

LOCAL AND STATE NEWS

Fruit Lax, a candy cathartic for children. Perkins Pharmacy.

Guy Scheible has found employment in the Monmouth Creamery.

C. H. Guin, of Rickreall, was looking after business in Monmouth Saturday.

Muco Tone is a Rexall preparation for catarrh, 50c and \$1.00. Perkins Pharmacy.

E. H. Lorence and Douglas Tyler attended the races at Independence Wednesday.

Miss Mabel Lorence returned home last Saturday from attending the U. of O. at Eugene.

S. W. Jackson went to Corvallis Friday of last week on business. He was gone several days.

Mrs. A. B. Combs, of Portland, was visiting her mother, Mrs. McFarland at this place this week.

Miss Bella Ackerman returned home a week ago from Corvallis where she graduated from the O. A. C.

Miss Nellie McNeill left Friday of last week for her home in Medford, stopping off at Eugene for a few days.

J. W. Orr, Republican candidate for sheriff, accompanied by his wife, passed through Monmouth Wednesday.

FOUND—A gold chatelain pin, gold heart in center. Owner can get same by calling at this office and paying for notice.

D. M. Hampton went to Salem Wednesday to attend the Grand Army Encampment which convened Wednesday and closed today.

C. Lorence and wife returned home Friday from Portland in their auto, having spent several days there during the Rose Carnival.

L. M. Hall, J. A. and William Haines left here Tuesday afternoon to attend the Pioneer Reunion at Portland. J. A. Haines and his brother are said to be the oldest twins in Oregon.

The City Council met Tuesday evening and adjourned to meet at the call of the mayor if necessary to do so before the next regular meeting, which takes place Tuesday evening, June 25.

Miss Hazel Lorence entertained at the Lorence home Friday to Monday her guests being Miss Margaret Egan, Albert Egan, and Monte Charlton, of Salem, Miss Irene Williams, of Independence, and Joe Rothchild and Harry Roll, of Portland.

H. A. and E. C. Hindman, of Dallas, came over Wednesday evening on their bicycles and were delayed all night on account of the rain. Bicycling was not good next morning and a boat would likely have served them better, however the train afforded an alternative.

Dr. Heisley, of Salem, will be in Monmouth Monday, Wednesday and Friday forenoons of each week and will have office in the Hotel. Will also give treatment at the homes of patients. The doctor is of the osteopathic school of practice. Consultation and examination free.

Misses Ruby Shearer, Elta Clark, Helen Peery and Howard Morlan attended Commencement at the U. of O. at Eugene, Monday. The ladies returned Tuesday and Howard remained over till next day. He was delayed in Eugene his auto having stripped a gear when entering the city.

J. Winegar and family drove to McMinnville Saturday afternoon in their auto, stopping off at the picnic at Rickreall for a short time. They returned home Sunday.

Miss Emma Kramer left last Monday, for several points in the east. She will return about the middle of September, in time to take up her work as principal of one of the Salem schools.

Rev. J. R. N. Bell delivered an excellent address in the Normal Chapel, last Sunday, taking for his subject, What is Man, which he handled in a very able manner to a large and attentive audience.

Contractor Keating expected to finish ditching for the water pipes yesterday, except a few blocks on Main street and the street crossings, but the rain has delayed the work. However the wooden pipe has begun to arrive and the work will soon be forging along rapidly. He expects to have the system ready for a trial in about twenty days or such a matter.

HOGUE-FISHER.

At the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Fisher, of Monmouth, on Wednesday of this week, occurred the wedding of their daughter, Esther E., to Henry E. Hogue, of Portland, Oregon. Only the immediate relatives were present, and the young couple were attended by a brother of the groom and Miss Edna Parks, of Monmouth. W. A. Gueffroy, pastor of the Evangelical Church, officiated.

The bride is one of the best known and exemplary young ladies in Monmouth, where she graduated from the Normal school and since then has been actively engaged in teaching. Mr. Hogue is a carpenter by trade, having but recently built for himself and bride an up-to-date bungalow in the city of Portland, where they will be at home to their many friends whose best wishes attend them.

Sent to Jail for Attempting Suicide.

SALEM, ORE., June 18.—Instead of being wrapped in everlasting sleep, J. H. Cookingham is serving a five days' sentence in the county jail, for Judge Elgin has imposed that sentence on him for disorderly conduct and an attempt to commit suicide. Cookingham suffered domestic troubles and last night, it is alleged, he intended to end all, but officers were called to his home and he was lodged in jail.

SALEM, Or., June 18.—Articles dissolving the Oregon-Eastern Railroad Company were filed today with the Secretary of State. The capital of the company was \$100,000,000, and it was formed to build the railroad from Natron to Ontario, and branch lines to Klamath Falls, Agency Plains and Lakeview. The presumption is that the road is to be taken over by the Oregon-Washington Railroad Company.

The "Blue Sky" Bill.

The editor has received from Secretary of State Olcott a copy of the Blue Sky bill which will be initiated at the November election. The bill, designed to protect purchasers of stocks and bonds and to provide for the thorough regulation and supervision of corporations, is modeled after the famous Blue Sky law of Kansas. The Oregon bill has been in the course of preparation

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for months and has been revised and approved by some of the best lawyers and business men in the state. The administration of the corporation laws now costs about \$7000 per year. Under the new law the expense will be about \$12,000, but this is more than offset by the new sources of revenue provided in the bill, which, it is estimated by the Secretary of State, will add about \$20,000 to the present annual

receipts from corporations, in addition to saving the people of the state at least a million dollars a year now thrown away on worthless stocks and bonds.

Any reader of this paper desiring to see this bill become a law may help the cause by calling at this office and signing the initiative petition. Prompt action will be necessary as the completed petition must be filed in Salem not later than July 3.

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