

NEWS SERVICE.

At the Methodist Episcopal Church service last Sunday evening the hall was well filled and a very exhaustive, lucid and well delivered sermon was preached by Rev. M. O. Brink on "The Tree Planted by the River of Waters," wherein he compared it to the safe anchorage of the soul in the faith of Christ. He drew many lessons of illustration which were apt and forcible and held the attention of his auditors throughout the discourse. The choir was in fine voice and all the numbers were well selected and well rendered. The solo by Mrs. Benham, the organist and choir leader, was especially fine. The lady has a rich, clear and melodious voice that carries the gospel hymn into the innermost recesses of the heart. It is to be regretted that no less than half a dozen young women and as many grown boys who occupied seats in the rear of this house of worship were so unmindful of their surroundings as to behave more as if they were in a house dedicated to worldly pleasure than a refuge dedicated to God. Young folks laughing, jesting, giggling about, writing notes and making dates and generally disturbing those who are unfortunate enough to be seated near them, should be forcibly reminded of their sacrilegious behavior. If these young people have no higher motive for attending a place of worship than the farce they enacted last Sunday evening, they had better remain away until they have a realizing sense of what is proper decorum in the house of God.

GRAPHOPHONE.

To the one who has traveled much and dwelt in many climes; has listened with rapture to the strains of martial music as played by the foremost bands of all ages; has lived where the sweet magnolia blooms and the palmetto grows, and the plantation melodies at eventide fill the balmy atmosphere; to such a one now resting in this prosaic clime, when by chance he once again is permitted to listen to those inspiring strains and old songs, wherein harmony and melody is so beautifully entwined, memory wafts him back to the good old times and he lives again in the halcyon days. R. S. Smith has a fine graphophone and a rare selection of music and songs with which to entertain his friends, and the passerby will always stop and listen when the machine is playing marches from the world renowned Sousa's and Gilmore's bands or voicing the "Green Fields of Virginia," "My Old Kentucky Home," "The Sewanee River," and other charming pieces that appeal so forcibly to the finer and better instincts of the human heart.

THE PEANUT TRADE.

Frank Goodman called a reporter's attention to his recent consignment of peanuts last Monday with the remark that it was a good indication within itself that Cottage Grove is a progressive and prosperous town. Mr. Goodman stated that the first year he was in business here he used only 30 pounds of peanuts. This year he will use nearly 2400 pounds, and has just received a consignment of 600 pounds which he says will run him possibly two and one half months.

SWIMMING.

Just a little way above Stone's boat mill in the Coast Fork is an ideal spot for swimming. It is quite a deep basin, nearly surrounded by overhanging trees, which afford shelter from the sun's hot rays. The boys have rigged up a spring board from which they derive much pleasure in vaulting and somersaulting into the cool and refreshing stream. Any afternoon many boys in bathing costume may be seen enjoying the delights of a dip in this favored spot.

BORN.

To the wife of John A. Ashby, August 4, 1900, at their home on Silk Creek, a girl, weight 9 pounds.

PACKING ESTABLISHMENT.

A growing enterprise is now nicely under way in Eugene which has every indication of being a success, and which will undoubtedly increase the revenue of the average farmer of Lane county many dollars each year. The new enterprise is a meat packing establishment, owned and operated by Isaac Gray & Son, who only recently retired from the grocery business in that city. J. S. Gray, the junior member of the firm, was in Cottage Grove this week looking after the interests of his house, and gave a Nugget man some insight into his business. Mr. Gray says that they can furnish the very best of smoked meats to the market in direct competition to the eastern houses, and save the buyer the freight from Chicago. The new packing house turned out its first "smoke" July 16 and thus far has placed 24,000 pounds on the market. The only drawback to be contended with is the scarcity of pork. Mr. Gray says that the farmers should give the matter of pork raising more attention, thus doing away with the necessity of shipping in the pickled product. The firm has started on a small scale but a safe one, and as soon as the farmers raise pork enough they will enlarge their business. Their smoke is hard wood, using none of the liquid preparations generally met with in packing establishments, and the product of the new house is of a most excellent kind. Messrs. Gray & Son enjoy a splendid reputation as successful business men, and are men of considerable capital. Their effort along this line will undoubtedly be successful.

LUCKY FALL.

J. M. Miller, in the employ of Booth-Kelly Lumber Co., while working on the flume, some two miles from the Saginaw mill, met with a lucky fall last Monday. He was working the lumber through the flume, when his "pickaroon" slipped causing him to fall from the foot of the flume to the ground, a distance of eighteen feet. The fall was a severe one and came near breaking Mr. Miller's neck. As it was he not only got a severe shaking up and a number of bad bruises, but sustained a breakage of his right cheek bone.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVING.

Hon. Ivan McQueen of Lorane, who has been confined to his bed with fever and rheumatism since early in May, is now slowly but surely being nursed back to health. Last week he was moved from his home to the residence of his brother George in this city, and since then he has gained considerable strength, although he is far from being a well man. His many friends will be pleased to see him on the streets again but it will be some time before that pleasure will be afforded them.

OFF FOR DESCHUTES.

Bake Stewart and Bird Farrier, started out Monday morning for Deschutes river where they will spend several weeks hunting and fishing. These gentlemen make this trip nearly every year, and never tire of the famous Deschutes river fishing and hunting. Billy Jones also accompanied them.

CALLED HOME.

E. S. Lovelace, manager of the Adams Mountain Mining Co., started for his home at Fort Ransom, Dakota, Tuesday morning in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his wife. Mr. Lovelace will return here at the earliest moment to look after the interests of his company.

PROPERTY SOLD.

John Cardwell this week sold the property known as the Bohemia Saloon, the vacant lot east of Walker's secondhand store and a five-acre tract near Saginaw to David Finn formerly of Wisconsin. The property was a bargain at the price named.

Warren McFarland is home from Grants Pass, where he went to play with the ball team of that city in a match game held at Medford with the Medford team. The Grants Pass boys lost by one score. The game was a good one, the score standing 8 to 9.

All About You.

Dr. Hullinger, Dentist. M. V. Parmer is visiting in Astoria. Dr. Hullinger visited Eugene last Sunday. R. J. Jennings is home from a trip to Portland. F. M. Freeman of Eugene was in the city this week. J. I. Jones made a business trip to Portland this week. W. M. Dickey was a pleasant caller at the Nugget office this week. Mr. and Mrs. B. Larch are home from a week's outing at Newport. Attorney Jerome Knox made a professional visit to Creswell Monday. Darwin Bristow returned from a business trip to Portland Wednesday. Calvin Wallace of Coast Fork is reported very ill at his home with fever. J. W. Cook came home from a business trip to Portland Thursday morning. Miss Florence Lockwood of Lorane is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Petric of this city. Sol Davidson is home from an enjoyable trip to Salem and down valley points. Dr. and Mrs. Petric have returned from a two weeks pleasant outing at Lorane. Hugh Behne and W. P. Wagy, mining broker of Portland, visited Bohemia this week. Brick Knox and Messrs. Holden and Vincent of Eugene were visitors here last Sunday. Attorney Medley and wife are home from a pleasant two weeks outing at the Warehouse. N. W. Hardy and W. S. Moore of Black Butte were registered at the Hotel Sherwood this week. Cy Bingham, one of the cleverest boys of Bohemia, came down Tuesday and is on a visit to Portland. Geo. D. Pott of Winchester, Kansas, son of J. H. Pott of this city, visited his parents and brother here this week. An electric light pole fell near the Stone flouring mill Monday afternoon doing some little damage to the wires. Mr. and Mrs. Clint Branstetter and children of Eugene, who have been visiting relatives here returned home last Friday. Thos. Hunt was down from his ranch at Wildwood this week. Mr. Hunt is now building a substantial home, on his property. Miss Mabel Crow, one of Eugene's popular young ladies, is visiting in Cottage Grove this week, the guest of Miss Nina Ostrander. Miss Hazel Hemenway fell from the railing around the porch of the family home last Monday and sustained a sprained elbow. J. R. Richard who is extensively interested in mining property on Steamboat, Bohemia, is home from a short business trip to Portland. David Finn of Wisconsin, who recently purchased property here, left this week on a short visit home and will return in a few weeks. Miss Nina Ostrander, Geo. E. Cray's popular postal telegraph operator at Eugene, is visiting her parents and friends in this city for a few weeks. H. W. Hunter, who has been in the employ of the Helena Mining Company, left this city Monday afternoon for a few weeks stay on his homestead in Douglas county. Yeakel Bros. gave an entertainment at Martin's hall Monday night. While the performance could have been better it was all that could be expected, and some seemed pleased. A communication from Mr. Joseph Slee, proprietor of the Depot restaurant, announces that things in the Klondike are not to his satisfaction and that he would start home August 15. J. H. Pott, Jr., who is employed with the Black Butte people, was in town this week visiting his brother Geo. D. Pott, who recently arrived from Winchester, Kansas. O. P. Adams proprietor of the Ophir, is down from the mines this week and reports the Ophir acting splendidly and giving promise of developing into a sure enough dividend payer. Frank Whipple is now rusticiating in the wilds of Bohemia, where he will remain for a couple of weeks filling up on fish, deer, mountain lion, ozone, and "sich." A pleasant trip, Frank. The Modern Woodmen of America is doing a land office business with the assistance of Deputies Young and Woolleyer. The lodge has been strengthened during the last three weeks 70 members. Mrs. S. R. Piper and daughters Mrs. A. Nelson and Miss Miram Piper are camped at the Sulphur Springs on the Coast Fork. They have an admirable camping place and are enjoying their outing immensely. The little daughter of Mrs. Alice Langdon on Coast Fork was riding a horse Tuesday when she was thrown off while riding under a tree with low limbs. She sustained a broken leg and was badly bruised. Drs. Schleeff attended her. Sam Veatch, the jolly Southern Pacific passenger conductor who, with his family, has been visiting his parents, relatives and friends here for the last two weeks, left Monday for his Portland home. It is to be hoped that no more dogs will be killed out of season. Prof. J. H. Orcutt of Hawarden, Iowa, who was recently elected president of the Central Oregon State Normal School, at Drain, has arrived and taken up his work. He is a thorough gentleman of many years experience in Normal school work and proposes to have a first class school. With the help of the state appropriation, good laboratories and other facilities have been secured so that the school will be more thoroughly equipped than ever before. The year's work will begin on Sept. 17th, and there is a good prospect for a large and enthusiastic attendance.

In Brief.

Dr. Hollinger, Dentist. Clippings for sale at the Cottage Grove Cigar Factory. If you want wall paper or books don't forget to get prices of J. P. Curran the druggist. The Big Four—Peter Schutler, McCormick, J. I. Case and D. M. Osborne & Co. Phillips & Davison are their agents. Suits! Suits!! Tailor made suits!!! Up to date in every respect, from \$15 up. Call and see samples. GEO. BOHLMAN. Dr. A. J. Hollinger, Graduate Dentist. Permanently located. Why pay traveling agents such big prices for sewing machines when you can buy the best made for half the money at Phillips & Davisons. For quality and cheapness in fresh meats go to the Central meat market. Fresh candies every day, made from pure sugar at the Tatlor shop. Before you buy a wagon go and look at the Peter Schutler at Phillips and Davison. For all kinds of plumbing and tin work go to Griffin & Veatch Co. Ice for sale at McFarland's meat market. Dr. A. J. Hollinger, Dentist. Latest things in non-breakable plates—Gold Crowns and Bridges. Permanently located. If you want to get every fly out of your room buy one of those fly killers at Phillips & Davisons. TO TRADE.—Horses for wood. Inquire of I. F. Settle. Over 60 odd patterns of wall paper to choose from and more on the way, at Jenkins & Lawson's. If you want good work remember Davidson the Jeweler. The Old Reliable Peter Schutler wagons at Phillips & Davisons. The Booth-Kelly Lumber Co., are offering a nice grade of flooring, rustic and ceiling at \$10.00 per M, which is mostly in random and short lengths. Intending purchasers would do well to see them before placing their orders. Did you notice those bath tubs at Phillips & Davison. They are beauties. Hat sale, all going at cost, come and get your choice at the Golden Rule. W. F. SCHULLER. J. P. Curran has a choice line of ingrain and figured wall paper, at prices to suit the trade. A car load of Columbia River cedar shingles for sale by Jenkins & Lawson. Ice cream at the Elite parlors. Try it. The Crescent is the popular wheel at a standard price, and no better wheel at any price. Sold by Eakin & Bristow. TO TRADE.—Horses for wood. Inquire of I. F. Settle. Ride a Crescent. They are sky-high, \$25.00 and \$35.00 at Eakin & Bristow. See the fine display of millinery at the parlors of Mrs. J. S. Medley. We sell good goods at good prices for our customers. Central Meat Market. Boys when you are going fishing remember our line of flies are all O. K. GRIFFIN VEATCH CO. John Stoneburg's barbershop and baths. Also a fine line of cigars, tobacco, confections, etc. Try him. Fine line of tobaccos, cigars and confectionery at the Elite, Baker and Lockwood. For watches, clocks and jewelry patronize Davidson the Jeweler. For the purpose of cleaning up their yard, the Booth-Kelly Lumber Co., are offering, for a short time, common dimension lumber for \$5.00 per M. The Griffin & Veatch Hardware Co. have recently added a first class tin shop to their already well equipped house and are now prepared to do all kinds of repairing. We will pay the highest price for wool and mohair. HEMENWAY & BURKHOLDER. Selling out at cost all Glassware, Crockery and Granitware. Come and buy now while they last; they are big bargains. A great many things going less than cost. Must make room for my large stock of Shoes and Rubbers. W. F. SCHULLER, at the Golden Rule. FOR SALE. A saw mill in good order and complete for sale. For full information see Mrs. Anlauf at the Rudolph place, near Latham, or at this office. FOUND.—A purse containing money. The owner may have the same by calling on me, describing property and paying for this notice. Chas. McFarland. Collis P. Huntington the famous Southern Pacific capitalist died this week.

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