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CROP-WEATHER BULLETIN.

GENERAL OFFICE PORTLAND, OR.

The cool, cloudy and showery weather of the previous week continued up to to-day. It is now clear and very warm. The weather that has prevailed has been worth untold wealth to the producers of Oregon, and from every section comes the flattering and encouraging reports. The rains were especially copious in the Willamette valley and along the coast, where from 1 to 3 inches fell. In South-Oregon over one inch fell at Roseburg, but decreased southward to Jackson county, where less than one-half inch fell. In Eastern Oregon more than the average rainfall has occurred, varying from one to two inches. The rains were most opportune and have given new life to all growing vegetation.

Fall and early sown wheat are now thought to be past any harm from atmospheric causes. It is filling well and of good quality, stools large and stand very good. The crop will be from present appearances, more than an average one; from Umatilla come reports that it will be the largest crop ever harvested in the county. Late sown spring wheat is coming up and fair yields of good hay crops will be obtained from it. From every section of the Willamette valley reports are encouraging, showing an enthusiastic feeling among the farmers. Some clover hay was down when the rain began, and was slightly damaged. Timothy has been greatly improved. Oats are doing well. Corn is thriving but in sections of Eastern Oregon the weather is too cool. Hops are growing finely and giving promise of a good yield. In Gilliam and Morrow rye harvest is in progress and yields very good.

Codlin moths have not done any damage yet. Spraying is, however, recommended as a preventative. Peaches and apples are a short crop in Southern Oregon; other fruits are very plentiful. The potato yield promises to be the largest in the history of the state. Every section reports them doing finely. Through the stock county grass on the range is good and cattle are in fine condition. The rain extends through Crook, Grant and other interior counties, insuring the hay and grain crop.

The week closes with the most flattering outlook for hops.

B. S. PAGE,
Observer U. S. Signal Service.

1500 MILES.

But She Got It.—A Sample of Letters Daily Received.

Only those who have tried it can know what it is that prompts one to send 1,500 miles for it to get it again. Here is another of many such instances:

DEAR SIR: I send \$5. for which please return a half dozen of your vegetable sarsaparilla. I have moved here from Sierra City, Cal. I took three bottles before leaving, hence I send all the way back to California for more. It was just before I left Sierra City, about a year ago, that I began to feel very miserable. My skin was very yellow, and I was all pains and aches, especially under my shoulders and in my head. The doctor said it was my liver, and gave me some medicine which relieved me somewhat. One of my neighbors happened in and told me she had started to take Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla, and advised me to try it. I did, and with such good effect that I now feel like a new being. I have persuaded one of my neighbors here to take it, so part of this is for her and part for myself.

MRS. GEO. DELBRIDGE,
Butte City, Montana.

The reader, if he or she has not tried it, has no idea of what California's vegetable juices, (which is but another name for Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla) will do for disordered systems.

The "Semi-Annual" Report of the Free Reading Room" was received too late for publication this week. Much other interesting matter has also been left out this week on account of the early hour at which we go to press, but it must be remembered that the first duty of the printer, as well as of every other patriotic citizen, is to celebrate the Fourth of July and keep it holy.

A HAUNTED HOUSE.

This body of ours has been likened to a tenement. It often has a haunted apartment—the stomach. Scared by the eldritch spirit, dyspepsia, digestion flies and refuses to return. What can break the spell, what can raise the ban laid upon the unhappy organ? We answer unhesitatingly, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, and we are warranted in the response by the recorded testimony of myriads, covering a period of over a third of a century. A course of the Bitters begun at any stage of the affliction, and persistently followed, will terminate in cures positive, not partial. The Bitters restores tone to the epigastric nerve, renews and purifies the juices exuding from the cellular tissue that act upon the food digestively, expels bile from the stomach and the blood, and promotes a regular habit of body. Malaria, kidney complaint, nervousness, rheumatism and neuralgia, give way to this medicine.

TAKEN TO THE ASYLUM.—Eliza Brock, of Lower Alsea, was brought to Corvallis by O. V. Hurt last Wednesday. After an examination by Judge Holgate, Dr. C. H. Lee and M. L. Pipes, she was found to be insane and ordered to be taken to the asylum. Family trouble was apparently the cause of her insanity. She was taken to Salem yesterday.

RESIDENCE BURNED.—The residence of Berry Ingram, who lives on what is known as the old Harri's place two and one-half miles west of Monroe, was destroyed by fire last Sunday. Mr. Ingram and his family left the farm about noon to visit their daughter who resides in Linn county and has been quite sick. They had been absent about an hour when neighbors discovered the house to be on fire but before they could reach it the flames had gained such headway as to be beyond control and the building and all contents were burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at about \$1,500. No insurance. Mr. Ingram had bought the place some time ago and had just finished paying for it, and the loss of his home will fall quite heavily upon him.

NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE, 319 BUSH ST., S. F.—One or more surgeons representing this Institute will be at the Revere House, Albany, July 17th and at the Occidental Hotel, Corvallis, July 18th. This Institute is specially devoted to the treatment of curvature of the spine, diseases of the hip and knee joint, crooked limbs, club feet and all bodily deformities. Their success in treating these troubles as well as all chronic diseases has made for the Institute a national reputation. All persons who are suffering from any of these complaints, should not fail to take advantage of this opportunity for relief. Reference may be had to the following residents: E. H. Condit, Albany, L. McFarland, Albany, J. S. Morris, Scio, Mrs. Kate McCune, Lebanon, G. Zumwalt, Irving, Or.

BRING IN SAMPLES.—Reports from various parts of the county are to the effect that crops are looking fine and the prospects are there will be an abundant yield. Hay harvest is well along and by the first of next week much of the fall wheat will be ready to cut. In this connection the attention of the farmers is called to the importance of selecting samples of their produce to place on exhibition for the purpose of advertising Benton county. Such samples, intended for the Northwestern Industrial Exposition to be held in Portland this fall, or for advertising the resources of this section in any way, it left with W. H. Hartless, president of the board of trade, will be forwarded to their destination free of charge. We hope the farmers will take a lively interest in this matter.

LETTERS.—Advertised July 4, 1890: Mrs. Aggie Alberts, Frank Enton, Mary A. Milner, W. A. Rutherford, John Retinker, S. W. Watkins. F. A. HELM P. M.

The following teachers were in attendance from Benton county to the State Teachers' Institute in session in Salem this week: Francis Harris, Dianna Newton and sister, Prof. W. E. Yates, Prof. J. D. Letcher, Prof. F. Berchtold, Prof. W. N. Hull of Corvallis, and Prof. Pratt of Newport.

Fairdale Bitter Water, from Fairdale Springs, Yamhill county, is becoming a favorite beverage on account of its remarkable curative properties. It is composed of an unusual combination of substances and it is recommended by some of the best physicians in the state for a variety of complaints, and the proprietors are in possession of thousands of testimonials concerning its beneficial results. It is recommended for kidney troubles, dyspepsia, impure blood, etc. Cameron & Co. are the agents in Corvallis.

SUCIDIDES are daily occurrences in Seattle and Tacoma, chiefly among despondent visitors who are disappointed in not realizing their hopes.

JUDGE SMITH'S DECISION.

ED. GAZETTE.—In an article printed in the columns of your paper, entitled "An Important Decision," I gave a quotation from an Ottawa correspondent of an eastern paper, in which was given a brief summary of the leading points in Judge Smith's decision in the Napperville injunction case. In the Albany Democrat, of June 20th, I. B. Fisher denies the correctness of the statements contained in the quotation in the following words: "Nowhere in his decision did Judge Smith say that Bishop Esher was legally suspended and could not act as Bishop, nor that the conference presided over by Elder Byers was the legal conference," etc. In our article the quotation did not give the words of the judge, but the points of the decision and whether these points were correctly stated will appear from the following, which is quoted directly from the text of the decision: "What are the admitted facts in this case. That there was an Illinois conference in the city of Chicago, April 10, and that the members that had a right to go there met the day appointed and at the place appointed, and that on that occasion Bishop Esher was refused the right to preside over that body, on account of his having been deposed from his office, until the meeting of the next General Conference, that he thereupon withdrew from that body, and it is not denied that it was originally a proper body—that is conceded. Bishop Esher then, at the meeting of the Illinois conference not being admitted, returned to a place where he held what he called another conference, but that was not a lawful conference. The proof is that legal steps had been taken which resulted in the suspension of Esher as Bishop. A presentment had been made against him and a trial was had according to the force and form of the discipline after due notice was given him, and he took no appeal from that judgment. It was found by the trial conference that they had jurisdiction of him and of the subject matter. I see no irregularity in that. I think he had no right to preside over the Illinois conference, and that the body acted in strict conformity to the discipline in appointing a presiding officer, and if their proceedings therein were regular all were bound by its acts," etc. M. J. B.

J. Brandt, for many years superintendent of the Oregon & California and Southern Pacific railroads, this state, died in San Francisco last Monday.

Good results are being had from the work going on in the Quartzville mining district on the Santiam river. Nuggets as large as peas are frequently found.

Mail-catchers have been erected at all stations along the main line of the Southern Pacific railroad. This is a move to quicken the time of the overland mail train which, since July 1st, does not stop at the smaller stations.

BRICK, BRICK.

I still have a good supply of brick on hand, and will take in exchange for same, lath, lumber, wood and hay. Yard South East of Corvallis.

L. A. DENNICK.

June 10, 1890.

SASH, DOORS, ETC.—Having made extensive arrangements for machinery and material, I will be prepared on April 1, 1890, to do all kinds of work in doors, mouldings, sashes, etc., etc. W. P. MARTIN, Corvallis, Or.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Miss Mattie Mitchell is said to be one of the handsomest girls in Paris. She is, of course, an American, and the daughter of Senator Mitchell, of Oregon.

Settlers on the unsurveyed land east of Britonbush, on the line of the Oregon Pacific railroad, are endeavoring to secure the survey of a township by advancing the necessary funds.

The bill extending for two years the time for building the Newport & Kings Valley railway through the Siletz Indian reservation, has been reported favorably by the committee on Indian affairs.

The deaf mutes of Portland are organizing a society for protective and beneficent purposes, to be called the Knights of Silence of Oregon. The membership is to extend to all deaf mutes in Oregon who have graduated or left school.

The Tillamook Headlight says: Tillamook has more life and energy to the square inch than any small town in Oregon. Strangers arriving here express surprise at the business done considering the size of the place and its isolation from the rest of the world.

It is said that the coast defense vessel, Monterey, will be ready for launching at San Francisco in about three months. The cruiser, San Francisco, it is stated, will have her trial trip July 4th, if the dock trial proves satisfactory.

It is claimed that should the fighting clubs in San Francisco be closed, Sullivan and Jackson will never meet in the prize ring. This would be terrible, indeed, but then it should not prevent the authorities of California from closing up the clubs.

A cedar tree on J. M. Hackett's place, near Kalama, is eighteen feet through, and 350 feet high. Whole townships of land in that section are covered with fir trees which are from 250 to 350 feet high. One of the residents in that locality built a house 22x30, 1 1/2 stories high, and a barn 25x36 feet out of the lumber from one tree and had piles of lumber and fence posts left.—Astorian.

A new swindling scheme. A fellow appears at the house of a farmer several miles from town, and showing samples of cloth, tells the farmer what a grand bargain he can obtain in town on a certain day; by buying a suit a nice hat will be given free. Ten dollars are advanced for a membership ticket of this syndicate, and that is the last seen of the agent, the cloth, the samples or the \$10.—Observer.

It is estimated that over 20,000,000 cigars are manufactured every day in the United States alone, and this enormous number requires in the neighborhood of 420,000 boxes for their keeping. As a result there are over 200 factories in the country turning these boxes out. The wood of which these boxes are made comes from Mexico, Central America and the West Indies.

An exchange says: Information comes from an absolutely reliable source that the president and secretary of state have received positive assurance from the government of Russia that the latter stands prepared to make good the representations given at the time of the Alaskan purchase of Behring's being a closed sea, and that if the United States desires the co-operation of Russia in enforcing this doctrine she can have it. It has been impossible to learn what views or purposes are held in the matter by Blaine.