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TELEPHONE WHISPERINGS.

Fresh roasted peanuts at H. H. Welch's. Thomas H. Rogers is in Astoria visiting friends. Several wagon loads of people left Friday for the coast. W. D. Fenton leaves to-day for Olympia on legal business. Dr. Johnson is now prepared to attend calls in the country at any hour. Welch & Dea are making preparations to build an addition to their billiard hall. Ice cream and soda water at C. Grissen's parlors back of the first national bank. The time for holding the Christian Sunday school has been changed from 2:30 p. m. to 9 a. m. Lee Patterson picked up a \$20 gold piece, last week while working the roads near the old mill yard.

Absolutely False.

We understand that a paper has been circulated in Willamina by some of the friends of Lafayette, purporting to be the TELEPHONE, which contains an article reflecting on the citizens of Willamina precinct, or some of them at least. If such paper is in circulation, or has been shown to any one, it is NOT the TELEPHONE. Nothing has ever appeared in the TELEPHONE in regard to the people or business interests of Willamina, but what was highly complimentary to that section of our county. We would be glad if any of our friends, seeing such an article in circulation, would forward us a copy of it, that we may brand it as a malicious and deliberately willful falsehood, no doubt emanating from the pen of the Register's editorial correspondent "Truth," who is the boon companion of the owls and the bats among the mortgage covered ruins of Lafayette.

Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the city council was held in their chambers June 7. Present; Mayor Wortman, Councilmen Grissen, Holl and Jones, and the marshal and recorder. A quorum not being present, on motion the council adjourned until Thursday evening June 9. June 9, council met pursuant to adjournment, all the officers being present except Councilman Campbell. The marshals and recorders reports for the month of May were read and placed on file. A communication from the street commissioner recommending the construction of certain sidewalks, was read. On motion the recorder was instructed to draft ordinances requiring said sidewalks to be made, and to post notices thereof as by charter required. Said sidewalk to be located as follows: On the north side of Fourth street in front of lot 6 in block 8, and in front of block 16—also on G street in front of lot 8 in block 7. The following claims against the city were presented and allowed: Jones & Co., lumber \$42.87. J. E. Magers, legal services 6.00. The State of Oregon, laws 1887 28.00. Geo. Eastery, work on street 75. J. J. Spencer, recorder fees 9.95. The petition of Jacob Wisecarver and others for a sidewalk in John's Addition commencing on the west side of C street at the N. E. corner of block 5 and running thence south to the S. E. corner of block 16—thence E. along the north side of Pine street to the S. E. corner of block 18 was read, and the recorder was instructed to draft an ordinance in accordance with the prayer of the petition, and to post the usual notices. The petition of A. Shuck, praying the council to revoke the license heretofore granted J. M. Hulery to sell intoxicating liquors, on account of said Hulery having sold such liquors to a minor, was laid over until next regular meeting of the council. Councilmen Grissen, Johnson & Jones were appointed to suggest amendments to certain ordinances. Adjourned. June 10. A special meeting of the council was held June 10, all the officers being present. The petition of Henderson Bros. and others praying the council to pass an ordinance requiring the owners of the real property on Third street, commencing at the east side of E street and running thence east to the west side of H street, to plank said street 12 feet on each side of the middle of said street, was read, and the recorder was instructed to draft an ordinance in accordance with said petition, and to post the notices thereof as by law required.

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LIFE SIZE—Portraits can be taken by W. P. Johnson the well known photographer of Salem, who intends coming again to McMinnville on the 14th, of June and will stay until the 26th. He guarantees satisfaction on all his work. Enlarging from old photographs or tints. Mr. Johnson has finished several very fine pictures of residents of this city. He has had on exhibition a half dozen life-size pictures of the Wortman family in this city, and to any one who wishes to see the work, Mrs. Wortman will gladly show the pictures, if they will call at her residence.

Born.—Near Bellevue, Or., June 8, '87, to the wife of Chas. Sa-ling a 10 1/2 pound boy. All doing well. Charlie is doing better. Near Hopewell, Or., June 9, 1887 to the wife of James McDonald a 12 pound daughter. Near this city, Sunday, June 12, 1887, to the wife of John Hartman, a son.

THE McCOY MURDER.

Full Particulars of the Terrible Murder and Attempted Suicide.

On the brow of a hill about one mile southeast of the little town of McCoy, on the Oregon & California railroad in Polk county, is located one of the most beautiful homes in Oregon. A large white house surrounded by evergreen trees, attracts the attention of the traveler from the first sight gained of it, perhaps several miles away. This is the home of F. S. Glandon, a former resident of this county.

This beautiful Polk county home, the seat of one of the well-to-do farmers, of whom there are so many, of that county, was, on Thursday night, the scene of one of the most horrible and blood-curdling murders that it often becomes the newsgatherer's duty to relate.

The first news of the murder was brought to this city early Friday morning by the brother of the murdered woman, who was enroute to North Yamhill for the father who was visiting at that place. The TELEPHONE immediately dispatched a staff writer to the scene of the mournful event, and the following full and reliable particulars were gleaned:

Oscar M. Kelty and his wife Clara, have been married about three years, and during the latter part of that period have resided in Albany where the husband was employed as a clerk in a dry goods store. About two weeks ago, the couple separated the wife returning to her father's (Mr. Glandon) home. On Thursday evening June 9, Kelty came from Dallas to McCoy, went to his trunk and took out his revolver, cleaned, oiled and fired it to see that it was in working order. He then got into his buggy and drove to his father-in-law's house arriving there about 9 o'clock. He knocked at the door and called for his wife. She came to the door and invited Kelty into the house. She was dressed in a loose wrapper and bore her child at her breast in her arms.

Just above the parlor slept a hired man, and he reports hearing the following, after Kelty entered the parlor: Kelty—"Will you live with me, Clara?" She, replying, "No, I will not."

He, then in an excited tone; "You won't, won't you?" and then report of two pistol shots in quick succession rang out on the still night air, followed by a fall.

Mrs. Glandon was the first to reach the parlor door, and the sight that met her eyes was one of horror. Lying on the floor was the inanimate form of her daughter, still clasping her babe in her arms, while on his knees, apparently arising, with one hand on the floor, the other grasping a revolver which he pointed at her, was the murderer of his wife. The mother escaped before he could fire.

The shot which killed the wife made a slight scalp wound on the left side of the head, cut away part of the left ear, ranged downward through the heart causing instant death. From the course of the bullet it would seem that she either fell upon her knees when Kelty displayed the pistol or the enraged husband forced her in that position before he fired. His wound is in the left breast just above the left nipple ranging back ward and slightly down coming out below the left shoulder blade.

After the shooting Kelty went to his buggy, but got out of it again and went to the barn and lay upon the hay until nearly morning. About daylight he left the barn and started toward his father's house. After walking about two miles he became exhausted and went into the house of Mr. Alexander, where he was found by a searching party and taken to his father's house. About 7 o'clock Sheriff Graves of Dallas, came down and placed Kelty under arrest, and left a deputy to guard him.

The coroner, Dr. Kirkpatrick, held an inquest over the dead woman, but there was little need for it, since the facts of the case are so well known, and the husband denies nothing, and says he only regrets not making a surer shot upon himself.

The pistol with which Kelty did the shooting can not be found. The wounded man was easily tracked by the great quantity of blood upon the grass, but the weapon has disappeared.

The brother of Mrs. Kelty, upon his return from North Yamhill learned that the murderer had been found, and set out with the avowed intention of taking what little life there was left in him. Then began a wild race for the bedside of the wounded man; one bent on his mission of vengeance, others on preventing further violence. But ride or drive as they would, the enraged brother rode first, and but for the chance upsetting of his buggy might have reached the place before warning could have been given, or friendly hand could prevent the rash deed. This accident prevented what only could have resulted in another awful tragedy for neither the father or brother of the wounded man would have permitted the enraged man to enter the house while they lived. The brother was at length persuaded not to attempt to enter and went away with threats of vengeance when he would not be turned away. It may be that the end is not yet. Kelty is 28 years of age, and was born at the present home of his father. His wife was 22 years of age. Two children were born to them, both boys, the oldest 22 months and the youngest but 6 months of age.

The entire country surrounding McCoy is wild over the event which has cast such a pall of sadness over two homes. The people there seem to be largely, if not almost wholly, with the murdered woman, and Kelty's chances of a quick trial were considered good for a while. The remains of the unfortunate woman were taken to North Yamhill, her former home, for burial, and passed through this city on Saturday afternoon's train. Early Sunday morning a large number of friends and relatives passed through here to be in attendance at the funeral which took place Sunday afternoon.

At last accounts Kelty's chances for recovery were good.

NOTICE.—As I have disposed of my business at the Cook hotel, I want those who are indebted to me, to come and settle up immediately and thereby save trouble. W. E. MARTIN.

UNIVERSALIST CONVENTION.

Proceedings of the Thirteenth Annual Convention held at McMinnville, June 9-13.

The Oregon Universalist Convention met at the C. P. church in this city on Friday and was called to order by the secretary, the president and vice-president being absent. The convention was opened with prayer by Rev. Lee Fairchild of Lewiston, Idaho.

On motion, Milton Underwood was elected president pro. tem. The following committees were appointed: On religious services; A. H. Hodson, Mrs. S. H. Higgins, S. Higgins. On credentials, Mrs. M. M. Hodson, Mrs. S. H. Higgins, Mrs. S. E. Davis. On nominations, M. C. Brown, A. H. Hodson, Mrs. L. L. Underwood. On motion Rev. Lee Fairchild was invited to a seat in the convention.

The committee on credentials reported the following Universalists present, as delegates. S. Higgins Mrs. S. H. Higgins Miss Ida Higgins, Zena; O. G. Shurtleff, Mrs. L. Shurtleff, Mrs. M. McKinnon, McCoy; Mrs. S. E. Davis, Oregon City; M. C. Brown, A. S. Crider, Dallas; D. Hammock, Mrs. D. Hammock, Brooks station; M. Underwood, Mrs. L. L. Underwood, A. H. Hodson, Mrs. M. M. Hodson, O. O. Hodson, Mrs. Nellie Hodson, Miss Minnie Boice, Mrs. Vedder, J. C. Cooper, McMinnville.

Committee on religious services, reported arrangements for preaching at C. P. church Friday and Saturday evenings and at the opera house at 11 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Saturday's session.—Called to order by the president pro tem and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Fairchild. Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved that a committee of three be appointed to prepare a memorial to the general convention expressive of the wants of the Universalists of this state.

By resolution a vote of thanks was tendered to the O & C R R, the officers of the C. P. church, the choir for favors, and to the people of McMinnville for hospitality.

Resolved that the Universalists of this convention welcome with pleasure the fraternal visit of the Rev. Lee Fairchild of Lewiston, Idaho, that we greatly appreciate his assistance in making this convention a success and sympathize with him in his labors in our sister territory. Committee appointed on memorial to general convention J. C. Cooper, A. H. Hodson, M. C. Brown.

The committee on nominations reported the following names for officers of this convention for the ensuing year, who were duly elected by ballot, Rev. A. J. Wigh, Harrisburg, president; Miss Jennie M. Brown, Eugene, vice president; J. C. Cooper, McMinnville, secretary; A. Condro, Halsey, treasurer; Rev. A. J. Wigh occasional sermon for '88, A. Brown Eugene trustee. The committee on fellowship were continued the same as last year.

The election of delegates to the general convention was left to the executive committee, also the selection of a place for holding the next state convention with an earnest invitation to meet at McMinnville.

The secretary was instructed to correspond with the various parishes and ascertain what amount could be obtained for the support of a state missionary. The treasurer being absent there was no financial report.

The services at the C. P. church were well attended, and the large opera house well filled at both services on Sunday, and the Universalist people feel that the sermons of the Rev. Lee Fairchild have left a favorable impression upon the good thinking people of this community.

At the afternoon services, a collection was taken among the audience of \$20.15, for which the Universalist people feel grateful to the liberal citizens of McMinnville. The total expenses of the convention being \$44, the Universalist brethren made up the remainder at once. Final adjournment at 5 p. m. Sunday with benediction.

J. C. COOPER, Secretary.

State Teachers' Association.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION. SALEM, OREGON, June 11 '87. The State Teachers' Association will convene in this city, Wednesday, July 6, and continue in session July 7 and 8.

All teachers and friends of education are cordially invited to attend and aid in promoting and developing the educational work of our state. An excellent programme is being prepared by the executive committee and will be published at an early day. Prominent teachers, and lecturers from our Colleges, Universities, and leading public schools will be present, and take part in the exercises of the association. Every effort will be made to make each session especially interesting, instructive and successful. Arrangements have been made by which all members attending the Association and paying full fare over the East and West side divisions of the O & C R R and the O P R R, will be entitled to return tickets at one-fifth of regular fare. The hotels of Salem will make liberal reductions to all persons attending during the days of the Association. E. B. McLEROY, Supt. of Public Instruction.

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Answer to Land Buyer.

ED. TELEPHONE: I see that the mossback land buyer of Lafayette is not dead yet, and as my last article was only written to get him to plead guilty that he was a critic of the dimensions above, from Lafayette as we fully believed; and as the Register has failed to chronicle any big land sale in or near Lafayette, since the land manipulator went there he has come out and plainly give himself away; and as he said nothing in his answer that is worthy of our notice we still stick to the point that he is too pure for this damp climate. We think it affects his brain, and his mind seems wandering. I wonder if his people know he is out on this tour? We would suggest that he be nursed well by the people of that thriving city, until after the election in November; and if I know myself they will need about six or seven hundred of these transient tourists to make it anything like an even race with McMinnville. If he don't get a pair of wings by that time, take a lock of his hair and send him back to his people at the Grand Round, or whatever reservation he belongs to. Then he can build that brick "hog pen" that he speaks about. Gosh! do you think he would know what a fine "brick establishment" was after calling those old hells of Lafayette fine buildings? But any way, after he gets his fine brick "hog pen" finished he can preside over it to suit himself, as I have other business and cannot go into his employ as he wishes. I think it will suit a man of his calibre a great deal better than taking care of the papers as I suggested in my last, as his mind seems to run in the swine channel. But if he purchased any of that cheap land there perhaps he will want to stay, and we can't think it right to send him away without he can get purchase money at first cost back, as he purchased it with the understanding that Lafayette is to be the county seat forever. But let us as it may, Yamhill county is the best county in the state of Oregon, and for ten or fifteen years the people of Lafayette have been gradually seeing the "hand writing on the wall." She has been improving very little, while all the other towns, Dayton, Newberg, North Yamhill, Carlton, Amity, Sheridan, Willamina, and McMinnville, have all been gradually and steadily coming to the front, while Lafayette has been on a standstill, just "all same Melican man, no belly good." McMinnville has a population four or five times as great and Lafayette is one of the oldest towns in the county, we think she has lost her grip. This should not be a personal matter it behooves every citizen of the county to look to the best interest of the county and, as it is a public matter entirely, there should be no personal feelings in it. I am satisfied that the citizens of McMinnville have as much regard for the citizens of Lafayette as they do for any other town or its citizens. But when people from the east come to this county it is natural for them to visit the county seat the first thing, or to make inquiry about the population. And they find it so small that they naturally go on to other parts. But when they visit McMinnville they are all impressed with its business facilities and location, and the facilities for literature. And so I think there are several towns in the county—as this is a public matter—that have as much right to demand the county seat as Lafayette. But as McMinnville is the most centrally located and has a great deal the largest population we are in favor of it, and will cast our ballot that way. We have fifty reasons why, and if Mr. Land Buyer wants to know what those reasons are I will tell him later, if he thinks he is able to stand the shock or mental strain. As he is away from home we think his brain would not stand much at a time. But we will calmly submit to whatever the legal voters of old Yamhill have to say about it next November. CUMRUX.

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