

**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Wilbur Croft went to Portland yesterday for a week's visit.

James M. Watson of Kings Valley was a business visitor in Corvallis, Friday.

Mrs. Etta Downer left yesterday for Portland and Hood River for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. A. J. Hall of Polk county was the guest over Sunday of her son, Harley Hall, in this city.

A tenth grade has been added to the Bellefontaine public school and work in that grade began last Monday.

Ivan Hawley and bride of Bellefontaine, visited Corvallis friends, Friday, and purchased their house-keeping outfit.

Mrs. Caroline Shaw arrived Saturday from Waucoma, Iowa, to spend the winter with her, daughter, Mrs. G. B. Whitney in this city.

Mr. Duffield and bride arrived Wednesday from McCoy, where the wedding had just taken place. Mr. Duffield is clerking at S. L. Kline's, and with his bride will occupy the Bell cottage.

Mrs. Newell of Eugene, state evangelist for the W. C. T. U., spoke at the Christian church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock to an appreciative audience. Mrs. Newell has some idea of locating in this city.

Miles Young and family have returned from a residence of several years in Southern Oregon and are to take up their residence in East Portland. At present they are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Young.

A farmers' institute will be held in Lebanon on November 6 and 7, in the opera house, under direction of the Oregon Agricultural College, and will be conducted by the professors of that institution, headed by Dr. Withycombe and Prof. Kent.—Criterion.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Harris and family are to arrive in a few days from Waucoma, Iowa, to spend the winter. Mrs. Harris is a sister of Mrs. R. H. Colbert. At present members of the family are in Washington, where they stopped off to visit relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Edwards of Bellefontaine has returned from Portland where she went to be with her father, Mr. White, in his last illness. The gentleman died last week and the remains were brought to Junction City for interment Wednesday.

The new uniforms for the OAC cadets have been ordered and will be here shortly. In color they are the same as last year, but the trousers are a trifle shorter and button snugly along the outside from the knee to the ankle, in order that the leggings may fit smoothly.

A "life" prisoner at the Salem penitentiary has just completed a table with an inlaid top that contains 2,193 separate pieces of hardwood. The table has been sent to Jailer Mitchell in Portland who is to sell or raffle it off. The prisoners' name is James Warrens. He is serving a life sentence for murder.

Invitations are just out for the annual party at Cauthorn Hall, to be given on the evening of November 2nd. These affairs are an "at home" given their friends by the Cauthorn Hall boys, and are always attended by several hundred people. A fine program and banquet are the usual features.

S. S. Bailey, a Seattle horseman, has leased the Albany race track for a period of five years. Mr. Bailey has already arrived with five fine horses, and eight more are to follow. He will also care for the animals of other parties as he secures renters, and it seems probable that Albany will become quite a center for fast horses. The cost of keeping up this string of horses is about \$5000 a year for local expenses, and to this will be added much other business if other strings of animals are brought there as anticipated.

Miles Starr, Jr., the new driver of the Wells Fargo express wagon, purchased a team from parties in Kings Valley last week, and late Thursday evening after unhitching the animals was giving them a wash-off at the livery barn. Suddenly a boy nearby made a quick move which frightened the horses and they lit out, all efforts to capture them proving futile. They headed for Kings Valley and had soon succeeded in breaking away from each other, although they were harnessed. One animal was caught on College Hill, but the other went on to Kings Valley, being brought back to Corvallis, Friday morning, by the former owner. Breakages to the harness were the only damages.

Student Hansen of OAC returned yesterday from a several days' visit in Portland.

Miles Starr, Sr., is having a small addition built to his residence on Ninth street.

Mrs. G. B. Farra and Mrs. Harry Buxton have been Portland visitors since Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Bryson and Mrs. Roscoe Bryson of Eugene, are guests at the E. R. Bryson home in this city.

M. M. Waltz of Bellefontaine, one of the well-known citizens of Southern Benton, has been quite ill with stomach trouble.

Miss Imogene Gill of Seio arrived Saturday to enter OAC for a special course in music. She will make her home with Miss Mary Sutherland.

Meigs Bartmess, of the class of '04, OAC, is now holding a responsible position with the Westinghouse Electrical Company of Pittsburgh, Pa., and is doing well.

A. L. Peterson and family have arrived from Zion City, Illinois, to locate in Benton. They are relatives of the Gustafson family, just west of Corvallis.

According to the statement of Rybert Shepard of Salem who was in Corvallis last week, the condition of Clay Shepard, former Y. M. C. A. leader at OAC, is much improved and hopes are now entertained of his recovery.

Eugene is threatened with a fuel famine. There is scarcely any wood to be had and the prices are skyward already, grub oak selling for \$5.50 per cord; body fir, \$5; dense fir, \$5; ash, \$4.50; maple, \$4; balsam, \$3.50, and slabwood \$3. A fuel famine is also feared in Portland.

Clarence Chipman arrived the latter part of the week from The Dalles, where he has been in the restaurant and confectionery business for the past two years. He has disposed of his interests at that place, but his plans for the future are not made known.

Charles Colbert met with a painful accident at the furniture factory Thursday afternoon. In some manner Mr. Colbert slipped and fell, striking his side against a heavy sawhorse. The blow was so severe that Mr. Colbert has been unable to work and he fears that one or more ribs have been fractured.

While sawing a heavy piece of oak lumber at the furniture factory the last of the week, Wallace Colbert was struck in the palm of the hand by a piece of the board with such force that the arm was almost paralyzed, and the young man was disabled for a day or two.

The Portland Journal is publishing in its Sunday edition a series of articles with illustrations, written by Prof. J. B. Horner, of the OAC. They are very readable and deserve the consideration of every lover of good literature and interested in the things of the world. Prof. Horner is a keen observer. He sees what goes on and tells it well. Some people do Europe and that is the end of it, while others use their observations and experiences for the edification and benefit of their fellow men. And that is what Prof. Horner is doing.—Roseburg Review.

Dr. Manion, who met with the Corvallis Artisan lodge Wednesday evening, paid a visit to the Kings Valley lodge Thursday evening. There was an open meeting and a big crowd was present to enjoy the program and banquet. That Dr. Manion is an active worker was demonstrated by the fact that during the evening he secured eight new members to the lodge, and not content with that, after the crowd had dispersed and only the lodge members remained, he put the eight candidates through the initiation ceremonies and collected dues for the month and other fees necessary to establish them as bona fide members of the order. The Doctor left Corvallis Friday morning and was to hold a big meeting at Hood River Friday night.

O. J. Blackledge, the genial furniture dealer, has originated a novel method of helping the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, of which he is a leading member. On the 3rd day of November Mr. Blackledge proposes to make a free will offering to the society of ten per cent of the cash sales of his furniture establishment on that day. All that the ladies have to do is to advertise the idea and provide extra help if it is needed at the store. If Mr. Blackledge takes in \$100 cash on November 3rd the ladies receive \$10; if he sells \$200 worth they get \$20. Home-made "goodies" for the Sunday dinner will also be on sale by the aid society. The ladies are delighted with the offer of Mr. Blackledge and are setting to work in earnest to make the proposition pay. The result will be awaited with considerable interest, as the idea is new in Corvallis.

H. C. Barnett, who came up from Portland a week ago on a visit, is enjoying a fishing trip in the Alsea country.

Attorney W. E. Yates came up from Vancouver Friday evening and spent Sunday with relatives.

Have your eyes fitted by one who knows how—Matthews, the optician. 84-f

The OAC sophomores were abroad Friday night, judging from the numerous "o9's" that were seen in white paint on the sidewalks all over town, Saturday morning.

Orr Kyle of Bellefontaine was in Corvallis the last of the week, taking an examination to secure a teacher's permit, in order that he may accept a school near Bellefontaine.

See Zierolf for all kinds of grass seed, orchard, timothy and clover seed. 74-f

Dr. E. E. Jackson and family moved a few days ago into the house formerly occupied by the John Day family.

Have Dr. Lowe cure your head and eye ache with a pair of his superior glasses. Consult him at Corvallis, Nov. 1 and 2. 87

Ernest Veal and family moved Friday into the McKellips property which they recently purchased on College Hill.

Save money by buying your watches and jewelry of Matthews, the optician and jeweler. 84-f

An alarm of fire was given about 10:20 Saturday morning, but before the department could respond the blaze was extinguished. It proved to be only a fire burning out at the Mrs. Ruth Buchanan home.

Wanted—Oak logs, 17 to 26 inches in diameter. Inquire Central Planing Mills, Corvallis. 81-f

J. B. Arrants has just moved off of what is known as the Hughes place, some seven miles south of Corvallis, to his own farm of 100 acres. Recently Mr. Arrants erected a new house on his own farm and made other substantial improvements. The Hughes place is for sale. There are several heirs to the estate and the desire is general that it be sold and settled up.

Registered Shorthorn Bulls and registered Poland China Brood sows for sale. Call on or address, J. C. McElroy, Monroe, Oregon. 87-94

License to wed was issued Saturday to William N. Einfeldts and Leona E. Ingram, both of the vicinity of Monroe.

A carload of handsome pianos have just been received by N. A. Fisher, the music dealer. 87

The lost lace that was advertised in a recent issue of the Gazette has been restored to the owner, Miss M. E. Dunn. This is another proof that advertising in the Gazette pays.

The W. R. C. ladies are to give a Halloween party on Halloween at the I. O. O. F. hall. There will be a ghost dance, witches' carnival and various other games and amusements. Supper 15c. 86-7-8

Miss Florence Adams came up Saturday from Suver, where she is teaching school and spent Sunday at the home of her mother. Miss Essie Adams is teaching near Monroe, and she, too, spent Sunday at her home here.

See Zierolf for Economy Jars. 74-f

Zophar Tharp, physical director at Monmouth Normal, spent Sunday in Corvallis, having come up to play in the alumni game.

FOR SALE—Fir wood; can deliver at any time. Call P. A. Kline's line, Phone No. 1. 84-f

License to wed was issued Friday to Eli L. Warfield and Lora Olla Miller, both of Alsea.

Have your watch cleaned for \$1; mainspring for \$1; all work guaranteed at Matthews', optician and jeweler. 84-f

Up to date 461 hunters' licenses have been issued this year in Benton county.

For Sale.—80,000 acres of land in Lincoln and Benton Counties, Oregon, along the C. & E. R. R., known as Road Lands, now owned by an Eastern Company. For prices and terms, call or address, L. H. Fish, Western Agent, Albany Oregon. 78-f

County Clerk Vincent has received from the secretary of state 50 copies of the Board of Commissioners report on assessment and taxation. They are for free distribution to any one desiring information of this sort.

Dr. Lowe, the well known oculo-optician, will be at Corvallis Hotel from noon Thursday to all day Friday, Nov. 1 and 2. 87.

The cornerstone of the new German Lutheran church of Corvallis was laid Sunday at 2:30 The sermon was by Rev. Ingle of Salem, and Rev. Byerline of Albany gave an address. The ceremonies were suited to the occasion and were attended by quite a gathering of town people.

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