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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.

Miss H. Albee has entered for summer school work.

Miss Nettie Raulsin will again fill a position in Salem.

Mr. Fargo made a business trip to Salem last Saturday.

Wm. Wiest '07, has been elected to a principalship in Seattle.

Miss Hilda Olson went to Salem on business Saturday of last week.

Miss Agnes Campbell was down from O. A. C. for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Stroud made a business trip to Ballston last Saturday.

Miss Roma Stafford and Miss Grace Whitehouse were in Salem last Saturday.

J. B. V. Butler attended State Grange at McMinnville several days last week.

Mrs. McMurphy, of Eugene, was a visitor at the Normal Tuesday of this week.

Miss Ruth Fugate, who was on the sick list last week, is again able to be at school.

Miss Loretta Smith conducted Mr. Brigg's recitation work during his absence last week.

Miss Ethel Laidlaw is at her home in Portland this week. She expects to return on Monday.

Mr. Briggs returned from Walla Walla on Monday of this week. He made a hurried business trip to that place.

Wm. A. Petteys, who was a critic teacher in our school for several years, has been elected to a principalship in Salem.

President Ressler has returned from his institute work in eastern Oregon. Mr. Ressler reports a pleasant and profitable trip.

Miss Ellen Nelson, who has been in Salem since her graduation from the O. S. N. S. in '07, has been reelected for the ensuing year.

Wm. Rutherford '03, who has been a student at Stanford during the past year, will take up the work of the city superintendency in Tillamook for the coming year.

David Campbell is expected home tomorrow from Walla Walla. Mr. Campbell has been taking special advantage of his opportunity in the Conservatory of Music during the past winter. It will be remembered he won a scholarship in the spring of '08.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Arant are expected to be here at commencement time. Mr. Arant's school at Nehalem closes June 4 and both he and Mrs. Arant will come to Monmouth immediately upon its close.

The Courier staff will again rest. It has been very busy for several weeks past collecting and classifying material for the June issue. All the classes, literary societies

and other organizations have had photographs taken for this issue of the paper. In all there will be about ten cuts. The class material will add to its value and on the whole it promises to be an attractive edition.

A number of our old graduates have become members of the Grange. At the state convention which was held in McMinnville last week there were several in attendance. They were: Mrs. Dr. Ethel Kelty Brown, of Cloverdale; Mrs. Anna Dragseth, of Hood River; Mr. and Mrs. Ira B. Shirley (Miss Edith Kirtz) and Mrs. Beatrice Burkhead, of Crowfoot.

### Falls City

J. W. Southwell was a Dallas visitor Monday.

H. Ott was down from Black Rock Saturday.

Born May 5, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Priest, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. McPherson went to Portland Monday.

E. Myers has sold his dray business to W. B. McKown.

Mr. Larson and family have moved to Portland to reside.

Rev. Paul went to Halsey to attend the district conference.

Miss Cecil Dodd went to Corvallis last week to visit friends.

F. A. Lucas, who has been to Chicago, has returned and left for Portland, accompanied by his wife.

Arthur Trask has gone to Portland to arrange for moving there on account of his daughter's ill health.

The Gerlinger Mill is now in operation. This gives good employment to a number of men at good wages.

W. B. Nichols and wife will soon return to the Phillipine Islands where they will engage in teaching school.

J. A. Tate, who has lived in Polk county all his life, has moved to Willamina, where he will hereafter reside.

Mrs. A. G. Atwood and son returned to Eugene Saturday after making an extended visit with friends at this place.

George Gardner has sold his property here to the Falls City Lumber Co., as they need more room for their lumber yard.

Charley Dill, who has been absent from home since last fall holding down a claim, returned home Saturday for a short visit.

Rev. C. J. Swander, secretary of the Christian churches of Oregon, was here over Sunday and preached two excellent sermons.

A number of men have been working at the planing mill building more platforms along the R. R. track to give more room for loading cars.

Mrs. James Chamberlin, who has been so ill for the past few weeks, was so much improved in health as to be able to attend services at the Christian church last Sunday.

Mr. Banks, who recently moved to Falls City with the hope of improving his health, left Monday for Hood River. We are sorry to lose Mr. Banks and wife from our midst. We found them to be very estimable people.

## INDEPENDENCE NEWS BUDGET

### From Our Regular Correspondent.

### DAILY HAPPENINGS IN OUR SISTER CITY.

### Scan This Column For News of Importance From the Riverside.

Frank Cox was a Salem visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Edd Owen was a Salem visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Smith was a Salem visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Moore spent Sunday in Dallas.

C. E. Williams, the blacksmith, spent Sunday in Portland.

Carl Percival went to Portland for a few days in the city.

Wm. Campbell spent a few days of last week in Portland.

Mrs. Dr. Butler spent a few days of this week in Portland.

Mrs. N. Jones and daughter were Salem visitors last Saturday.

Ralph Davidson, of Park, visited relatives in this city over Sunday.

Grant McLaughlin, of Corvallis spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Imogene Thomason is visiting at the home of G. W. Coach this week.

Mrs. Geo. Conkey went to Albany Tuesday to attend the Grand Lodge.

R. Jacobson, a merchant of McMinnville, was in our city Wednesday.

Mrs. Dave Boydston and her daughter were Salem visitors Tuesday.

W. E. Kutch and wife, of Carlton, visited their son Geo. Kutch, last week.

Mrs. M. Merwin and Mrs. Jessie Cromwell, were Salem visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Coad, of Dallas, passed through here Wednesday on her way to Seattle.

Jess Whiteaker opened up his place of business on C. street the first of the week.

Grant Robertson, of Portland, played with the Independence base ball team Sunday.

Mrs. C. C. Long and Bertie Bently made an automobile trip to Salem last Saturday.

Miss Laura Miller left for Newberg Monday, after a few days visit with Mrs. Dr. Butler.

Mrs. S. A. Riggs, of Salem, came last Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. John McQuerry.

Dr. Duganne went to Portland the last of the week to spend a few days with his parents in that city.

J. S. Cooper and wife left Wednesday for a trip to The Dalles and other places in eastern Oregon.

Mrs. Mabel Courser, of Portland, formerly of this city, passed through here the first of the week.

Dr. Crowley, of Portland, passed through here Saturday on his

way to Monmouth, his former home.

Mrs. W. R. Allin and Mrs. D. L. Hodge were delegates to the Grand lodge at Albany and left for that city Tuesday.

Miss Ada Ketchum, a nurse at the Good Samaritan hospital, is visiting at the home of her father Dr. Ketchum; this week.

Mrs. W. D. Moreland left Wednesday for Tacoma, Wash., after a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Cooper.

J. H. Alexander and family, of Montana, came Tuesday evening to spend several weeks with relatives in this city and near here.

Mrs. Asa Robinson left Wednesday by the way of Salem, for Vancouver, Wash., to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Wood in that city.

F. L. Hooper, of this city, is one of the carpenters employed to help build the big barn belonging to B. Chaney north of Independence.

Miss Francis Patterson, of Portland, came last Saturday to spend several months with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hedges.

Miss O'Connell was the guest of Miss Irma Brown Wednesday. She was on her way to southern Oregon where she expects to teach school.

Dr. Butler returned from Portland Tuesday evening. He took Mrs. McFerren, of Falls City, to the Good Samaritan hospital for an operation.

Mrs. Eph Young returned the last of the week from Seattle, Wash., where she has been spending several weeks with her sister Mrs. Townsend.

Mrs. Dr. Calloway, of Roseburg, formerly of this city, was brought to Salem last Saturday to undergo an operation at the Salem hospital.

Wm. McFadden, of Portland, came up Tuesday evening. Mr. McFadden has not been here for fourteen years. He was formerly of Monmouth.

The Independence base ball team played the Corvallis team a very interesting game Sunday on their grounds, score was 5 to 7 in favor of Independence.

Jim Johnson, who worked for the Enterprise office for several months, left Monday for McMinnville to work for Mr. Messner, a former merchant of this city.

Rev. Dunsmore, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, returned from Portland Tuesday evening, where he has been visiting a few days with his son.

Cleve Robinson sold his barber shop on C. street to G. G. Stone and F. J. Aldridge, of Oregon City. They took possession of the business Tuesday. Cleve left for Vancouver to spend a few days with his sister, Mrs. H. S. Wood.

D. H. McCarty was given a surprise party Monday evening May 17. About 20 men went in automobiles across the river to his home. Had music and other amusements after which a delicious lunch was served. Those present were: Sherman Hays,

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## LIQUOR DEALERS JOIN HANDS

### A Brewers and Wholesalers Organization.

### IMPORT A MANAGER FROM CALIFORNIA

### Will Work to Ward Off State Wide Prohibition at the Next Election.

Brewers and wholesale liquor dealers of Portland once more have joined hands against the common foe, the Anti-saloon league and are preparing to take up the gauntlet cast down by that organization for the election of 1910. To lead them to victory, complete or partial, they have imported a political general from San Francisco, who, during the coming year, is to manage the political battle in behalf of the liquor people. This political manager is due in Portland tomorrow and at once to commence laying his plans of campaign.

Great secrecy is maintained on all hands concerning the plans and the movements of the brewers and the wholesalers. They say, for publication, that they know nothing of any new political agent, but at the same time word has come from the brewers and from the wholesalers, to those close in, that the new director is to arrive in the city tomorrow ready for the fray.

Both the brewers and the whole sale interests have come to the firm conclusion that it is time something was done to dam the wave of local option which, paradoxically speaking, is drying up the state. During the past two years or more the big liquor interests have had no central organization and no central political management. The Anti-Saloon league has been steadily plugging along leaving a wake of dryness in its path. Now a state wide campaign of local option is being planned and the liquor people are putting on their armor for the defense.

There is no big consolidated brewers' and wholesalers' organization, as there used to be. But there is a Brewers' association and a Wholesalers' association and both are working together. The brewers have hired the new political manager and the wholesalers are helping pay his expenses.

In 1904 the Wholesale Brewers and Liquor Dealers' association entered into an extensive campaign against the local option movement. At that time the organization employed A. Crofton to manage their campaign as secretary of the association. He continued in that position for two years or more. During the time, however, he incurred the enmity of the retail men of the city because, foreseeing the trend of public sentiment, he advocated the closing of saloons at midnight, Sunday closing, and the elimination of the north end dives, which, he contended, were fostering the spread of local option by the breeding of lawlessness.

Out of this hatred of the retail (Continued on Page Four)