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ST. HELENS, FEBRUARY 17, 1893.

BRIEF MENTION.

Kimball Pianos are the best.

The river is still blocked with ice at Vancouver so that no boats can reach that point.

Kimball pianos defy competition.

Mr. H. Varwick, wholesale liquor dealer, of Portland, was in the city Wednesday.

Gilmore endorses the Kimball Pianos.

A number of Scappoose people attended the masquerade ball Tuesday night.

Kimball organs. Moore, Portland, Or.

Mitchell Ray is seriously sick at the Columbia hotel, caused from a severe cut he received on the hand a few days ago.

Pianos direct from factory. L. V. Moore.

The St. Helens cornet band has been reorganized and have secured the services of Professor Brice, of LaCenter, as instructor.

Kimball Pianos' endorsed by Patti.

There seems now to be no danger of a flood in the river since the snow is melting gradually, giving the volume of water time to pass off as it melts.

Pianos and organs. L. V. Moore, portland.

Monday night seven prisoners escaped from the city jail in Portland. That little burg ought to bring her hobos to Columbia county's jail for safe keeping.

L. V. Moore, Portland, Kimabll Pianos.

Professor Looney dismissed school Tuesday for the remainder of the week in order that he might attend the marriage ceremonies of his niece at Salem Wednesday.

Kimball pianos. Moore, Portland, Or.

Astoria now has a can factory in operation, giving employment to over 100 boys and girls at a fair salary. If Astoria could convert her can factory into an institution for manufacturing railroads it would be the proper thing.

Kimball pianos are first class.

There was a birthday party given at the residence of Mr. John Lamberson at Houlton Saturday night in honor of Mrs. Lambereon. There was a large crowd of relatives and friends present, so we are informed.

Kimball pianos are reliable and durable.

The mail from Houlton to Vernonia has not been making connection during the blockade. The latter city was, for several days, without mail communication, the carrier being unable to make the trip.

Kimball pianos L. V. Moore Portland.

South Bend and Oysterville, Washington, are having a county seat quarrel. Citizens of South Bend having moved the records to that place by force, claiming the matter to have been decided at the polls.

Kimball organs. L. V, Moore, Portland.

Superintendent Cleeton was snowed in at Clatskanie and could not arrive until the second day of the teachers' examination last week. But in his absence his two assistants, Mrs. Dol man and Mr. Little, conducted the examination until his arrival Thursday.

Kimball pianos and organs on easy terms.

Mr. James Muckle went to Kalama last Friday to attend the loggers' convention which met there for the purpose ot discussing various questions pertaining to the logging and lumber industry along the Columbia river.

Kimball pianos have elastic touch.

Professor Looney and his assistant, Mrs. Way, are preparing for a literary entertainment in the St. Helens public schools, which will take place during the first part of March. Professor W. F. Werschkul, vocalist, of the Portland Conservatory of Music, has promised to be present and take part in the programme.

Kimball pianos and organs warranted 5 years.

The river boats, except the Lurline, are all running on schedule time and doing a fairly good business, owing to the fact that provisions and feed along the various routes was almost exhausted during the ice blockade. All the smaller boats are carrying good loads each way, and passenger traffic is somewhat livelier than usual.

Kimball organs are reliable, L. V. Moore.

Three persons were killed and sixteen others badly injured in a street-car smashup in Albina Wednesday afternoon. The car became unmanageable coming down a heavy grade, and when she reached the curve at the foot of the hill was going at a rapid rate. On making the turn the car overturned and was completely demolished. Those killed were: John O. Dennis and his 8-year-old son, and J. T. Johnson.

L. V. Moore pianos and organs. Portland.

Mr. Valentine Glinesky, living at Cow Camp, on the Nehalem road has at his place two estray heifers—one dark red with white tip on tail, three years old, and the other light red two years old. Mr. Glinesky found the animals hemmed in during the late storm almost starved to death and is now feeding and caring for them. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

Kimball pianos—deep bass, clear treble.

The grand mask ball at Masonic hall Tuesday night was the event of the season, from all accounts. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity with maskers and spectators. Mr. John McKay and Miss Emily Cox carried off the honors of the evening for the best sustained characters. The music was rendered by Brice's orchestra from across the river.

Don't buy before seeing the Kimball pianos.

The Telephone came down Monday on her regular trip for Astoria, the first time in over a month, in fact since her collision in the Portland harbor several weeks ago. She has been undergoing repairs since that time and has been thoroughly braced by having new hogposts and chains placed in her. She is said to make better time now than before.

See the Kimball pianos before buying.

DEER ISLAND.

The weather has again assumed its natural pleasantness. Showers and sunshine after a period of two stormy weeks, which was very foreign to this part of the country, but we might say that we have escaped real well so far, for we learn that Lake Erie is frozen across, or all over, which has only been known once before.

Alonzo A. Merrill done a "land office business" in hay last week. He shipped some every day. Well, "its an ill wind that does no good!"

The supervisor, A. F. McDonald, had a crew of men out last week shoveling snow off some of the old, dangerous bridges in this district. The snow was some four feet deep before it commenced thawing and undoubtedly the burden would be too heavy for some of them to sustain, though some people remarked that it was only "a bill of expense." Others said "if a bridge cannot stand that much it should be let into the canyon." But men of a more conservative mind said, "an ounce of prevention is worth pound of cure."

Now the question comes before the people of this road district, who are we going to have for a road supervisor? The present incumbent is not desirous of it any longer, and the person appointed was a resident of another district and cannot serve. There are several in the district who are competent and able to fill the office if they could be induced to serve; while there are others who are anxious to obtain the office, but have a self-interest and therefore would be liable to misuse and abuse the office. The proper way to appoint a person is by petition to the court and that body should see that the applicant has a reasonable number of signatures from each part of the district.

Mr. Isaac Bumgardner is quite poorly at present, and was taken to Kalama, Wash., last Friday for medical treatment. It is hoped that his illness is only temporary.

We should have mentioned before now that Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Smith are closely quartered in their new home. They own as comfortable a cottage as Columbia county possesses, in short if every young man who comes to this country would improve the time and opportunity as well as Mr. Smith has they and the country would be better off.

DELENA.

The recent rains have softened the snow so that sleighing is practically at an end, unless the weather changes, however. Several of our young men have made good use of the opportunity by taking the ladies out riding.

We are informed that Mr. Linberg's new shed fell down the early part of last week under the heavy weight of snow, killing two of his cows and badly injuring several others.

As heavy snows are not uncommon in Oregon, it is a good plan to put a little extra work and material into the construction of barnes and other buildings, making them strong enough to stand the weight of snow, and not only save the expense of shoveling them off from once to twice in a hard winter like this, but save the worry and anxiety that naturally disturbes a man's sleep, if he knows his buildings are weak, thus endangering his property. We speak from experience.

Several young ladies and gentlemen were invited to take dinner with Mr. W. N. Meserve last Sunday, and we wondered when we also heard he expected to invite the minister whether or not Cupid had taken possession of him. We hear he contemplates putting additions to his already commodious house; therefore we think our suspicions are well founded, but as facts only, are taken in this case, we leave it for further developments.

It is said that Mr. S. K. Hudson and his daughter, Susan, expect to move to Vancouver, Wash., in the near future. Their many friends regret to see them leave and wish them prosperity and happiness. Mr Hudson was one among the first settlers who faced the hardships of pioneer life, and began the development of Beaver valley's resources. During his residence here he has made many warm friends and very few if any enemies. He has rented his farm to Mr. W. E. Clough.

J. H. Douglass, of Troutdale, visited relatives and friends in the valley last week.

Frank Hudson was seen out sleighriding with one of the "world's fair" last Sunday. His trip was not without a little excitement, as his team became unmanageable and ran away, but fortunately no damage was done.

The school entertainment given by Miss Attia Matthews at the Lost creek schoolhouse last Friday evening, was a decided success. Although the house was small for such a purpose and the evening very rainy, $14.50 is the amount cleared for the minister, Rev. Moore. The programme which appears below was carried out with great credit to all who took part, and especially is credit due Miss Matthews for her untiring efforts in preparing and managing the affair throughout, and also to the Delena orchestra and Mrs. Douglass for their able assistance; and we could not fail to mention the kindness of Mr. O. E. Wonderly in furnishing and hauling the organ for the occasion. At the close of the entertainment it was announced that a vote would be taken, at 5 cents each vote, for the best-looking girl in the house. The one receiving the highest number of votes would be presented with a large photograph album. The Misses Attia Matthews, Susan Hudson, Emma Wagner and Pearl Burnhart were at once nominated and the voting began, coming a little slow at first, but as one candidate went ahead others worked all the harder until the excitement reached fever heat. Not only 5-cent pieces but dollars were dropped by first one and then the other, until it was announced that time for voting had expired and all awaited the result, which gave Miss Wagner a plurality of 42 votes. Then, amid great applause, Miss Wagner was called forward to receive the the album, which she did with her usual grace, calling forth another outburst of applause. The pretty-girl question having been decided all attention was turned to supper, which was at once prepared. By the way, the supper was of the most tempting nature, and the ladies deserve great praise for their taste in cooking and arranging it. After all had done justice to themselves and the table the crowd began to disperse, fully satisfied with the enjoyment of the evening.

THE PROGRAMME.

Music.....Delena orchestra
Song—"Whip-Poor-Will,".....Choir
Recitation—"Legend of the Northland,"..
.....Frank Kyser
Song—"Sister's Prayer,"....Miss Attia Matthews
Recitation—"Leap of Roushan Beg,".....
.....Artie Schneider
Dialogue—"Morning Call,".....Mrs. W. H. Kyser as Mrs. Bickford, Miss Matthews as Mrs. Tattleton.
Recitation—"Children's Hour,".....Ivy Kyser
Instrumental Solo—"Frolic of the Frogs,"
.....Mrs. E. M. Douglass
Recitation—"United at Last,".....George Kyser
Dialogue—"Proposing by Proxy,"....Mrs. Kyser as Mrs. Bruce, Mr. Arthur Morgan as Mr. Bruce, Miss Attia Matthews as Susan Bruce, Mr. Edward Wagner as John Snow, Leon Malcom as Tim Blake.
Song—"Who Built Dat Ark,".....Choir
Song—"Big Bonanna,".....
.....Edward Wagner and Miss Matthews
Song—"There's no one to Welcome Me Home,".....Edward Wagner
Violin Solo.....Mr. Oscar Wagner
Song—"Christina LeRoy,".....Miss Matthews
Song—"Only Down to the Club,'.....
.....Miss Pearl Burnhart
Instrumental Solo—"Battle of Waterloo,"
.....Mrs. E. M. Douglass
Song—"Honest Irish Lad,".....Miss Matthews
Song—"Dulcie Jones,".....Pearl Burnhart

HYMENEAL POEM.

BY J. P. LOONEY, A. M.

"By love directed, I would choose a wife,
"To insure my bliss, and ease the load of life,
"All earth exults and this our nuptial hour,
"And Amoronthine rosebuds deck the bridal bower,
"In Eden first this holy state began,
"While perfect innocence enthroned the heart of man."
—Livingston.

This poem was presented by the author at the marriage of Miss Gussie Stelwer to Mr. Ray Gilbert, which occurred in Salem, Oregon, February 15, 1893.

(In childhood, playmates.)

In their early, childish hours,
Romping every day,
Gussie gathers snow-white flowers,
And gives them all to Ray.

While Ray in turn, to show good will,
And gladly do his part,
Says, "Gussie," just as Jack to Jill,
"I'll give you all my heart."

But Gussie, in her childish play,
With spirit like a dove,
Little thought the pledge from Ray
Would ripen into love.

Now, years have sped on wings, we see
They both have changed in life;
He'll her loving husband be,
And she his gentle wife.

(In youth they woo and wed.)

And here the friends have gathered now,
To wish them earthly bliss,
And make a record of the vow,
They witness with a kiss.

And when the preacher questions Ray,
He answers with a breath,
And does not hesitate to say:—
"I'll love her until death!"

Next comes Gussie's time to tell,
The story of her choice:—
"I will obey and love him well,"
She answers with one voice!

And then the preacher did declare,
With eloquence sublime,
"That God had joined the holy pair"
For all of future time.

And now the friends around them stand,
To wish them wedded bliss;
While some would only shake the hand,
Some others give a kiss.

When all were through, the wedded pair,
Who thanked them o'er and o'er,
In solemn tones did then declare,
That they'd do so no more.

VETOES THE MILITIA BILL.

Gov Pennoyer Gives His Reasons in a Message.

"To the Honorable, the house of representatives of the state of Oregon:

"I herewith return house bill 233 with my dissent. This bill provides for the payment out of the state treasury of the sum of $20,000 a year for two years to the military board in addition to the amounts raised for the state militia through the now existing tax of one-fifth of a mill upon all the property of the state. The amount of the assessable property in the state as returned by the state equalization board is now $228,398,677. A tax of one-fifth of a mill on this amount would bring annually $45,679. Add to this amount the $20,000 given the militia by this bill and we have an annual total of $65,679. As the amount expended by the state militia annually for the last biennial term was $32,778, it will be seen that it is proposed to double the amount heretofore expended. Our constitution provides that 'the militia shall be kept in strict subordination to the civil power,' but it would seem that now the militia is in the saddle, as it has had sufficient potency to secure a largely increased appropriation in the passage of this bill at a time when retrenchment of all civil departments is sought after on account of the depressed condition of our people consequent upon the stagnation of business and a general depression in prices, values and volume of currency. This is most decidedly wrong. Now when the greatly overburdened tax-payer is demanding relief the military as well as the otvil branch of government must begin to practice retrenchment. Retrenchment must be made all along the line. I veto the bill."

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Pneumonia.

At no time in the history of the country has pneumonia been so prevalent as during the winter months of the last two years. In times past a common cold was not considered at all serious, but of late years the great tendency of colds to result in pneumonia has made people apprehensive. The trouble is that colds are not always properly treated. No preparation containing opium, wild cherry or chloroform should be used, as they have a tendency to dry up a cold, whereas it should be loosened and the lungs relieved. It has been observed that when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used the cold never results in pneumonia. The reason is that this remedy stimulates the mucous membrane which lines the throat and lungs, to a healthy action, causes a free expectoration, throwing off the poisonous matter, and counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by Edwin Ross.

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Jan. 13, 1893—4t F. D. HENRICI.

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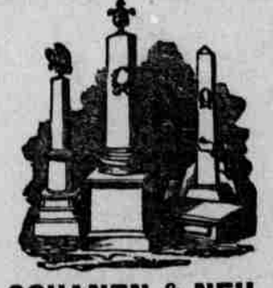

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