

**Additional Local Items
of General Interest**

A fine assortment of school suits for boys at Anderson's.

W. W. McEldowney was a Sunday visitor in Portland.

Hoyt, the Hillsboro Jeweler, was a business visitor in the Grove Tuesday.

Kennard Dixon was in Portland Saturday, and witnessed a game of league ball.

Edward Wirtz visited the Rose City Wednesday, and attended the races at the Live Stock Show.

Horses sent for and delivered to any part of the City. Ind Phone No. 322 Harris & Markham.

John Anderson and W. F. Schultz attended the races at the Live Stock Show in Portland Tuesday.

Haskell Ferrin, the obliging young assistant cashier in the First National bank, was a Portland visitor Monday.

Jesse Knight, living on Fourth street, has been confined to his home several days this week with an attack of rheumatism.

Always a positive feed to the Parker "Lucky Curve" Fountain Pen. Go to Shearer, the Main St. Jeweler, and get one on 10 days trial.

Miss Eva Newman, who has spent the summer on the Newman ranch near Gaston, has returned to the Grove, where she will attend school.

The Rogue River Courier, at Grants Pass is making arrangements to publish every day, the first issue of the daily to appear about September 18.

John Wagner, who has been a traveling representative of the Portland Oregonian for several years, was visiting at his home in this city the fore-part of the week.

Claude Smith visited on Wilson river over Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Baldwin, at 6 p. m. Wednesday, a son; weight 8 1/2 lbs.

Miss Ivy Smith of Bailey's store is having a vacation. Miss Shrogren will occupy her place while absent.

Mel Hiatt, a prominent dairyman of the Oakhill section, was a business visitor in the Grove Wednesday.

John Taylor and sister, Belle, have returned from Columbia Beach after spending a very delightful summer.

The eight year old son of a Hillsboro family by name of Turpin, died yesterday in the Buchanan hop yard of infantile paralysis.

Miss Alma Clarke left for Portland Saturday, and registered as a student at St. Mary's Academy which opened for the Fall term Tuesday.

Mrs. M. A. Thomas entertained a small party at Five Hundred yesterday eve. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable time had.

Mr. Heist was here Sunday and organized a Young Peoples Anti-Saloon League with Dick Abraham as president and Ava Carlyle Secretary.

A. H. Needham celebrated his 79th birthday Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Mills. Several guests were present and an elaborate dinner was served.

Mrs. Fannie Clark was a Rose city visitor Saturday. Mrs. Clark secured a divorce from R. M. Stephens in July, and wishes to be known to her friends hereafter by the name of Clark.

Wardie Dempsey was in the Grove Tuesday, visiting his grandfather, Levi Smith. He will attend the Garfield, Washington, schools where Frank Fletcher will be principal, this year.

Sam Show is in Gaston this week.

M. S. Allen was in Portland Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Roe are in Portland today.

A. G. Hoffman was doing business in Portland Wednesday.

Miss Amy Thomas of this city, is taking teachers' examinations at Vancouver, Washington, this week.

The Scenic Theatre, the moving picture place which was closed the commencing of spring, was reopened last night by Roy Olsen, and a good series of films were shown.

S. B. Hoskins, a well-known young man about town, left on the Oregon Electric Tuesday evening for Portland, where he has secured a position with a typewriter company.

Roselair, the man who murdered his wife at their lonely mountain home above Buxton, and twice sentenced to hang, paid the penalty for his crime today at the state prison at Salem.

Clarence Jackson, of Tillamook, who has been visiting for several days at the home of his father, O. C. Jackson, in this city, is spending the week at the H. H. Harrington ranch at Centerville.

J. L. Vankirk is carrying his hand in a sling this week, the result of its coming into violent contact with the business end of an ax. When will the men learn to let their wives split the wood?

"I'll pay the fine if no one is told about it", was the remark of a young man taken into custody Wednesday for riding his bike on a prohibited sidewalk. Nothing like accommodating the "powers that be."

Holbrook Lodge No. 30, A. F. and A. M. Special Communication this Saturday evening at 8 p. m. sharp. Work in the E. A. degree. By order of the Worshipful Master. Visiting brethren welcome. A. BEN KORI, Secretary.

Attorney J. N. Hoffman of this city will run before the coming primary election as a Statement No. One candidate for the Legislature. J. N. is well-known throughout the county, and will wake things up for other legislative candidates.

When you patronize Dr. Lowe one charge covers entire cost of examination, glasses and frames. Lenses exchanged and frames kept in repair one year without extra charge. Consult him next Thursday, Sept. 15, at Hotel Laughlin.

Caught a rat, twisted its tail into a knot, tied a string through the knot, then proceeded to mop up the floor with Mr. rat. This may be fun, but 'twould have been more refined to have delivered the rodent to Quong Lee, for a painless death and a useful end would have resulted.

Numerous friends of Edward Wirtz, of this city, are urging him to run for Justice of the Peace for this precinct at the coming primary election. Ed. is not a politician and should he run, he would doubtless receive the endorsement of members of all parties.

Sufficient Water All Seasons

Mayor Peterson and several of the city council went up to the intake of the new Gravity Water System, at Clear Creek Monday, to investigate the amount of water flowing into the main pipe.

The party found that there is a much greater flow of water than is needed to supply the wants of the city, and as it is the dryest season of the year, the possibility that the flow will ever be less than the amount required is remote.

The cracks in the reservoir have been repaired and the big bowl is again in use.

Capt. Barnes' Bow Supreme

Will Thompson, the well-known lawyer and archer of Seattle, attended the National Archery Tournament which occurred in Chicago week before last, and writes F. S. Barnes, of this city, that a young man named H. B. Richardson, of Boston, made the highest score ever made in a public shoot, save by one man, Ford. Richardson's score was 1111, with a Barnes' bow. He will visit this city in a short time, for a shoot with Captain Barnes.

Miss Fowles Goes to Africa

Miss Bertha Fowles, a native of Washington county, and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fowles, pioneer residents of Mountindale, left Saturday for Umtali, Rhodesia, South-eastern Africa, where she goes as a missionary under appointment of the Methodist Episcopal Board of Missions of New York City. She will visit friends and relatives in Iowa and Indiana, before sailing on the steamship Oceanic from New York, October 5th, and expects also to visit her father's boyhood home in Maine before leaving for Africa. Miss Fowles has been a successful school teacher in this county and Clark county, Washington, and has a legion of friends who wish her God-speed in her new life work. She is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shorey of Hillsboro, and of Mrs. Emmett Quick of this city.

WEEKLY NEWS OF WATTS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Holscher Friday September first, a daughter.

Mrs. R. M. Bisbee and Mrs. Crow of Portland are visiting relatives here.

A. S. Dille and wife attended a sale near Dille Tuesday and purchased a good cow.

N. A. Frost and family arrived from Portland Saturday and are now residents of the valley.

There will be no Sunday school at the Watt's church the coming two Sundays but on the fourth Sunday of September both Sunday school and church services will be held.

A large number of families of the district gathered last Friday at the home of J. H. DeMoss. The men brought their saws and hammers and assisted Mr. DeMoss and his carpenters in erecting a new home. Other neighbors hauled lumber. The ladies prepared a dinner on the banks of the creek opposite the house and afterwards helped in the building of the house.

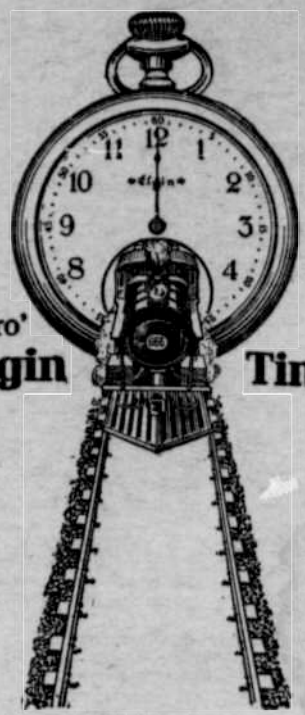
NEWSY GASTON ITEMS

Mrs. H. S. Hudson spent part of the week with her parents in this place, returning to her home at University Park Tuesday morning.

Several loads of people each day arrive and depart for the various hop yards adjacent to Gaston. Hops are reported good at a good rate per hundred.

The S. P. Agent is about the busiest man in town, the piling, wood and wheat shippers keep him on the jump. Mr. Smith is one of the best Agents this town has had.

Hon. W. K. Newell, the fruit man, is at this time placing his different varieties of grapes on the market. Prunes and grapes are ripening about the same time. Several loads of pears arrived from other sections and some were disposed of here in town.



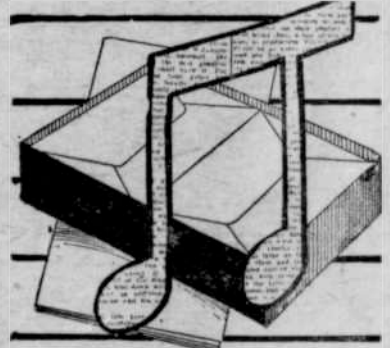
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