain, was in the city Sunday.

L. E. Chenoweth, of Kings Valley was in the city Sunday.

Buy a meal ticket at Chipman's and eat when you please.

J. M. Berry, of Halsey, was a guest at the Occidental Sunday.

The son of John Day is lying seriously ill at his home in this city.

Mr. Cale, of Linn county, was transacting business in the city last Friday.

Quite a number of young people came over from Albany to attend the Junior hop.

A new warehouse 30x40 is being erected for Marshall Miller back of the brick stable.

A. T. Drugett, of Harrisburg, has accepted a position as clerk in S. K. Kline's store.

The Sorosis Society of the O. A. C. gave a dinner party at the Hotel Corvallis Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Bryson entertained a number of guests at the Hotel Corvallis Sunday.

E. E. Wills, of Heppner, arrived Friday to attend O. A. C. Commencement exercises.

Grant Elgin gave a dinner party to a number of his friends at the Hotel Corvallis last night.

H. J. Wilkins and wife of Roseburg, are visiting relatives in this city and will remain during Commencement.

The family of Prof. Prichard moved to Portland Friday. Prof. Prichard was formerly an instructor in the O. A. C.

In cases of failure to receive your paper regularly, you will confer a favor on this office by immediately notifying us of the fact.

L. B. Geer and wife of Macleay, Oregon, were the guests at the Occidental Sunday. Mr. Geer is a brother of ex-Governor Geer.

E. J. Dunn started for Eastern Oregon Sunday where he will be employed in the interests of the banking firm of Gilbert Bros.

The O. A. C. Glee Club gave a concert in the parlors of the Hotel Corvallis Saturday evening and later were entertained at dinner.

J. W. Ray, who has been absent for the past 13 months in Kansas, Oklahoma and Iowa, has reopened his shoe-shop one door south of J. H. Harris'.

The real estate firm of Ambler & Watters consummated a deal last week in which John Rickard and wife transfers Block 2, Wells Addition to J. B. Irvine, the consideration was \$900.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie, of Iowa, are visiting their son, N. F. Gillespie, in this city. Relatives from Albany are also here visiting. Mr. and Mrs. Gillespie were delegates to the Methodist conference recently held in Los Angeles and are returning home by the way of Corvallis, so as to visit their son.

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The Iowa people are to give a picnic in Avery's grove, June 22. Every "Hawkeye" is invited to be present. Anyone who has ever been a resident of Iowa may become a member of the association. The object of the meeting is to have a general good time. Bring your baskets well filled with good things to eat as dinner will be served on the grounds.

Fireworks, Fireworks, Fireworks, at Hodes' gun store.

A number of Corvallis people who were intending a trip to the St. Louis Fair are still undecided because of the reports of exorbitant charges being made for rooms and board. There is such a wide difference in the reports that all cannot be true. In any case it would be well to make arrangements before hand when it is possible to do so.

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Two prisoners from Lincoln county arrived in Corvallis Friday noon and will take up their residence in the county jail. The prisoners are a Mr. DeBois and his son who are accused of robbing residences and are being held until the next term of the circuit court which meets in July. Lincoln county does not have a suitable jail for her prisoners so the luxurious apartments of the Benton county bastille have been put at their disposal.

Celebration in Corvallis July 2, 3 and 4.

Mrs. Mildred Patterson, of Baker City, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Jennie Spencer and Mrs. Robinson, of Eugene, are here attending Commencement.

Mrs. O. J. Blackledge, who has been visiting relatives at Bellfountain, returned Sunday.

O. A. Dearing, editor of the GAZETTE, went to Portland Friday, on business, returning Monday.

Miss Mamie Burns, of Fairview, will be the guest of her brother, John, during Commencement.

W. J. Moore, of Roseburg, representing the New York Life Insurance company was at the Occidental Sunday.

In the absence of Rev. Moore, the pulpit at the M. E. church was filled Sunday evening by Rev. W. H. Hepp, of Salem.

Manford Seits has purchased the general merchandise store of J. E. Taylor, of Ales, and moved out last week to take possession.

Roy Greer, a former O. A. C. student and his sister, Pearl, of Hillsboro, were guests at the Hotel Corvallis Friday and Saturday.

Bishop N. Castle, of Philomath, returned Friday from an extended Episcopal tour throughout Indiana, Ohio, Pennsylvania and California.

Sam Guier passed through Corvallis Friday on his way from Airline to Cottage Grove. He stopped a short time to see his old friend Dilly the fixer.

There will be a special business session of the Corvallis Grange next Saturday at 1:30 p. m. in the Agricultural Hall. H. L. French, secretary.

S. W. Moore has purchased the Callahan property now occupied by Dr. Harper. He will erect another residence on the corner to be occupied by himself.

The employees of the GAZETTE were made to rejoice one day last week when Small & Son treated each one to a big dish of ice cream. Thanks gentlemen.

Miss Whitney, of Eastern Oregon, is the guest of Mrs. H. M. Stone during Commencement. Miss Whitney will also make a short visit to Yaquina before returning home.

Miss Mamie Cauthorn will give a recital assisted by her pupils Thursday evening at the M. E. church south at 8 o'clock. Friends are cordially invited to attend this recital.

E. E. White started with his family for Waldport, yesterday, where he expects to remain for several months looking after the gathering of his chittim bark of which he has a large quantity.

The fire department was called out Friday noon to extinguish what was supposed to be a fire in the roof of August Broders' residence. It proved to be only a burning flue.

The fire department is to be commended for its promptness in answering these calls. No fire can get much the start of the C. F. D.

The Corvallis public schools will have the following teachers for the next school year: S. W. Holmes, Supt., N. Tartar, assistant Supt., Olive Mallow, Frances Belknap, Edna Finley, Ethel Kyle, Margaret Fowells, Josephine Fullerton, Lena McCormack, Grace Huff, Florence Maxfield.

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Newport may have a miniature railroad in the near future. Lührman Brothers of Salem have been working on the rolling stock for the past three months. The engine will not be expected to generate over six-horse power, and the cars will hold only eight people. The road will probably be built between Newport and Nye Creek and may be farther up the beach. It will add much to the convenience and pleasure of Newport visitors should it be placed there. The coaches are already finished, being painted in red and green.

Horse racing in Corvallis July 2, also a ball game.

W. N. Alexander lost three calves suddenly, Saturday evening. At six o'clock, they were fed skimmed milk and at 7 all three were dead. The cause was mystifying to Mr. Alexander, as the calves had been fed on the same kind of milk for two months and on Sunday one of the carcasses was taken to the Agricultural College at Corvallis, and without examination Dr. Withycombe pronounced it a case of indigestion. The milk, he stated was probably too sour which brought on immediate indigestion with the fatal results.—Independence Enterprise.

Mrs. A. F. Hershner and children, of Gresham, are here attending Commencement as the guests of Mrs. J. Mason. Miss Joyce Hershner whose eye was injured some time ago is improving.

M. M. Davis met with a very painful accident last Monday morning at Newport. He and his son Harry were handling some freight on the wharf, when Harry accidentally struck him on the hand with a box hook inflicting a very ugly wound.

A number of parents are not aware that on warm days their boys collect down on the boom below Mary's river bridge. Several accidents have occurred at that place that nearly resulted in drowning. Only last Sunday two boys fell in, one whose arm was broken a short time ago had a struggle to get out. The other boy came up under the boom.

Pres. Emerick, of Philomath College, will start for Salem on Thursday, where he will be engaged in editing the forthcoming edition of the Oregon Search Light. Pres. Emerick has refused to allow his name to be presented as a candidate for the presidency next year. He has decided to take up temperance work and will become the editor of the above named paper, probably making his residence in Portland. Prof. Caldwell is talked of as Pres. Emerick's successor.

At Independence, Polk county, Oregon, on June 24 and 25, a farmers' institute will be held under the auspices of that place and the Oregon Agricultural College of Corvallis, the latter agreeing to furnish four of its faculty to deliver addresses suitable for the occasion. There will be band and vocal music and a general good time is expected. Independence is situated in a very rich farming section of this state and has excellent transportation facilities for caring for the large amount of products annually shipped from there. There is a class of up-to-date farmers in the neighborhood and several of these are breeders of the finest sheep, goats, swine and cattle.

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The Corvallis Band of Mercy and the Golden Rule Band of Mercy met at Judge Woodward's Friday afternoon. Mercy lessons, music, stories and a recitation, were followed by games on the lawn. About seventy children were present. Both bands are invited to meet at Mrs. Flint's, June 25, at 3 p. m. All members will be cordially welcomed, also other children who would like to join. The public would perhaps be interested in knowing that the Golden Rule Band is under the supervision of Mrs. Woodward, and the Corvallis Band is under Mrs. Sarah Cauthorn, with Mrs. Flint as secretary. This is a work that all parents should be interested in, and they are invited to be present and will be cordially welcomed.

J. W. Ray for shoe repairing. One door south of Harris' store.

Robt. Campbell, as stated in these columns a few days ago, in his altercation with several men down in Strong's mill was not so much to blame as the report indicates, so he says. Mr. Campbell was watching the men at work when one of them accused him of taking his meerscham pipe. This he resented which led to some words and threats during which Mr. Campbell, being an old man, picked up a piece of slab wood to defend himself. Three men rushed upon him and knocked him down. He further states that he is a man of peaceable disposition and does not go around looking for trouble. The meerscham pipe in question was found later in a place where it was impossible for him to have had anything to do with it. We are glad to make this correction and justification in Mr. Campbell's favor.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Cooper was saddened last week by the loss of their three-weeks-old child. The burial took place Thursday at 10 a. m. under the auspices of the M. W. A. Rev. Frank Moore conducted the funeral service. The little babe was attacked with whooping cough and during an unusually severe coughing spell on Wednesday it passed away. A year or two ago another child was so severely burned that it died from the effects. Their little boy was injured a few weeks ago while playing at school and was in a precarious condition for several days. The family has the sympathy of a host of friends who share with them in their bereavement. The little boy we are glad to say is now about well. Mr. Cooper himself is absent in Montana shearing sheep. He is located 25 miles from any point of direct communication and word could not reach him in time for his return to the funeral of his child. He has been reached however and will return soon.

C. S. Sullivan, Supt. of the C & E. spent Sunday in this city.

Mrs. Edwin Stone, of Albany, is in the city to attend the Commencement exercises.

Miss Andia Shelton, of Scio, is visiting her cousin, Miss Ruby Dilley in this city.

The Graugers and Hop men will have a picnic and convention at Independence, June 24.

Ross Nichols, a prominent broker of Portland, and formerly a resident of this city, was here over Sunday.

Postmaster Johnson and Sheriff Burnett returned from a short trip to Portland, by the Monday noon train.

W. A. Laidlaw, manager of the Columbia Southern Irrigation company, in the Deschutes Valley, was a Corvallis visitor Sunday.

Geo. Brunk, of Independence, is in the city visiting his brother, the genial landlord of the Occidental. He will attend Commencement exercises while here.

A company of eight W. R. C. delegates on their way from Lincoln county to the G. A. R. encampment at Hood River, stopped at the Occidental yesterday.

Every candidate on the Republican ticket in Washington county was elected by good safe majorities.

Mrs. D. C. Rose, president of the W. R. C. and Mrs. Mandana Thorp, past president, started for Hood River, yesterday as delegates to the 20th annual encampment of the G. A. R. and the W. R. C.

Word is just received from our Oak Grove correspondent that Jap Custer, formerly of north Benton but now living in Albany was killed in Albany at one o'clock Sunday morning. Mr. Custer was returning from a fishing trip to Detroit on the Sunday morning's train, and while trying to get off the train at Albany while the train was still in motion, fell under the wheels. The wheels passing over him killing him instantly.

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