

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

A fine line of hats at the Toggery. Lurch has a fine display of Gordon hats.

Call at Lurch's for bargains in summer goods.

Mr. Orrin Robinson is having his house painted.

Hinds has a few small places near town, cheap.

T. C. Wheeler was a business visitor at Eugene this week.

The Leader will take wood on subscription.

Get one of those famous Gordon hats at Lurch's.

Yes, Hinds is selling property, he might sell yours.

Lurch is offering some big bargains in shoes this month.

Hinds is buying and selling all kinds of real estate.

Mrs. Parker has returned home from a week's visit at Albany.

All well dressed men wear the Gordon hat. Seetnem at Lurch's.

Bids for the new brick depot at Eugene will be opened October 12.

Call at the Toggery and see those beautiful shades of brown and grays.

The Brown Shoe Co. shoes can't be beat. Sold by Oliver Veatch.

Mrs. W. H. Blair, of the Hotel Oregon, is visiting with friends in Eugene.

J. S. Medley was attending to legal business at the county seat the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamlin were passengers on Thursday morning's local for Portland.

It will pay you to call at Lurch's store and inspect his fine line of dress goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Robinson went to Eugene on Tuesday last, returning Wednesday.

Miss Gail Hare returned home yesterday from a week's visit with friends at Albany.

Miss Minnie Ginnoid of Seattle is visiting in Cottage Grove the guest of Mrs. A. H. King.

Rev. and Mrs. Beatty and Mayor Jones are in Portland attending the M. E. Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Abrams have returned from a week's visit at Eugene, Salem and Portland.

Gottfried Graber, the well known mining man has returned from a visit with friends in Washington.

Mrs. Jonner of this city is visiting with friends in Eugene, while there the guest of Mrs. M. A. Wethrow.

Hinds will show you some beautiful lots on the installment plan, only have a few, get one before they are gone.

Mr. A. Welton, manager of the Willamette Valley Co. arrived in the city Tuesday from Portland on business.

Wm. Hogate went to Portland on Thursday morning to attend the M. E. Conference as a delegate from this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. McQueen who have been visiting in Eugene and Portland returned home Saturday.

Harry Short, assistant cashier of the Bank of Cottage Grove visited friends in Yoncalla last Saturday and Sunday.

You will be looking for a fine lot close in when it will be to late, only a few left. Ask Hinds to show them to you. Payments to suit buyers.

Mrs. I. H. Bingham, who has been visiting relatives in the city for a few days returned to Eugene on Saturday.

Winters Wallace was on the sick list for a few days the first of the week, but he sufficiently recovered to be in the store again.

The ladies of the M. E. church are ready to do comfort tacking for any one desiring that kind of work done. Inquire of Mrs. J. M. ISHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wilson left Wednesday for Roseburg to take up the work in a restaurant lately purchased by Messrs Wilson and Curry.

WANTED—At this office, clean cotton rags for which we will pay 25 cents a pound.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gowdy, of this city, left Thursday for an extended visit in the East. They will visit for a few days in Portland with Mrs. Gowdy's daughter, Miss Clara Van Iper.

Dr. Kime, who has been at Bandon looking after business interests for the past week, will return the first of the week. Dr. Van Winkle is attending Dr. Kime's patients during his absence.

The Kozy Korner has abandoned their tent occupied during the summer on the corner of Fifth & Main streets and will occupy Captain Lawson's building on Main street vacated by the Vogue Millinery.

Ernest Gilstrap of the circulating and advertising departments of the Eugene Register was in the Groves the first of the week in the interest of the Register. Earnest has many friends here who are always glad to see him.

Tomorrow will be the last day that Rev. White will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian Church. The topic of the morning discourse is "Importance of Exemplary Piety." Topic for evening discourse, "How to Achieve Success." Mr. White and wife take the Cottage Grove local Monday morning for their return to Tennessee. They go by the Canadian Pacific route. Rev. Henry L. Nave, of Rockville, Indiana, has been called to be pastor at the Presbyterian Church and will arrive here sometime in October.

Having sold my farm I am obliged to sell my stock including my selected herd of Jersey cows, registered Poland China hogs, full blood Plymouth Rock and White Leghorn chickens and Bronze turkeys, besides 3 head of heavy horses and a driving team. I am going to sell at private sale. For information call at the farm one mile east of Sagnaw or at my office in Cottage Grove. F. B. PHILLIPS.

P. A. Lindstrom, of Divide, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Lindstrom recently lost thirty head of fine goats. They became separated from the flock and strayed away, and although he has searched the whole neighborhood and advertised for them, he has not heard of them in any way since the day they got out of the field. Mr. Lindstrom will pay liberally for any information leading to their recovery.

Bales Bros. will pick seven or eight hundred boxes of winter apples this fall on their place about two miles from Dorena. The brothers are all workers and the splendid crop this year shows what industry and careful farming can produce on our Oregon lands.

A fine display of Gravenstein apples was to be seen at the store of Compton & Wallace last week. All were fine, sound fruit and many of the apples measured from 12 to 14 inches in circumference.

Dr. Lowe, the well known optician of Eugene, will leave next week for a three month's visit in New York and Washington. While gone he will take a post-graduate course. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Lowe.

Woman's Club.

After the summer vacation the Woman's Club of this city will assemble today to begin the year's work. The committee for Assembly Day is Mesdames Goodman, Johnson and Thompson. The study subject for this year will be: "The Bay View Reading Course on Our Own Country." The club is foremost among the leading organizations of the city, having for its objects, "To foster friendly relations and secure concert of action in intellectual, philanthropic and social activities." Its membership is limited to twenty-five members and its meetings are held every two weeks. It was organized in October 1902 and federated in February 1905.

The officers of the club for the coming year are:

Mrs. Addie Job, President.

Mrs. Lulu Briggs, Vice President.

Mrs. Mabel Chambers, Recording Secretary.

Mrs. Marguerite Johnson, Corresponding Secretary.

Mrs. Olivia Eakin, Treasurer.

Aid Society Entertains

The ladies of the Aid Society of the M. E. Church entertained their friends Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 till 5 o'clock at the home of Mrs. F. D. Wheeler, in a very pleasant manner. Prizes were awarded for the best hat trimming, biographies and guessing and were won by Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Brund. Vocal and instrumental music added charm to the afternoon and a luncheon was served and greatly enjoyed. The front parlor in which Mrs. Isham served fruit and cake was beautifully decorated with potted plants and roses. Mrs. Hogate served chocolate and cake in the back parlor, which was decorated with yellow and white dahlias. The dining room and reception hall were profusely decorated with China asters and were presided over by Mrs. Schmutz, who served tea and cake.

The ladies of the society are royal entertainers and their "At Homes" are looked forward to with a great deal of pleasure.

Present were Mesdames Gault, Hall, Chambers, DuBrulle, Brund, Van Winkle, Baker, Hogate, Hastings, Wheeler, Forester, Orpurd, Cunningham, H. Hart, Richards, Lewis, Short, Simeral, Porter, Schmutz, Arne, Thornton, W. Hart, Turk, Phromader, Hart, Isham, Miss Clark, Miss Beatty.

Reception to Pastor.

On Monday night the large auditorium of the Christian church was filled by an audience assembled for a double purpose; to give Rev. Olson and wife a farewell reception and a welcome to his successor Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Elkins.

Rev. Olson left on Thursday for Eugene, where he enters the Divinity school to complete his course. Rev. Olson has been in charge of the Christian church of this place for the past two years and has gained the love and respect of not only the members of the church, but of all with whom he has come in contact in a business or social way. He has been a hard and enthusiastic worker and from the report given Monday night by Dr. Macy, has largely added to the church in property and membership by his indefatigable energy. During his pastorate, additions to the property to the value of \$3000 have been made, including a fine gymnasium which has been a great factor in furnishing amusement for the young members and others, aiding largely in improving the morals of the community. As part of his church work he has performed a dozen marriage ceremonies, preached 250 sermons, aside from officiating at funeral services, etc, has held three revival meetings, one at Seattle and Hoquiam in Washington and one at Franklin in this state.

During the evening a fine program was rendered by members of the church, assisted by others. It was opened by a song by the congregation, after which an address of welcome was given by Rev. Beatty, pastor of the M. E. Church to the new minister, Rev. W. A. Elkins, to his new charge. He was followed by Mr. Ed Finnerty, president of the Endeavor Society; Miss Myrtle DeSpain in behalf of the Juniors; Mrs. LeRoy Woods in behalf of the C. W. B. M. and J. B. Protzman in behalf of the Sunday School, who all spoke along the same line. Responses were made by Rev. Olson and Rev. Elkins which concluded the program part.

Before the audience was dismissed for a social gathering, Dr. Macy stepped forward and said that in behalf of the Ladies Aid Society he desired to present Rev. Olson and wife with a handsome salad set as a small token of their respect for them personally and appreciation for the work they had accomplished here.

Rev. Olson replied in a few well chosen words, saying that the gift was highly appreciated and thanking them for the aid they had given in assisting him in every way to forward the work of the church and that they both would ever remember their sojourn among the people of Cottage Grove with delight and pleasure.

In the reception room two booths had been erected and handsomely decorated with evergreens and flowers, from which refreshments were furnished to every one, consisting of punch and cake, and in the Endeavor room, a similar booth for the same purpose had been erected for the boys. Thus a most pleasant evening was spent and one that will undoubtedly be long remembered by the parties to whom the reception was given.

Attended the Institute.

The following teachers of Cottage Grove attended the Institute held at Eugene the first of the week:

Supt. J. D. Baughman, Principal L. M. Tueler, Miss Gertrude Palmer, Miss Mary Munday, Miss Nora Beebe, Miss Elsie A. Lea, Miss Ividene Magee, Miss Lura Hefty, Miss Ella Dickerson, Miss Jessie Wilson, Miss Lula Carrin, Miss Myrtle Purvance, Miss Minnie E. Comer, Miss Ethel Taylor, Miss Neva Perkins, Miss Ella R. Anderson.

Meeting Monday Evening.

The Calapooia Poultry Association will meet Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at the office of the president. Let each member attend. Special business.

Foot Ball.

The U. of O. will play seven games of foot ball this year, two of which will be played at Eugene. The following schedule has been arranged:

Oct. 19—Oregon vs. Pacific University at Eugene.

Oct. 26—Oregon vs. Idaho University at Portland.

Nov. 2—Oregon vs. Willamette at Salem.

Nov. 9—Oregon vs. O. A. C., at Eugene.

Nov. 16—Oregon vs. Washington at Seattle.

Nov. 23.—No game.

Nov. 28—Oregon vs. Multnomah at Portland.

State Fair Premiums.

County exhibits—Benton county, first; Lane county, second; Multnomah county, third; Columbia county, fourth; Clatsop county, fifth.

Individual farm exhibits—W. H. Hulbert, first; Mrs. F. A. Wolf, second; Neal McCall, third.

Vegetables grown from Barpee seeds—W. H. Hulbert, first.

Charles Lilly seeds—Mrs. Wolf, first.

C. A. Park won the loving cup for the best packed display of fruit, given by the Better Fruit Publishing Co.

Odd Fellows Picnic.

The Odd Fellows of this city will give a picnic at Currin's Grove next Monday afternoon. Speeches by prominent Odd Fellows and a basket dinner will be a prominent feature of the occasion. Should the weather be bad the exercises will be held in the hall. Everybody is invited to come and enjoy a day with the I. O. O. F.

Appeal to Shippers

Railroad Commission of Oregon Salem, Oregon.—Dear Sir:—A great many complaints are being filed daily with the Commission by shippers who are unable to get cars and it is evident from the information we receive that shippers are going to suffer far more this fall than last from car shortage.

The Commission is investigating the matter and hearings will be held at an early date with a view of ascertaining the real cause of the shortage, placing the blame where it belongs, and securing some relief for the shippers of this state.

In conducting such an investigation it is necessary to have the cooperation of the shippers and we ask that you be prepared, when called upon, to furnish some definite information covering your experience in securing cars during the last thirty days.

You will be duly advised when the matter comes up for a hearing. In the meantime would be pleased to hear from you. Yours truly, Railroad Commission of Oregon.

By OSWALD WEST, Commissioner.

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