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THE CITY

H. W. SPARKS, LOCAL EDITOR.

Rudy Schultz was a Portland visitor Sunday.

Will Sparks was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

Hon. W. K. Newell of Dilley was in our city yesterday.

John Beal of Seghers was in the Grove yesterday trading.

Oscar Baldwin and wife were out from the Rose City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mayne Abbott were Portland visitors over Sunday.

M. E. Johnson of Gaston was doing business in this city Tuesday.

Ray Hansberry of Arnold, Nebraska, is registered at the Leabo hotel.

M. Bump is very sick with heart trouble and not expected to live.

L. P. Senger of Patton Valley, has moved to Forest Grove to reside.

S. B. Curtis of Salem, was registered at the Laughlin hotel Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Leabo and daughter Bertha were doing shopping in Portland Saturday.

W. W. Wright of Hillsboro was registered at the Leabo hotel one day last week.

Raleigh and Charles Walker attended a club dance in Portland Monday evening.

A. S. Venen, the jeweler, went to Perrydale the first of the week on business.

The officers of the Modern Woodmen of America will be installed Friday night.

Claude Smith, Rolla Peterson and ye local editor, were in Portland Saturday and Sunday.

Stanley Smith, a University of Oregon law student, was visiting friends in the Grove Sunday.

Mrs. B. H. Laughlin and Mrs. Joe Lenneville were doing shopping in Portland Saturday.

H. D. Bryant of Timber Valley, Wash., visited with his son, Archie Bryant, last week.

Miss Helen Hughes who has been visiting in California, has returned to her home in Portland.

Charles H. Shipley of Banks, is smiling greatly over the arrival of a baby girl at his home last week.

There will be work in the third degree of Masons Saturday night. All members please take notice.

Emil and M. L. Keiser of Baker City have been in this city for several days in interests of mining stock.

Tuesday, Feb. 4, there will be a meeting of the Cemetery Association in the Public Reading Room.

It is rumored that a new mutual local telephone company is to be organized here in the near future.

Archie Bryant was up to Carlton the first of the week and reports a good business in the photographic line.

Col. Harry Haynes, who has been suffering from an attack of la grippe the past week, is rapidly improving.

Wilbur Hughes, Washington County's popular auctioneer, was swapping talk with Grove folks Wednesday.

Miss Ina Freeman who has been a member of The News force for the past year will soon leave for Los Angeles, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Demorest of Hood River, have gone up the valley to look at property, but think they will return and locate here.

Mrs. Mollie Hughes of Portland, spent Sunday at the home of her father Levi Smith, who has been on the sick list for several days.

The Domestic department of the Woman's Club is postponed for one week to meet with Mrs. Edward Seymour Monday, Feb. 10.

Miss Frances Abernethy of the Portland Library, who was a student at the varsity last year, visited with her parents in this city Sunday.

Voters who have not registered for the primaries had better get busy. At Cornelius the books are open for registration at Judge Fitch's office.

The Masonic lodge who last year purchased the building known as Vets hall wish it to be hereafter understood that name is changed to Masonic hall.

Rev. P. E. Bauer and family of Akron, Ohio, expect to arrive in Forest Grove, Saturday, to visit Mrs. Bauer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Garrison.

W. Hoopie, a capitalist of Calgary, Canada, was here last week visiting his daughter Miss Nell Hoopie, who is a student in the Conservatory of Music.

Newberg will have a house-warming, under the auspices of the Newberg Board of Trade, on February 1st, celebrating the opening of their fine new Imperial Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Danner of Toledo and Mrs. Allen Gearheart of Portland, are visiting at the home of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Venen of this city.

The attention of all persons holding property in the Mountainview (Union) Cemetery is called to the annual meeting to be held in the Reading Room next Monday at 2 p. m.

Mrs. J. C. Hazzard, wife of Prof. Hazzard of Portland Academy, has again taken up quarters at the Laughlin hotel. The Prof. will soon begin to travel back and forth.

Mrs. Arthur Richardson together with her daughter Miss Fern of Goldendale and S. W. Laughlin of North Yamhill spent a day last week with their brother, B. H., our mayor.

Mrs. W. W. Ryals, formerly Miss Grace Dennis and a member of The Times force, was in from Scoggins Valley the first of the week and remembered this office with a call.

Will Steiger, who formerly attended Tualatin Academy, was married yesterday in Hoquiam, Wash. to a girl of that place. Mr. Steiger is in the stove business with his father in Portland.

The Women's Club will give an entertainment for the benefit of the Public Library in the near future. Mrs. Thomas' Quartet of Portland, will be the leading feature, assisted by local talent.

—We have established an employment office and can furnish you any kind of help. Let us know your wants. Valley Realty Co. 29-2

Arrangements have been made with Messrs. Folsom and Thomas to hold a series of meetings at the Congregational church to begin next Monday evening. So next week that will be the place for us all.

Monday, Feb. 3, is the time set for opening the meetings to be conducted by Rev. A. J. Folsom at the Congregational church. Rev. D. T. Thomas is to sing. All are requested to be there promptly at 7:30.

It has been announced in the dailies that Frank Fletcher will lead the Whitman debating team against Willamette university. The Salem co-eds will have to go some if they put up a stronger leader than he is.

Complete plans have been decided upon for the Oregon Building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, and up to date* it is the most attractive state building yet shown in America upon the grounds of a great Fair.

John Peters, a member of last year's graduating class of P. U., was visiting with friends in this city last week. The surveying force he has been with in Washington has abandoned work temporarily on account of the rain.

W. W. King came out from Portland last Monday to help Chas. Van Doren finish his house on David's Hill. Mr. King owns a neat cottage in the east end of town and expects to return to Forest Grove about Feb. 1st to live.

Chas. Fitch, formerly of Cornelius but lately of Forest Grove, has purchased the George Eason place of 150 acres, one mile west of Dilley, consideration \$2400. Sale was made through T. H. Littlehale's real estate agency.

Myron Beard, the noted wife beater who got his start in this county, has been sentenced to the Kelly Butte rock pile of Multnomah county instead of being given the same medicine that he has meted out to his wife these many years.

Miss Rachel Lowery, aged 85 years, died at her home near Gaston Wednesday of last week and was buried in the Hill cemetery, Gaston, Friday. Deceased was an old time resident and a sister of John Lowrey. She was born in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott who formerly lived in South Park of this city are now at Pomona, California. Mr. Scott was engineer on the special west side when here. They have written to have The News sent them at their California home.

The city library has been enriched this week by a splendid gift from Mrs. G. A. Hughes. It consists of four volumes of Macaulay's History of England, six volumes of Hume's History of England and six volumes of Gibbon's History of Rome.

Clarence Whealdon, a personal friend of the local editor, has just won leadership of one of the University of Oregon debating teams which meet the state institutions of Idaho and Washington. There were 16 men in the contest in which young Whealdon won leadership.

It is expected that the work on the tax roll for 1907 will be finished by Feb. 1, and the books will then be ready for Sheriff Connell for collection. The levy is 9.3 mills based upon a valuation of 16,592,774 and raises for state, county and general school purposes. An aggregate of \$154,311.

A. C. Goodrich of North Yamhill was in the Grove last week looking after some prunes he purchased here. Mr. Goodrich is an old newspaper man and formerly owned the "Record" of North Yamhill. Mr. Goodrich says that he quit pushing the pencil because it was hard on his eyes—however, most of us stop slinging ink because of our appetites.

Goff Bros., the hardware men are making some extensive improvements in the upper floor of their building. A new elevator has been ordered and will be in place in about two weeks, which will be used to lift farm machinery, etc., to the top floor. They just placed an order for two car loads of Mitchell wagons and buggies, in anticipation of a big business this spring.

Last week The News printed an item urging people having old magazines to contribute them to the Free Reading Room and as a result scores of periodicals have been brought in to the city institution, the past few days; and also ten copies of a splendid book, "A Beautiful Life,"—the life of Christ. The books are nicely bound and handsomely illustrated with photo cuts from dated paintings. They are being sold at 50 cents—the money to be applied to the Library Fund.

HOWE'S OBSERVATIONS.

How a boy hates to confess!

How important some little things seem to some men!

If you crowd friendship too much, you will find the limit.

Don't expect a satisfactory job when you hire a cheap man.

When we meet some people, we feel the need of a word more meaning than "crank."

A married man comes nearer realizing how mean he is than does a man who is single.

It is a bold old soldier who, when addressed as "Colonel," says he is not a colonel, and never was.

Any man can bring a smile to the faces of the women he knows. Just let him boast that he is "free."

Some women have such a tender, sympathetic nature they are almost as easily effected as the stock market.

We can't all look at things in the same light. No doubt the man who wears side whiskers admires them.

The man who hires his children to be good never gets the results obtained by the father who uses a whip.

Some people spend half their time telling what they intend to do, and the other half explaining why they didn't do it.

Widowers do one thing better than widows: They don't take their children with them on their second wedding trip.

—We can sell or rent your farm. Valley Realty Co. 29-2

—We repair and cover umbrellas. L. J. Corl & Son. 23tf.

—Hoffman & Allen Co. are headquarters this month for bargains.

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

—No fictitious values on goods bought from Hoffman & Allen Co.

—We have a man that wants to rent a good farm. Valley Realty Co. 29-2

—Have you seen those new caps at Hoffman & Allen Co.? Prices right.

—Don't forget that Hoffman & Allen Co. are offering rare bargains this month.

—Your wheel should be put in proper shape for winter. Corl and Son will do it. 23tf.

—Wanted—Everybody to list their farms with us. Valley Realty Co. 29-2

—List your property with us if you want it sold. Valley Realty Co. 29-2

—Buy your spraying material of Nichols where you can see it tested and know just what you are getting. 2nd house south of Laughlin hotel, Forest Grove. 30t-4

Announcement.

The undersigned wishes to announce his candidacy for the clerkship of Washington county to come before the primary next April. I have had experience in that office and if elected will give the people my best efforts in that office.

W. D. SMITH.

Administratrix' Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned, have been duly appointed by the county court of Washington County, Oregon, administratrix of the estate of R. M. Bisbee, deceased, and have qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me with proper vouchers at the law office of W. N. Barrett, at Hillsboro, Oregon within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this January 30, 1908.
TERESA BISBEE,
Administratrix of the estate of R. M. Bisbee, deceased.
W. N. Barrett, Atty for Estate. 30-5t

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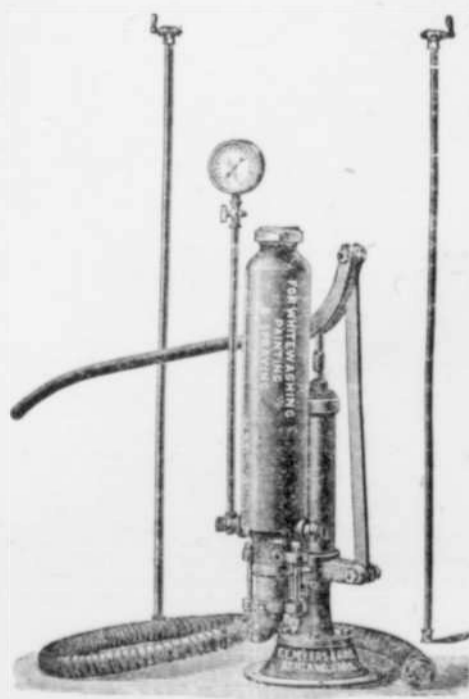
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