

OREGON MIST.

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SIDE-HEAD PARAGRAPHS.

DROUGHT-STRICKEN TEXAS.—A family of six persons arrived here last week from Western Texas in search of homes.

WHAT HAMMOND SAYS.—The entire road will be completed in 1896, and it is my intention to give to the people a first-class service.

VISITING SCHOOLS.—County School Superintendent Watts returned from Nehalem on Thursday of last week, where he had been visiting schools for several days.

OREGON-GROWN TOBACCO.—It has been clearly demonstrated that tobacco can be raised in Oregon, notwithstanding cool nights.

A BUSY SCENE.—The Borthwick mill at Mooreville is in operation. The writer visited the plant last Saturday and found things humming.

MONEY FROM HOGS.—Out in Eastern Washington during the past two weeks, says the Dayton Courier, about 5000 fat hogs have been purchased by buyers from Portland, the Sound and the East.

AN ADVERTISING CAR.—Both the Northern Pacific and the Union Pacific railroad companies have offered to furnish cars free of charge for the proposed movement to send an advertising car east from Oregon.

POSTMISTRESS TWENTY YEARS.—Miss Mary Brown, of Hillsboro, will have been postmistress at that place for twenty years next October.

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IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE.—Some two months ago the Lewis River Transportation Company placed an advertisement in THE MIST for their steamer Mascot.

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CANNING HORSES.—The horse canner at Linton is running full blast. We have been informed that only the hams are preserved for food, while the remainder of the animal is manufactured into glue, brushes, etc.

GOING TURTLE HUNTING.—Two men arrived here this morning from California on their way to the Long Tom, on a business venture entirely new to this section of the United States.

SOMETHING ABOUT NAILS.—There has been quite a change in the nail market during the past two weeks.

THEIR PANTS ALL RIGHT.—Five little maidens went out for a walk. Their attention was drawn to a display of pictures on the outer wall of a traveling photographer's tent.

CHEAP HORSES.—Jode Switzer commenced last week delivering the big band of horses he has sold to the Portland Horse-Meat Canning Company.

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ONE FROM NICKELL.—Chas. Nickell says in his paper, the Jacksonville Times: "When the breezy, blooming bloomers are universally the go, how will tailors press the creases in them, I should like to know?"

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PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

WANTED.—A girl, at the St. Helens hotel. One who can cook preferred.

Rev. J. W. White will deliver a sermon to the children next Sunday morning at 10:30, in this place.

Mrs. L. L. Decker is spending a few days camping with friends out at the Bunker hill spring.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cleston returned home last Saturday from a week's visit to relatives near Vernonia.

W. A. Harris is now occupying the Wikstrom house on Honesty hill, recently vacated by W. J. Rice.

The annual regatta will take place at Astoria, commencing on August 19th, and continue four days.

Mrs. Judson Weed and children left Tuesday for Lexington, Wash., to spend a short time with relatives.

The Shaver had on board Wednesday some machinery for a sawmill at Westport. It is indeed encouraging to see the sawmills once more taking on new life.

In another column will be found the advertisement of O. E. Hunter at Goble. Mr. Hunter has a good location and is a pleasant gentleman to deal with. His patrons are always made welcome.

The Knights of Pythias lodges of Kalama, Rainier and St. Helens contemplate giving an excursion to the seaside some time in the near future, and negotiations are now pending for the charter of a suitable steamer for the occasion.

Dr. Edwin Ross, who has been house surgeon in St. Vincent's hospital for nearly a year, was in town Monday night. He started Tuesday on a visit to his old home in Wisconsin, to be absent about a month, after which he will return to his post of duty at the hospital.

R. H. Mitchell, of the Sentinel, passed through town Tuesday on his way to Portland. It is just possible he has gone to the metropolis to engage a trainer in "the manly art" preparatory to his threatened annihilation of the editor of the Chief. Look out for your eye, Blackford!

"Go from home to receive the news. We learn through THE OREGON MIST that the coroner's jury has rendered a verdict. We asked for that item and failed to get—patronize home industry of course, that's a good motto."—Chief. That verdict is a matter of record in the clerk's office, brother. The people of Clatskanie always look to THE MIST for the news.

This is the time of year when the newspaper man needs every cent due him. At this time job work and advertising are always light, necessitating the setting of more type than when he had many advertisements, consequently his expenses are as high if not higher than when work is rushing. Your accounts are small but in the aggregate they are large to us, so help us out.

Among the numerous persons who have been cured of rheumatism by Chamberlain's Pain Balm, mention should be made of Mrs. Emily Thorne, of Toledo, Wash., who says: "I have never been able to procure any medicine that would relieve me of rheumatism like Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I have also used it for lumbago with great success. It is the best lumbago I have ever used, and I take pleasure in recommending it to my friends." For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross, druggist.

"We had an epidemic of dysentery in this vicinity last summer," says Samuel S. Pollock, of Briceland, Cal. "I was taken with it and suffered severely until some one called my attention to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I procured a bottle and felt better after the first dose. Before one-half of the bottle had been used I was well. I recommended it to my friends and their experience was the same. We all unite in saying it is the best." For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross, druggist.

PROBATE MATTERS.—Petitions having been filed in the probate court asking for the appointment of Mrs. E. L. Jepson administratrix of the estate of E. L. Jepson, deceased, and another asking for the appointment of Mrs. Sarah Fisk as administratrix of the estate of James Fisk, deceased.

NEW TRIAL DENIED.—Judge Bellinger of the United States district court has overruled the motion for a new trial in the case of James Lotan and Seid Back, who were convicted on a third trial in Portland a short time ago on a charge of conspiracy to smuggle Chinese. The defendants' attorneys gave notice of appeal to the United States supreme court.

THE DAILY SUN A CORPSE.—The Portland Sun has suspended publication. The Sun was started last October and has made a hard struggle for existence. It has also been a very new paper considering the circumstances with which it had to contend, but like many other business ventures undertaken during the past year has succumbed to the inevitable. It was due to the Sun perhaps more than any other cause that the Oregonian reduced its subscription price. The Sun was operated by a combination of printers who lost their positions upon the introduction of type-setting machines in the Oregonian office.

A Pioneer's Recommendation. Mr. J. W. Venable, of Downey, a pioneer of Los Angeles county, Cal., says: "Whenever I am troubled with a pain in the stomach or with diarrhoea I use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I have used it for years, know it to be a reliable remedy, and recommend it to every one." For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross, druggist.

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CLATSKANIE COMMENTS.

K. S. Hattan will commence a term of school at Marshland next week.

Miss Bertha Daywalt, of Fishhawk, was a visitor in our city last week.

It has been decided to begin our fall term of school on Monday, August 26th.

An excursion for Wallace Island is being arranged to take place Friday of this week.

Miss Fannie Burns was elected teacher of the primary department of our schools last Saturday evening.

U. S. (Bud) Bryant took a boatload of supplies to Puget Island Monday to assist in stocking up John's store there.

We understand that definite arrangements for the principalship of the schools here have not yet been completed.

John Lindgren, of Mist, took the steamer for Portland last Wednesday. He goes to look after business in his father's place.

Charles Clarke was filling the recently vacated blacksmith shop with hay recently. It is well to keep all the buildings occupied.

The sign "Millinery and Dress-Making" now hangs in front of the old drug store building, where Mr. and Mrs. Hughes will receive their friends hereafter.

A quiet wedding was celebrated at the home of Mrs. Swanson on Saturday evening. Mr. Oscar Salliman and Miss Sophia Swanson being the interested parties. In the absence of a ministerial gentleman the justice of the peace was called upon to tie the knot.

The "Portland" saloon enterprise folded its tent, packed its effects and took the steamer for other parts last Monday. There may have been people sorry to lose that kind of a business enterprise from our midst but we have not seen any of them up to this writing.

Rev. and Mrs. White took the steamer on Friday evening for Rainier to attend preaching services on Sabbath, returning Monday. The minister's services were in demand here Saturday evening, and it was a considerable time before any one could be found to take his place. The justice did it, however.

A few of our enterprising citizens went out to Mist last Thursday to meet a delegation from Vernonia and arrange for a preliminary survey of the proposed railroad route from Clatskanie to Vernonia. A very pleasant and satisfactory meeting is reported, and after a full discussion of the benefits and necessities of such a railroad it was agreed to go ahead with the survey or some examination of the route sufficient to demonstrate its availability. At the meeting the following resolutions were read and adopted:

Whereas, It has been represented that a feasible railroad route can be found between Clatskanie and Vernonia by way of Oak Branch creek, and that capital can be interested in building such a road if a route be found suitable, therefore be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that a preliminary examination of the proposed route from Clatskanie to Vernonia be made as soon as expedient.

Second—That the Clatskanie board of trade assume the expense of making such preliminary survey to the summit, and that the Vernonia board of trade look after any further examination.

Third—That J. O. Jamison, who has charge of the survey of the proposed Columbia railroad, be employed to make such preliminary examination.

Fourth—That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the newspapers of the county for publication.

VALLEY NEWS ITEMS.

Our new postoffice, "Valley," is now in running order.

Mr. Kelley, from Houlton, was a visitor to Mr. Dupont's last week.

J. White is up in the Willamette valley working in a logging camp.

Haying will last about another week. The hay crop is over the average this year in this vicinity.

J. Deleski lost his other mill last week, found dead on Bunker Hill, cause of his death unknown.

N. J. Dupont is home again from the fishing region. He reports a good catch of salmon this season.

Please don't forget the postoffice, "Valley," where you can get your mail matter fixed up all right without going five miles to mail a letter. Mrs. C. Dupont is postmistress.

Blackberries are plentiful here this year and also plenty of pickers, a party from Portland who are camping near J. Dupont's port orchard report having several dozen cans filled while camping four days there.

We have to mourn the loss of one who will be greatly missed by her family and others, Mrs. Carth, who died on the 22nd. The funeral service was preached by Rev. Kerr from Pittsburg, after which the remains were taken to St. Joseph cemetery for burial.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

MARRIED. MARSHALL-SOBISKI.—In Portland on Sunday, July 28, Mr. Marshall of Portland and Miss Julia Sobiski of St. Helens.

SALLIMAN-SWENSON.—At the residence of Mrs. Swanson, at Clatskanie, on Saturday, July 27, Mr. Oscar Salliman and Miss Sophia Swanson, Justice Hall officiating.

MELLINGER-SHERELY.—Near Vernonia, on July 29, by Rev. W. H. Palmer, Mr. Uriah S. Mellinger and Miss Daisy Sheeley.

BORN. McDONALD.—At Deer Island, Oregon, on Monday, July 29, 1896, to the wife of A. F. McDonald, a daughter, Alex is rapidly recovering.

RICHARDSON.—At Ridgefield, Wash., on July 31, to the wife of David Richardson, a 11-pound boy.

DIED. BUELL.—At Deer Island on Tuesday, July 30, Mrs. Emmons Buell, aged 74 years, 7 months and 4 days.

Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair. DR. EDWIN ROSS'S WATSON'S CREAM BAKING POWDER. (Most Perfect Made, 40 Years the Standard.) YANKTON.

A fine shower visited this place Sunday. H. O. Howard and Labaron Crouse were Portland visitors Monday.

What makes Uncle David look so lonesome for the past four or five days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dolman and Mrs. Holman were in this place Monday.

There is a large forest fire raging west of this place. There is no damage reported as yet.

Mrs. J. Dart and daughter, Grace, of St. Helens, were the guests of Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Pope Thursday.

Mr. Jacob George, son and daughter, of St. Helens, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Briggs, of this place Monday.

Mr. William Howard from east of the mountains arrived at his brother's, H. O. Howard, Saturday, where he will probably spend the summer.

There was a family of Kale and Cranes arrived in this place Friday from Texas on their way to Bunker Hill where they anticipate making homes.

Who was that young fellow that got frightened when a young lady spoke to him? He must be worse than the bashful boy, for we can hear the echo of his footsteps running yet.

Mr. Price and wife and Mrs. Watts, of Scappoose, and Mrs. F. A. Perry, of Houlton, were in this place Saturday to see and take home Mrs. Watts' daughter, Miss Marie, who has been teaching the summer school at this place.

The summer term of school closed at this place Saturday with a basket picnic in the park, given by Miss Marie Watts, instructor, and the parents of the children.

The day was spent as usual up to 12 o'clock when the instructor and scholars repaired to the park where the contents of the well filled baskets were soon displayed to view on a large table prepared for the occasion.

Then the old-fashioned words were shouted, "All take hold and help yourselves." All having good appetites, the contents of the baskets soon disappeared. A few minutes was given for play when school was again called, and a programme read for the afternoon exercises as follows:

Song—"Happy Greetings to All" School Recitation—"The Little Dreamer" Harold Brown Recitation—"What the Choir Sang" Alice Briggs

Recitation—"Boys Make Men" Ray Tarbell Recitation—"Something for Children to Do" Charles Brown

Recitation—"Eq. Brown" Alvo Oliver Recitation—"Twenty Pringles" Guy Tarbell Recitation—"The Little Girl" Maggie Luman

Recitation—"The Draw-bridge" Maude Watts Recitation—"The Sign-board" Guy Tarbell Recitation—"The Little Scholar" Dora Crouse

Recitation—"The Year Passed On" Mattie Luman Song—"The Old Cat" Marie and Maude Watts

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