

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Rice attended the fair at Salem Friday.

Clerk T. T. Vincent was a visitor at the fair, Friday.

Chief of Police Lane was a visitor at the fair Friday.

E. R. Lake is having his residence repainted this week.

Jesse Moses of Philomath was a business visitor in Corvallis Friday.

Sheriff Burnett and Judge E. Woodward were fair visitors the last of the week.

Mrs. Thorp of lower Alsea, was in Corvallis, Friday, en route home from a week's visit in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black moved Saturday onto the Stone prune ranch in Linn county.

Archie Burns returned Friday from a few days' business trip to Portland.

Ross Cady, son of J. J. Cady, left Friday for Dayton, Wash., to accept employment.

Mrs. Devine goes to Ashland, Friday, for a two months' visit with her brother.

Oliver Johnson arrived Friday from John Day to re-enter OAC. His sister, Miss Floy, will not return to college this year.

Mrs. Jacob Hurlburt leaves Saturday for McCloud, Calif., for a two months' visit with her sisters Mrs. J. Dennis.

Mrs. Nellie Clem of Bellefontaine was a Corvallis visitor the last of the week. She conducts a store at that place.

Mrs. D. G. Busby, of Portland, was the guest for several days the latter part of the week of her sister, Mrs. Henry Stone.

Charles Cropp is one of the old students who has returned to college. He arrived the last of the week from Eastern Oregon.

Miss Melissa Whitney of Chitwood left Friday for Pullman, Wash., where she is to teach the coming year.

Miss Elta Raber, of Granger, is one of the new students at OAC this year. She arrived the last of the week and will room at Alpha hall.

Mrs. L. L. Forter left Sunday for her home at Oregon City, after a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Spangler, in this city.

A three-horse power electric motor arrived at the Willamette Valley's Co.'s office Thursday. It is for the new newspaper office that is to be established.

D. O. Quick of Halsey was a Corvallis visitor the last of the week, and Fred Quick of Portland also paid a visit to Corvallis friends the same day.

Ira Whitney, formerly of OAC, and familiarly known as "General Shafter," is now a professor in the State Agricultural College at Pullman, Wash.

Hunters' licenses were issued Friday to the following: F. H. Hughson, J. Archibald, Jr., Robert Wilson, I. V. Lake, P. C. Winkle, H. M. Browner and I. N. Winkle.

Frank Howard and family arrived the last of the week from Bridal Veil, to locate. There are four boys in the family who will enter OAC.

A new body ironer arrived Friday and was at once installed at the steam laundry. It is considered a great labor-saving device and is a valuable addition to the equipment of the establishment.

W. A. Winniford, a student last year at OAC, is suffering with typhoid fever at the family home in Kings Valley. The mother and other young people were to have moved to Corvallis this week, but their coming will necessarily be delayed.

A slight "mix-up" in names appeared in an item in the last issue of the Gazette. The intention was to state that Will Wicks, of OAC had been promoted to assistant horticulturist under Professor Lewis, and that Arthur Bouquet takes the position vacated by Mr. Wicks as assistant to Professor Coote. The names became transposed in the former item.

Never has there been such a shortage of cars as now, owing to the great demand for lumber that is on, and local shippers experience great difficulty in securing transportation for their products. The Strong saw mill is one enterprise that is hindered greatly by the car shortage, as the demand for lumber is twice as great as can be met, owing to the difficulty mentioned. A. A. Morse of the O. R. & N. company, Portland, was in Corvallis Friday, looking after the matter, and it is hoped that something may be speedily done to relieve the situation.

Grant Elgin and family attended the fair in Salem, Saturday.

Misses Bertha and Belle Edwards arrived Saturday from Bellefontaine to attend college.

Frank Francisco is clerking at S. L. Kline's during the absence in Seattle of O. V. Hurt.

Arthur Belknap returned Saturday evening from a few days' business trip to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Strong went to Portland, Friday, for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Ed Stone, of Albany, has been a guest at the Jacobs home the past few days.

W. S. Linville is able to resume his position at Kline's store, after being confined at home a week with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Among the old students who have returned to OAC are Ralph Worstei, Will Kitchen and the Porter boys, all of Eastern Oregon.

Miss Bessie Herbert was given a birthday party at her home Friday evening. Fifteen guests enjoyed the event. Games and refreshments were features of entertainment.

Bob Vidito and family who went to Tidewater on a visit a week ago, were water bound and unable to return last week, until the creek went down.

Miss Mabel Kinnison arrived the last of the week to re-enter OAC. She brought with her two young lady friends who will also become students.

Mrs. Minnie Lee left Friday for Vancouver, B. C., for a month's visit with Prof. and Mrs. E. C. Hayward. From there she goes to Bluffton, Indiana, to spend the winter with her mother.

Dr. Newth, of Philomath, is having a handsome new office building erected in that town. It is 20x26 and will be divided into four rooms. The doctor is also to put in some new apparatus and instruments.

Fred Knaus of Portland will not return to OAC this fall. In a letter to a Corvallis friend he states that he has gone to Myrtle Creek to accept employment. He formerly worked for the S. P. company at Portland.

Markus Caves died Thursday at the home of his mother at Hoskins, after a lingering illness with heart disease. Mr. Caves was about 32 years of age and leaves a wife and one child. No particulars of the funeral were obtained.

Physical Director W. O. Trine of OAC, arrived home Thursday night from Portland where he was the subject of another surgical operation last week. Aside from his face being quite sore he is feeling well, and expects to soon be in good health. His many friends hope that such may be the case.

Dan J. Kelly is to re-enter the U. of O. this month, in spite of reports to the contrary, says a dispatch to the Oregonian from the lad's home at Baker City. Other well-known athletes from that city who are also to enter U. of O. are Ralph Dodson, champion middle distance runner of Eastern Oregon and Henry McKinley, who participates in the weight events.

In Portland the last of the week, S. N. Wilkins of this city was elected president of the Funeral Directors' Association. Thursday night, according to the Oregonian, he gave a banquet at Hotel Oregon to the officers of the association. Mr. Wilkins was also appointed a delegate to the national convention of undertakers to be held at Richmond, Va., next September.

Ed Looney is to begin clerking in the J. H. Harris dry goods store October 1st, B. W. Lacy having resigned. Mr. Lacy has been a Corvallis citizen for 14 years, graduating from OAC in 1896. It has been over ten years since he began clerking in the J. H. Harris establishment, and he has been a faithful, obliging and popular clerk every day of that period. He goes to Portland from this city, but his future plans are not yet matured. Mr. Lacy will be missed by a large circle of sincere friends hereabouts.

One of the beneficial results of the prohibition era in Lane and Linn counties is seen in the fact that since they went "dry" their residents have had little trouble with hobos. The thirsty travelers have a horror of dry towns, and loiter in them no longer than necessary. Hobos have denominated the country from the north line of Linn county, to the south boundary of Lane "the desert," and they pass through as quickly as possible. Local police officers say they have heard hobos discuss the matter and say that they would never stop again in a Linn or Lane county town if they could help it, no matter how hungry they are.—Eugene Guard.

Carl and Roy Clarke, of Portland, are among the old students who have returned to enter OAC.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Huston returned home Friday evening from five days' visit to Salem.

Cyril Brownell, of Umatilla, arrived yesterday to become a student again at OAC.

Furnished rooms to let to students. Mrs. Caroline Maxfield. 77

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bane moved Saturday from their farm residence back to their dwelling in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Riley spent Friday and Saturday in Salem, seeing the sights at the fair.

Eastern and Olympia oysters for sale at Jesse Wiley's. Olympia oysters 40 cents a pint. 76-7

The Misses Watkins, of Monroe, have arrived to enter OAC, and have taken rooms above the O. J. Blackledge furniture store.

Mrs. James Zurcher was to leave yesterday for her home in Roseburg after a few days' visit with Corvallis relatives.

Adolph Schmidt and Henry Zimmerman arrived Saturday from The Dalles to re-enter OAC. Warren Forsythe came Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Looney are to occupy the Wilson house on 4th street, formerly occupied by Ed Andrews and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cummings are to arrive this week from Seattle to look after their property here and to visit relatives. They may spend the winter in Corvallis.

New fall goods just arrived at Mrs. Maxfield's. Prices reasonable. Call. 77

Student Cherry arrived Saturday from Astoria to attend college. He is the well-known foot ball player and his coming is a signal for rejoicing among local lovers of the sport.

Mrs. Caroline Maxfield and Miss Minnie Maxfield returned the last of the week from Portland, where they had been to purchase goods for their grocery and millinery store.

Fruit Jars—Yes, we have them. Thatcher & Johnson. 76-80

The survey for the extension of the Corvallis & Eastern from Yaquina to Newport began today. Engineer Haversham of Portland, who will have charge of the survey, went through to Yaquina Wednesday evening. Harry Fant and Ade Crosno have been engaged to assist in the work and went to the terminus yesterday evening.—Friday's Lincoln Leader.

Fred J. Oberer, general manager of the Oberer-Meyer Lumber Co passed through Dallas this week on his way to Portland on a business trip. He says the new sawmill is ready for operation and that shipments of lumber over the Dallas and Falls City railroad will be commenced in the near future. The mill is located in a fine body of timber, and a market is awaiting all the lumber that can be produced.—Polk County Observer.

Choice Grass Seeds—Alsiike, Red and White clover, Orchard Grass, Blue Grass, Rye Grass and Timothy. Thatcher & Johnson. 76-80

Dave Rosebrook, well-known in this city, arrived Thursday in Toledo from Santa Catalina Island, where he has been filling his old place as cornet soloist during the summer season at that famous resort. He will remove with his family in a few days to Los Angeles.

S. N. Wilkins left yesterday for Walla Walla, Wash., to attend the Washington Association of Funeral Directors. Since his election to the office of president of the Oregon Association Mr. Wilkins states that he has been obliged to enlarge his hat several inches to allow for the expansion due to the honor he has received.

For sale or rent, preferably for sale, residence and 2 1/2 acres of land on college hill. Address M. Robinson, Corvallis, Ore. 73-4f

The facts and figures given herewith are sent out from Albany and make interesting reading at the present time of excitement over timber claims: The timber excitement is at its height. Many parties in Albany have recently sold to eastern capitalists for sums ranging from \$1,500 to \$1,600, the former price being about the average. Now comes another eastern firm and offers \$2,400 per claim, provided that 20 claims can be secured that will cruise 2,000,000 feet per claim. This will be extremely difficult to do, as a very small per cent of the claims will reach that figure, the general average per claim being about 1,750,000.

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