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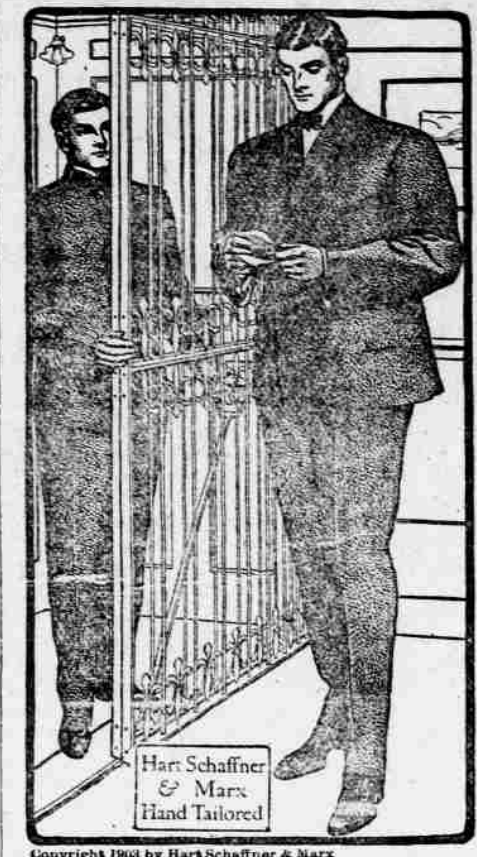
Wheat 75 cents. Deer season opens today. Finally the rain has come. O. V. Hurt went to Portland Tuesday for a few days visit. R. C. and Mrs. Whitehead spent Tuesday in Albany. Rev. Reeves, returned Wednesday from a visit to Albany. W. O. Williams, of Marshfield, is in the city looking for a location. J. A. Archibald of Philomath transacted business in Albany Wednesday. M. G. Flynn and S. Gregg, of Philomath, were here on business Wednesday. J. B. Horner is in Eastern Oregon near La Grande, Union county working in the interest of the Oregon Agricultural College. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lacy left last Wednesday for a two-weeks' visit with relatives at Heppner, this state. Mrs. Susie Starr who lives just north of Prof. O. W. Holmes will erect a 10x22 addition to her residence in the near future. Adams Bros. are the contractors. Ira P. Whitney, who attended O. A. C. two years ago and who has been holding a very responsible position in the Wash'n Agricultural College, is visiting friends here. J. Senger keeps the best hand-made shoes in town. Gabriel Long, who recently sold his farm in Kings Valley and moved to this city, will soon begin the erection of a six roomed cottage in Job's Addition. Adams Bros. have the contract. A very quiet wedding occurred at Philomath Monday evening, July 11th when Mr. G. E. Beers and Miss Anna Stear, both of Box, Lincoln county, were united in marriage by Justice of the peace, A. J. Williams. J. Senger keeps the best hand-made shoes in town. Newport is becoming famed as a summer resort. The travel this season is unusually large. Besides the special excursions of societies, churches, etc., hundreds of families are moving down to the coast for the summer. Fishing tackle, hunters' supplies and sporting goods at Hodes' Pioneer Gun Store. The quarantine on Jake Hulbert was raised Saturday and he appeared among his friends again yesterday. He has no visible marks of small pox and made good use of his time during his confinements as he was plowing nearly every day. J. Senger keeps the best hand-made shoes in town. Hay is about all cut in Benton county and baling has begun. Good hay is selling at from five to eight dollars in the field; although the yield was light the acreage has been large. It was thought that the price of hay would be sky high, but it is now known that it cannot get very high as many farmers have cut acres of wheat and oats for hay. Wheat harvesting has just begun in places. The yield of fall grain although light is better than was anticipated a few weeks ago. Hammocks at Hollenberg & Cady's. The new dynamo and switch board for the college arrived Wednesday from New York. The combined weight of the two is 9000, and it is by far the largest and best outfit in any part of the Willamette valley. The switch-board which is largely of mahogany alone cost \$880. The wiring is going on steadily and all arrangements for its complete operation will be completed by the opening of school. All the buildings will be wired separately so any one of them may be used without lighting up the other buildings. Buy a meal ticket at Chipman's and eat when you please. A local dramatic and elocutionary club has been organized consisting of a number of young people, many of whom are O. A. C. students remaining here for the summer. The object of the organization is to gain practice along the above named lines, and also as a profitable source of employment during the summer. George L. Paul will probably assist. Those belonging to the club at present are Carrie Wilson, Alice Wicklund, Myrtle and Gretta Harrington, Florence and Essie Adams, Bush Wilson, Arthur Boquet, Edward Pratt, Ralph Pruett, Arthur Belknap, Ross Adams and Will Wicks. Several meetings have already been held and a farce will be presented at their next regular meeting.

Oats 32c to 34c. R. C. Craven returned yesterday from a trip to the country. Buy a meal ticket at Chipman's and eat when you please. D. C. Rose is in McMinnville, attending a meeting of the trustees of an insurance company. F. L. Miller returned Wednesday from a business trip to Chehalis, Wash. Mr. and Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. J. O. Wilson and son leave Sunday for an outing at Cascadia. When in Albany eat at the Albany lunch counter. Prof. Covell and family expect to leave for Belknap Springs for a short vacation, Monday. Cal. Thrasher returned Tuesday from a trip to Pendleton. He will start for Yaquina in a few days. Word has just been received that Paul Kruger the famous ex president of the Transvaal is dead. Miss Mary Hurt arrived Wednesday from Oakland, Indiana. She will make her home with her brother, O. V. Hurt. Mrs. J. L. Jones who lives in Job's Addition and who just recently was very ill with typhoid fever is now slowly convalescing. Preaching at the Church of Christ by the pastor next Sunday morning and evening. Morning theme, "Living Epistles;" evening, "Ahab and Elijah." When in Albany make your headquarters at the St. Charles. Mr. DeBois and son, who were here in confinement because the Lincoln county jail was insanitary, and who were charged with robbing seaside cottages, were taken back for trial last Saturday. The GAZETTE building is undergoing extensive repairs. A new roof is being put on, the interior walls and ceilings will be kalsomined and other needed repairs will be made. Fishing tackle, hunters' supplies and sporting goods at Hodes' Pioneer Gun Store. The lawn social given by the ladies of the Catholic church at Mrs. J. M. Nolan's was more of a success than its projectors had anticipated. The total receipts were over \$60, with \$10 expenses. Over \$21 worth of home-made candies were sold. Great bargains in bamboo furniture at Hollenberg & Cady's. At a special meeting held by the school board last Friday a contract was let to Chas. Heckart for the completion of the lower story of the new school building, the consideration is \$565. The building is to be ready for occupancy by September. Hollenberg & Cady can suit you in wall paper, carpets and matting. Call and see. A merry crowd of campers, consisting of J. F. Allen and family, Dr. and Mrs. Harper and Mrs. Mary Bryson started yesterday for a short vacation over in Alsea. They will pitch their tents near David Tom's place. Deer hunting will be the order of the day. Hollenberg & Cady's—headquarters for campers outfits—tents, cots, camp stools, camp stoves, etc. Last Sunday, Bishop Castle delivered an able discourse and dedicated Beulan Chapel west of Philomath. A subscription sufficient to cover all indebtedness against the church was taken. Dinner was served beneath the shade of the trees and a very enjoyable time was spent by those present. The merry-go-round brought here from Portland for the celebration and remained for 12 days, doing a land office business all the while, was taken to Newport, Tuesday morning. The manager of the concern was at a loss just where to go next and remained here pending a decision. It was either a seaside resort in Washington or Newport, and the latter was finally chosen. At a meeting of the school board last Friday night, the teachers for the coming year were assigned work as follows. Miss Huff takes part of the first grade, Miss Fullerton takes the remainder of the first and part of the second grade, Miss McCormack takes the remainder of the second and part of the third grade, Miss Fowells the remainder of the third and part of the fourth grade, Miss Kyle the remainder of the fourth and part of the fifth grade, Miss Finley the remainder of the fifth and part of the sixth grade, Miss Belknap the remainder of the sixth and a part of the seventh grade, Miss Mallow the remainder of the seventh and a part of the eighth grade, Prof. Tartar the remainder of the eighth and part of the ninth grade, and Prof. Holmes takes the advanced work of the ninth grade.

Waste papers, suitable for putting under carpets, for sale at this office. Lay in a supply for fall house-cleaning. Mrs. Lee Jackson and son left Wednesday for Grass Valley, after a short visit with relatives and friends. Mrs. Ed Cummings did not go to McMinnville last Sunday as she intended, but decided to remain another week. Si Bradley who is foreman of the S. P. section gang was run down by a hand car Tuesday and severely injured. The muley cow that has been serving time in the city pound and was ty have been sold Wednesday, can still be claimed by her owner as no one has yet purchased her. The small pox patients reported in our last issue are doing well. No new cases have developed and so far as is now known the pest is under complete control. Mrs. Mary Ingram and daughter have moved from Bellfountain to a residence on Fourth street, Corvallis. Mrs. Ingram is Mrs. T. H. Weisler's mother. Hugh McCulloch and family, of Grants Pass, are occupying the Young dwelling house on Jefferson street. Mr. McCulloch expects to make this city his permanent residence. "What is the Will of God," subject at Congregational church Sunday morning; evening, "What is a Christian?" Services in Plymouth church in the afternoon. Rose Seeley one of the Holy Roller victims, who was committed to the Insane Asylum from Corvallis, has been discharged and is now at the home of relatives at Oregon City. Treasurer Buchanan made a payment to other day of \$7,000 on Benton county's state tax. The balance yet to be paid is \$4,740. The total to be paid by the county is \$24,785. The balance must be paid on or before October 1. W. H. Miller, an Albany bicycle man, and well known in this city was found dead at his home Monday noon. Mr. Miller's parents were visiting friends over in Alsea at the time of his death and were shocked when the news reached them. Dr. Cathey started Wednesday, for Gobo, Columbia county to perform an operation upon the son of Mr. Gleason. Mr. Gleason who has been there for some time, telegraphed yesterday that his son is very ill. The marriage of Heber V. Swan of the Independent telephone company, and Miss Nellie Glassford, will take place at the home of the bride's parents, in this city, next Wednesday. Miss Glassford is a highly esteemed young lady of this city and was a student last year at the O. A. C. The Christian Endeavor societies of the Methodist and Christian churches will hold joint meetings during the summer. The first joint meeting will be held in the Methodist church Sunday evening. This action has been decided upon owing the usual decrease caused by members going away for the summer. This year's month of June is the driest except one in the 34 years that records have been kept in this state. During the month of June of that year only .13 of an inch fell here. During the month of June just past .45 inch of rain fell. In June, 1871, there was .50 of an inch and in the same month of 1899 there was .51 inch. The heaviest rainfall that has ever occurred here was in 1888 when 5.38 inches fell. The average for June has been 1.67 inches. At a meeting of the city council Monday night, two new sewer laterals were ordered constructed. One begins at the residence of W. E. Lacy between Seventh and Eighth streets and runs north two blocks, running through the Irwin block and connecting with the Jefferson main. The other lateral begins at the Spangler residence and runs south one block to a connection with Van Buren main. A remonstrance was offered against the construction of the last-named sewer. A very interesting marriage took place at the Court House Tuesday when William Bailey, of Fairmount, and Mrs. Sarah Edelman, of Corvallis, were made husband and wife. Mr. Baisley is 72 and Mrs. Edelman is 70. Rev. T. T. Vincent performed the ceremony. The aged couple are very happy and sincere in their new relation. A crowd of young Corvallis boys went around to cnarivari them the evening of their marriage, at their home in Job's Addition, and were all treated to refreshments. Mr. Bailey speaks in very high terms of the respect shown by the boys and their general good behavior.

To Good To Keep. On the night of the 8th, two cows which were kept in Fisher's pasture broke out and came into town. One of them, the muley cow that served time in the city pound and was advertised for sale, belonged to Mr. Fruit. The other cow belonged to Frank Irvine and went straight to her old home where she proceeded to work off some of her bovine energy by cavorting around in the front yard. The noise awakened the family but it was so dark they could not see whose cow it was, and they were not expecting their cow home, so Frank telephoned Night-watch Osburn to come down and take her to the pound and come prepared to kill her if necessary. Frank's hired man and Osburn took the cow up the street to put her in the pound. They found by examining the cow under the electric light that she belonged to Frank himself. Insane Patient At Large. Monday night reports came in that an inmate of the Insane Asylum had escaped and had appeared near Corvallis. The man whoever he was appeared at a home in Linn county, near the ferry and asked for something to eat. The lady became frightened at the man's appearance and he escaped to the brush along the river. Several citizens later tried to find him but were unsuccessful in their efforts. It was learned from the authorities at Salem, that a man had escaped from that place some time ago, but that he was harmless and could do no possible damage. He is still at large. Major Hardin goes to Philippines. Word has just been received that Major Chas. Hardin of the O. A. C. has been ordered by the direction of President Roosevelt to join his regiment in the Philippine Islands, the order to take effect Sept. 1. Major Hardin is absent at present in the East, and will be home Sunday. It is not known who his successor will be but Capt. Dentler, who formerly had charge of the military department at the College, is strongly talked of. CORVALLIS MARKET REPORT. Wheat 75c per bushel. Oats 32c to 34c. Flour \$1.04 to \$1.30 per sack. Butter 12 1/2c to 14c per pound. Creamery butter 50 cents per roll. Eggs 18c per dozen. Chickens 10 cents per pound. Lard 11 per pound. Wool 19c per pound. Business Locals. The best ice cream soda at Smalls. Try Small's for cool drinks during the hot weather. For low prices on saddles and harness see J. M. Cameron. J. M. Cameron manufacturer and dealer in harness and saddles. Red Cedar Star Shingles at the sawmill at \$1.60 per M. E. W. Strong. Smokers supplies, largest stock in the city at Small & Son's. Finest line of hammocks in the city at J. M. Cameron's call quick and see him. Ice cream \$1.25 per gallon at Small & Son's. Wall paper at Blackledge's new furniture store. For harness and saddles see J. M. Cameron. Candies and fruits, fresh and tasty, at Small's. Look at the price! \$1.25 per gallon for ice cream. Parties supplied. Small & Son. Buy your harvesting outfits at Nolan & Callahan's. The Gazette for Job Work. Remember that Nolan & Callahan's great Reduction Sale of summer goods is now running in full blast. Bargains all along the line for July.

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