

Monmouth Correspondents.

N. S. Smith, of Minnesota, expects to locate in Oregon.

Work on Mr. Pettit's house is progressing nicely and the carpenter work will soon be done.

C. O. Portwood, of Gilliam county, was visiting in town last week. Mr. Portwood is clerk of Gilliam county.

Mr. Hensen is building a new house on his place on the corner north of the college, known as the Higgins property.

The Normal School will be closed for this year and things will be quiet in town by the time this reaches our readers.

Children's Day was duly observed at the Evangelical church and the exercises were good, the children all sustaining their parts well.

David Hampton, our hotel man, received the sad news Saturday of the death of his mother. He left immediately for Eastern Oregon to attend the funeral.

John Rickerts and A. J. Gortmaker, of South Dakota, were in town last week. They are looking at the country with a view of locating. They are well pleased so far.

Last Saturday as the motor was coming from Airlie the water gave out and the extra motor had to be sent for to haul them out. Mr. Cressy made the trip all right if he was a little late.

J. C. Rose's horses seem to be having things their own way recently as they strike out on their own accord. He has had two run-aways lately, one fine mare being nearly ruined and two others pretty badly injured.

We are under obligations to W. E. Yates, formerly of the Normal, for his kindness in showing us around over the Corvallis college buildings and the campus while we were in Corvallis last week. Everything about the premises is in fine shape.

Pres. French, of Weston, is here.

Ernest Younger, of Pendleton, is visiting here.

John Tyler came in from Ashland this week.

If It Were Not

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Miss Glennie Reynolds has moved to North Yamhill.

Miss Edna Savage, of Salem, is visiting her sisters here.

The mail from Salem to Lewisville was dropped June 15th.

J. D. Baughman, of the Ashland school, is visiting his aunt here.

Mr. Pillett, a former student of the school, is attending commencement.

The Mr. Howard and family lost at Heppner is a brother of Mrs. L. M. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Grimsley, of Lemmoae, Cal., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeMasters.

J. A. Byers commenced running a stage from Monmouth to Salem this morning. He will be pleased to meet his old friends again.

Among those attending commencement here we noticed Arthur Mattison, of Gaston; Miss Alma Jellison, of Amity; Mrs. L. VanWinkle, of Salem; A. G. Thompson, of Stanford university; Walter Smith, principal of one of the Salem schools. Of the class of '02 who are here for commencement, we saw Ora Overholtzer, Belle Keeney, Rosa Hult, Emma Bailey, Amelia Foshay, Gertrude Imus, Bessie Jennings, Elva Whealdon, T. C. Allen, A. C. Hampton, W. W. Wiley and P. H. Wyman. Hugh Esson and Grace Gill were here as graduates of the class of '01.

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BUENA VISTA.

Misses Alice and Ethel Knighton were Albany visitors Monday.

C. C. Kays returned Sunday from near Corvallis, where he has been employed.

Charles McLain came over from Crabtree to spend Sunday with relatives here.

Prof. B. L. Murphy and family expect to attend the Turner camp meeting this week.

Mrs. Gideon Davison went to Oregon City last week to visit her son, Walter, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Gibson, of Monmouth, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hall.

Mrs. L. S. Baldwin, of Albion, Wash., is visiting relatives in this burg. She arrived Sunday from Corvallis.

John Loy has given his residence a coat of white paint recently, and this week completed papering the interior, all of which adds greatly to the appearance of this cosy farm house.

Miss Bertha Rowe believes in the influence of good books, and intends to accumulate a library of her own. Her fondness in this respect is well known to her friends, and one day last week she was delighted by receiving thirteen good books as a gift to begin her library. The donor was Miss Mattie Lee, a former teacher of Miss Rowe's.

Miss Olive Adams, of Corvallis, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Harley Hall.

Rev. Mrs. Wigmore, of Monmouth, addressed a large and attentive audience Sunday morning at the United Evangelical church in Buena Vista. Mrs. Wigmore was a delegate to the state Sunday school convention from both the local churches, and she delivered her report from the convention, Sunday. The address was very interesting.

A social event that is looked forward to with interest, in this place, is a musical recital to be given the last of July by Rev. Kelly's pupils of this locality.

Miss Anna Pagenkopf, of Albany, visited her brother, Gus, in Buena, last week.

Mrs. A. J. Richardson returned Saturday from a week's visit in Portland.

Miss Clara Purvine, of Independence, visited Buena friends last week.

Mrs. W. N. McLaughlin left Saturday for Lebanon, for an extended sojourn with her mother.

A large number of Buena Vista people attended the unveiling of the Mrs. Korre monument near Independence Sunday. The monument was erected by the Women of Woodcraft.

Ernest Cole returned the latter part of last week from a visit to his parents in Douglas county.

T. Haley will place about 100 cords of fir wood on the market this summer which he has cut on his place above Buena Vista.

Miss Ona Emmons returned Tuesday evening from Salem, where she has been attending the business college. She will return to college next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richardson went to Corvallis Wednesday to be present at the marriage of Mrs. Richardson's niece, Miss Mildred Linville, to W. L. Patterson, of Baker City.

Wm. Fuqua passed through Buena Vista one day last week with a band of goats for his stock ranch near Parker.

His many friends hereabouts will learn with pleasure that Willard P. Bevens, who recently underwent an operation in Portland for a growth on one of his eyes, is rapidly recovering and is expected home soon.

P. L. Kennedy and daughter, of Woodburn, and Mrs. Wells Parsons, of Seattle, were guests over Sunday of Mrs. W. P. Bevens.

Haying has been in progress in this neighborhood for a week past. The clover crop is reported good.

Nineteen fine cat fish were brought in from the Luckiamute one day last week, by Ira Rowe. They were beauties.

Mrs. Julia Douty left this week for Portland to reside. In girlhood Mrs. Douty was Julia Lee, of Buena Vista, and a multitude of warm friends here, and elsewhere in Polk and adjoining counties, unite in wishing her a happy future in her new home. She was accompanied by Miss Mattie Lee, who will also remain in the metropolis.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in burns, cuts, wounds, ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c at A. S. Locke's.

Old-Time Fiddlers, Resin Up Your Bows.

J. M. Biggs, of Glasgow, Ky., president of the Old Time Fiddlers' Association, has issued this challenge to the old-time fiddlers of Indiana:

"Having challenged and beaten the old-time fiddlers of Tennessee in a great contest at Nashville, September 21, 1902, the old-time fiddlers of Kentucky will measure bows with the old-timers of any state in the Union, and do hereby challenge the old-time fiddlers of the great State of Indiana for a

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friendly contest to be held in the good City of Louisville, Ky., on Wednesday night, August 12, 1903." —Louisville Times.

An indication of the rapidity with which the country west of the Mississippi is being reclaimed and settled is to be seen in the project of the cattlemen of Dakota and Montana to transfer their business and their herds bodily to South America. The great ranges of the Northwest are being cut up into small farms and the area of public grass land is diminishing rapidly. The cattlemen are looking for ranges in Chili, Brazil and the Argentine and if they cannot find large unbroken areas of grass land in those countries or are unable to make satisfactory terms they intend to try Africa.

POPULAR NORTH BEACH.

Excursion Steamer T. J. Potter Goes Into Service June 27.

Those who are planning their vacation this year will be interested in knowing that the popular excursion steamer, the T. J. Potter—queen of river boats—goes into service June 27, and she will leave Portland, during the season, every day from Tuesday until Saturday inclusive.

To see the beauties of the picturesque and mighty Columbia from the decks of the Potter is a treat never to be forgotten. For speed and grace nothing in river or lake service in the entire West equals this side-wheeled beauty. Five hours from

Portland and one from through the famous waters of the Columbia score of salmon traps and as many white-winged boats, lands the passenger is made for beach parties. The trains of the Ilwaco Navigation Company, cars stand on the wharf of the steamer. The twenty-seven miles hundred yards wide at and so hard that carrying scarcely leave a mark. ideal place for driving, wheeling, or walking. bathing is unsurpassable. excellent hotels and houses provide good accommodations at prices ranging one dollar to three dollars a day.

The round trip rate from land to Astoria \$2.50; to Beach points \$1.00; to October 15th. On Sunday during July and August, trip tickets are sold at points at \$2.50, good for leaving the beach the following Sunday evening.

The Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company has issued a new summer book, free of charge, which tells all about the delightful resorts of the Columbia River. It can be obtained from any of the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company or by writing to L. Craig, General Agent, Portland, Oregon.

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