

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Edna Irvine was a Portland visitor this week.

Albert Mercer, of Monroe, was a Corvallis visitor Tuesday.

Dr. M. M. Davis has been a Eugene visitor this week.

Carl Hodes and family moved into the Walden house on Water street.

Mrs. W. A. Wells is slowly recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

D. D. Bertram returned yesterday from a several days' business trip to Portland.

Collie Cathey, one of the band boys, has been quite ill with la grippe this week.

Miss Mayme Crawford returned home Monday from Portland to remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold King moved Monday into the McLennan house on Third street.

Mrs. J. H. Scott and child, of Albany, have been guests of Mrs. J. E. Riley this week.

Rev. M. S. Bush will preach at Oak Ridge Presbyterian church next Sunday at 3 p. m.

G. A. Robinson, the real estate man, was confined to his home with illness several days this week.

J. L. Lewis, the well known real estate man, returned Tuesday from a ten days' business trip to Portland.

Charles Everett returned to Portland Wednesday to resume his duties as a conductor on the electric cars.

Judge McFadden has been in Junction City several days this week, looking after business on his farm.

P. L. McKinney, who arrived a week or two ago from New York city, is suffering with an attack of mumps.

Easter services at the M. E. church South, Sunday at 11 a. m. Also the regular services at 7:30 p. m. J. A. Ellison, pastor.

Miss DeEtta Jones, the trained nurse, arrived Tuesday to take charge of the members of the W. H. Dilley family who are seriously ill.

Miss Cora Newton returned Tuesday from a visit in Portland. She was accompanied home by Miss Bennett who will remain for a visit.

General repairs are being made to the ferry, and while it is out of service, the gravel ferry is being used. The work on the former will require several days.

There was an alarm of fire from the Goldson home Monday night, a fire burning out being the cause of alarm. The department responded, but the fire was out before the firemen fairly reached the scene.

Vance Taylor, who has been clerking at Horning's grocery, has resigned the position to accept a place in the Harris dry goods establishment. He begins work Monday. His place at Horning's is filled by Carl Hodes.

The Small bakery is to have more commodious quarters. The room here-tofore occupied by the Spencer barber shop is to be joined to the one now occupied by the bakery, the work of removing the partition being about completed.

G. W. Howard and son, Emil, of Bellefontaine, were in Corvallis Tuesday, for the purpose of marketing their mohair. Considerable mohair has been coming into town recently. In Lincoln county it is stated that most of the clip has been pooled.

Presbyterian church, M. S. Bush, pastor. Bible school 10 a. m. Communion and reception of members 11 a. m. C. E. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30. At this service the choir will sing the Easter Cantata, "The Conquering King." You are invited to come and enjoy these services.

There was a good audience at the Congregational church Tuesday night to greet the Portland Kenorpa trio, and every one went home well pleased with the evenings entertainment. Miss Ethel M. Shea, contralto, Miss Ethel M. Lytle, soprano, and Mrs. McGuire, character reader, are the members of the little concert company and each in her line is an artist. The trio is composed of one Kentucky girl, one Oregon girl and one girl from Pennsylvania, and the word "Kenorpa" is therefore significant: "Ken" for Kentucky, "Or" for Oregon, and "Pa" for Pennsylvania. Not the least of the charm found in the entertainment by these ladies is the modesty and womanliness displayed by the individuals. The Kenorpa trio would certainly find a warm welcome if Corvallis should again be on their schedule.

Mrs. M. S. Woodcock has been confined at home several days with la grippe.

Mrs. Delilah Houck left Wednesday for a ten days' visit with relatives at Monroe.

Rev. Handsaker will address the college Y. M. C. A. at three o'clock Sunday afternoon. Subject, "Grit."

Mrs. B. N. Tharp, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Stone, is to leave in a few days for her home near Suver.

Mrs. Cecil Wells-Cummings is expected to arrive from Seattle the first of the week for a visit with her parents in this city.

Mrs. Lizzie Mercer, well-known throughout Benton county, is able to be up and about the house after a two years' illness.

William Hull, the well known vegetable grower of the Belknap settlement, made his first trip to Corvallis for the season, Wednesday.

It is announced that Archie Burns is to be valedictorian and Miss Minnette Phillips salutatorian of the OAC, graduating class in June.

B. A. Harlan and family arrived Wednesday from Huntley, Nebraska, and expect to locate. Mr. Harlan is a son of A. N. Harlan of this city.

Frank Maxwell and family have arrived from Halsey and occupy the Caleb Davis house. Mr. Maxwell is engaged in the J. H. Simpson hardware store.

George Wilhelm and Miss Cecil Rumpy are to be married Sunday. The groom is a nephew of Adam Wilhelm, Sr., of Monroe, and is well known in Benton. The bride resides at Harrisburg.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter died Wednesday in Portland, being but one day of age. The mother was formerly Miss Della Blakeslee, of Corvallis, and she is reported to be in a very critical condition.

Mrs. J. A. Pressley left a few days ago for Browns Valley, Minnesota, where she is to make her home with a daughter. During her brief residence in this city Mrs. Pressley made many friends, who sincerely regret her departure.

Appropriate Easter exercises will be held at the Christian church next Sunday. Sunrise prayer meeting at 6:30 will be led by Mr. Schroeder. At 11 a. m. the pastor will speak on "The Resurrection." In the evening the Sunday school will have a program followed by a baptismal service.

April 13. Wm. J. Clarke, republican candidate for State Printer. He is a son of that old time editor and publisher, S. A. Clarke. He asks all old timers and their sons and all others to vote for him primary day, April 20th. His name is the first on the list of printers.—No. 38.

Elmer Clark is up for re-nomination as county treasurer on the republican ticket of Malheur county this election. Elmer is a former Corvallis boy who has made marked progress in the business world, and many friends in Corvallis wish him success in the coming campaign.

L. C. Martin, of Monmouth, was in Corvallis, Wednesday, campaigning for E. B. Watson of Portland, who is a candidate for United States senator. Mr. Martin tells that Judge Watson is sure to carry Multnomah county and nearly every county south of Linn, as he is very popular down there where he used to live.

The last of the Senior rhetoricals occur at college chapel this afternoon. The orators are Archie Van Cleve and Walter E. Winford. The other numbers on the program are a dialogue, "Bridget's Investment" by Miss Alice Edwards, Miss Laura Pratt and Floyd Huff; solo, Miss Agnes von der Helen, and vocal duet, Miss Edna Allen and Miss Bertie McBea.

Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Ferch are expected to arrive in Seattle from Shanghai, about the 15th. They are missionaries of the United Evangelical denomination, and Mrs. Ferch will be remembered as Miss Elsie Canfield, a popular graduate of OAC. The return to the states is made because of the ill health of Mrs. Ferch, and it is uncertain whether they will return to China to take up missionary work.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Rose were passengers on the West side train Tuesday for McMinnville. Mr. Rose went to attend the regular meeting of O. F. R. A. A special meeting of the W. R. C. Custer No. 6, was called to receive Mrs. Rose, she being a member of that corps. Mr. and Mrs. Rose were guests of Judge Galloway and family. Judge Rhodes, of McMinnville, was elected president of the Oregon Fire Relief Association.

THE FOURTH DEATH

Within Five Weeks—Burial of Mrs. John Day.

After a few weeks' illness with typhoid fever, Mrs. John Day died at the home of her friend, Mrs. Mattie Knight, in Forest Grove, at 10 o'clock Sunday night. The remains were brought to Corvallis Tuesday and the funeral occurred from the Christian church at 2 p. m. Tuesday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Handsaker and numerous friends and acquaintances were present to pay a farewell tribute of respect.

The remains were laid in Crystal Lake cemetery, beside those of the three children who died less than five weeks ago, all from typhoid fever. The first death was that of Miss Eva Day, the 19-year old daughter, who died Feb. 24th., after many weeks' illness. Only four days later Ina, the 13-year old sister, followed, and on March 5th, Joseph, the 17-year old brother, from whom had been concealed the knowledge that his two sisters were gone, also succumbed to the disease, the funeral occurring March 6th., and now only one month and three days later, the mother is laid away! The only members left of a happy family of six are the father and husband, John Day, and a young boy, Ben, who barely survived an attack of typhoid some weeks ago.

A sadder case than that of the Day family has never come to the notice of Corvallis people, and there is profound sympathy for the surviving members.

Mrs. Day was aged 41 years, and was a native of Germany.

Will Break the Record

Great as were the results last year of the efforts put forth by the Benton County Citizens' League, those anticipated for the coming year are still greater, and indications point to a season of unparalleled success in securing immigration for Benton county.

John Allen, the secretary, now has a stenographer to aid in the task of answering letters of inquiry from the East, and yet the letters arrive by the dozen daily, until both secretary and stenographer are "snowed under."

Since the first of March 1,000 pieces of literature, relative to the resources and advantages of Benton county, have been mailed by the League, and replies show that 90 per cent of the recipients are pleased with the descriptive matter sent them. Every inquirer is sent a personal letter by the secretary and this delicate attention goes far in winning the confidence and enlisting the interest of the prospective home seeker.

The League work this year will be better systematized than ever before, and the officers feel certain that the results will be little short of marvelous, judging from the direct benefits that were derived last season from the advertising and other efforts put forth.

It is safe to assert that nowhere in Oregon, unless it be in Multnomah county, will more effective work be accomplished by any organization, than that of the Benton Citizens' League, with its hustling officers and energetic secretary.

Who Is the Available Man?

Four years ago the republican candidate for state printer, ran thousands of votes behind his ticket because of his record as a bolter and his notorious "deal" with "Jack" Mathews in the state convention of 1902. Now Whitney is more vulnerable still, because the state printing office has been run so expensively to taxpayers. The one man among the state printer candidates to add strength to the republican ticket is Willis S. Dunniway, who pledges retrenchment and who is able to help fight the parties battles in the coming campaign, as he has often done in the past.

The prices of tickets for Frederick Warde recital Friday evening will be 75 cents and \$1. General admission, 50 cents.

Engraved calling cards per 100, \$3.00 and up. Morgan, The Printer, Corvallis.

Additional Local.

The greatest actor that ever visited Corvallis in any capacity is Mr. Frederick Warde.

For years it has been known that there were coal deposits in certain parts of Lincoln county, and concerning recent developments in that line the Reporter has the following in its last issue: Mr. Joe Nurry, an Iowa man, after doing some prospecting assisted by a mining expert bought a tract of land and has shipped in a drilling outfit. The machinery has been taken up there and will be in operation in a few days. H. A. Harter, a mechanical and mining engineer, has charge of the work. He has had over thirty years' experience in practical mining and is an expert. He had looked the grounds over, located the upper strata of coal and feels confident that a large strata lies beneath it. The machinery brought here has a capacity for drilling down a thousand feet. It is of the improved modern type.

A vote for Judge E. B. Watson on April 20th., will be a vote for the best interests of the whole people of Oregon. Among the man reasons why people will vote for E. B. Watson for United States senator, is because he is an able and experienced lawyer, and has held many responsible positions with great credit to himself, and acceptance to the people whom he served. The smooth, professional politician, cannot assume a genuine sincerity that will not be noted. Many men meeting Judge Watson for the first time, are at once impressed with his sincerity, his honesty and ability, characteristics which make him appreciated, by all who know him. There is nothing affected or put on about him. Vote for him for United States senator.

Once before when Frederick Warde was in Portland teachers of the city schools presented him with a silver service. This year on his return he is given an ovation by 700 members of the Elk Lodge with the chief executive of the state making the presentation speech. Few men are accorded such receptions, and the people of Corvallis who hear him Friday evening will congratulate themselves on having been entertained and instructed by a man without a peer and whose art is unexcelled.

Lost—Black horse, white spot in forehead, three white feet, scar on left fore foot. Strayed from my residence in Corvallis during the night, Tuesday. Telephone information to R. L. Taylor. 32tf.

The event of this season will be Frederick Warde's Shakespearean recital at the opera house next Friday evening.

A large number of members are to be welcomed into the M. E. church in a special service Sunday morning. The Easter exercises will be held at 7:30 p. m. and will take the place of the regular services. There will be a miscellaneous program of songs, recitations and class exercises, and the public is invited to attend.

Mrs. Mary Miller, who has been seriously ill for some weeks, is slightly improved.

Let's go fishing—At Hodes' Gun Store. Biggest and most complete line of fishing tackle in town. All kinds of repair work guaranteed. 28tf

The Early Life and Manhood of Abraham Lincoln is soon to start in serial form in the Gazette. Here is something of unusual merit offered. If not now a subscriber you had better get your name on the list at once—you'll never regret it. 26 tf.

A light spring truck and delivery wagon combined is just about completed at the Horning blacksmith shop. It is for H. W. Kaupisch, to be used for general purposes about the new ice plant on Water street, when the latter begins operations. A boiler of 1,500 gallons was completed at the Kaupisch creamery Tuesday also for use in the new plant.

The G. A. R. and W. R. C. are preparing to give an entertainment on the evening of the 21st., to raise funds for memorial day exercises.

Human Blood Marks.

A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well known merchant of Bac. Ky. He writes: "Twenty years ago I had severe hemorrhages of the lungs and was near death when I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well ever since. It cures hemorrhages, Chronic Coughs, Settled colds and Bronchitis, and is the only known cure for weak lungs. Every bottle guaranteed by Allen & Woodward druggists. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.



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