

HOME AND VICINITY.

PARAGRAPHS OF A LOCAL AND GENERAL NATURE.

Officers of Interest Collected From City and Country.

Mr. J. G. Porter is building a new addition to his house.

Mrs. Howell is having a new residence constructed on the hill.

John Vegelius, will soon have a new building home on the hill.

School department cards at this office, fastest ever gotten up.

The city council will hold a regular meeting next Monday evening.

The Chicago Comedy Co. will give Co. O. N. G. a benefit Friday night.

Mr. Chas. Babcock is erecting a new dwelling home on Thirteenth street.

The regular term of probate and county court will be held next week.

The new roadway to Canemah was formally opened to the public last Friday.

Mr. Frank T. Barlow will move into Mr. H. P. Bestow's residence next week.

The excursion to Multnomah Falls leaves 6:30 a. m. at 7:30, sharp. Don't fail to go.

The citizens of New Era will have a picnic and grand time generally on the Fourth.

Mr. A. C. Wilson, of Portland, was in town Sunday visiting his numerous friends.

An adjourned meeting of Meade Post, No. 2, will be held next Tuesday evening, July 8th.

Mr. C. R. Rose has opened a very neat grocery store next door to the Cascade saloon.

H. E. Ferrin, M. D., has removed his office to Gage block, opposite Canfield's drug store.

The Willamette Silver Cornet band is playing for the Chicago Comedy Co. this week.

Mr. Fred R. Charman is having an elegant, new residence erected on Fifty Hill to cost \$3000.

The many friends of little Hattie Miller will be sorry to learn that she is very low with heart disease.

Messrs. Cooks Bros. are clearing ground preparatory to building a two-story addition to their livery stable.

The foundation work for the new wing to the schoolhouse is complete, and operations have commenced on the work.

The people residing in the vicinity of Mink have made special preparations to celebrate the Fourth of July in becoming style.

A large number of visitors went on the Steamer Latona excursion to the New Era spiritual camp meeting on last Sunday.

Mr. Frank Donaldson, cashier of the Commercial Bank, has purchased two lots in FALLS VIEW addition at the STAIRS.

Hon. E. L. Eastman's new residence on the hill is assuming proportions, and when completed will be an ornament to the city.

Mr. B. Holman, of Portland, who has been visiting friends and relatives of this place and Meadow Brook, returned yesterday.

When down town do not fail to inspect Charman & Son's show windows, elegantly arranged for the Fourth of July trade.

Water mains are being laid on the hill, and the residents of that portion of the city can soon rejoice in a plentiful supply of water.

Mr. J. Casto, the census enumerator for this district, has completed his work, and as yet there are no complaints of any one being counted out.

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A picnic will be held in Falls View addition on the Fourth. As Oregon City has no celebration, many of our citizens will take advantage of the occasion to visit other places.

What is the difference between a looter in the counting room of a bank and a fire in the counting room of a bank? One is a barn door, and the other is a darn bore.

There will be no services at the Methodist church in this city next Sunday, as Bishop Taylor will hold services at Canby next Saturday evening and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer, of Dayton, Wash., had the misfortune to lose a little girl, who died at Canemah Tuesday night. The remains were shipped to Dayton for burial.

The new county officers will take their seats next week, but most of them will succeed themselves. Mr. W. T. Whitlock, the present deputy clerk, will step into the new office of recorder.

The excursion to Multnomah Falls tomorrow under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Baptist church leaves this place at 7:30. The Willamette Silver Cornet Band will accompany the excursion.

The building at East Portland occupied by the Willamette Bridge & Railroad Co. were burned to the ground. The loss was heavy, and delays railway transportation across the bridge for a few days.

The entertainment and sociable given by the Baptist Young People's society, was a very pleasant affair. The attendance was large, and all report an enjoyable time.

S. C. Browne, M. D., has returned from Cincinnati, Ohio, where he graduated from Eclectic Medical University and the Eye and Ear college. Dr. Browne will locate at Halsey.

The ENTERPRISE office is receiving a new lot of new type and printing material, and under the new management with experienced job printers is better than ever prepared to do the best of work at Portland prices.

Mr. John A. Conifer, of Oswego, father of Mr. Conifer of the firm of Conifer, Mead & McArthur of this place, fell from a trestle last Saturday, and broke his shoulder blade and two ribs. He was progressing favorably at latest accounts.

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