

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Wheat 78c. Oats 38c.

O. J. Treese is putting down a new sidewalk on the corner of 11th and Harrison streets.

The family of J. Senger arrived Tuesday from Portland and will reside in Corvallis.

Guns and ammunition at J. K. Berry's.

After a short trip to Marion county on business, A. F. Peterson returned Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Hartley arrived from Bohemia, Tuesday, and will remain for a couple of weeks' visit with relatives.

Best meals in the city to be found at City Restaurant.

G. H. White, brother of E. E. White, has arrived from Iowa, and with his family occupies a cottage in the north part of town.

Largest stock and lowest prices on school suits at Kline's.

Misses Grace Gatch and Helen Holgate have issued invitations to a dancing party, to be given Saturday evening in Burnette's Hall.

J. K. Berry handles a fine line of guns and ammunition.

The GAZETTE force are indebted to George Smith for a liberal treat of cider from the Corvallis factory, which he is operating this season.

Get your school books and school supplies at Graham & Wells.

A new restaurant has been opened in the old laundry building on corner of Taird and Jefferson streets by Peter Hattwig, who recently arrived from Albany.

All kinds of repair work done at J. K. Berry's.

The Winegar livery stable has changed hands, but it still retains the name Winegar. The change was made Saturday, W. W. Winegar buying out his brother, Chas.

Full line of high grade groceries, crockery, etc., at P. M. Zieroffs'.

The Spencer barber shop is again open for business. "Jess" will be found at his old stand and will be glad to meet his old time customers and friends again.

A few cords of wood wanted on subscriptions at this office.

Mrs. Hammersley has opened a candy store in the building formerly occupied by Dr. Altman, for an office. Mrs. Hammersley makes all her own candies.

Red Cedar Star Shingles at the sawmill at \$1.60 per M. E. W. Szabo.

Mrs. Mary Bryson leaves Sunday for Portland, where she will be joined Monday by Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor, and together they will go to Spokane for an indefinite stay.

Corvallis Gazette and Weekly Oregonian \$2.50 per year.

A recent arrival in town is Frank Cole, who with his family occupy a cottage near the sawmill. Mr. Cole was formerly of Portland, but has lived during the summer at Fairmount.

You can get the birds down with the ammunition that J. K. Berry handles.

Miss Sophia Elgin left Tuesday for Carlton, where she was joined by her mother and sister and brother, and together they left for Fossil, where they hope to find the climate will prove beneficial to the son's health.

Big boys, little boys any kind of boys suits at very low prices at Kline's.

The many friends of Claude C. Cate, a member of last year's graduating class of OAC, are glad to see him in Corvallis again. He arrived Tuesday from Hillsboro, and will spend a few days visiting friends.

Show your colors. Call on S. L. Kline for campaign buttons. Free for the asking.

The night school meets on Friday and Tuesday evenings. Those wishing shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping or penmanship should enter this week. OAC students can get special classes to suit. Join the special classes every Saturday forenoon.

Fishing tackle, hunters' supplies and sporting goods at Hodes' Pioneer Gun Store.

It is expected Walker of the OAC eleven will be taken care of by big center Graves in the football game on the OAC field next Saturday. Walker's friends say "not much." Since the eating is the test of the pudding, the matter must be determined by Saturday's game. The Cadet band will supply the music and an interesting game is promised.

School suits at Kline's.

W. P. Minor has just completed a neat barn on his property in Jobs' Addition.

Lamps, bedroom lamps, student's lamps, glass lamps of all kinds, at Zieroffs'.

Mrs. W. S. Gilbert, of Portland, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Skipton, formerly of Lebanon, have taken a cottage and will reside here.

Fresh home-made candies at Mrs. Hammersley's, opposite Mrs. J. Mason's.

W. A. Wells who intended to spend the winter at Prineville, informs us that he will go to California instead.

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Ernest Miller, left Monday for Roseburg, where he will accept a position in the Western Union office at that place.

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Dr. Ainsley, of Portland, assisted by Dr. Lee of this city, performed an operation, Monday for enlarged tonsils upon the three-year-old boy of Frank Cole. The operation was successful and the little fellow is doing nicely.

Mrs. M. E. Keyser, of the King Mine hotel, Ashwood, Crook county, Oregon, arrived in town Wednesday, on business. Mrs. Keyser is delighted with this part of Oregon and may decide to locate here. She expects friends from that place to join her in a few days.

See those elegant parlor sets and library tables at Hollenberg & Cady's.

A jaunt through the south eastern part of the country shows notwithstanding the long season of dry weather, many plows are at work, and much grain will be sown this fall. A few days of copious rain would make glad the hearts of farmers just now.

Remember that with every 25 cents worth of laundry work done at the Steam Laundry you get a vote on the beautiful U S silk flag, in Nolan & Callahan's window.

The lateral sewer through the Spangler block connecting with Van Buren street sewer will be completed in a few days. J. R. Smith & Co. have the contract for the work and have been greatly handicapped because of the scarcity of men.

A gentleman appeared before the Board of equalization, one day last week and plead for a reduction of \$25 in the assessor's appraisal of his personal property. His request was granted, but the assessor in the meanwhile discovered that nearly \$1200 worth of notes and mortgages had not been included when his appraisal was made. He departed a sadder and wiser man.

Crockery! Crockery! Crockery! Balls' Mason fruit jars, stone jars, all kinds of jars from 1 to 20 gallons, at Zieroffs'.

A stick of white ash, 40 feet long and 6 inches in diameter, is one of the recent contributions to the Lewis and Clark exhibit. The rarity of this sample consists in its great length compared with its small girth, most ash trees are larger, but being very short are fit only for wood.

John A. Gellatly, a former resident of Benton county living at Wenatchee, Washington, sends a paper, containing his photo and a complimentary notice of the original. From this we learn that John is the Republican candidate for county clerk. Mr. Gellatly has many friends in this county who wish him success.

Business Chance.—Party with \$8,000 to \$10,000 desiring A1 real estate can have bargain if he does business right now. Call at Gazette office for particulars or address W. F. H. Corvallis, R. F. D. 3.

Congregational Church, Sunday, October 9—Sunday School at 10 o'clock; Bible Class at 10 o'clock; regular service at 11, with five minute sermon to the children. Sunday evening will be devoted to the Society of Christian Endeavor. Active and honorary members of the society are invited to be present at the 8:30 o'clock meeting. Evening service at 7:30, sermon to the Endeavor society.

CASTORIA

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M. P. Fruit was called over into Alsea on business Wednesday.

There will be service in Plymouth church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Roy Irvine, formerly of the GAZETTE force has accepted a position on the College Barometer.

Roy H. DeGroot, of Medford, is one of the recent arrivals for work in OAC.

J. D. Mann returned on Wednesday from Salem, whither he went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mann's mother who died recently.

From an extended business trip to Silver Lake and the Deschutes country D. M. Smith has returned home.

Fresh cider in any quantity desired for sale at the Corvallis cider mill, south end of Main street. Apples ground for one-half.

Paul Childers, of Grand Ronde, a student in OAC last year returned Wednesday and will resume his studies in college.

J. W. Howell, the general landlord of the Farmers Hotel, left Tuesday for Harrisburg for a short visit with an uncle.

R. O. Robinson, an estimable young man from Holley, Oregon, arrived Wednesday and will enter OAC.

Emily Lindsay Squier, the child elocutionist and impersonator, will fill an engagement in the College Chapel Friday evening under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A.

E. R. Shepard of the class '01 of OAC has returned to Harvard University where he will this year complete a course in electrical engineering.

The Buckingham store at Bell-fountain has been purchased by Otis Taylor. Invoicing is going on at present and possession will be given as soon as completed. Mr. Buckingham will reside on the farm.

Sheriff Burnett informs us that taxes are now nearly paid in. Some on timber claims are yet unpaid, as some holders of such claims believed they should pay no taxes until a patent had been issued for their land. Attorney-general Crawford has given an opinion that taxes on such could be levied after the first of last March, regardless of whether a patent has been issued or not. With these cleaned up, the delinquent list will not be greater than it was last year.

Each member of the '97 football team which played in last Saturday's game appears to have found his niche. Holgate is a stenographer, and John Gault, a plumber in Portland. Scoggins is practicing law in Eastern Oregon; McBride and Edwards are in the butcher and cattle business at Mayville and Condon; Bodine and Thurston are farmers in Linn county, Walters is with his father in the sawmill and lumber business in Lane county, and Elgin keeps books for the Benton Mills.

The annual conference of the M. E. church, just held at Eugene, re-districted the state, forming three districts, East Portland, West Portland and Eugene. The Willamette river separates the first two named to a point south of Corvallis. Eugene district embraces all of the territory south of this point. Corvallis, with Portland, is in the West Portland district, of which Rev. W. B. Hollingshead is made presiding elder. Rev. G. H. Feese is sent from Cottage Grove to Corvallis, while Rev. F. L. Moore, who has been pastor here for the past four years goes to Cottage Grove.

Lieutenant Quinlan of the 9th U. S. cavalry is an unassuming agreeable gentleman and has already made a favorable impression on the students. He is a law graduate of the University of Michigan, and entered the military service as a volunteer in the ranks. He earned his promotion by four years hard service under Generals Lawton, Funston, Grant, Young and McArthur, in the Philippines, being severely wounded a number of times, from the effects of which he still suffers. There can be no doubt of his fitness for the position to which he has been assigned.

T. H. Wellsler has a patch of strawberries that is bearing a second crop. The plants are of an eye-bearing variety and the berries are just ripening for use. The second crop will not be as large as the first nor the berries quite as big but being of a variety famous for its size, the berries are as large as common varieties. The vines have received a large amount of water during the summer. Besides the strawberries, Mr. Wellsler has raised two crops of onions, beets, and beans and other vegetables. Those who doubt that gardening pays would do well to take a look at this garden as a sample.

Sunday at the M. E. Church.

Rev. G. H. Feese, the newly appointed pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in Corvallis, will be in his pulpit at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on next Sunday. Mr. Feese is a comparatively new man in Oregon, having filled good places of importance in Washington and more recently in Kansas. He is a college man, with post-graduate work, and an enthusiastic worker wherever he goes. I take pleasure in commending him to the membership and constituencies of the church and to the public of the community also, and bespeak for him the heartiest co-operation in this important field.

FRANK L. MOORE, Retiring Pastor.

J. G. McKennon from Alice, Eastern Oregon, has arrived and will take a course in OAC.

Letters received from J. Paulsen '03, and W. B. Hillman '01, of OAC, state they are employed by the Westinghouse Mfg. Co., of Pittsburgh, Pa.

A marriage license was issued Tuesday to A. E. Hinkins and Miss Emma B. Williamson, both highly esteemed young people of Benton county living near Wells.

The cider mill has been running two days and 2500 gallons of cider have been made, and the season's output promises to be large. The cider is of an excellent quality and color.

Beginning about Oct. 7, a strong story of local interest from the pen of Paul DeLaney will appear in the GAZETTE and in generous installments will be continued in each Friday issue until completed. "Toilers of the Columbia" is the name of the story and it is one of the very best that has ever appeared.

Mrs. Emily Taylor, of Box, is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Jennie Greer.

Mrs. Casper Durst and mother have arrived from Crabtree, Linn county, and are living in Jobs Addition.

R. J. Moses, of the firm of Moses Bros., of Philomath, will move to Corvallis in the near future. The move will be made to facilitate the operation of the big double store arrangement now in process of formation.

Miss Mallow who was absent from her position in the public school, on account of sickness returned Monday to resume her work. During her illness her position was successfully filled by Misses Lindgren and Corlie Starr.

Henry Whitehead and wife, of Towanda, Pa., are visiting their nephew, R. L. Whitehead, at Cauthorn Hall. Mr. and Mrs. Whitehead are on their way to San Francisco and have not seen their nephew since 1867. They will remain here until the 8th inst.

Mr. Flemming, an aged gentleman, formerly of Salem and who lived last winter in Albany is at the Farmers' Hotel suffering from a painful wound on his hand. The other day while descending the steps of the Hotel Corvallis he stumbled and fell, knocking off a great patch of skin.

A disc sharpener is one of the latest inventions in Corvallis, it is owned and operated by Austin & Thomas, blacksmiths. By the old process the discs were sharpened with a file and took a great deal of time. The new contrivance will do the work and do it better in about one-tenth of the time. Mr. Austin is the inventor.

The progress manifested by the Corvallis & Eastern railroad in extending its traffic and so arranging its trains to leave Corvallis in the morning at 6 o'clock, connecting with the northbound local at Albany for Portland at 7 o'clock in the morning and the same train connecting with the local train from Portland to Albany and arriving at Corvallis at 7:45 in the evening makes through travel from Corvallis very convenient. It now behooves the people of Benton county to give liberal patronage to this new railroad service so as enable the railroad company to make a good profit out of their new venture.



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