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Day and Night Phone 31

Tales of the Town

Pressed chicken, pressed veal, crabs, smelt, at the Fish market. 76-77

Jack Gorrie left last evening for San Francisco to visit the exposition.

Ivan Male was confined to his home today and not able to attend school.

Dr. W. C. Rehhan installed an X-ray coil Saturday, and it is doing excellent work.

Room for rent to gentleman in private family. Well ventilated and nicely furnished. Call at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Linton, of Arkansas, visited for a few days the last of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith, who are old friends.

Steve Bowles and James Carhan left Sunday for a hunting trip on upper Camp Creek, in a neighborhood in which Mr. Carhan formerly resided.

There will be a Silver Tea Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. J. Browning, on B street between 5th and 6th streets. All are cordially invited.

H. J. Cox, accountant in the local office of the Booth-Kelly Co. has moved to the house on D street, between Fifth and Sixth recently vacated by Dale Mummy.

Rev. H. C. Ethell returned this morning from a trip up the Mohawk. He preached at Wendling last evening and will supply the pulpits at Donna, Marcola and Mabel temporarily.

A Mr. Brunnett of Swiss Home was brought to the Springfield hospital Saturday suffering with a badly mashed foot, caused by a log rolling onto that member. He is employed by the Swiss Home Lumber company.

Roy Frost of Santa Clara was in Springfield for a visit yesterday.

J. A. Allen of the realty firm of Bean & Allen, made a trip to Creawell today.

Ask your neighbor about Booster Flour, \$1.20 per sack, \$4.70 bbl. COX & COX.

A. E. Bean of Bean & Allen, who has been sick for several days, is again able to be out.

D. H. Mack of Wendling was in Springfield today. He is a flier in one of the Booth-Kelly camps there.

Mrs. Louis Erickson and daughter of Wendling were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bentley.

Good reliable fire insurance. No assessments; no membership fee. Pay once and you are done. H. E. Walker at the City Hall.

Mrs. E. E. Morrison, who was operated on at the Springfield hospital a week ago, was able to be brought home this morning.

Mrs. Geo. McCauley of Oakdale, California, arrived Thursday evening to attend the funeral of her father, Henry Smitson. Mrs. McCauley formerly resided in Springfield.

T. O. Maxwell returned yesterday from the National Soldiers home at Sawtelle, California, where he has been staying for the past several months.

Try a sack of Booster Flour. If you are not satisfied we will call for it and give your money back. \$1.20 per sack, \$4.70 a barrel. COX & COX.

Dr. and Mrs. N. W. Emery, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Moore and J. B. Mason drove to Salem by automobile Thursday. They found the roads slippery, but made the trip without accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Albyn Esson, Mrs. E. Tillman and Mrs. W. C. Dowlin of Albany drove up Friday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holbrook. Mrs. Tillman and Mrs. Holbrook are sisters.

A Chinese student of the University of Oregon, named Whang addressed the Epworth League meeting last evening, talking on conditions in China. He rendered pleasing solos in Chinese and English.

The chicken pie supper at the Baptist church on Wednesday night will be one of the first big events of the kind for the winter, and those who have attended such suppers in the past will not fail to be present.

Jes. Cyr and E. F. Herbst of Bellingham, Washington, were in Springfield today looking the country over with a view to locating. Mr. Cyr's son is in the dairy business, and Mr. Cyr is here particularly to investigate that activity. The visitors were shown about the town, the mill and the surrounding territory by H. C. Barkman, manager of the Springfield creamery.

Social Notes

Mrs. Gladys Smith, instructor of the sixth grade in the Lincoln school entertained her pupils at her home with a jolly party Friday evening.

The Idillio club gave another of its pleasant dances in the Reapers hall Saturday evening. Miss Mabel VanZandt and Miss Cecelia Hoffman of Eugene were guests of the club.

Members of the Epworth league held a most enjoyable business and social meeting at the church Friday evening with about fifty present. The League room was decorated with pennants until it had a most cozy appearance. A luncheon of buns, wienies and coffee was served by the committee in charge—Miss Florence Coffin and Herbert Hansen.

A very delightful meeting of the Priscilla club was held Friday afternoon at the home of

A. J. Knight of Canby was a Springfield visitor Sunday night.

Miss Hazel Howe of Eugene is a guest of Mrs. Henry McCullum today.

C. Ferguson and C. Fletcher of Wedderburn, Ore., were registered at the Elite Friday.

F. P. Kelly of the fish market has purchased a team from J. F. Martin and will use it in his business.

If the small boy who wanted foreign stamps will call at the News office, his wants can be supplied.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Durrin went to Glenada Saturday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Collins.

Roy Fitzhugh is suffering with bandy skinned fingers, caused when he was attempting to crank his auto.

No jobbers' profit on Booster Flour, made for and sold exclusively by Cox & Cox. \$1.20 per sack, \$4.70 bbl.

County Clerk Stacey Russell and D. S. Beals, cashier of the First National bank, are off today on a hunting trip.

F. E. Whittaker is suffering from an attack of blood poison caused by a cut on his left hand with a saw three weeks ago.

Mrs. W. H. Skeels, daughter of the late Henry Smitson, was here from Sodaville for the funeral and for a visit with relatives.

J. E. Ferrol of Eugene, who was operated on at the Springfield hospital ten days ago, was able to return to his home today.

Get your re-cleaned seed grain at the Springfield Feed Store. Cheat, Winter Oats, Vetch and Field grasses. Prices lowest possible.

Norwood Cox, who left a week ago for Parker, Arizona, writes relatives here that it was 100 in the shade October 21, but that he likes the country and is feeling fine.

J. R. Fox who lives west of Eugene, accompanied by Jess and Jerry Green of Crawfordsville, were visiting friends in Springfield Friday. They were formerly of Coburg and are well known here.

Mrs. Jules DeMick and little daughter who have been visiting the past two weeks at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Nickerson at Marcola, returned home yesterday.

A large number of citizens attended the "Old Fashioned" country dinner given by the Springfield grange at ethi rha Springfield grange at their hall last Saturday, and a goodly number of them remained for the afternoon program, which was given under the direction of the lecturer, Mrs. J. H. Bower.

Funeral services for the late Henry H. Smitson were held at the family home Friday afternoon at 2:30, and were conducted by Rev. J. T. Moore of the Methodist church. Interment was made in the Laurel Hill cemetery. The pallbearers were all old friends, L. W. Clark, J. W. Perkins, J. N. Denney, Harry Brunnette, F. A. Fisher and William Lansbery.

Mrs. Alex. McKinzey. Needlework was the occupation of the afternoon, after which the hostess served a delightful two-course luncheon. The guests of the club were Mrs. Carl Fischer, Mrs. Harry Stewart, Mrs. W. F. Walker, Mrs. O. P. Howe (Eugene), Mrs. Milton Bally.

Mrs. Simmons, the state deputy and a number of the members of the Eugene lodge of the Royal Neighbors, attended the meeting of the Springfield lodge of the order last Thursday evening. A banquet followed the routine of lodge work.

Mrs. A. E. Bean gave a birthday party Saturday in honor of the fifth birthday anniversary of her daughter Thelma. Games and a dainty luncheon pleased the little guests, who included: Joan Cox, Elaine Jenkins, Delbert Sikes, Robert McCulloch, William Pollard, LeEtta Duryee, Jule Pollard, Thelma Bean and Frances Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyon went to Cottage Grove yesterday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling.

Mrs. F. A. Nickerson of Marcola came down yesterday for an over night visit with her sister Miss Mary Roberts.

A dozen huge crates of salmon eggs passed through Springfield today from Hills place on the Willamette to the government hatchery at Bonneville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Rice of Independence were in Springfield Friday night. They had made an auto trip through Southern Oregon and were on their way home.

Mrs. J. H. Watson of Eugene, mother of Mrs. Henry McCulloch left this morning for Sacramento, Calif., where she will visit another daughter, Mrs. H. Mabrey.

Mrs. R. E. Davidson of West Springfield, who was operated on at the Springfield hospital a week ago, is recovering rapidly and will soon be able to return to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Monroe are now located at the Elite. Mr. Monroe is conductor on the gravel train taking the place of W. W. McDonald who was transferred to the Willamette Pacific while Conductor R. M. Baker is taking his vacation.

Prof. C. E. Ghass of Eugene is expecting to drill the choir of the Baptist church for a few evenings so they will be prepared to take part in the musical services to be given by the Baptist choir in Eugene. The first meeting is to be held tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore have opened a public market for the sale of vegetables, butter and eggs and such produce. They have fitted up a room in the Al. Montgomery building, just west of the Springfield hotel, and they have given it a very neat appearance.

Joe Larson and Bert Snook started for Fall Creek this morning on a hunting trip, but when only a little ways out Larson's revolver was accidentally exploded and his thumb was injured. He came back to town on a gravel train and secured medical treatment.

Dr. W. H. Pollard returned on Thursday afternoon from Seattle where he attended a two-day convention of the agents and examining physicians of the northwestern territory for the Metropolitan Life insurance company of New York. A special train took the delegation from Portland, and the entertainment provide was of a high order.

ASSESSED VALUATION

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Improvements on town and city lots, \$3,650,750.

Logging railroads and rolling stock, 41, miles, value \$69,865; unit value, \$1,704,024.

Steamboats, sailboats, stationary engines and manufacturing machinery, \$410,365. Merchandise and stock in trade, \$1,012,065.

Farming implements, wagons, carriages, etc., \$392,425.

Money, \$98,330.

Notes and accounts, \$818,895.

Shares of stock, 7,895; value, \$687,060; unit value, \$74,358.

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OCTOBER 30TH OREGON DAY

Oregon Building, Panama Exposition, Oct. 21.—The crowds at the exposition continue to average 60,000 daily, and the number here from distant points, the far east and middle west, appears to be on the increase. The inquiries are many and specific and the prospect of interesting people in Oregon seems very great. Very naturally, much of the inquiry is about "cheap lands" and there are many who want to know about homesteads, but the majority are interested in possibility of production and climatic conditions rather than something "cheap." In fact, prices quoted, \$50 to \$150 for land easily accessible to railroad or community, is surprising to most of the inquiries, many of whom are from sections where land is quoted at double and treble that figure. The different representatives here say that there are many inquiries about small acreage near the larger communities, and all agree that there is constant questioning about Eastern Oregon. Some tremendously effective advertising must have been done for that section of the state within the past two or three years for very many from distant points seem to have some familiarity with the region, and want to know more about its opportunities. The inquirers generally seem to be favorably impressed with Oregon's showing here, and many who had not thought of going into the state at this time say that they will at least take a short look at this time and come back later prepared to remain if they can find the specific thing for which they are looking.

Commissioner Booth Here

R. A. Booth, of Eugene, is now resident Commissioner at the Oregon building and is into the game with fine spirit. He had not been down since a trip shortly after the opening of the Exposition and now finds changes in the Oregon building and the exhibits generally that are very pleasing to him. In the early exposition season the exhibits were fewer and smaller, and as a matter of course there was not the spick-and-span and thoroughly finished appearance that marks the building today. Mr. Booth finds nothing to criticize, but is fertile in suggestion, and thoroughly active in all that

Hotel and office furniture, etc., \$74,375.

Horses and mules, 6,843; value, \$69,518.

Cattle, 18,777; value, \$530,220; unit value \$28,237.

Sheep and goats, 23,535; value, \$51,700; unit value, \$2,190.

Swine, 6,997; value, \$29,770; unit value, \$4,254.

Dogs, 107; value, \$2,185; unit value, \$29,766.

Miscellaneous, \$239,170.

Total as finally equalized by the county board of equalization, \$35,353,640.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. **Half's Catarrh Cure**, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

goes to make for the greater success of the effort here. He and Mrs. Booth, Hostess Gray and Manager Hyland are upholding the social end of the Oregon affairs, and finding pleasure in everything but the earthquake thrills. The Booths expect to remain until the end of the month, or near that, and their host of Oregon friends will find them at the Oregon building except during those few times when the Commissioner feels that he must tear himself away if the Fair is to be seen. Oregonians would probably be amazed to know just how seriously the officials have taken their job here and how closely they stay with the situation while they are here.

TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY STORIES

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If you are not familiar with The Companion as it is to-day, let us send you sample copies and the Forecast for 1916.

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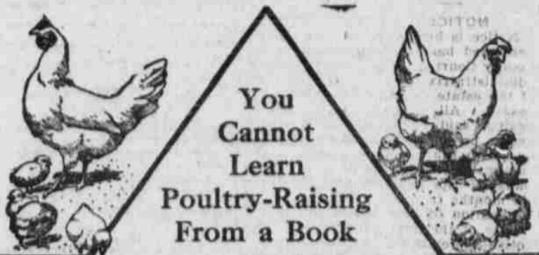
If the two busses take \$25 a day at 5 cent fares, the people of Springfield save \$25 a day clear. But the busses have all kinds of expenses such as oil, gasoline, wages, etc., to take out of the \$25 they take in. What company pays the city as large a tax as that? Figure it up for yourselves. The motor-buss has come to stay—if we lose out some one else will take up the same business.

Would also like to state that the busses do not belong to any religious organization or any church or anything of the kind, as many people think, you can find the owners on the busses at all times.

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