

### The Recent Summer School

The following signed by W. S. H. from the Interior, of Chicago, shows that Albany's summer Bible school, has been given quite a reputation:

The first venture in summer Bible school work in Oregon has been made. President H. M. Crooks, at the head of Albany College, has this new effort to his credit. It was held at Albany, the seat of the college, and was a success. Albany is well located for such a school. It is a railroad center. Roads of the Southern Pacific center here from the four cardinal points. It has three Presbyterian churches and the other denominations are well represented. The people are cultivated and refined and the city is free from saloons.

The Willamette River, navigable at this point, is joined by the Calapooia, a mountain stream, at Albany. The delta is covered with a grove of large trees and on the western border of the city. This grove was selected as the site for the school. The program of the school was well selected and competent teachers were provided. Prof. Vance, of Lane seminary conducted classes in the study of the minor prophets and epistles. These were exceedingly valuable. Professor Vance is clear-cut in his statements, fair and open-minded and anxious not to bias his students except towards truth.

(Following with a condensed statement of the program.) At a conference on Saturday afternoon it was unanimously decided that this season was so successful as to warrant its continuance, and arrangements were made for larger work next year. President Crooks was favored with the hearty cooperation of Rev. W. P. White, pastor of the United Presbyterian church and his people, and members of the faculty of the college gave their assistance. Indeed, all called upon to aid, gave their assistance gladly. The movement is in no sense denominational as several churches gave their help.

### How to Live.

#### The Coast Magazine.

The best living is not always the living which looks the prettiest or is decked in the most gaudy and showy colors. Many a man, who smiles in the limelight of society and whose eyes glisten on the midst of midnight revelries, is heavy headed, dull and weary in his office where to be successful he must have a clear brain, bright eye and a strong and steady mind. The sweets of life are only palatable when they are indulged in moderation. The man who stands high can only remain where he is, or advance when he makes his chief aim of devotion and worship to his calling or business. At the same time it is true that a person should have some restful and recuperative relaxation from the strenuous details of his money-making avocation, which is best to be of an exhilarating and restorative nature. Health requires a variety of action as well as a variety of food, and it demands rest and sleep. The man who overburdens himself with nights of revelry and hours of nerve-racking, dawdling, midnight activities, when he should have peace and quiet and rest, is not only a fool, but a suicide. The real pleasure of life and true living are embraced in what upbuilds and give joy and continuing delight. Whatever tears down and destroys is not the best living, but are the prime factors of death and failure.

### Our Fire Department.

It is up to the council of the city of Albany to place its fire department in first-class condition, so as to insure a better service, at fires. From the apparatus to the cisterns there is a crying demand for improvement. Albany has some good firemen, men who are willing to do their best, a good engineer and a competent chief, but under the present organization there is something lacking, and it is high time the department was placed on a footing in keeping with the growth and importance of the city. It was again demonstrated that the hydrants do the business at a fire. The engine plays its part, and is being well handled, but the hydrants get there when needed most. The department should be given all the things needed to improve the service, and there should be a system of paid men, at the fires, enough to make the service sure and prompt.

### Buncombe Politics.

Mr. Taft is going to call a special session to revise the tariff, if elected. What a childish scheme to get votes, why didn't congress do something at the regular session if the republicans really meant business. They don't. In the grasp of the trusts they are powerless to act. Mr. Taft is not nearly as liable as Mr. Roosevelt to give the people relief from tariff oppression, and this statement that is being sent out is merely buncombe.

The associated press evidently runs by the republican central committee back at New York. All the election reports are biased, showing the chan-

ces decidedly in favor of Taft; but private reports given by people coming here from the east tell a different story, and indicate that Mr. Bryan's chances are remarkably good.

### Bound to Be Extended

The statement is again made that the Corvallis and Eastern is to be extended into Eastern Oregon to a connection with the Columbia Southern, which is also to be extended. Governor Chamberlain got it from Mr. Harriman himself, and it is given in an emphatic manner, indicating that there is a good deal in it. If there is stability to the fact it is the best news Albany has had for many years. The extension of the Corvallis and Eastern into Crook county is going to mean more for this city than any other project that has been mentioned. When it is done Albany will have its own, and will grow in a manner to keep people guessing. It is coming, and not a long way off.

### Some Needs.

Albany should have an inspector of flues. Perhaps there is one now, under one of the ordinances. It should also have an ordinance requiring all roofs to be of fire proof material, within the fire limits of the city. There are several fire traps in the city, and old frame ranges, that are liable to go up any time without much of a start. A few sparks on the roof at the right time, and it is all over, and adjoining property is endangered. It is time these things were looked after. People owning frame structures in the business section may well use every effort possible to make them safe.

## DOINGS.

The alarm boxes have been put in first class condition. The trouble has been with the batteries. They were all recharged before the fire, but had not yet worked up. A private still alarm shows that the system is working all right and may be depended upon if people will give the alarm properly. Most people close the door, which they should not do, as it breaks the current. An arrangement will be put on the door to prevent its closing after being opened, which will insure its always working.

Chas. Berry and Walter Milbollen have taken the contract for cleaning up the burnt district. The old trash will be burned as fast as possible in the middle of the lot.

The Linn and Benton Real Estate people have moved their office into the rooms over the post office, the rear rooms of the commercial club being too dark for their business, which wants lots of sunshine.

The old building on the C. K. Spaulding lumber yard has been torn down, a relic of nearly 60 years ago, and work will be begun on the new structure, including a neat brick office.

The front of the new Elk's building will have a three story effect. This is to give the hall of the Elks space for a very high room, with under and upper windows. The building is going to be one of the prettiest in the valley.

A. Schmitt has moved his safe and other small savings from the fire into the Schlosser building on Ferry street, and may possibly open a shop there when the insurance is adjusted.

### A League's Collapse.

Eugene Register. Lee Campbell informs the Register that the Upper Valley Baseball league ceased to exist as an organization on Thursday last, the promoters thereof having decided to call it off for the season. Lack of patronage was one reason assigned for discontinuing the series, but the chief trouble lay in the inability of the Halsey team to draw a good clientele in that club's home town and the expense incident to trips to and from Halsey. Mr. Campbell, who is quite an enthusiast, will probably reorganize the league on a more permanent basis for next season. The standing of the clubs at the close of the series was as follows: Springfield, Coburg, Eugene, Halsey, in the order named.

### Returned from the Bay.

Among the large crowd returning from the Bay last night were: Mrs. E. D. Cusick and son George, Miss Margaret Monteith, W. B. Stevens, Mayor Wallace and wife, H. A. Nelson, wife and daughter, Mrs. Wilbur Francis, Mrs. Kuhn and children and Prof. Torbet, wife and sister. There were said to have been 250 tickets sold at Yacoma, showing how the exodus has begun for the summer. The weather, though, was good there. People get in a hurry to go, and when their allotted time is up leave for the valley. Those who have been there in September declare it is the finest time of the year.

Ever, Linn county man and woman interested in fruit culture should be at the meeting Saturday afternoon at the court house, when W. O. Lowmeyer, in authority on packing fruit, will give a demonstration, and W. K. Newell, a leading fruit man, will speak.

A farmer drawing an auto with several passengers, was an interesting sight last evening, reminding one of the funny pictures in the papers.

The Roeburg papers give an interesting account of a W. C. T. U. convention at Drain, at which Mrs. Henrietta Brown, of this city, state president, took a prominent part.

## C. H. NEWS

Deeds recorded:  
W. A. Rogers to Mary E. Rogers, 250 acres, dated Aug. 1905 \$ 200  
J. W. Cusick & Co., to Geo. J. Wilhelm, 63.20 acres 10  
W. H. Booth to Mary B. Hart, 2 lots, Lebanon 2000  
Frank Rice Bucknum to O. S. Norton, 55 acres 2500

Mortgages \$250 and \$325.  
Notice appropriation 150,000 acre feet water, by Amos R. Black, with one reservoir Waldo Lake in tp. 22-5 E.

Probate: In estate of Maria Schaefer A. C. Chrisman, T. J. Follis and Gus Harold were appointed appraisers.

Marriage license: Frank P. Lovering, aged 26, born in Nebraska, of South Bend, and Nellie Frances Turnidge, aged 23, of Mill City.

Circuit Court. New Case:—Josie Gray vs. John W. Gray, suit for divorce. Marriage Oct. 1907. Charges cruel and inhuman treatment, vulgar and indecent language, pitting great quantities of tobacco juice upon the stove and floors of the kitchen, parlor and bedroom, and an unmentionable offense. W. S. Risley is the attorney.

Probate:—Answers and cross petitions of G. W. Caldwell and Wm. Caldwell asking that the other heirs be made to show cause why the will should not be admitted to probate, to be heard Sept. 28.

Marriage license:—G. W. Murphy, aged 21, of Grass Valley, and Stella M. Turnidge, aged 18, of Mill City, both born in Oregon.

Hunters' licenses:—W. W. Baily, Brownsville; W. N. Brotherton, A. H. Brown, C. D. Wilson, Ralph Wilson, Mill City; Isaac Meeker, Irva Cady, Albany; N. M. Newport, Lebanon; Chas. Schultz, Portland; Woodlawn Bailey, Brownsville. Total 472.

Deeds recorded:—Olive Ralston to O. A. Brown 105 1/2 lots 33 feet and 2 lots Browns-ville \$ 925  
Olive Ralston to O. A. Brown half lot and 40 by 84 feet Browns-ville 1  
Wm. C. Snell to J. P. Richardson 10 acres 800  
Frank Frisby to Henry E. Sautel-ge 9900

Mortgage for \$254.  
News From Albany's Six Early Trains.

Mr. F. F. DeVaney went to Jefferson this morning to attend the funeral of his friend of many years, Mr. Ned Murphy, who died this week. Mr. Murphy was section foreman at Jefferson for many years, until obliged to retire from active work. He was the oldest member of the Jefferson lodge of Odd Fellows, 29 years, Mr. DeVaney being next. He leaves a wife and two daughters. Jefferson loses a good citizen.

Mr. Jeff Isom, mayor of Sunrise, went to Salem this morning to see the horses practice going around.  
R. G. Hunter, the Vetch man, of Los Angeles, returned from a Lebanon trip. Mr. Hunter is accompanied by his wife, and is after all the vetch he can get. It is wanted in Southern California.

Judge J. N. Duncan went up to Stayton and Meham, to confer with Judge Bushy, of Marion, also to be 'here, over the bridges at those places, kept up jointly by the two counties. These bridges are almost universally requiring attention, and it keeps the counties busy watching them.

Lawyer L. L. Swan went to Portland this morning, on legal business, else he would be out at his farm sowing, sacking and helping with the fall harvest, being one of several Albany lawyers who have accumulated a farm in their practice.

Elbert Warford went to Portland this morning to meet George Munsey, a Chicago friend, at the Hotel Portland. Elbert has finished his work at Newport for the season and will now be in Albany, probably attending college the coming year.

W. B. Glass came down from Brownsville for the day.  
J. T. Shea, of the Star tannery, went to Portland on a business trip.  
Superintendent Walsh took his grip and went to the Bay on a short outing himself.

Arnold Webber, of Portland, recently from Ohio, went out to Knox's Butte on the C. & E. on a business trip.

Father Lane returned from a trip to Lebanon, where he has a prosperous church.  
The sheeting is now on the depot, three small cupolas up and work is being begun filling for the cement floor, the plumbing work being completed.  
No. 18 was there and a half hours late, getting in about 8 o'clock.

### No Bids Yet.

Tonight is the time for the opening of the bids for the street paving, but so far there are none in. An agent was here and said the Warren Construction Co. would have a bid in, but members of the company have stated frankly that there was nothing in a seven block contract, and they had rather not take one. The Hassam people have also been making inquiries, but there is no bid in. Roseburg's first contract has been given to the Warren Co. for eighteen blocks. A start, though, of only seven blocks would mean a good many more following it.

Mary A. Conner, with seven children, has sued for divorce from her husband, Ben Conner, with four children, at Salem. Ought to have thought about it before the wedding.

## PLAY GROUND

As Organized by Former Albany People.

The Indianapolis Sunday Star of Aug. 16 contains a page article on the Play Ground Movement in Indiana, showing the splendid work done by them in the improvement of the conditions of the children, and the training of them for a better citizenship. During the summer the work at Indianapolis has been under the management of Dr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Bushnell, formerly of Albany. Dr. Bushnell having been a teacher in the college and Mrs. Bushnell, a native of the city, is a daughter of Judge H. H. Hewitt. The Star says: "Dr. and Mrs. Bushnell are experts in the organization of such movements and the Indianapolis play grounds have been a marked success this summer. They have been worth to the people of Indianapolis twenty times what they have cost. The city of Indianapolis during the summer has been giving the state, and incidentally, the next legislature, an object lesson in the advantages of play grounds."

While smaller cities cannot have these on such a large scale every city can do something to make it attractive for children, and the city that doesn't at least have a park, at any cost, is short sighted.

## THE GRANGE

Doings of Growfoot near Lebanon.

Crowfoot grange hall is located two and one half miles southeast of Lebanon, in what is called the Crowfoot neighborhood. It is an ideal place for a grange, being in a thickly settled community and one of the richest agricultural and fruit districts in Linn Co. The grange now numbers over one hundred members and there is room and work for more.

A. Zeising represented Crowfoot grange at the good roads convention held recently in Portland and reported a very interesting and instructive meeting. He was able to get some information for the benefit of the farmers that could not have been obtained in any way except by being present at the convention.

At the last meeting of the grange the advisability of discontinuing fruit inspection in this county came up for discussion, but was laid over until next meeting for further consideration.

Mrs. Mary S. Howard, secretary of the Oregon state grange, organized Crowfoot juvenile grange No. 7 on July 24th, with the following officers: master, Della Pound, overseer, Byron Carl, lecturer Grace Harris, Secretary Mattie Lewis, treasurer Elsa Zeising, chaplain Josie Paskols, Stewart Jerry Coyle, assistants Mary Simms, Flora Fay Chess-hir, Pomona Opil Hoke, Ceres, Alice Boyle, Gate keeper Jimmie Simms, Mrs. Anna Leising matron and Miss Rose Lewis assistant.

The juveniles have a room for their exclusive use in the lower part of the hall. On the evening of Aug. 22nd, they invited their new members and entertained the "parent grange" with a program and refreshments, during the lecture hour, said refreshments consisting of lemonade and cake, all made and served by the juveniles. The proceeds are to be used to procure some needed supplies.

### Home From Crater Lake.

Mr. Edwin Fortmiller and sister, Miss Grete, returned last evening from a trip to the famous Crater Lake. It was made in company with Miss White, a former fellow Albany college student, and her folks, who reside at Myrtle Creek, and proved one of the finest outings experienced. It is possible to have, from the sight of the lake, a thousand feet below the rim of the ancient old gusher, is one which fills one with admiration and awe. No one ever looks upon it without marveling. They went down into the lake according to custom.

On the way back they were at the now famous Pelican Bay, but did not see the gentleman who is about to extend the Corvallis & Eastern into Crook county. Around his place are three high fences, one within another, a regular stock, and none caring to try and burdle it, no one ever entering without special credentials. But they breathed all the fresh mountain air they wished without special permission.

### At the Hotels.

R. G. Hunter, the vetch man, of Los Angeles, has been at the Reve today. He is now shipping vetch to different points, in car load lots, about twelve car loads in all from Albany, twenty-five car loads from Oregon. Quite a little goes to the southern states, where there is a demand for it.  
Rev. A. M. Williams and wife, who have been taking an outing at Detroit, were at the Reve over night.

Chas. C. esely, Scio.  
J. E. Brown, Portland.  
Geo. W. Murphy, Grass Valley.  
John Walling, Salem.  
C. G. Adams, Portland.  
A. G. Morgan, Salem.  
Ray McKinney, Woodburn.  
Rev. R. F. Jameson, Brownsville.  
Mrs. C. R. Hall, Portland.  
Ray A. Redfield, Iowa City.  
Chas. R. Archer, Portland.  
Herbert Rooney, Jefferson.  
F. E. Loomer, Jefferson.  
F. B. Jones Jr., Reno.  
H. C. Baker and dau., Walla Walla.  
Chas. J. Lex, Oakland, Calif.  
H. B. Darling, Portland.

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 25.—Thousands are thronging Indianapolis today to witness the notification ceremonies of Joln W. Kern, democratic nominee for vice president. Bryan will deliver a speech on the trusts, comparing the platforms of the two parties, showing the failure of the republicans to curb the combines.

# Oregon Builders

Are you doing what you can to populate your State?

OREGON NEEDS PEOPLE—Settlers, honest farmers, mechanics, merchants, clerks, people with brains, strong hands and a willing heart—capital or no capital.

## Southern Pacific Company Lines in Oregon.

is sending tons of Oregon literature to the East for distribution through every available agency. Will you not help the good work of building Oregon by sending us the names and addresses of your friends who are likely to be interested in this state? We will be glad to bear the expense of sending them complete information about OREGON and its opportunities.

COLONIST TICKETS will be on sale during SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER from the East to all points in Oregon. The fares from a few principal cities are

From Denver	..... \$30.00	From Louisville	..... \$41.70
" Omaha	..... 30.00	" Cincinnati	..... 42.20
" Kansas City	..... 30.00	" Cleveland	..... 44.15
" St. Louis	..... 35.50	" New York	..... 56.00
" Chicago	..... 38.00		

### TICKETS CAN BE PREPAID

If you want to bring a friend or relative to Oregon, deposit the proper amount with any of our agents. The ticket will then be furnished by telegraph.

C. K. FRONK, LOCAL AGENT.  
WM. McMURRY, GENERAL PASSENGER AGENT,  
PORTLAND, OREGON.

### MISFITS.

Clean up, build up

The hydrants for quick work.

The blind pigs had better behave themselves.

When Governor Chamberlain confers there is something doing.

Just another trip, the old engineer says, and sometimes it is the fatal one.

Albany's fire department should be put in first-class condition. It needs re-organization.

Ah Swill should be kept off the street after 9 a. m., with his ill-looking swill wagon and crowbats.

Never do anything that will make you ashamed to have your name in the paper in connection with it.

The Albany firemen are splendid workers, but the department does need re-organizing and better to be equipped.

Salem and the Oregon Electric have now fixed things up, reaching an agreement. Now on for Albany. Whoop her up.

Gov. Etigues has hold of the reins in New York state. The gamblers don't like it, but the better element in the state does.

Please Mr. Harriman, put some of that \$25,000,000 surplus into the extension of the Corvallis and Eastern. We need it in our business.

The Oregonian this morning gives two pictures of Jonathan Bourne, one as Bourne, the other as Lafallete. Bet Lafallete is hot if he hears of it.

There are 230 state banks and 44 national banks, with the resources about even, the total being \$106,329,903. Oregon's banks are in fine shape, both national and private.

Some people can't see why Gov. Chamberlain should confer with Mr. Harriman about Oregon's railroads. Why not, the Governor is all Oregon, and a hustler for the state.

"The Goodards in Our Town" is the heading of a striking article in Colliers. It refers to people who do not dare to take a stand on the temperance question, and every town has them.

A crazy anarchist in London has given out the news that the royalists of the United States have united to make this country a monarchy and to crown Helen of New York queen. Helen had better skidoo. If captured she will look like a five cent piece.

Blue River Cor. Register:—W. B. Blanchard and J. H. Glass, of Brownsville, the former interested in the Poor-man, and the latter in the Great Northern, were here this week looking over their properties. They were accompanied by a mining engineer from Salt Lake City.

Born in Portland, on Saturday, Aug. 16, 1905, to Mr. and Mrs. Gantenbein, a girl, weight 10 pounds. Mrs. Gantenbein was formerly Miss Carrie Salt marsh, a popular teacher in the Albany schools. May Miss Gantenbein live long and prosper.

The two boys killed in the accident near Irving were chased off the blind baggage at Irving, but sneaked back and rode anyway. Stealing a ride on the cars is as much stealing as any other kind of theft, and the person makes a big mistake who does it.

Editor Dagger, of Scio, one of the city's best boosters, has been in the city today.

### TELEGRAPH.

## 30 MEN ENTOMBED.

MCLESTER, Okla., Aug. 26.—Fire started in the coal mine near Halseyville this morning, burning fiercely. Thirty men or more are entombed, with no hope of saving their lives.

## HARVEST STAB

Halsey, August 25.—Harry Leeper, the 20-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leeper of near Halsey, while working with Brock, Jackson & Co.'s harvest crew yesterday engaged in an argument with a boy named Ingren. It is said the trouble was over a girl. The two boys were working together in a field when Ingren knocked Leeper down with a pitchfork. Leeper tried to defend himself with a hatchfork, which Ingren knocked out of his hands. Then he stabbed the prostrate youth three times in the chest and once in the hand with the tines of the pitchfork before help came. Ingren threatened to stab anyone who interfered with him. Leeper was brought to town, where Dr. Marks dressed his wounds. There is grave danger of blood poison.

### After Twelve Years.

PORTLAND, Aug. 25.—William Dundar, who fled to China twelve years ago, after being indicted as a member of a conspiracy to smuggle opium into Portland, is tired of exile and is planning to return to his former home at Portland where relatives reside. He has been consulting lawyers and having the status of the case investigated with a view of returning.

NEW YORK, Aug. 25.—The big brokerage firm of A. O. Brown and company was forced to the wall today.

### SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for the County of Linn. Department No. 2.

H. F. Merrill as administrator of the estate of Jackson L. Rosecrans deceased, vs. Jay Rosecrans and Maud Rosecrans, his wife, defendant.

To Jay Rosecrans and Maud Rosecrans, his wife, the defendants above named:

In the name of the state of Oregon: You, and each of you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint of the above named plaintiff in the above entitled Court now on file with the Clerk of said Court on file for the 9th day of October, 1905; and you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby notified that you fail to appear and answer said complaint as hereby required the plaintiff will apply to said court for a decree that the real estate hereinafter named belong to the said Jackson L. Rosecrans on the 11th day of January, 1908, whereas the said Jackson L. Rosecrans conveyed to Jay Rosecrans, one of the defendants herein, the Northwest quarter of Section 35 in Township 13 South of Range 3 East of the Willamette Meridian in Linn County, Oregon, containing 181 acres, be declared fraudulent and void and the said plaintiff have judgment against the defendant and for such other and further order as to the court seems proper.

This summons is published once a week for the period of six weeks in the Albany Democrat, by order of the Hon. J. N. Duncan, the County Judge of Linn County, Oregon, made on the 22nd day of August, 1905.

The first day of publication of said summons is August 25th, 1905.  
O. C. BRYANT and T. J. STITES,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.