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Items of Personal Interest.

Mrs. Geo. H. Durham and Miss Mae Bishop are visiting friends in Ashland this week.

W. H. Sweet, wife and child arrived at Grants Pass last week to make their home here.

R. Thomas is spending the week at Cinnabar Springs hoping to receive benefit from the water and the rest.

A. Letcher and family returned Thursday from their Crater Lake trip, having had a very enjoyable time.

Miss Ruby Light, a bright young lady from Leland, has taken a position in Dr. W. H. Flanagan's office as bookkeeper.

R. E. Guthridge and wife and Elmer Hayes and wife leave this week for lower Rogue river where they will go into camp for 10 days.

Mrs. N. P. Dodge returned Tuesday from a 10 days trip to Portland during which she attended the Lewis and Clark fair and visited with friends.

Mrs. Rose Hollenbeck, on her return from visiting Miss Ethel Palmer at San Francisco stopped off at Grants Pass and spent a few days with Mrs. R. P. Cheshire.

Mrs. L. M. Kane and Miss Estella have returned to their home at San Francisco, after spending a few weeks with Mrs. Kane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tufts.

Attorney A. S. Hammond returned Monday from a business and pleasure trip to Portland. Mrs. Hammond remained to visit with her relatives for a week longer.

James Trimble and wife went to Portland Wednesday for a stay of a week or two. Mrs. Trimble has been ill for many months and will while in Portland will enter Mt. Tabor Sanitarium.

Evan Wimer leaves this Friday evening for Roseburg to remain, he having taken a position with the Southern Pacific Company at that place.

Mrs. Chas. S. Moore of Salem, Ore., has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. C. Hale and her mother, Mrs. N. Langwell who is also visiting Mrs. Hale.

Mrs. J. R. McKnight left Sunday for Portland where she will spend three weeks with friends and in viewing the fair. Mr. McKnight will go to Portland about September 1st to spend a week, when he and Mrs. McKnight will return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Brumfield of Humboldt, Ind., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Patrick at Roseburg this week and will spend a few days in visiting the John Patrick family who were their neighbors in Indiana.

Ike Davis last Saturday received a visit from his brother, J. D. Davis of Oklahoma, who staid here until the following Tuesday. The brothers have not met before for 28 years.

Jess Cheshire passed through Grants Pass Friday from Astoria, where he has been in business, bound for Tonahap, where he will try his fortune in the new Nevada gold fields.

Waiter and Samuel Locke, two of the popular boys of Granite Hill, where they work in the mine at that place, returned Sunday from Portland where they had spent a week seeing the sights in that city and at the fair.

C. F. Bates and family returned this week to their home at Montague, Cal., after having spent nearly three weeks with his brother, Nate Bates. The two families spent two weeks very pleasantly camping at Steamboat.

Mrs. S. J. Simpson arrived Sunday, Princeton, Ind., to spend a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Patrick. Mrs. Patrick came West 20 years ago and has not seen any member of her family since that time until Mrs. Simpson arrived.

J. C. Mattison returned from Portland Thursday with Mrs. Mattison, who has been a patient at the North Pacific sanitarium for some time past. Mrs. Mattison is greatly improved in health but will remain in Grants Pass some weeks while Mr. Mattison goes to Galice.

James Faren one of the best known residents of Briggs creek, was in Grants Pass Saturday. Mr. Faren during the summer attends to his stock farm, while during the winter he operates a placer mine that he has on his place.

Mrs. Minnie Vedder was in Grants Pass Saturday to visit her sister, Miss Ruby Light, after which she went to Leland where she will spend two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Light, then returning to her home in Baker City.

Mrs. Josie Miller, of Cleveland, O., spent Thursday and Friday in Grants Pass, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. E. Voorhis. On Thursday a trip was made to the Golden Drift mine where Mrs. Miller got her first glimpse of a placer mine in operation and saw gold panned out of the virgin soil.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moss left for Portland last Sunday, where they will spend a week while viewing the fair, and while Mr. Moss investigates the prospects for investors coming to Josephine county. During his absence Mr. Moss' real estate office is in charge of Miss Ida Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cook of Medford, arrived in Grants Pass Wednesday to locate permanently. Mr. Cook was formerly the foreman of the Iowa Lumber and Box Co., of Medford and has come to this city to take a similar position with the California Pine Box and Lumber Co., and they will occupy the Wade house on East Main street.

Warren Furman arrived last Friday with his family from Pittsburg, Pa., to spend three weeks at the home of his brother, Justice George P. Furman. Mr. Furman visited Grants Pass 14 years ago and the town has increased so in size since that time and so many large brick blocks have been built that he could hardly recognize the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee left Wednesday for Portland, where they will view the fair, and Mr. Lee will also attend to some business in connection with his fruit trade. They were accompanied by Miss Stella Roberts of Redding, Cal., a sister of Mrs. Lee's, who has been here for the past week on a visit. During Mr. Lee's absence his fruit store will be in charge of his brother, Elmer Lee.

Little Laura and Canden Mitchell, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mitchell, had an outing in the country last week that they very much enjoyed. Miss Laura returned Saturday from Evans creek, where she had been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Silaby, and Canden came home Tuesday from near Wilderville where he had had an enjoyable time with his boy friends at the home of J. H. Robinson.

Misses Elsie and Dorothy Draper, daughters of Colonel and Mrs. T. Wain-Morgan Draper and who are spending the summer at the Draper country home at Takilma, came to Grants Pass Tuesday and met their father, who had been on a business trip to San Francisco, and with him they proceeded on to Portland, where they will spend two weeks with friends and in viewing the fair. They will also take a trip to the coast for a few days.

Mrs. Klinefith and her nephew Will Klinefith, of Newark, N. J., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Hathaway of New Hope. They are old friends of the Hathaway family and are making a tour of the Pacific coast. They have so far taken in all the principal places of interest including the Yellowstone Park, the Lewis and Clark exposition and Grants Pass. They will continue their trip through California and from there back to their home in the East.

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Chickens wanted by Henry Walters at the Oregon.

A Brief Record of Local Events.

David Norcross, a student of the Eugene Divinity College, will deliver an address at the Christian church, Sunday, Aug. 20th.

If you want to rent a house or keep posted in the bargain in all lines, DON'T FAIL TO READ our CLASSIFIED AD COLUMN.

R. B. Baber and son Graf, went to Astoria Tuesday to attend the fair at that place. They took several runners with them to enter in the races.

The ladies of Newman M. E. church will give an ice cream social on the lawn at Dr. Finley's next Wednesday evening, August 23.

There was a partial eclipse of the moon Monday night, between 6:30 and 10 o'clock, which was visible in Southern Oregon, and many Grants Pass people were out on that evening to watch the event.

G. A. Cobb started for Portland Tuesday with a car load of water melons. The melons were raised partly on his own place and the shipment completed from the fields at Dimmick place. Mr. Dimmick has about 13 acres which are yielding a fair crop.

The Chetco Cooper Company is a mining organization recently formed by Ashland men and incorporated with a capital stock of a million dollars. The incorporators are Thomas Gilham, Chas. W. Evans and Clyde Payne. The property which they propose to exploit is in Curry county and consists of 17 claims.

Harry Gordon, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gordon, broke his arm Sunday evening. He was jumping from a spring-board, and in making the jump he fell with one arm under his body, and broke one bone of the fore-arm. The break, although a painful one is not serious, as but one bone was broken, and he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Edith Rehkopf has had built a dryhouse 23x32 feet and a warehouse 20x40 feet at a hop yard on her farm six miles below Grants Pass. Mrs. Rehkopf has 23 acres in her yard and though planted last spring it will yield fully a third of a crop. Usually baby hops yield no crop the first year but Mrs. Rehkopf's yard is on rich Rogue river bottom land and the vines have had extra good cultivation.

The law practice of A. C. Hough, one of Grants Pass' leading attorneys, has so increased within the past year that the work had become of late more than he could well attend to. To assist him Mr. Hough has secured the services of O. C. Blanchard, an attorney from Council Bluffs, Iowa. Mr. Blanchard is an energetic appearing young man and comes well recommended. Miss Jessie Martin will continue to hold her position as stenographer in Mr. Hough's office.

D. M. DePuy and family left Tuesday for Steamboat for a 10 days camping trip. Ira Bluns accompanied the party, as chief gunner's mate to supply the camp with venison and to Tugorize the bears and cougars. Herman Horning was left as lord high admiral of the popular DePuy confederation and ice cream parlors and is gallantly filling the position with credit to himself and the delight of the young ladies, who walk on that side of the street with their ice cream boxes.

This Thursday evening was the regular date for the council meeting, but no business was transacted as a quorum was not present. The council was called to order by Mayor Good and roll call showed as present Mayor Good, Recorder Booth, Councilmen Hagl, Williams, Hall and Dean. Assistant Recorder, Smith, Fetsch and Cass. An adjournment was taken until this (Friday) evening, when a quorum can be had as Mr. Randle will be home from Cottage Grove where he had gone for some prisoners.

Hon. Theo. Cameron departed Wednesday morning for his home at Jacksonville, after spending two days in Grants Pass attending to business matters. Mr. Cameron came in Monday from Waldo, where he had been for several days while at the Simmons-Cameron & Logan place mine, of which C. A. Connelley, J. T. Logan is manager. Mr. Cameron stated that they lately completed their clean-up of gold and the amount secured proved the past season to have been one of the most profitable in the history of the mine. They also secured considerable platinum which adds considerably to the value of their clean-up, as that metal is now quoted in New York at from \$21 to \$22 an ounce.

Irrigation Makes Big Hops

A sample hop twig has been left at the Courier office by J. D. Drake, which he had taken from a baby hop vine in the yard of S. M. Weston & Son three miles below this city. This twig is but four inches long and has 10 large, well formed cones upon it. The vine from which it was taken, Mr. Drake stated, was covered with twigs as heavily laden as this twig. This section of the Weston yard was planted this spring and this is a fine illustration of what irrigation will do for hops. There are four acres of these baby hops. Two acres are high bottom land and has had an irrigation either surface or sub-irrigation. On this dry tract there will be hardly 50 pounds to the acre, and will not be worth picking. The other two acres were planted on low land, a former channel of Rogue river and thus had perfect sub-irrigation. This section will produce fully 500 pounds of fine hops to the acre of a quality as fine as that shown by Mr. Drake. Had the other section of the yard been irrigated it would have produced as heavy a crop for the soil is a rich bottom loam, and Mr. Weston would have had \$200 worth of hops from it, which would have been clear profit other than the expense of irrigation, for the ground had to be cultivated and could not be used for other crops.

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Another industry has been added to Josephine county and it is one that promises to develop into such magnitude as will be a most important factor in the county's prosperity. The burning of lime has been carried on in a small way ever since the Whites settled in Rogue River Valley, but notwithstanding the fact that there are many great ledges of limestone and marble containing millions of tons yet most of the lime used for building and other purposes has been imported from the lime works on San Juan Island in Puget Sound. The long freight haul from Northern Washington has made lime an expensive article to builders.

The lime trade is now to be reversed and Southern Oregon from importing will begin to export lime. The beginning in this industry is being made by the Grants Pass Marble & Lime Company, of which J. E. Verdin is manager. This Company holds over 300 acres of land on Cheney creek on which is located one of the biggest marble deposits in the United States. The rock is of extra fine quality for building purposes, but for the present its chief value is for lime. This property was but recently acquired by the present owners and they at once began its development. A month ago Manager Verdin put eight men at work putting in a lime kiln. This was completed some time since and the first lot of lime was burned last week and is being delivered to builders in this city. Manager Verdin has already secured orders for over 400 barrels of lime for immediate delivery and he has the prospect of other large orders. Their present kiln has a capacity of 150 barrels, but it is the expectation to this fall put in a new improved draw-kiln of 400 barrels capacity.

The Southern Pacific, in order to aid the establishment of this new industry in Southern Oregon, has made a special car rate for the Company and it is the expectation of Manager Verdin that in the near future they will be getting onto the Northern Oregon and the California markets, as well as supplying the entire local trade. For the present the lime is hauled by team to Grants Pass, the distance being but 12 miles over a level and fairly good road. By the time the industry is well established it is expected that shipping facilities can be had by railroad direct from the kiln by the proposed Grants Pass and Crescent City railroad, the route for which will pass in the near vicinity of the quarry. This industry will thus be another incentive to the building of the railroad that is to do so much for the development of the mineral resources of Josephine county.

George Galbreath, one of the best and most popular drivers on the Grants Pass and Crescent City stage line, resumed his duties Monday after a lay-off of four days, the first vacation he has had in four months, during which time he has not missed a trip, no matter how stormy the weather or how hot and dusty the day, he was always on the box, bringing his stage through the 40 mile drive from Waldo or better time than is made by the Southern Pacific train, his arrival in Grants Pass, trip after trip, not varying 15 minutes from his regular schedule.

Another Store for Grants Pass.

A. L. Swayne left for Portland Tuesday to purchase the fixtures and the goods for the new grocery and nation store that he will open September 1st in the brick building he has recently completed on Sixth, near C street. Mr. Swayne has been in the grocery business for over 20 years and previous to coming to Grants Pass last winter was in business at Tulsa, Indian Territory. This will make nine stores in Grants Pass handling groceries but as the town is growing and is the trade center for a very large territory, embracing all the principal mining districts of Southern Oregon, there is every likelihood that Mr. Swayne will make a success of his venture.

While in Portland Mr. Swayne will meet his brother, J. H. Swayne, and the latter's wife and son, L. W. Swayne, who is accompanied by his daughter. The party are from Virgatus, Wisconsin, and will come to Grants Pass for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Swayne and may locate in Southern Oregon.

Last Wednesday, L. L. Brooks, of Mt. View district, purchased 30,000 pounds of vetch seed for shipment to the Southern States. He will ship it about the 13 inst. It is already sold to parties in the South. Mr. Brooks is working up a splendid business in vetch seed and is creating a market that is worth something to growers of this vicinity. He has evidenced great enterprise in working up this seed business—Corvallis Gazette.



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