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OREGON STATE NORMAL NEWS

Gathered By Our Corps Of College Reporters

INTERESTING STUDENT PERSONAL ITEMS

Weekly Reports From the Various College Fraternal Societies.

Mable Ross '08, is teaching this winter in the Sheridan city schools.

Pres. E. D. Ressler went to McMinnville Wednesday to attend the county institute there and will be gone three days.

Prin. L. R. Traver, of the Training Department, went to Medford Wednesday to attend the institute there for three days.

George Murdock '03, who is now preparing for the learned profession at Willamette University was a visitor in our town last Sunday.

Lillie Kyllonen '06, is attending the Agricultural College at Pullman, Washington, this winter taking a special course in Science. She reports a very profitable time.

Miss Hazel Jewett, of Roseburg, has just matriculated for the year as a student in the Normal. Miss Jewett has taken up her work in the Training Department where she expects to make a specialty of primary work.

Miss Lillia Vredt who was a student in Monmouth for some time, several years ago is now principal of the North School in Baker City. Miss Vredt's school is an eight room building and she reports affairs progressing nicely.

Miss Roma Stafford and Miss Grace Whitehouse two of our critic teachers in the Training Department, spent Saturday and Sunday in Portland and Oregon City. Miss Whitehouse was the guest of Miss Stafford at the home of the latter in Oregon City.

On last Saturday evening the first basket ball games of the season were held in the Normal Gymnasium. Both the girls and the boys of the Freshman and Senior classes played the girls and boys respectively of the Sophomore and Junior classes. The victorious teams for both boys' and girls' games were those of the Freshman-Senior classes.

Principal Traver has been slightly handicapped in his work during the past week, having suffered from a severe cut in the left hand. The accident was the result of a misguided ax caused by a falling stick from the wood rick in his rear. The blade of the ax passed through his hand between the thumb and first finger. His thumb narrowly escaped being severed.

Both Mr. and Mrs. William Petteys have taken up a timber claim in Tillamook county. Mr. Petteys writes everything there continues to have a prosperous look. At Bay City a hundred and fifty men are working on the railroad. It is now the privilege of Bay City people to hear the "toot" of a locomotive every day. Both Mr. and Mrs. Petteys ex-

pect to continue their schoolwork next year if Mr. Petteys' health will permit; it is by the suggestion of his medical advisor that school life is being sacrificed this year.

NORMAL SOCIETY NEWS

The meeting last Friday evening was a noteworthy one. An excellent literary program, a lively debate, address by Prof. Briggs, swearing in of new members and a number of little things all tended to make it an interesting evening's work.

The Society will have four contestants in the field for the oratorical contest tryout. Also seven members will try for the debating team. As the Normals have some good talent in evidence, a good debating team is assured.

The following is a copy of the program rendered Friday evening, October 24.

Roll call Ans. with helpful quotations

Business meeting.

Extemporaneous address Pres.

Rec. D. C. Henry

Funnygrams Harold Herrin

Select Reading Artie Burkhead

Guitar Solo Howard Morlan

Archie McNeil

DEBATE

Question: "Resolved that the military expenses of the U. S. A. during the past ten years has been greater than necessary."

Charles Cooke Marion Phelps

Erwin Springer Lester Lindsay

Edgar Sacre Douglas Crowley

By an eloquent and well delivered rebuttal, Mr. Cooke won the decision in his favor.

The last half hour of the meeting was graced by the presence of about forty members from the Delphian Society and twelve members from the Vespertines. The Delphian delivered a very interesting address.

VESPERTINE SOCIETY

The Vespertine Society met last Friday evening and rendered the following program.

Song Society
Roll Call Quotations from Whittier

Recitation Miss Robinson

Reading Miss Scott

Quintet Misses White, Spencer, Baker, Shepard and Hathaway

Oration Miss Miller

Recitation Miss Goyne

Essay Mrs. Stroud

Song Society

Reading Miss Cole

Misses Olsen and Persinger were initiated. During the evening, the Vespertine Society received an invitation from the Delphian Society to be its guest on Halloween evening and it also received an invitation from the Normal Society to be present at Normal festivities on November 14th. The Society accepted both invitations with much pleasure.

The critics report was heartily appreciated by all the members. The Society is preparing for its regular debates every Friday evening.

DELPHIAN SOCIETY

The Delphian Society was well attended last Friday evening, a number of visitors also being present. The members are tak-

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INDEPENDENCE NEWS BUDGET

From Our Regular Correspondent.

DAILY HAPPENINGS IN OUR SISTER CITY.

Scan This Column For News of Importance From the Riverside.

Frank Whiteaker was an Albany visitor Sunday.

R. M. Fowle, of Airlie, was in this city Wednesday.

O. McCellen, of Salem, was in this city Wednesday.

C. Cross, of Peedee, was in this city on Friday.

W. E. Williams, of Airlie, was in this city Sunday.

Cleve Robinson spent Sunday and Monday in McMinnville.

O. J. Hesitt came Wednesday to work for R. M. Wade & Co.

C. M. Baldwin, of Airlie, was in this city the first of the week.

Harry Schlosser, of Albany, was in this city Saturday on business.

Mrs. T. House went to Corvallis Wednesday on a business trip.

Mrs. Lottie Dorris went to Portland Wednesday for a few days.

Mrs. George Conkey's mother, Mrs. McDevitt, visited here over Sunday.

R. M. Hofer and wife, of Salem, were the guests of C. C. Patrick Sunday.

E. L. DeLashmitt and wife, of Willamina, were in this city Wednesday.

Mrs. Joe Hubbard will hold a Rebekah Convention in Salem next Monday.

The Misses Bertha Bohannon and Iva Cooper were Salem visitors Sunday.

M. Tillery and wife passed through here Sunday on their way to Portland.

Miss Ollie Butler, of Monmouth, visited relatives in Independence one day this week.

E. W. Cooper, of Albany, came Wednesday to visit relatives in this city for a few days.

Mrs. J. Taylor returned last Friday from an extended visit in eastern Oregon and Portland.

James Day, of Seattle, formerly of the Spaulding Logging Camp, was in this city Friday.

C. C. Patrick's father, of Des Moines, Iowa, came Monday to visit in this city for a short time.

Mrs. Ida Vaughn and Miss Dorothy Cooper went to Portland last week for a few days visit.

E. W. Kearns, of Dallas, manager of the Electric Co., was in this city the first of the week on business.

Mrs. Pearl Hedges, Mrs. D. Davidson and Mrs. Lottie Dorris made a trip to Albany Monday in the Automobile.

Miss Ida Richardson, who has been the night operator at the Home Telephone Co., has resigned her position and will take up her usual line of sewing.

Miss Genevieve Wilcox returned Wednesday from Portland, where she has been visiting for several days.

C. L. DuBois was here Friday to see about completing the work on the heating plant at the First National Bank.

Mrs. Oscar Johnson, of Salem, a sister of Dr. Allen, came Saturday evening to visit at their home for a few days.

Byron Atkins and wife came last Saturday to visit a few days with relatives in this city. They will locate in Eugene.

Mrs. Monroe Kirkland returned Friday evening from Portland. She has been visiting her parents in that city for a few days.

Mrs. Jasper Craven and little daughter returned Wednesday from Crowley, where they have been visiting for a few days.

Mrs. Miles Porterfield returned Saturday evening from Eastern Oregon, where she attended the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Wright.

The Rebekah Lodge will celebrate their fifteenth anniversary next Tuesday evening. A special program will be rendered and light refreshments served for the members.

Will McCready and wife, of McMinnville, came up Saturday for a few days visit with relatives here and Monmouth. Mr. McCready returned Monday and Mrs. McCready returned Wednesday.

Airlie.

A. R. Lewis butchered a beef for G. A. Conn last week.

Mrs. J. D. Bevins is visiting in Dallas for a short time.

H. P. Williams is helping his son-in-law with his farming.

M. C. Williams, wife and little daughter are visiting at the home of W. E. Williams.

Mrs. Jane Hedgepeth, of Independence, visited for a few days with her daughter Mrs. W. H. Williams.

Joe Stevens has returned from Albany where he has been under the care of the doctor for some time. He is very much improved.

Dave Grant, the Dallas butcher, passed through here the first of the week with a very nice bunch of cattle, he brought them from over on Soap creek.

G. A. Conn his father and his brother, also Robert Phillips and Burey Tarter returned last week from a months hunt at Pine Opening. They got five deer and three bear.

Glen and Willard Ireland, formerly of near here, but now of Corvallis and Portland respectively, were shaking hands with old friends Wednesday.

W. H. Robertson and wife have had more than their share of trouble lately. While visiting a son at Bridgeport last week, Mrs. Robertson fell down a flight of stairs and received several severe cuts about the face and head and Mr. Robertson was kicked in the head by a shod horse. While they were both pretty badly hurt yet they came home Wednesday and are getting along nicely.

MONMOUTH HEIGHTS NOTES

From Our Regular Correspondent.

FARM WORK IS NOW WELL UNDER WAY

Prominent Farmer Kills a Coon Green Beans In October.

O. M. Lehman transacted business in Monmouth Thursday last.

Will and Clemens Fishback are putting up a house for Herman Wunder.

Pearl Fishback is visiting relatives at Carlton and Newberg, for a few days.

Ira and Tom Sullivan moved to their old home in McMinnville valley last week.

Mrs. Marks and two sons Israel and Albert returned home from Whiteson, Tuesday.

Mr. Cannoy and Edward Rogers returned from their fishing and hunting trip Thursday.

Farmers are rushing their plowing and other fall work during the nice spell of weather.

John Moran, the real estate man was in this vicinity Monday looking after business interests.

Nathan Emmett and wife, of Antioch, attended meeting in the Christian church at Falls City on Sunday.

Grover Pitzer who dislocated his shoulder a short time ago by falling over a colt is rapidly improving.

Mr. Mumma and son Paul are hauling hay from their ranch here to the prospering city of Monmouth.

Oscar Lehman and wife spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Newt Grooms and daughter Flossie near Falls City.

James Goodman and Elizabeth Clark were county seat visitors Monday. The latter purchased a fine organ while there.

Geo. Bennett and family moved to Cresswell, Lane county, Wednesday. James Goodman took a load up as far as Eugene.

A drummer of Eugene representing a wholesale house of Chicago passed over the Heights Wednesday enroute to Falls City.

James Goodman and sister Mrs. Clark visited with Mrs. Bell Sullivan in Falls City Thursday. Niece and daughter respectively.

James Goodman killed a large coon early Friday morning; the quadruped animals are getting quite numerous in the foot hills.

The Heights correspondent is delighted to say that we ate grapes, and string beans picked from the vines last week. Who can beat that? Let them speak up.

W. A. Snyder and family who started for Latinville, California two weeks ago, by wagon and team, writes from southern Oregon that the trip has been very disagreeable on account of the damp cool weather.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCaleb spent Sunday in the country with friends.