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OFFICIAL COUNTY PAPER.

BEFORE THE MIST will have appeared again to its readers the people of this nation will have celebrated the 123rd anniversary of its birth in a manner not commonplace in the leastwise.

HOULTON NOTES.

School was out last Friday at this place. Miss Grace Kelley visited out at Valley last week.

VALLEY ITEMS.

W. D. Miller took a trip to Portland last week. J. Dupont went to Portland on Monday to buy a new wagon.

VERNONIA VARIETIES.

Haying will soon be upon us. Rev. Stroup brought his family in last week.

Mr. Dow is making a light wagon for A. Shanahan. S. B. Rose came home on a visit last Sunday.

Children's day was observed last Sunday. The exercises were very interesting.

Mr. A. Soule is laboring from the effects of inflammatory rheumatism this week.

Quite a number of our teachers went to St. Helens last Monday to attend the institute.

Dr. Hatfield has been called to attend persons near Mist three times in the past two weeks.

C. S. McNutt will have a good supply of ice cream and lemonade on hand at the upper Nehalem celebration.

Claud and Hattie Lewis, of Clatskanie, are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmons, this week.

The people of upper Nehalem will observe the Fourth at Phil Shesley's grove. Dr. Hatfield will be the orator of the day.

A large number of people from the upper Nehalem and Rock creek regions were in town Sunday attending children's exercises.

F. L. Adams had the misfortune to fall and have his shoulder thrown out of place last Friday. He is able to be around at present.

O. C. Spencer and Chas. Malmsten returned from Clatskanie last Friday, where they had been attending the Sunday school convention.

Mrs. Oliver Burris died at 7 p. m. last Friday, near Mist. Deceased had contracted the typhoid form of pneumonia.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Proceedings Had and Resolutions Adopted. The convention was called to order by Secretary G. G. Haley, the president and vice president being absent, and he presided throughout the session.

The evening session was given up to a lecture by Rev. Geo. Whitaker, D. D., president of the Portland university.

After the usual opening exercises, the reports of the Sunday schools were called for. These were very encouraging, indeed.

"Bible Knowledge Among Sunday School Scholars," was very ably handled by Mrs. E. E. Moyer. She urged that bible knowledge should begin in the homes.

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Program committee for 1901, Rev. Philbrook, Rev. Haley, Mr. Copeland, Mrs. Gray and Mrs. W. W. Clark.

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Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Brother Philbrook by the secretary, and also that a copy be entered on our minutes.

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