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If you have Farm or City property for sale, list it with R. F. Baker & Co. Office next door to Post Office, Corvallis, Ore.

PHYSICIANS

DR. F. H. THOMPSON, VETERINARY SURGEON. Office at Desnick's Red Front stable. Ind. Phone 328. 161f

B. A. CATHEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Rooms 14, Bank Building. Office Hours: 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m. Residence: cor. 5th and Adams Sts. Telephone at office and residence. Corvallis, Oregon.

W. T. ROWLEY, M. D., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon. Special attention given to the Eye, Nose and Throat. Office in Johnson Bldg. Ind. phone at office and residence.

FOR ALL CHRONIC DISEASES SEE DR. M. Markel, Magnetic Healer and Herb Doctor. Third and Van Buren Sts. Ind. phone 489.

House Decorating.

FOR PAINTING AND PAPERING SEE W. E. Paul, Ind. 488. 411f

UNDERTAKERS

BOVVE & BAUER, FUNERAL DIRECTORS and Licensed Embalmers. Successors to S. N. Wilkins, Corvallis, Oregon. Phone 45. 891f

HENKLE & BLACKLEDGE, UNDERTAKERS and licensed embalmers, South Main St., Corvallis, Or.

ATTORNEYS

J. F. YATES, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Office up stairs in Zierolf Building Only set of abstracts in Benton County

E. R. BRYSON ATTORNEY AT LAW Office in Post Office Building, Corvallis, Oregon.

WANTED

WANTED 500 SUBSCRIBERS TO THE GAZETTE and Weekly Oregonian at \$2.50 per year.

HOMES FOR SALE

WILL SELL LOTS IN CORVALLIS, Oregon, on installment plan and assist purchasers to build homes on them if desired. Address First National Bank, Corvallis, Or.

WILL SELL MY LOTS IN NEWPORT, Or., for spot cash, balance installments, and help parties to build homes thereon, if desired. Address M. S. Woodcock, Corvallis, Or.

BANKING.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF Corvallis, Oregon, transacts a general conservative banking business. Loans made on approved security. Drafts bought and sold and money transferred to the principal cities of the United States, Europe and foreign countries.

Smith & Dawson

Headquarters for Fruit Tree Spray
Diamond Chicken Feed
Chicken Grit
Ground Bone
Shell and Poultry Food
Lice Killer, etc.
We pay cash for dressed Veal and Pork, Poultry and Eggs.
Next door to J. R. Smith & Co.
Ind. Phone 269

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of R. C. Kiger, deceased, of the County Court of Benton County, State of Oregon. All persons having claims against the estate of said R. C. Kiger, deceased, are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers, duly verified as by law required, within six months from the date hereof, to the undersigned at his residence in Corvallis, Oregon, or at the office of McFadden & Bayson, Attorneys, in Corvallis, Oregon.
Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, this 28th day of January, 1908.
MINERVA J. KIRBY,
Executrix of the last will and testament of R. C. Kiger, deceased.

The Entertainment.

The Musical and Literary Entertainment at the Opera House tonight, Tuesday, March 3rd, promises to be par excellence under the auspices of the San Grael Society of the Presbyterian church. The musical numbers by the orchestra, and the male quartette, rendering that difficult yet melodious composition entitled "The Ruined Chapel," will be something above the ordinary.

Miss Spangler's solo, "Yearnings," by Rubenstein, will test the lady's well-known ability and she is always heard with much pleasure whenever she sings, by Corvallis audiences.

The great chariot race, by General Lew Wallace, from Ben Hur, and now acknowledged a classic of the highest order, will be given by Mrs. B. W. Johnson, who is well known to be one of the best delineators of the elocutionary and dramatic art in the country. The scene in this race is thrilling in the extreme. The culmination of this marvelous description of the last round of the race, when Ben Hur unchariots Messala amid the thundering applause of the thousands of breathless beholders, is the most graphic piece of word-painting in the English language. This number alone, is worth your while to make an effort to be present.

Dr. J. R. N. Bell, in his lecture will tell you how Edgar Allen Poe came to write "The Raven," that wierd picture of love, of the "Lost Lenore," and why the refrain was always "nevermore." This lecture is out of the commonplace definition of how to write poetry, and how all true poetry is composed. The lecturer will make some references to Tam O'Shanter, "Longfellow's Wail" and will conclude by a selection or two from the great dramatist Wm. Shakespeare.

The whole evening will be one of literary pleasure, and if the sedate lecturer happens to smile or turn a humorous point, the audience will pardon the intrusion. This entertainment will be a treat and you cannot afford to miss it. Dr. Withycombe has kindly consented to preside and give the prologue. Everybody invited.

OAC Student Won.

Thomas L. Gatch, a member of the sophomore class of OAC, received notice Friday morning from Congressman Hawley, at Washington, that he had been declared winner of the competitive examination recently held at Eugene for admission to the Naval Academy at Annapolis. Thomas is a son of Claud Gatch, the United States Bank Examiner, of Salem, and a grandson of ex-President Gatch, of the Oregon Agricultural College. He is a popular student and a talented young man. He left Friday night for his home in Salem, whence he departs in a month for Annapolis for two months' preliminary training and then enters the academy.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Representative Hawley today appointed Thomas L. Gatch, of Salem, son of Claud Gatch, as midshipman at Annapolis Naval Academy. Mark G. Lafky, of Salem, and William H. Perkins, of Salem are appointed alternates. These appointments are the result of a competitive examination held at Eugene, February 14, conducted by Senator Kuykendall and Superintendent Ackerman. Gatch made the highest average in mental and physical examination, Lafky second and Perkins third.—Oregonian News Bureau.

The Corvallis & Eastern railway will sell round trip tickets to Yacouina on Wednesdays and Saturdays only of each week at \$3.25 good for return within 60 days. Tickets to be validated at Yacouina for return. No stopovers allowed on these tickets. R. C. Linville, Agt. 101f

Martha Washington Social.

The Martha Washington tea given Friday evening by the W. H. M. S. of the M. E. church drew a large crowd and was a very successful affair from start to finish.

Dinner was served from 6 to 8, and at 8:15 an excellent musical and literary program was given in the auditorium. This included a violin solo and encore by Miss Almeda Mann of the OAC School of Music, with Miss Marie Cathey as accompanist; mandolin and guitar duet and encore by Prof. H. C. Allen and Charles Bowen; piano duet and encore by Misses Ieelen Leech and Inez Johnson; readings by Miss Marcella Read, C. F. DeFouchet and Miss Lena Wilson; vocal solos by Dr. Cathey and Mrs. Charles Peterson, oration on "Washington and Greatness" by Mrs. Rose Mears; a flag drill and a ribbon drill by young girls; piano solo and encore by Prof. Frank White, and the flag salute and a song by the ladies of the W. R. C., all of whom came in costume.

The members of the Home Missionary Society all wore caps and kerchiefs, George and Martha Washington, represented by Mr. and Mrs. Harley Hall, being in full costume of the Washingtonian style. Mrs. G. B. Schmidt, president of the society, presided, and the program was opened by a scripture lesson by Rev. Leech and prayer by Dr. J. R. N. Bell. The decorations on the platform were of flags.

The ladies of the church feel very grateful to Messrs. Baker and Hollenbeck for the use of the piano on this occasion, and to all who assisted in the program and other parts of the evening's work.

The proceeds from the supper amounted to about \$50, including the sale of home made candies.

Notice.

On and after the first of March, 1908, all bills due this Company for electric lights and power must be paid at their office. All bills are due on the first of the month and delinquent on the fifteenth when service will be disconnected without any further notice, and there will be a charge of 50 cents to connect it up again.

You must make arrangements at the Company's office with the Manager for any extensions of payments or changes in rates.

No one else has any authority to make or change any rule of this Company.

Customers moving from a residence where the services has been ordered, should notify the Company at once, so this time can be placed to their credit, otherwise the full month will be charged.

Yours truly,
WILLAMETTE VALLEY CO.,
20-23 By B. M. Atkins, Mgr.

Addition Made to Forest.

The President has just signed a proclamation creating additions amounting to nearly 600,000 acres to the Modoc National Forest in northeastern California. With the exception of a small area in the northern part of Lassen county all the lands put within the forest by this proclamation are situated in Modoc county. The exact area of the additions is 570,000 acres, which brings the total area up to 859,018 acres. The land proclaimed a part of the Modoc forest will be put under administration at once, with Supervisor C. E. Rachford, whose headquarters is at Alturas, California, in charge. The additions to the forest have a stand of valuable yellow pine, which will amount to several million feet and will average 12,000 feet to the acre. There is little or no agricultural land in the addition.

Wood wanted at once, on subscription, at Gazette office. 121f

Real Estate Transfers.

United States to Samuel N. Warfield, 40 acres, Alsea.

E. E. Norton to Halver Harrison, 143 acres near Summit, \$1100.

Roman Zahn to Geo. W. Bigham, 160 acres, Alsea, \$2500.

Geo. W. Bigham to Roman E. Zahn, 160 acres Alsea, \$2880.

Henrietta Randall to Ed. Hendricks, lot 8, block 1, County Addition, Corvallis, \$10.

W B Henderson to E Maude Henderson, 344.40 acres south of Corvallis; \$1.

A F Brown to Sol King, 4 1/2 acres north of Corvallis; \$400.

W E Kelly to M M and Lillie Dobbins, 30 acres near Albany; \$1800.

W A Beal to W K Farrar, farm near Wells; \$10,000.

W S Paddock to E E Paddock lots 1, 2 and 3 bl. 12, Wilkins addition to Corvallis; \$550.

A F Hershner to M A Crail, lot 4, College Crest addition to Corvallis; \$250.

S W Bain to Frances M Benson, land near Bellefontain; \$2000.

A Rennie to V A Vidito, lots 3, 4 and 9 bl. 3, N B and P Avery's addition to Corvallis; \$1.

V A Vidito to F O Gray, lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 9 bl. 3, N B and P Avery's add. to Corvallis; \$2000.

Martin Butler to F. Berchtold, lots 10, 11, 12, block 19 Dixon's 2d addition to Corvallis \$10.

A. L. Stevenson to F. P. Frances and wife, land west of Corvallis, \$10.

M. I. Sears to National Benevolent Association of the Christian Church, undivided 7-8 interest in block 9, Well's addition to Corvallis, \$100.

S. W. Murphy to Isabelle Clark 200 acres near Blodgett \$100.

Sarah J. Fletcher to J. H. Crocker, lot 2, block 13 Dixon's 2d addition to Corvallis \$900.

Evan McLennan to Denny Main, 2741 acres south of Corvallis, \$100.

Kate D Protman guardian, to P. C. Thompson, 524 49 acres north of Corvallis \$500 00.

Wm. C. McDonald to John I. Lee, 50 acres southwest of Philomath, \$1,200 00.

Margarette E. Bates to V. A. Vidito, 5 acres northwest of Corvallis, \$2,450.

Justus Rising to J. B. Parcell et al, 100 acres west of Philomath, \$1,500.

A. J. Brown to A. J. Wilkes, 154 acres Alsea \$10.

Go! Why Not Go?

You will find that the Opera House is the place to interest you tonight. Hear Poe's Raven and Ben Hur's chariot race and hear fine music. Come! why not come?

Additional Locals.

Our new stock of March records have just arrived. We now carry the full catalogue of records in stock. Graham & Wells. 20-21

Oregon's basketball five was vanquished by the strong Y. M. C. A. team from Muscatine, Iowa, this evening in their last game of the season, says a U. O. dispatch to Saturday's Oregonian. The varsity men started out like winners, Stevenson making the first basket in one minute of play Oregon outplayed the Muscatines in the first half, and the score at the end was 14 to 10 in the varsity's favor. In the second half the Iowans seemed to strike their championship gait and succeeded in chalking up 20 points, while Oregon secured 7, the final score ending 30 to 21 in favor of the Muscatines. All of the Oregonians played good ball, there being no especial favorites. The game was decidedly rough from start to finish, the Iowans being the roughest players seen here this year. An interesting preliminary was played between teams made up from the Seniors and Sophomores vs. the Juniors and Freshmen, the latter combination winning 17 to 13.

NEW POSTAL LAW.

The United States Postal Department has made new regulations in regard to carrying second class mail matter (such as newspapers, magazines, periodicals, etc.) the same going into effect January 1, 1908, and allowing publishers to April 1, 1908, to prepare their subscription lists in accordance with the new order of things. The effect of the change practically compels the establishment of new relations between the publisher and subscribers of county papers.

The department ruling requires that subscriptions entitled to the second class postage rate shall not be delinquent longer than the following periods of time:

Dailies within three months.
Tri-weeklies within six months.
Semi-weeklies within nine months.
Weeklies within one year

The mails are not forbidden to subscribers who are in arrears longer than the time provided in the new ruling, but these subscribers are placed in a separate classification, requiring a higher rate of postage, the rate being so high that publishers could not afford to send papers at the price of subscription.

The reason given by the government for making this order is that second class mail matter is being carried through the mails at a rate of postage thereon which is less than the cost of carriage.

The GAZETTE has heretofore been liberal in giving to its subscribers time to pay for their subscriptions, by paying \$200 per year for those past due and \$1.50 per annum when the same was paid in advance. Having made the difference in the past-due and advance rate has resulted in giving the GAZETTE a larger portion of paid up subscribers. This rule must now be changed according to Uncle Sam's order, as the newspaper has no voice in the matter. The GAZETTE invites its patrons to settle their dues soon.

Colonist Rates.

Colonist rates will be in effect March 1, 1908, to April 30, 1908, from eastern points to the Pacific Northwest as follows: From Chicago to Portland, Astoria and Puget Sound destinations, also to points on the Southern Pacific main line and business north of and including Astoria, Oregon, \$38. From Missouri River common points, Council Bluffs, to Kansas City, Mo., inclusive also of St. Paul and Minneapolis, \$30; St. Louis, \$35.50, and from Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, \$30. Stopover privileges and other conditions of sale will be practically the same as prevailed previously.

101f R. C. LINVILLE, Agent.

LETTER LIST.

The following letters remain uncalled, for in the Corvallis postoffice, for the week ending Feb. 29, 1908:

Manager Allen Warehouse, American Italian Mfg. Co., Samuel Beeson, Miss Margaret Cole, Fuman Eldridge, W D Lear, M Hodges, Dr. I Newton Saunders, P F Svenson, C D Wise.

B. W. JOHNSON, P. M.

Tilmon Ford, recognized as the leading legal light of the Willamette Valley, died at the home of his cousin in Salem, Sunday, of paralysis. The funeral is to be held today at two o'clock. Besides being a prominent lawyer, Mr. Ford was a splendid orator and a leading politician.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by order of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Benton, appointed Administrator of the estate of William Thomas, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby requested to present the same to me, duly verified as by law required, for payment within six months from the date of this notice, at the office of the undersigned W. A. Buchanan, in Corvallis, Oregon, or the law office of J. F. Yates, in Corvallis, Oregon.

Dated at Corvallis, Oregon, this 3rd day of March, 1908.
W. A. BUCHANAN,
Administrator of the estate of William Thomas, deceased.
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