

Social and Personal.

Dr. Allen was a passenger to Salem Monday.

Mrs. Baldwin was in Salem the first of the week.

Geo. W. Kutch is improving his cottage on C street.

John Moran was a passenger to Portland Monday.

Mrs. Conkey was a Salem visitor the first of the week.

Mr. E. E. Paddock and family are visiting in Salem.

Mrs. D. Whiteaker and nephew, John Whiteaker, were in Salem last week.

Mrs. L. M. Hall and Mrs. Claude Skinner visited in Salem the first of the week.

The Knights of Pythias have work listed for next Wednesday evening in the second and third ranks.

The family of R. Simpson, who has been occupying the Presbyterian manse are moving to Monmouth.

County Commissioner Teal stopped off a few minutes in Independence Sunday on his way to Portland.

The family of J. P. Byers recently from Pennsylvania are moving into the house owned by Chas. Sperling.

Al Herren and family will move to Salem next week. The dwelling where they have been living will be occupied by Mr. Iliff's family.

The poplar trees in town have become unpopular. Dr. Butler removed four large specimens this week from the east of his residence.

Normal Cadet Band will give a big dance at the Auditorium April 15. Music will be furnished by the entire band of twenty-four pieces.

Mr. Girard, father of Geo. Girard of this city, died at the hospital in Salem Tuesday, April 12th. The remains were brought to Independence for burial.

J. H. Hawley and John Howell of Monmouth, with W. T. Hoffman and Jasper Rhodes of Independence, left for Nevada this week, to look after their mining interests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Huston are in Portland where they were summoned by news of the death of Mrs. Huston's father, Mr. Poppleton, who died Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Turner arrived Monday from Leano, Iowa, and are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Frank Green. They are delighted with Oregon and have come to stay.

The pile driver crew and bridge carpenters are making their headquarters at Independence this week, while engaged in constructing a new steel bridge across the Luckiamute near Parker.

Clarence Hamilton, of the firm of Buren & Hamilton, was in town the first of the week. Mr. Hamilton is one of Salem's live awake business men, and has business interests in the county.

Wm. Middleham and son Fred of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived in Independence Wednesday and will probably locate here. Mr. Middleham resided here some twenty years ago. He is a nephew of Mrs. W. G. Cressy.

The Queen Esther Cantata by Independence and Monmouth talent will be given April 29 and 30. Mrs. E. E. Paddock plays Queen Esther and Jay Powell King Ahasuerus. Prof. Newton has the cantata in charge and Mrs. Babbitt is pianist. This charming play will be given under the auspices of the Lewis and Clark club.

The Y. M. C. A., of Salem, will have the Hon. Henry Watterson at the Salem opera house April 19th,

at 8 p. m. Mr. Watterson will deliver his great lecture on "Lincoln." This will be a treat and all should hear Mr. Watterson.

R. McConnell a farmer living near Kings Valley accidentally shot and killed himself with a rifle yesterday. He was about sixty years of age, and leaves a wife. Interment will take place in the Kings Valley cemetery tomorrow.

The machinery has come for the "Independence" boat and it is all put in place, with the exception of one or two pieces and will probably be ready for launching within a very few days. A contest for the election of a young lady to christen Capt. Skinner's new boat has not been arranged for as yet.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hamilton and family, Misses Fannie, Emma, Katie and Amanda, Gordon and Mack Hamilton arrived Tuesday from Knoxville, Tenn., and will locate in Polk county. They are seeking residence property in Independence for the present and expect later to locate on a farm. Residence property is still in demand in Independence, local people as well as new comers being willing to engage dwellings at a reasonable rate in advance if some one will build.

A Good Company.

Wiedemann's Big Show, the attraction at the Opera House for 3 nights, commencing tonight, April 14th, is a strong organization carrying 25 people. The play for tonight is the 4 act comedy "Down in Egypt," a study of Southern Illinois. Between acts, 4 strong vaudeville features are introduced, making a continuous performance. The prices are 25 and 35 cents. Seats are now on sale at Locke's Store.

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MRS. BEATRICE DIERKE

Will give a Piano Recital in Normal Chapel April 22.

The announcement that Mrs. Beatrice Barlow-Dierke of Portland is to give a piano recital within easy reach of all Polk county lovers of music, is the most important news of an artistic nature yet published in our local press. A combination of personal friendship and other fortunate circumstances has made the engagement of Oregon's famous pianist possible. Mrs. Dierke gives her recitals only in

her when she makes her appearance in the art centers of Europe. Several years ago Mrs. Dierke refused a large sum of money for fifty concerts in the eastern cities under the direction of the celebrated manager, Henry Wolfson. She has a repertoire at her command of over 500 concert pieces from the greatest masters. Her program will include selections from Gluck, Rubinstein, Schuman, Chopin, and the Schubert-Tanssige "Marche Militaire" and Liszt's arrangement of the "Tauschauser Overture." All these numbers while strictly classical others Bosenthal, Godowski and Malek predict a great triumph for



MRS. BEATRICE DIERKE.

our largest cities, and it requires unusual effort on the part of the local management to insure satisfactory financial guarantees, and great generosity on the part of the artist, who, however, has the well-deserved reputation of being particularly gracious to her friends. Mrs. Dierke has won for herself a place among the foremost living pianists, several of whom, among

sical, are bright and pleasing and can easily be enjoyed by a popular audience, especially when played by such an artist.

It has been decided to fix the price of admission at 50c, although \$1 has been the minimum price heretofore charged for Mrs. Dierke's concerts. Further particulars will appear in next week's issue and on the bills.

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