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HENKLE FAMILY REUNION NEAR PHIL- OMATH A RATHER RETENTIOUS AFFAIR

LARGE NUMBER OF DESCENDENTS JOIN IN ANNUAL REUNION AND SPEND SEVERAL JOYOUS HOURS TOGETHER.

COME FROM ALL OVER THE STATE OF OREGON TO ATTEND

Big Dinner in Walnut Grove and Toasts by Various Notables---Jolly Good Time, After Which Officers are Elected for Year.



FOUR GENERATIONS OF JACOB HENKLE FAMILY.

The Henkle family are as prolific as they are prosperous. They are scattered over the earth from Saxony to Ohio, from Ohio to Iowa and from Iowa to Oregon. From fifty to one hundred of them hold annual reunions in Pleasant Valley near Philomath. Yesterday the third gathering of this character was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Henkle, pioneers of 1852. There were eighty-eight persons present, chiefly from Oregon and Washington; and many were kept away for reasons unavoidable. Harrison Johnson who came from Lebanon boasted of the fact that he had lived as many years as there were people present, while Jacob Henkle who is eighty years old thought he could run a foot race with anybody in the crowd. In fact, the ladies congratulated these men who are as sunshiny as boys themselves. Children were there half a century old and some nearing three score years and ten. There were grandchildren galore whose fine forms, figures and strength bespoke the heritage that has been bequeathed to them through a long line of families above mediocrity. These are largely the descendants of Jacob Henkle, of Iowa, who like the Jacob of old, brought his family to the new land of promise.

The relatives assembled early

in the day in a tent fifty feet long prepared especially for the occasion. The tables as well as the tent within were sumptuously decorated with walnut branches raised in that locality. After a short season of visiting and handshaking and so on, came the dinner—such a dinner as only the Henkles and other Oregonians know how to prepare. Mrs. Mary Grant Henkle, of Portland, officiated as toastmistress. Uncle Jake Henkle extended a hearty welcome to all and exhorted them to continue the Henkle reunion annually throughout the future. Uncle Harrison Johnson said he had been acquainted with the Henkle family intimately for more than seventy years and he had never known a black sheep among them; and that their motto had been to teach their children in early life to worship God and to be industrious. Wm. McCoy, who was brought up at Bellefontaine, but who now lives at Oakesdale, Wash., spoke feelingly upon the debt that the present generations of the Henkle family owe to their ancestry. Rev. Bonebrake seemed to delight in the fact that he was married and that his wife is a Henkle. Milton Wyatt who had been kept busy during the whole day looking after the young ladies toasted them enthusiastically; but was reminded by the toastmistress that the young man must not undertake to monopolize the whole business. After the singing of "America," Carroll, the little son of Earl and Della Bartmess, of Hood River, was christened by Rev. Bone-

brake. Then came the election of officers which resulted as follows: President, Jacob Henkle, Recording Secretary, Mrs. Lottie Bonebrake, Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer Hon. J. A. Henkle, of Portland. The festivities closed with the hymn "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

Following is a list of those present:

Pleasant Valley: Jacob Henkle, Sr., Elizabeth Henkle, Mrs. Ella Scott, Jesse Henkle, Wm. Scott, Mrs. J. L. Henkle.

Corvallis: Mrs. Caroline Hays, Mrs. Melissa Wyatt, Earnest Wyatt, Edna Wyatt, Mrs. J. B. Horner, Elbert and Milton Wyatt, Ora Newton, Mrs. Alva Newton, Alva Newton, J. D. Wells, Ella S. Wells and child, Mrs. S. Newton, Mrs. Maud Hayes, Mrs. Anna Bethers, and Raymond Bethers.

Oregon City: Mrs. Elizabeth Wells.

Philomath: Mrs. W. A. Henkle, Rev. R. A. Kitson, P. O. Bonebrake, Mrs. C. E. Bonebrake, Lucile Bonebrake, Devolt Bonebrake, Harold and Donald Bonebrake, J. H. Bonebrake, Mrs. Adaline Walker, Mrs. A. Davis, Mrs. Addie C. Mulvany, L. W. Mulvany, Mrs. J. C. Wood, J. C. Henkle, J. C. Walker, R. L. Henkle, Sam Davis, G. G. Newton, Lilly F. Shipley, Pearl Kitson, Elbert Wyatt, and Dollie Shipley, J. M. Kitson, E. J. Kitson and Clair C. Kitson, Mrs. Susie Henkle.

Portland: W. S. Junkin and wife, Gladys Junkin, Mary C. Trudgen, John Henkle, Rev. J. E. Conner, Floy Henkle, Mrs. M. C. Conner, Mrs. J. A. Henkle.

Crawfordsville: Mrs. E. E. Mason, R. B. Mason, Florence Mason, Lorena Mason, Earl Mason, Ethel and Ora Mason.

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SAYS JIM HILL OWNS C. & E.

NEWPORT SIGNAL MAN DRAWS CONCLUSIONS.

PREDICTS RAILROAD ACTIVITY

The Newport Editor Admits He Doesn't Know but He Puts Two and Two Together and Says C. & E. Will Be Extended to meet Hill's Eastern Lines

Newport Signal:—Is Hill behind the Oregon Electric Company? Does he own a controlling interest in the C. & E. bonds? It is believed that Hill not only owns the Oregon Electric, but that the Salem & Falls City road, now building toward Yaquina Bay, is but another name for Oregon Electric. It was stated in the papers some time ago, that Hill had bought most of the C. & E. bonds owned by European investors, and therefore virtually owned the C. & E. To extend the latter road eastward to a connection with his Idaho roads, would give Mr. Hill an outlet to the sea. If there is nothing in the story about the bonds, why are S. P. surveyors now in the field, quietly running a survey parallel with the C. & E.? Further color is given the Hill theory, when it is known that Mr. Moss, the man who bought 50 acres at Hinton's Point, up the Bay, "as a resort for wealthy Idaho people," is himself a

railroad man, in Hill's employ. It is a queer coincidence, also, that from Ford's Point on the north side of the Bay to Hinton's Point, on the south side, is perhaps the best site for a bridge across the Bay, provided Mr. Hill should conclude to carry out his long cherished idea of building down the coast to San Francisco. Moreover, additional interest is given, when it is known that Mr. Moss went over the route now being surveyed by the Salem & Falls City surveyors. The writer does not pretend to have accurate knowledge regarding the statements here made, but he is just as capable to draw a conclusion as any one else, and not more so. That there are designs in this direction, even the most skeptical are willing to admit, and the next few months ought to disclose, beyond cavil, who the railroad promoters are, and their purposes in coming here.

ORATORY

"What am oratory, Brudder Jackson?"

"Brudder Simmons, I will elucidate. If you says black am white, dat am foolish. But if you says black am white, an' bellers like a bull, an' pounds on a table wif bofe fists, dat am oratory. an' some people will believe you." — Washington Herald.

Sunday Excursions to Newport

The C. & E. Railroad will run regular excursions to Newport every Sunday until further notice, leaving Corvallis at the same time as heretofore. Fare for round trip, \$1.50. 9-9-tf R. C. LINVILLE, Agent.

PRESIDENT TAFT IN OREGON TODAY

JOLLY WILLIAM H. BEING ENTERTAINED AT PORTLAND.

HE MAY SPEAK AT ALBANY

Nation's Executive Will Come Through Valley Tomorrow Evening En Route to San Francisco---Will Address the People at Salem.

President Wm. H. Taft is in Oregon today. At Portland he is being given a royal reception. He will remain in the Rose City until tomorrow afternoon and then proceed southward. The Shasta limited will carry him, and this train will arrive at Salem 7:43. Mr. Taft will make a short address from the car platform. This train reaches Albany at 8:30 and it is expected that the President will show himself there. About 10 o'clock, the limited gets into Eugene and the bunch down there is preparing to whoop things up.

A number of Corvallis people desire to see the President and will go to Albany in the hope of seeing and hearing him there. This morning there was talk of securing a train for the trip back from Albany Sunday evening. This would insure a large crowd from Corvallis.

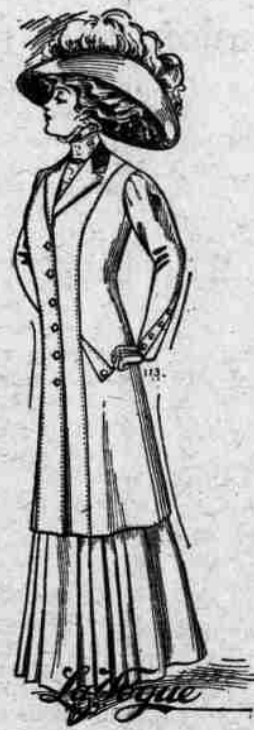
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Blend No. 2, A Coffee of good strength and rich favor. A good value, per lb. 25c
Blend No. 3, A Coffee blended specially for Hotel and Boarding House use. Will not get bitter if left standing, per lb. 25c
Blend No. 4, Our fancy table blend, per lb. 35c

TEAS

Fancy Pin Head Gun Powder, per lb. 60c
Choice No. 1 Gun Powder, a regular 50c value, per lb. 40c
Basket Fired Japan, per lb. 50c
Uncolored English Breakfast, per lb. 50c

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