

Local News

Miss Eliese Stewart visited last week with her aunt at Forest Grove.

Ernest Force was a visitor in Salem Monday and Tuesday.

Donald Skeen is spending the week visiting with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. Fannie Hill was the guest of her father, Wm. Steinberg, this week.

Miss Mabel Johnson is visiting in Portland.

Francis Lord left Wednesday to attend the Round Up at Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gooding and Mr. and Mrs. Dodds and families spent last week end at Netarts.

Mrs. Elmer Wright of Klaber, Washington, was the guest of Mrs. N. S. Stewart a day or two this past week.

H. C. Stewart and wife of Chehallis, Washington, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Stewart.

Ronald Beattie, who has been spending his summer in Alaska, is at home preparing to resume his studies at Eugene.

It is reported that Levi Olman has bought the lot on which the Evangelical church formerly stood and will build a residence on it.

Miss Laona Gooding took up her school duties at Roseburg this week. This is Miss Gooding's second year at Roseburg.

J. B. Hill has bought the lot to the south of his residence of L. W. Waller and will raise chickens on it for the market.

There was a brush and timber fire at Valsetz one day this week that burned over considerable territory and destroyed more than a dozen donkey engines.

J. C. Uglov of Dallas has sold his moving picture theater to G. W. Gould of Boise, Idaho. Mr. Uglov was very sick with pneumonia last winter and seeks another climate.

The play ground of the American Legion is known as the 40 and 8 society. A meeting of this organization is to be held in Dallas shortly and an effort is being made to round up local timber as candidates.

A group of business men and school men of the city were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Johnson last Thursday evening and spent a few hours pleasantly and profitably discussing problems of the city. Refreshments were served.

Mr. Heber, Mr. Ladd of Corvallis, C. W. Weaver of McMinnville, E. C. Copley of McMinnville, E. W. Collier, secretary of the company and H. W. Smith of Sheridan are among the people connected with the Miller Mercantile company who have had business in Monmouth this week.

L. E. TALBOTT, the real estate, furniture, farm and livestock sales auctioneer, 202 U. S. Nat'l Bank bldg., Salem, Ore., Phone 470 for sale dates.

In growing late cabbage the following factors are listed by the O. A. C. experiment station as affecting the quality: seed strain, ability of land to hold moisture, soil fertility, and protection from injurious insects.

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BRIEF NEWS

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OHIO UNIVERSITY DEVELOPS NEW IDEAS

There is a decided tendency at present to question the practicalness of higher education. Making a living is a serious business and higher education that does not tend directly to this end is open to serious objections. Miami college at Oxford, Ohio, the oldest university west of the Alleghenies is making some original moves in the way of practical education as is evidenced from the following from Ford's weekly:

Intramural athletics, for instance, has received much attention during the past few years, solely because of the record at Miami. President Hughes believes it is better to have 1,000 students physically fit than have 100 in intercollegiate contests. It is reported that the university has this form of athletics made

the remarkable progress it has at Miami where 97.4 percent of the men participated last year in games with in the college. Only twenty-three percent participated in the intercollegiate contests.

This system, too, of strengthening the representative teams and Miami prowess on the football gridiron has won for her the Ohio conference championship year in and year out, with one exception, for many years.

Golf is a recognized sport and it is the only university in the country as far as known, that has a course.

A College of Commerce and Business is a new school which the president hopes to have in operation next year. Action by the Board of Trustees is expected shortly. The function of this institution is to combine a cultural training with a thorough understanding of business fundamentals and technical knowledge, to the end that the student will be fitted for some specific work when he is graduated.

Students will be assisted in "finding themselves" by a vocational director, and the president hopes thereby to remove the cause for some of the criticism that colleges do not prepare men to earn a livelihood. This experiment will be followed with interest, not only by other college presidents but by business men.

Hanging on the office of President Hughes is a chart, resembling, in a way, the report on progress of production in a huge shop. He can at a glance, know health conditions in the university, for the chart is the hospital report. Miami is one of a few, perhaps is the only one, which makes medical supervision of each student a distinctive feature. There is now a hospital, a physician and three nurses and contracts have just been awarded for a new structure to cost \$85,000.

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medical examination at the opening of the college year. The physician and the athletic director co-operate and if the young man needs a course in physical exercise one is prescribed for him. An assessment of ten dollars entitles the student to a free examination at any time and three day in the hospital. If he remains longer the charge is a nominal one.

Boarding of students may be a problem for some colleges in small towns, but not for Miami. It has been so systematized it has ceased to be a problem. More than four hundred students are taken care of in the four dining halls. A charge of five dollars a week is made for the boys and four dollars and fifty cents for the girls, and of the total collected, seventy percent is spent for food. There is little or no profit. Neither is there a loss. It is operated on a self sustaining basis and at Miami that means just exactly what it says.

Some of the young men now attending Miami are getting an intensive course in efficiency and accuracy. They may not appreciate this fact now but in later years it will come home to them with force. In every university there are many activities which require the handling of money: the college paper, athletic contests, theatricals and similar undertakings. At Miami there are sixty such organizations and they handle between \$130,000 and \$140,000 a year. Every cent is accounted for, and grafting is eliminated from the vocabulary.

The treasurer of each one of these organizations is required to keep a budget and to file his report on printed forms furnished by the university. An audit of the books is made once a month and there isn't a complimentary ticket issued for a football game for a newspaperman or to the president of the university that does not show on this report.

Jazz poetry like jazz music, can find a ready market, but poetry that endures through the ages can not be disposed of so easily or at so good a price. President Hughes believes it is up to the universities of America to provide for this class of writers. With this end in view he established a fellowship, which carries with it an appointment and salary with no duties and appointed Percy Mackaye poet, to this position. He believes that

it will be productive of good results. It gives to the holder of the fellowship ample opportunities to do his work unhindered and without financial worries and it gets away from the medieval practice of the rich and the powerful providing for their needs while poets build lasting monuments to the age in which they live.

Another unusual work at Miami, established within the last year by E. W. Scripps, noted publisher, is a research foundation for the study of population with Dr. Warren S. Thompson, of Cornell, as research professor. This is unique in the annals of American history and its effect on the future of the country remains to be seen.

That it will be tremendous, however is self-evident, for the study will include assimilation of immigration, the number of people the United States can support, mixture of the races, the soil and other problems. Its ramifications are so many and so varied that the subject becomes almost unlimited, but to those who look into the future, most important.

There is one other feature of the modern Miami which distinguishes it from other universities. The president believes that every one who earnestly desires a college education is entitled to it and that he should be given assistance, so Miami has a fund of \$37,000 out of which loans are made to those students who need help. By this method more than 300 young men have been given the advantages of a college education. Between \$7,000 and \$8,000 is now in the hands of the students, or those who have been graduated, the university holding their promissory notes with no chattel security—in fact, with nothing but the promise of the men to pay. The fund has not lost a cent except in one instance: a student who owed \$75 died and the notes held against him were canceled. More than \$11,000 has been paid back in the few years in which the fund has been available. Interest is charged at the rate of two per cent, payable quarterly, during the course. After graduation, the interest rate is four per cent. Not more than \$250 has ever been lent one student in a single year. This sum, together with what the recipient may earn and save during the vacation period, will pay all necessary expenses.

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