

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Roy Shaw went over to Albany Friday on business. T. D. Hinton and family, of Monroe, were in town Saturday. All kinds of repair work done at J. K. Perry's. The Drs. F. B. and A. J. Dayton have come to Corvallis for a week's stay. Miss Marie Rowland went to Portland Saturday, where she will visit for a couple of weeks. Silk and woolen goods a specialty at Corvallis Steam Laundry. R. Catlin, one of the city fathers of Salem, passed Friday here transacting business. Royal Shaw and Harold Rumbaugh, OAC students, spent Sunday with their home folks in Albany. Full line of high grade groceries crockery, etc., at P. M. Zielof's. Walter Cummings and Ralph Cady have purchased the woodsaw of Mr. Hansell. Our merchants report a large trade from Linn county residents Saturday. They know where to get good goods and cheap prices. Parents should be on the alert to detect the first symptoms of eye strain in their children. Mrs. Nelle Glassford Swan, has been employed as teacher in Oak Ridge, or Band Box school. School opens Monday. A new eight-roomed, two-story residence is being erected just west of Bodine's warehouse; it is owned by George Emerick and son. You can get the birds down with the ammunition that J. K. Berry handles. A souvenir post card, written by Mrs. Elsie Canfield-Ferch October 18, on board the steamship "Mongolia" says they are having a pleasant trip. The Mongolia has on board 83 missionaries. Fishing tackle, hunters' supplies and sporting goods at Hodes' Pioneer Gun Store. A Halloween party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Chapel at Inavale Saturday evening. A delightful time was had. A number of Corvallis young people were among the merry-makers. Dr. Dayton, the eye specialist, is now in Corvallis on his regular visit and will be in his office at the Hotel Corvallis until Saturday evening November 5. Examination free. There will be a Citizens Mass Meeting at the Court House on Wednesday evening. The speakers will be E. S. J. McAllister, attorney of the Anti-Saloon League and prominent business men of this city. Let everybody turn out and hear them. Rev. D. S. Summerville, who was assigned to Albany by the recent M. E. conference, has been changed to Ashland and it is probable that Rev. J. W. McDougall, of Grants Pass, will acceptably assume the pastorate of the church at Albany. A basket social was given by the Sunday School at Oak Ridge Friday night and the sum of \$25 was raised. Good things to eat and an excellent program were features of the evening. A number of Corvallis young people were in attendance. Portland's population for 1904 is 150,000. This estimate is made by the local managers for R. L. Polk & Co. who are publishing Portland's new directory. This estimate includes the Chinese, Japanese and other foreigners as well as the hotel trade and floating population. Without these the net population is 137,600 or a gain of 14,000 people in 11 months. Mrs. Chester V. Dolph who has occupied the Snell cottage during the past summer has fitted up one of the Dolph cottages in College street at Portland, and left for that city on Monday's train. She will remain in Portland until the close of the Lewis and Clark fair, when she will travel abroad for two or three years. During her long residence here she and her interesting family have made hosts of devoted friends who regret that they cannot remain here longer. One of the most enjoyable events of the season was an "At Home" given from 3 to 5 o'clock by Mrs. E. R. Bryson at her residence Friday afternoon. About fifty ladies were present. The afternoon was spent in an exchange of friendly greetings and such conversation and amusements as always mark the social meeting of bright and vivacious women. The rooms were tastefully decorated and a delicious luncheon served. Altogether it was a very pleasant social function.

Louis Hartley made a business trip to Salem yesterday. Quite a demand for pumpkins the last few days and gobblins were abroad in our city. The Utopians entertained the Zetageans Saturday night. A most enjoyable time is reported. After a two-months' sojourn at Nye Brook, Miss Mary Thompson returned home yesterday. A crowd of Seniors made a trip to Mt. Chintimini Saturday. A gentle shower laid the dust before their return. General and Mrs. Thorp gave a very pleasant, quiet dinner party Sunday, marking the birthday anniversary of Col. Philips. Mrs. Geo. A. Waggoner returned home Friday from attending the Shearer-Houck wedding at Portland. Mrs. Nettie Thayer came up from Astoria Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hately, who reside near Philomath. Miss Grace Smith entertained about 20 of her little friends in a delightful manner in genuine Halloween style on Saturday evening. The James Horning twelve roomed residence in Avery's addition is about completed and will be occupied by the family this week. Leo Spaulding who has been confined to his bed for three weeks resumed his studies in OAC yesterday morning. Ira Bodine is contemplating the erection of a new residence. It will probably be built near the warehouse but may not be commenced before spring. Poultry show in Corvallis December 8, 9 and 10. Begin to groom your chickens and get ready for it. Let us keep a large share of the premiums at home. A. F. Peterson was a passenger for Salem on Monday's early morning train. After transacting some business in that city he will go to Tillamook for a few days. The Mission Band of the Presbyterian church gave a social at the residence of E. W. Pratt last Friday night. A fine time was had and proceeds amounted to about \$5. Halloween parties galore Saturday and Monday nights, and young men and maidens alike resorted to sundry schemes suitable to the occasion to learn their fate. Miss Mary Pritchard, a former resident of Corvallis, who has been the guest of Miss Nora Miller, returned to her home in Portland yesterday. Miss Franke Houte was the little hostess at a social gathering Monday night. It is needless to say the affair passed off very pleasantly for her little friends. The new residence recently erected by C. A. Troxel near the C. & E. depot is about completed and will be occupied by the family this week. James Dickey, of Denver, Colo., is visiting in this city with his brother, George Dickey. Mr. Dickey may decide to locate in our city. He is a practical electrician. Miss Josie Benham, of Dusty, now occupies the position as night operator of the Independent telephone company, made vacant by the resignation of Miss Lelia Alexander. The next attraction at the Opera House Friday night will be Sullivan-Harris & Woods' fine production of Theodore Kremer's master piece, "The Fatal Wedding", a four act comedy drama which is now being successfully performed on three continents. The play is replete in scenes of pathos, comedy, sensational denouements and climaxes. A special feature will be Gussie Sheres the child of 8 years as The Little Mother. A quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grigsby, two miles north of Independence, Wednesday noon, October 26, 1904. Mr. Everett W. Pritchard formerly of this city, being the groom and Miss Martha J. Grigsby, the bride. Dr. E. J. Thompson spoke the words that made them man and wife. After partaking of the wedding lunch the young couple took their departure for Portland where Mr. Pritchard is an employee in the S. P. R. R. car shops. A Picture Free for You. A beautiful facsimile of a hand painting of President Roosevelt or if you prefer, the same of Mt. Hood neatly mounted on different colors of mounting board, will be given free to everyone subscribing for the CORVALLIS GAZETTE or to anyone paying up back subscription or paying in advance. These pictures are going fast, come and get one.

Miss Belle Edwards, of Bountain, was in Corvallis Saturday. After a visit with Corvallis friends Mrs. Hare returned Saturday to her home in Albany. Mrs. C. C. Chipman left yesterday for an extended visit with friends in Iowa. Four of our popular young people go into another state on the 16th inst—the state of matrimony. M. S. Woodcock went to Portland and will be absent several days. Dr. Darrin and wife left Sunday for Dallas, where they will remain during November. A passenger on the C & E train yesterday for an Albany trip was Mrs. Taylor Porter who went on business and will return today. W. O. Heckart, the contractor and builder, has completed the Henderson building and gone to Eugene to hurry forward work there. Jesse B. Irvine has moved into his new residence in Avery's addition, south of the depot. He is erecting building necessary to engage in the poultry industry. An elegant new store building 30x60 and two stories high has been completed for Titus Ramey at Summit. The second story will be used as a public hall. W. B. Dilly of Corvallis is doing the work. F. J. Chambers, who formerly operated a general store at Kings Valley, has reopened for business at the old stand and invites his former customers and friends to call and see him again. Married, on the 30th of October, at the home of J. H. Brown, James E. Post, of Summit and Mary J. Robinett, of Blodgett, Horace Underhill, Justice of the Peace, officiating. A dozen or more fish hides, each of which would be ample covering for an ox, were on the C & E express car yesterday. They were taken from baby whales and were exceedingly tough. Prof Cordley left yesterday for Jacksonville and other points in Southern Oregon on OAC Experiment Station work. The professor is endeavoring to find an insect that will prove a destructive enemy to the San Jose scale. An operation was performed yesterday afternoon upon Arthur Henkle for abscess of the intestines. Drs. Cathey and Pernot were the attending physicians. The patient is without fever, resting well and in good condition for a rapid recovery. Mrs. Carrie Goudy and mother who left here for Portland enroute to their home in Bedford, Iowa, left Portland Thursday. They are much pleased with Oregon and anticipate visiting Oregon again during the Lewis and Clark Fair. Bible Study meetings at the United Evangelical church each evening this week. Revival services will commence with next Sunday evening, when Rev. Metzger of Dallas, will preach. George Waggoner and Hon. Pun. Avery returned Saturday from a hunting trip on the Calipoola near the Blue River mines. Three deer were secured and a pleasant time reported. A meeting of the Corvallis congregation of the Presbyterian church will be held this (Monday) evening at the church at 7:30 o'clock. Matters of much importance will be laid before the meeting and a general attendance is desired. T. W. Dille and J. E. Waggoner who went on a hunting trip to the Blue River mines last week, when last seen were headed for the mountain fastness, fully determined not to return to civilization without a supply of venison. The new lateral sewer in South Corvallis, extending two blocks from the Brien to the Lacy residences is being pushed with all possible haste. The sewer will be 7 1/2 feet deep at the south end and about 13 feet at the north end and will be supplied with 7-inch tile. Mrs. R. E. Clark, of Blodgett, who has been at Dallas for several weeks, taking special treatment for her health, must, we are informed, undergo an operation in order to save her life. The operation will be performed as soon as the strength of the patient will permit. Real Estate Transfers. W A Wells and wife to W G Green, 2 lots block 13, Avery & Wells Add; \$200. John Crans and wife to G W Reed, 2 lots, block F, Avery's 1st Add; \$500. S M Emerick and husband to A M Truitt, 2 lots Philomath; \$800.

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Monroe Notes. Mr. and Mr. Virgil Lendinghan, of Bountain, were Monroe visitors Monday. Adam Wilhelm Jr. made a business visit to Corvallis Saturday. Wm Norwood, of Bruce, the typhoid fever patient is reported some better today. Dr. Bennett is attending the case. The dance given on Ramo Corner last Thursday was a success in every way. The quarantine of Monroe schools, on account of diphtheria, was raised Thursday. It certainly was a very mild case when the patient was at all times able to attend to her household duties. It looked strange that there was no flag up, and to see the patient, Mrs. Emil Howard, out on the street and the school children have to keep indoors. There will be a social dance given at Carpenter's Hall Friday night, Nov. 4. Good music and good supper will be furnished. Tickets 5 cents for each dance. A. Wilhelm & Sons recently employed two new millers, one for the Monroe and one for the Junction City Flouring mills. Oak Grove' Chips. School District 49 is still without a teacher. Mrs. C. A. Bearinger is visiting in Corvallis for a few days. Herman Chappel has just returned from the Sherman county harvest field. There has been no preaching at Oak Ridge since Mr. Carrick went away. Verne Jones has gone to Dallas, having secured a position with the Flouring Mill Co. there. Rexford and Totten have just finished their contract to deliver cedar posts to the Electric Light plant. CHIPPER. AN OPEN LETTER. To THE EDITOR—Having learned that it is generally understood that we have refused to debate with J. V. Combes, or his representative, Rev. Handsaker, we wish to say that we are ready to meet them at any time. Subject:—The Bible teaches and sustains spirit return and spirit communication in the present age. We affirm. Yours truly, JESSIE S. PETTIT FLINT. Dangerous Wrecks. Carelessness is responsible for many a railway wreck and the same causes are making human wrecks of sufferers from Throat and Lung troubles. But since the advent of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, even the worst cases can be cured, and hopeless resignation is no longer necessary. Mrs. Lois Cragg, of Dorchester, Mass., is one of many whose life was saved by Dr. King's New Discovery. This great remedy is guaranteed for all Throat and Lung diseases by Allen & Woodward, Druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free. Notice—The cider factory will not buy any more apples but will do custom work only. Those who want cider made will bring their apples to the factory on Saturdays only. This action has become necessary owing to lack of space to put cider. Additional Locals. Mrs Annie Pratt, an aunt of Mrs C H Everett of Corvallis, slipped and fell off the porch at the Everett home on Second street Sunday, and was severely hurt, causing partial paralysis. Dr. Cathey is attending her. Henry A Townsend, of Des Moines, Iowa, Union Pacific Land and Immigration agent, and Chas E Williamson, a real estate dealer of Omaha, Nebraska, were passengers on Saturday's C & E train, returning from an observation tour to Yaquina Bay and vicinity. These gentlemen with others are seeking to turn the tide of immigration into the Willamette valley and coast counties. They are very sanguine of success in their undertakings. Last Sunday was Local Option Day in Corvallis churches and the day was given up by the different denominations to a consideration of the subject. Dr. G. L. Tufts, state superintendent of the Oregon Anti-Saloon League and Dr. C. F. S. McAllister, state attorney for the League, were present and addressed the congregations assembled. The object was to hold a service in each church with a general mass meeting in the afternoon. The meetings were well attended and deep interest was shown by Corvallis citizens on the subject that lies so close to their hearts just now. Dr. McAllister is a splendid speaker and logical thinker.

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