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THE WEEK LOCALLY

Brief Mention of Local Happenings for Busy Reader—Many Interesting Events.

Former Forest Grove Resident Wedded—Wedding Bells Ring in Near Future.

The Song Recital given Friday evening by the pupils of Mrs. Wilbur McEldowney, of this city and of North Yamhill, was attended by a large and appreciative audience. Many of those who came at the beginning hour found that the seating capacity of Vert's Hall was already overtaxed and even standing room was at a premium. Many had to return home. The pupils all sang beautifully and showed the careful training they had received, although many were beginners. Mrs. McEldowney deserves much credit for all her work and all present greatly appreciate her efforts. The accompanists who aided Mrs. McEldowney were: Miss Helen Stott of Sheridan, Mrs. Macrum and Mrs. Lowell Markee of this city.

The Gospel meetings at the Christian church under the leadership of Rev. C. A. Sias, have been proving very successful. This week's work is the second of the series and all persons who may be able to attend these meetings, or at least some of them, will derive much good from the different topics through the week. The topics have been printed on cards and may be seen in many of the windows of our stores or may be had at the church.

Lancefield-Webster.

On Thursday afternoon a notable wedding took place at the home of Rev. Lansborough of Oregon City, when Miss Carrie Webster was united for life with Mr. Lloyd Lancefield of Portland, formerly of Forest Grove. Miss Webster is a daughter of Mrs. Florence Curry Webster, well known to many old residents of Oregon City and pioneers of Oregon as the daughter of Governor Curry of Oregon territorial days, hence the bride is a granddaughter of one of Oregon's most honored characters. Just at this time the story of Governor Curry is becoming known after years of oblivion, as it has been set forth with romantic coloring by Mrs. Eva Emery Dye in her latest book, "McDonald of Oregon." In those old days when the Governor and his wife, Chloe Boone, lived at their home on the Willamette, above Oregon City, Miss Florence, the mother of the bride, was a belle much sought by Oregon City lads, who often went up the river to escort her to parties of the old Oregon day. Of all this Miss Carrie knows but little, having heard rather than seen the glories of her mother's girlhood, but the elegant Webster home in Portland is a veritable museum of Curry relics and history. Mr. Lancefield, the groom, is a former student of Pacific University and an estimable young man. Their friends congratulate them.—Oregon City Enterprise.

The young folks of the Congregational church were very pleasantly entertained at the Clapp home last Friday evening. Principal Bates gave a very clever reading and Mr. Coons recited some poetry that stimulated much laughter. The spider-web scheme was used for partner getting and dainty refreshments closed the evening's program.

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RAILROAD WORK IS BEING RUSHED

The Pacific Railroad & Navigation Company is Rushing its Surveys to Tillamook—Right of Way Secured

The Astoria & Columbia Railroad Intends to Build Soon. C. E. Loss Filed Survey From Forest Grove to Tillamook.

The P. R. & N. Co. is pushing every man in its force with its surveys and plats. The entire right of way, practically, has been procured from Tillamook City to the crossing of the Nehalem, with a spur from the main line on the Miami northerly to the Garibaldi beach and the mouth of the Nehalem river. The actual construction will begin within two weeks.

Guy Talbot, vice-president of the A. & C., held a meeting with the citizens and professes the immediate purpose of the A. & C. to build from Astoria through to Tillamook county.

Evidently the instructions to the engineers are to build to a certain grade and degree of curvature regardless of expense. They have planned for one tunnel of a mile and a half between here and Seaside. At the point below Garibaldi they will cut a tunnel of 700 feet.

Lytle's Road Advances Tillamook Realty.

Tillamook county is experimenting an unprecedented activity in real estate transfers. Since it has become certain that Lytle's railroad will be constructed with all dispatch, real property along the beach front at Netarts and Garibaldi has almost doubled in value. This land is not particularly valuable for dairy purposes, but is destined to become noted as the scene of pleasure resorts.

The beach at Garibaldi is one of the finest and finest in the country, stretching from the town of Garibaldi to the mouth of the Nehalem river, a distance of nine miles. One attraction at Netarts is the great seal rock, rivaling if not exceeding, the famous curiosity near San Francisco.

Netarts is only a distance of six miles from Tillamook, and is said to be the prettiest beach on the Pacific coast, while Garibaldi is 11 miles away.

Railroad grading is expected to begin near Tillamook within three weeks, and the projected right of way will parallel the Garibaldi beach, while a branch of the road will tap the playgrounds at Netarts.

C. E. Loss Electric Line Survey Filed in Tillamook.

The map of the railway location survey of what is believed to be for and from Forest Grove to Tillamook has been placed on file in the Clerk's office at Tillamook by the C. E. Loss Company, between the entrance to the canyon on the Wilson River, in section 23, township 1 south, range 9 west to Bay City.

Much to the surprise of a large number of citizens, the survey does not include Tillamook City, but skirts the hills east of the city, the nearest point, being about one mile and a half. From there the survey takes a straight line to what is known as Cove and McCoy's Addition to Bay City.

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Your attention is called to our Ad to subscribers on another page. This is intended to apply to old as well as new subscribers—all old subscribers paying up arrears and \$1 will receive The News to Jan. 1 1908. In other words you will receive The News the remainder of this year free. Pay up now and take the advantage of this offer.

Early Pioneer of Washington County.

William Roper Barrett died at his home in Hillsboro Wednesday, after an illness of three weeks. He was born in Hamilton County, Ohio, April 27, 1831. In 1854 he crossed the Isthmus of Panama and came to Oregon on a sailing vessel, his wife, then a young woman, coming on the same boat to Oregon, although neither knew of that fact until afterward. Mr. Barrett settled near Greenville, where he met Miss Eliza J. Purdin, a daughter of an Oregon pioneer family. They were married April 11, 1855, and have resided almost continuously in Washington County ever since.

Mr. Barrett was a carpenter by trade and built many of the pioneer homes in his section. He was enlisted in the Indian war and went out with Company D, First Regiment Oregon Volunteers, under the command of the late Colonel T. R. Cornelius, joining his company at Hillsboro October 14, 1855. He settled on a part of the donation land claim of his father-in-law. His wife and the following children survived: Hon. W. N. Barrett, an attorney of Hillsboro; Mrs. Alice Dooley, of Banks; Mrs. Amanda Purdin, of Hillsboro; Mrs. Anna Parrish, of Wilbur, Wash.; Miss Deborah Barrett, of Hillsboro, and Charles Barrett, of Greenville. Mr. Barrett had a wide circle of friends in Washington County, and was a member of the Oregon Pioneer Association. He was much interested in pioneer work, and until the last kept as relics all of his carpenter tools that he brought to Oregon with him when he crossed the Isthmus.

AUCTION SALE

On Thursday, October 25th, 1906, one mile west of Forest Grove, on the Carey Porter place on the Gales Creek road. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock.

Having decided to move to Forest Grove, I will sell all of my stock, farm tools and poultry consisting of the following property, viz: 1 steel-gray pure bred Percheron mare, 3 years old; 1 bay, pure bred Percheron mare, 3 years old; weight, about 1300 each; 1 roan mare 12 years old; weight, about 1375 lbs.; 1 pure bred Poland China brood sow, 1 year old; 3 pure-bred, May farrowed, sow pigs; 1 pure Shorthorn cow, 5 yrs this fall; 2 yearling Shorthorn heifers, 1 registered; 40 or 50 pure-bred, Mammoth Bronze turkeys; 100 pure-bred Plymouth Rock hens. All this stock was shipped from Minnesota this Spring.

One good farm wagon; 2 sets heavy work harness, 1 new; 6 good work collars; 1 new harrow, J. I. C. make; 1 new plow, Deer make; 1 new hay-rack; a lot of forks, shovels, hoes, etc.; 1 double shovel plow; 1 Planet Jr. garden seeder and cultivator combined, and a lot of small articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE

All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over \$10, time will be given until October 1, 1907, at 8 per cent interest on first-class bankable paper. Five per cent discount on all sums of over \$10, for cash.

J. W. Hughes, J. S. TRUMBLE, Auctioneer. Owner.
C. B. Campbell, Clerk.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to return our sincere thanks to the kind friends and the Odd Fellows and Grand Army, who so kindly aided us at the death and burial of our beloved husband and father.

MRS. M. E. TENNIS,
ORVAL TENNIS,
HATTIE TENNIS,
CRESSA TENNIS.

Special Rates to "Parsifal" on October 20th and 21st.

Special rates will be given on the Southern Pacific to all persons wishing to see the performance of "Parsifal" at the Heilig Theater, Portland, October 20th and 21st. Special Saturday-Monday tickets will be sold to Portland at very low rates and can be utilized to see the performance.

N. L. ATKINS, S. P. AGENT.

CORRESPONDENCE OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS

Told Around the Home Circle by Our Country Cousins—Great Activity Shown Everywhere—

Interesting Doings in Public School Literary Society Organized,—Parents' Meeting Postponed.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTES.

The parents meeting which was announced to be Friday 19, has been postponed until some time next month.

Our Literary Society holds its first meeting next Friday. A short program is being prepared, an interesting feature of which will be a debate: Resolved that rail roads have been more beneficial to the commerce of the world than steamboats. Affirmative—Robert Loomis, Guy Stockman; Negative—Orvil Mann, Harold Ulm.

There will be only two days of school next week, on account of the teachers' institute at Hillsboro.

Ralph, Edna and Camilla Mills, who arrived with their mother Saturday, from Nebraska, entered school Monday.

Other new pupils this week are: Eden Mow from Philomath, Erna David, Hattie Smith and Elsie Montgomery.

Miss Hoonan, who has finished the tenth grade elsewhere, is reviewing in several of the grades, preparatory to taking the teachers examination in February.

Leila Teegarden, Eva Bacon, Wanda Todd and Earl Loomis have recovered from their illness and are again in school.

A set of supplementary readers has been ordered for use in the second grade.

Mrs. H. W. Boyd presented the eighth grade with a number of pictures taken at Boston, which will be a great help in history work.

A potted carnation was given to the second grade by Mr. Thomas, the janitor, which the scholars are very proud of.

Clara Chalmers spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs. Abbott visited the eighth grade Thursday afternoon.

Mary Jones, formerly of the second grade, is now living at Hillsboro.

HILLSIDE

The Hillside School opened Oct. 7th with Miss Swanson, teacher.

The young people of this place are scattered about. Miss Coral Baker is teaching at Fairview; Miss Alma Curtis at Hayward; Miss Clara Loynes near Buxton. Miss Anna Dunsmore, Paul and Anderson Baker are attending school at Monmouth; Messrs. Ruel Baker, Raymond Wood and Herb Hazlett are attending school at P. U.

Charles Clapham has returned from Portland sick.

Miss Edna Staley likes her new home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Baker and their daughter Anna, spent Saturday in Portland.

Hillside prune growers are some what disappointed as the crop was so rushing it could not all be taken care of.

The Clapham boys killed their fifth bear this season, last week, which has been doing great damage to the fruit trees.

Mrs. Hunter of Forest Grove, has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mickel at the place.

Leslie Reeder spent Saturday at his father's home near Reedville.

Grandma and Grandpa Bamford spent a few weeks in Portland.

There was a large attendance at the Christian Endeavor, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Barber will commence a series of meetings next Thursday evening, 7:30 p. m. in the church. Everybody invited.

Rev. Gould Preaches First Sermon

Rev. H. Gould, the new minister of the Methodist Church, preached his first sermon Sunday morning before a very large audience. Rev. Gould is very interesting and forceful speaker and his remarks Sunday were very well directed. The people of this city, well as the members of the church are to be congratulated upon the coming of Rev. Gould to this city as he is strong and tireless worker and a great leader in the temperance work. He always has the best interest of the city where he is located, at heart, and reports of his work during his long stay at Newberg, where he left a large circle of friends, it is easily seen that we have in our midst a leader, one who will always work for the good of the city. Rev. Hiram Gould arrived here Friday, from Newberg, where he has held a pastorate for the past 35 years. Mr. Gould is a native of Maine, coming from there to Wesley, Ia. where he remained a short time and resigned to accept an appointment at Shedd, Ore., in 1887, where he was the pastor for three years, then was appointed to Jefferson, where he remained a year. He was appointed to Corvallis, where he remained four years then went to Halsey for a year, the held a three year pastorate at Dallas. His family consists of a wife and two sons, one son with him here, and the other a business man of Corvallis, and a daughter, a teacher in the Newberg schools.

New Chautauqua Organization.

At a meeting of the directors of the Willamette Valley Chautauqua Association, at Oregon City, Friday, it was decided to effect a new organization which will make up the deficit of the old board. It is to be hoped that the new board will do all they can to carry on the work that has been done in former years.

Several men have pledged \$10 each toward the formation of a new Willamette Valley Chautauqua association. The old association was dissolved Friday afternoon by a unanimous vote at a meeting of the stockholders where 303 shares were represented. Immediately after the resolution providing for the dissolution of the corporation had been adopted the stockholders were unanimous in adopting a resolution providing for reorganization. The work will be undertaken by the board of directors which was elected.

Vice-President C. H. Dye presided at the stockholders' meeting and Secretary Cross gave a detailed statement of the financial affairs of the association. The indebtedness is \$2,250 and the amount will be assumed by the new corporation which will have as asset a unincumbered lease of 75 acres in Gladstone Park which does not terminate for 40 years and buildings of the probable value of \$5,000.

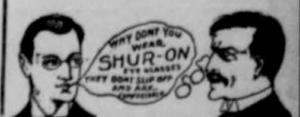
It is proposed to organize with a capital stock of \$5,000 divided into 200 shares at \$25 per share. The board of directors will get to work at once and will not stop until the stock is all subscribed.

—Money to loan on farm security. W. H. Hollis, Forest Grove, Oregon.

Dark Days are Coming

You will need to have your eyes in perfect condition. CALL at our STORE and have them examined by an Expert Optician who has had six years of practical experience. He gives careful attention to each case and gives lenses SPECIALLY GROUND to meet your requirements. We can supply you with any style of glasses, from wire frame to solid gold or the more elegant

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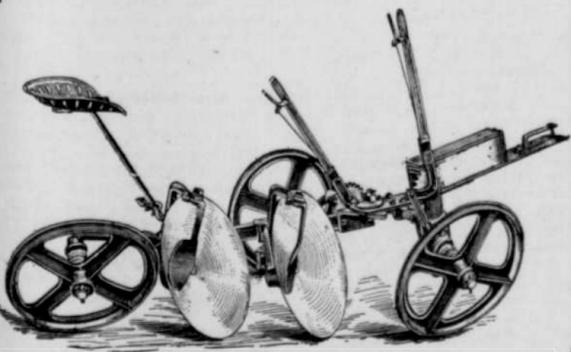


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