

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Money to loan on real estate. Hollis & Hawks.

That fine new gun came from Goff Bros.' store.

Frank Brown, the cartoonist, is in Tillamook this week.

E. A. Ives, of Glenwood, paid this office a pleasant call, Tuesday.

See Goff Bros'. big stock of hardware before buying elsewhere.

W. B. Logsdon, of Manning, was in the city Tuesday on business.

Dr. Frizelle and H. W. Russell, of Gaston, were down Friday on business.

For a fine Sunday dinner go to the Colonial. Dinner served from 6 to 7:30 p. m.

A. Baldwin, of Mountindale, was in the city Saturday shaking hands with old friends.

If you wish to keep on the good side of your wife get a new steel range at Goff Bros.

Rev. J. J. Patton will occupy Rev. L. F. Belknap's pulpit at the M. E. church, next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rodgers left Monday for McMinnville to take a vacation of a few days.

Prof. J. M. Garrison has returned from his northern trip and reports large classes in penmanship and good sales for eggs and fancy birds.

Frank Gordon resigned his position with Jackson & LaCourse as salesman and is now with J. E. Bailey in that capacity.

Claude Smith formerly employed at Hibbs' store in Gaston, is again at home and working for McNamer & Johnson.

Mr. W. I. Haney and Mr. Vanorsdale, the two employees of the P. C. C. Milk Co., who were badly burned, are slowly recovering.

Atty. John F. James and wife of Portland, are spending a vacation with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Clark, of this city. Messrs. James and Clark have been hunting several days and report good luck in bringing down the "China."

Philip Waters, the youngest son of Frank Water, who recently moved from this place to Walla Walla is reported to be very ill with typhoid fever. Their many friends of this place will be pained to learn that there is a serious question as to his recovering.

The following persons of this city attended the Fairbanks-Dolliver rally in Portland, last Friday evening. Senator E. W. Haines, B. H. Laughlin, Judge W. H. Hollis, J. W. Thornburg, Atty. J. N. Hoffman, Dr. Chas. Hines, S. G. Hughes, C. N. Johnson and Clyde Wellman.

Furniture upholstered and repaired at Harris Hardware.

A. W. Johnson, the "Market Man" was in Portland, Monday.

Mattresses made to order at Harris. Two doors south of Vert's Hall.

Meats—The best in town delivered to your home. A. Saelen & Co.

Mr. Fay Harrington, who has been sick with typhoid fever is still very ill.

Atty. S. B. Huston and wife, of Hillsboro, were visiting in our city, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Heisler, of Gales Creek, were in this city on business Saturday.

Watch for our wagon. It will be at your door during the week. A. Saelen & Co.

The parlors of Mademoiselle LaCourse can be found at The Laughlin.

It is said that oil of Goldenrod is a sure cure for poison ivy or poison oak, as it is often called.

Watch for the opening of the new gents' furnishing goods store in the Odd Fellows' building.

Mrs. Baber and daughter Josephine left Saturday for Newport where they will remain several days on pleasure and business combined.

Mr. E. E. Mink is suffering with an affliction of the hands and arms caused by being poisoned while in the hop fields either by the hopvines or some poisonous weed similar to poison oak.

Mr. Elliott, who will have charge of the Kane-Hubbert logging camp this winter has purchased the Oscar Baldwin property on the corner of Second and First Avenue. Consideration, \$1200.

Rev Olinger, well known here and who resided here until his recent move to Sheridan, was in town Tuesday visiting old friends and saying goodbye previous to his departure for Christopher, near Tacoma, where he has charge of a church.

Mr. C. O. Henry, recently from Beaver City, Nebraska, has purchased the Higgins ranch near Dilley, and will at once take possession and have his family come from the East. This ranch is splendidly located and Mr. Henry expects to grow fruit etc., in which work he has had a good many years of experience.

The new store building of Chas. Miller, located in the center of Main street is rapidly being completed. A new plate glass front will soon be installed as well as a new furnace, which is now on its way to Forest Grove. It will be some little time yet before it is completed but it will be one of the finest store buildings in the city. As soon as it is completed Mr. Miller will move his entire drug store stock into the new store.

Granitware and tinware at Harris Hardware.

Get prices on stoves at Harris Hardware. Two doors south of Vert's Hall.

Mrs. May Hardin, of this city is visiting in Cheeney, Washington, this week.

H. Anderson, engineer for Orandorf mill at Buxton was in town on business Tuesday.

A letter addressed to Mrs John Reynolds remains uncalled for at the postoffice.

Upholstering and mattress making at C. F. Harris's, second door south of Vert's Hall.

Deputy Sheriff Kane was in Eastern Oregon last week attending to mining interests there.

Mrs. Dennis of Portland, is spending several days at the home of Frank Saunders of this city.

Mrs. Will Lambert and son Herbert left for St. Louis and other Eastern points for an extensive pleasure trip.

Exclusive line of gents' fine furnishings will be found at W. Houseman's new store in I. O. O. F. building soon.

The State President of the W. C. T. U. will be in Forest Grove next week to inspect the J. B. Matthews corps. Members are requested to be present at the meeting.

O. W. Lloyd of Banks, is in town this week. Mr. Lloyd has been a long sufferer with rheumatism and was in the Portland hospital for several months. He is now better and is fast recovering.

Miss Pearl Ramsey of Glencoe left yesterday for Beaver City, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Hardin. Mrs. Ramsey was accompanied by Miss Emma Severe who will remain in Beaver City.

C. C. Hoopes, one of the progressive farmers of near Gaston was in town Wednesday. Mr. Hoopes is a veteran of the civil war and has always taken an active part in local politics, being of the Roosevelt persuasion.

Attorney J. N. Hoffman recently secured a pension and \$400 back pay for Calista B. Smith, mother of Byron and E. D. Smith of this city. It has required nearly 3 years of untiring effort on the part of Mr. Hoffman and the necessary evidence was very difficult to secure.

Orton Griebler an employe of Tim W. Thompson on the repair work of the Gaston mill race one day last week was accidentally caught by a heavy timber crushing one of his hands severely. The thumb was injured so that amputation was necessary. Dr. Frizelle was in attendance and performed the work. The patient commends Dr. Frizelle highly and is fast recovering.

The Stage Mirror.

Whenever a looking glass appears in a scene in a play above a fireplace, in a sideboard or a cabinet one is almost sure to hear somebody ask his or her neighbor why the glass has been smeared with whitening or soap or something that dulls its surface completely. All sorts of reasons are hazarded or suggested. Sometimes it is stated that it is done for luck, at others that they did not intend to leave it dirty. The real explanation is, however, a simple one. The glass is dirtied to prevent the illusion of the scene being destroyed, as it certainly would be if the audience saw in it the reflection of themselves or, worse still, the reflection of the people in the wings carrying on the business of the stage.—Chicago Tribune.

Onions For Diphtheria.

In cases of diphtheria onions in the form of a poultice and a sirup are said to have an almost magical effect. The poultice in this case is made of the raw onion pounded to a pulp and bandaged around the throat well up to the ears, changing as often as the mass becomes dry. A poultice of the same on the sole of each foot reduces the fever. The mucilaginous properties of onion juice make it specially soothing to the inflamed mucous membrane and therefore acceptable in case of whooping cough, croup or diphtheria. An excellent way to make the sirup is to cut the onion into slices, sprinkle plentifully with sugar and press between hot plates and a heavy weight until all the juice is extracted.

Mirror, Crystal and Sword.

The three symbols of the imperial house of Japan are the mirror, the crystal and the sword, and they are carried in front of the emperor on all state occasions. Each has its significance. "Look at the mirror and reflect thyself," or, in other words, "Know thyself," is the message of the mirror. "Be pure and shine" is the crystal's injunction, while the sword is a reminder to "Be sharp."

The Search For Success.

This is my advice to young men seeking for success: Fix your eye on England, fix it on Alaska, fix it on the moon, collect beetles, desire tram tickets, demand lost boot laces, die for dead cats—do any of these things and you may have your will. But do not fix your dreams upon success, for the bones of those dreamers are wrecked along the shore.—G. K. Chesterton in London News.

Usually.

It is usually the young woman who wouldn't have the best man in the world who snaps at the first offer, and the man who is the most cynical about matrimony is pretty sure to propose to the first woman who gives him an opportunity.—Boston Transcript.

Flint and Steel.

Mrs. Highmore (with cold dignity)—To what am I indebted for the honor of this visit? Unexpected Caller—To your careless servant, perhaps, madam. I dare say she forgot that you were not at home.—Chicago Tribune.

Swallows and Microbes.

Swallows and other migratory birds invariably shun those places which are in the slightest degree infected by noxious microbes. Thus they are never to be found in districts where cholera, yellow fever, the plague and other epidemic diseases prevail. The districts which they select as their temporary homes are in all respects the most healthy that can be found. It is evident from this that persons who are afraid of catching cholera or other infectious diseases ought not to live in places which are shunned by the birds.