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Reuben people are preparing to fall in line with the march of progress and build a new and modern school-house, a tax having been voted on the property of the district recently for that purpose. Good for Reuben! The spirit of progress is everywhere manifest, and the good people of Reuben do not propose to be left in the rear.

Mr. G. W. Lane, of Mist, was before the county judge and local physicians Thursday being examined as to his sanity, and was committed to the asylum. The old gentleman is not violently insane, but his mind is deranged, probably by reason of his advanced age. Such cases are extremely pitiable, but there was no other course for the examining board to pursue.

Architect D. D. Neer, of Portland, was in this city Wednesday and submitted to the board of school directors an idea of a plan for the new school-house to be built here. What the gentleman had on exhibition seemed to suit the board very well, and a contract was made and signed for the drawing of plans for the building, which will be ready in due course of time.

Judge Doan joined in wedlock last Monday forenoon, at the parlors of the Oriental hotel in this city, Mr. Leon Malcolm and Miss Grace Bee. Both the contracting parties are well and favorably known in the lower portion of the county, Mr. Malcolm being a member of the shingle manufacturing firm of Malcolm Bros., of Beaver valley, and the bride a favorite among the young people in the vicinity of Mayger.

During the last fifteen days of the open season, which expires December 1st, China pheasants may be sold in the markets. This selling of game, however, is permitted only under certain conditions, and with certain restrictions. Non-resident market hunters are required to pay a license fee of $10, and all market hunters, whether resident or non-resident, are restricted to ten birds a day. Compliance with regulations is also required of those who handle game intended for sale. Those purchasing for the purpose of sale are required to keep a record of all purchases open at all times to the inspection of the game warden and his deputies.

The LaGrande Observer says "that a gentleman in that city who has in his possession considerable Baker county script, received payment on a warrant that was issued on November 11, 1890. The amount of the warrant was $42.50, and the interest during the time it was held, which was twenty-nine days less than eleven years, amounted to $37.13. In other words, Baker county paid $79.63 for $42.50 value eleven years ago." County finances down with us are not in so bad a plight as this. Time was, however, when this county was three years behind in payment of script, but the chances are that we will keep about even hereafter.

Last week the government commenced the long deferred payment to the Siletz Indians of the purchase price of the reservation lands for which congress appropriated $85,000. The rate per capita will be $196.46. The payment will be made alphabetically and the settlement of estates of deceased Indians will be taken up last. We understand that the settlement of quite a number of these estates will be held up on account of irregularities of the administration thereof. The payment is being made by Special Indian Agent D. W. Manchester, of Cleveland, Ohio, who has been at the agency for some time past arranging the preliminaries.

Judge Doan, agent for the mortgagee in the defunct Schmidt logging affair, at Rainier, sold certain chattels by public auction last Friday to raise funds with which to satisfy the demands of a chattel mortgage held by D. J. Switzer, as trustee. Two teams of horses and their harness were sold, bringing in all over $500, and after paying the expense of the sale and keeping of the horses, the agent turned into the court about $150, which will very likely be ordered turned over to the assignee of the business. The whole affair will have to drag wearily through the process of the law and will require some time before all the tangles are straightened out.

The land seems to be alive with timber cruisers these days. On Thursday of last week, Mr. Johnson, of the Pioneer stables, took a company of Southern Pacific men up to Scoggin valley and they were going to work from there over the range. They wanted 50,000 acres and said they didn't care for water. When they got what they wanted they would put in a railroad to bring out the timber. On Sunday Mr. Johnson took another crew, representing an Eastern syndicate, up to the head of the Nehalem, where they are now at work. This great activity of the lumber men means business, and we can't say just how it will develop, but one thing is certain, this region is bound to have the benefit of it.—Forest Grove Times.

At a meeting of the Natal Grange No. 302, held Saturday, the 16th inst., the members resolved unanimously to join in extending their heartfelt sympathy toward Gustave Peterson and Albert Mellis, their fraternal brothers, in their sad bereavement, the former having buried his beloved wife, after a prolonged period of sickness, and the latter having buried his dear and venerable father, who was only a short time ill. The deceased fully realized their condition and became perfectly reconciled to await their call. Both Mr. Mellis and Mrs. Peterson were old settlers there, and very highly respected by all who were acquainted with them. They set an example of Christianity and industry in the community where they lived, which will never be forgotten.

Numerous cases of poisoning due to drinking "loaded" apple cider are coming to light and investigation is being prosecuted. Some of this cider, known to have been manufactured at Salem, is being analyzed at the State Agricultural college, at Corvallis, by the station chemists, and as soon as the state dairy and food commissioner has received his return, he will attend to the manufacturer who placed it on the market. There are those who believe that the cider was rendered poisonous by having been shipped and handled in unclean vessels, but Chemist Kniseley has found the cider contained sodium fluoride, a deadly poison. The drug was used by the manufacturers for the purpose of preserving the cider. The symptoms of those who partook of this beverage are those of poisoning—violent cramps, followed by vomiting. The reason no fatalities are reported in connection with the cases is that only small amounts of the cider were taken in the stomach.

Last Friday the county treasurer had the wind knocked out of his prosperity sails, which have been carrying him along so pleasantly on the high tide of promptly meeting all the demands of the county court made upon the public funds. It had been the expectation all along that it would not be necessary to endorse any warrants until at least the first of next year, but an $800 warrant, issued last Friday, in part payment for the building of the new bridge across Fox creek, at Rainier, was a little bit more than the treasurer could take care of when it was presented for payment, hence it was necessary to endorse it and other warrants presented since. However, funds keep coming into the treasury all the time, and the probabilities are that there will not be a great amount of outstanding warrants when cash from the next tax roll begins to be received by the treasurer. Upon the completion of the Fox creek bridge, very soon, now, there will be another warrant, for $900, to be taken care of, and payment in the sum of $1400 will soon be made for the construction of the Scappoose creek bridge.

Wm. Reid, of Portland, is again agitating the building of the Portland-Tillamook railroad. He has recently returned from an exploring trip through the country, in company with an expert engineer, and declares that the road can be built and equipped for $20,000 a mile. Reid has revived his agitation since the Northern Pacific has completed its survey and withdrawn its men from that territory and the belief has become prevalent that if that company builds at all it will be some time, at least, before any movement is made by them. We believe that Portland capitalists will never subscribe the necessary funds to build and equip a railroad to Tillamook. Such an undertaking would be a wise business stroke on the part of Portland people, but there appears too little interest among the people with money in that city to reach out for the good things so near them. Unless the Northern Pacific or other rich company builds through the Nehalem to Tillamook we believe the country will remain for many years undisturbed by the snort of the locomotive.

The merchants of Astoria are discussing the proposition of placing an independent steamer on the Portland-Astoria route. The high freight rates charged by the transportation lines are doing much to injure Astoria, and it is expected that the American Can Company will remove its large plant to Portland, where a large saving in freight rates will be made. The freight rates now in force are certainly too high, and are working a hardship not only on Astoria, but the residents of the lower river as well. It might be well, though, for the Astoria merchants to make an effort to have the transportation companies to lower their freight tariff before going into the steamboat business. With a proper representation of the question before the officials of these companies, the Gazette believes that satisfactory rates can be secured. Above all things, we do not desire a 25-cent rate, and if the merchants would place an independent boat on the river it would mean a rate war.—Cathlamet Gazette.

At Masonic hall last Saturday evening there took place an affair which will long be remembered by some as one of the really pleasant events of their life. The occasion was the surprise on Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Quick, the twentieth anniversary of their marriage being on that day. Members of the Rathbone Sisters and Eastern Star planned the affair, and with the assistance of the friends of the lady and gentleman, carried out their purpose so thoroughly that the surprise and the festivities were a complete success. A beautiful hanging lamp was presented to the lady and gentleman at the hall, where over fifty people had congregated to assist in making merry the occasion. There were other little tokens of friendship left at the house, and with the felicitations of a host of well-wishers Mr. and Mrs. Quick were made to feel that their neighbors were pleased to honor them.

Mr. D. W. Freeman, of Fishhawk, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Freeman says the people of his part of the county are enjoying good health and much prosperity this fall. The yield and quality of fruits and grains this year was never excelled in any year in that part of the county, and the crops were all harvested and saved in splendid condition, and the people are correspondingly happy. Mr. Freeman says he has received two letters from Mr. J. A. Van, who, with his family, is spending the winter in Arkansas, and is evidently having a thoroughly enjoyable visit. Mr. Van will return from Arkansas about the first of March.

On the reservation lands southeast of Athena, in Eastern Oregon, 230,000 bushels of corn was raised this year. Its yield was about thirty bushels to the acre, with some fields producing as high as forty bushels. Five carloads of corn have been shipped from Athena to Portland and Tacoma. It is handled largely by the Athena Flour Mill Company. The price paid is from 40 to 50 cents a bushel. The acreage was nearly double that of last year, or about 1,000 acres. Corn is raised on summer fallow largely and thus the land may be used each year. Otherwise it would remain idle half of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin White returned Monday from Yamhill county, where they visited relatives for a few days. Mrs. E. Perry, of Houlton, who accompanied them, reports that she never enjoyed a visit more in her life. Mrs. Perry, with her husband, resided on the farm now owned by the White's relatives, fifty-five years ago, and a return to her former habitation called to mind many events which occurred at the time of the early settlement of this state. There has been many changes and improvements in fifty-five years, as a matter of fact.

Mr. E. C. Dalton was in from the coal mine a day or two this week, and reports satisfactory progress being made with the drilling machine. A depth of fifty-seven feet has been reached, and as the last few feet of drilling has been through shale and other formations in the earth which indicate the existence of large bodies of coal, it is expected at any time to come upon a large vein.

We received a letter a few days since from Mr. J. R. Sherman, who is now in Island Falls, Maine. Mr. Sherman left here about one month ago, and on his way back to his native state visited the Buffalo exposition. Mr. Sherman says in his letter that no snow or cold weather had been experienced in Maine up to November 9th, the date of his letter.

City Attorney A. M. Smith has just returned from St. Helens, where he saw the county court about making a road out to his coal mines on the Scappoose creek. The Ophir mines also wanted a road. The county court offered to pay a third of the expense if the two coal mines would put up the remaining two thirds.—Astoria News.

Miss Margaretta Kennedy, formerly a well-knonwn teacher in this county, was joined in wedlock at the home of her brother, in Portland, November 6th, to Mr. James C. Hume, of Ashland Or.

Dance at St. Helens Thanksgiving.

Mrs. J. M. Payne, of Deer Island, was in Portland Tuesday.

Attend the dance at St. Helens Thanksgiving evening.

Louis Fluhrer, of Mayger, was in the county seat Thursday.

A son was born last Friday to the wife of E. H. Girty, of Houlton.

Mr. J. L. Walker and family, of Houlton, expect to leave for Hood River next Monday.

Miss Metta Finley, of Oregon City, visited her sister, Mrs. Collins, in this city, last Sunday.

James Thorne, of Columbia county, was in town visiting friends during the week.—Oregon City Courier.

Mr. W. I. Reid, of Oakland, Cal., this week purchased the Smith mill, at Rainier, paying for the plant $10,000.

Dr. Morse and wife and E. C. Giltner, of Salem, spent last Saturday and Sunday in this city visiting relatives.

Mr. John Gilmore returned the first of the week from Oregon City, where he visited his family for several days.

Mr. T. J. Beebe and wife have recently moved to town, from Sauvie's island, and are occupying the George cottage.

Rev. Mr. Philbrook will preach at Bachelor Flat next Sunday at 11 o'clock and in this city in the evening at 7:30.

The county clerk issued a marriage license Thursday to Fred Haas, of Baker City, and Miss Minnie Mayger, of Mayger.

Your measure for a good overcoat can be taken at Collins & Gray's. Don't wait until the cold winter days have come before ordering.

This office now has on hand a large stock of receipt books, of our own manufacture, large size and large number in each book. Trade supplied.

Jesse Hendricks, sr., and Jesse Hendricks, jr., of Carico valley, departed Tuesday for the Sound country, where they may remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard, who are visiting in Vermont and Virginia, are enjoying themselves very much, according to letters received from them.

Thanksgiving next week. If there is anything you want for that day, go down and consult Collins & Gray, who will take care of your orders.

A shooting match for turkeys will be held at Warren, Wednesday, November 27th. Come one, come all, and try your skill at the target. F. M. HOYT.

The local sportsmen had extraordinary good luck during the present week. Large bags were made last Sunday, also on Wednesday, the favorite days for shooting.

Sigel Wilkinson came over from Nehalem last Friday with his mother, who has rented a house at Houlton, and will make that place her home during the winter, at least.

Thanksgiving will not pass entirely unobserved by any festivity in St. Helens. There will be a ball here in the evening, music to be furnished by Prof. Brice, of Ridgefield.

Members of Avon lodge of K. of P. will please present themselves in the lodge room next Tuesday evening. There will be work of a very interesting nature. Bring your wives.

Mr. I. Stanwood, of Yankton, who has been a great sufferer for several months from rheumatism, is reported greatly improved in health since he was taken to Portland for treatment.

The public will, no doubt, be pleased to learn that the early morning southbound Northern passenger train will now stop at Houlton on flag, a thing heretofore not permitted by the company.

The young sons of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dow, of Portland, have been troubled almost continuously with sickness since going to Portland. The youngest son is just now recovering from diphtheria and chickenpox.

The steamer America met with a mishap on her way to Portland Wednesday, which interfered with her making the return trip. The steamer Bonita came in her place. The America's delay will not be long.

There will be a shooting match at George Kelley's place, at Houlton, Wednesday, November 27th, managed by Messrs. George Kelley and George Perry. Turkeys and geese will be the object of the shooters' aim.

The building that was formerly occupied by the Maccabees, was recently purchased by Mr. Gilson, who is building on quite a large addition for the purpose of starting another hotel.—Westport correspondent in Cathlamet Gazette.

"Never worry about us," says a Missouri editor. "Our favorite domineck has been sitting all summer on a couple of pieces of brick and three bureau knobs. When she comes off after awhile with a three-story brick house and two cars of handsome bureaus, we are going into the furniture business."

M. L. Chamberlain, clerk of the state school land board, reports an unusual demand and an increased number of sales by the state of farming lands. That a good majority of these sales are made to new-comers indicates a constant and increased immigration of a desirable class of people who have sufficient means for investing in homes and becoming identified with the interests of the community in which they locate, and the state at large.

The last semiannual reports of Wasco county officers, show that the amount of outstanding warrants and interest accrued aggregates the sum of $119,568.52, indebtedness, with but $8,000 estimated resources, leaving a net debt of $111,568.63. The county clerk remarks that this statement gives as correct a statement of the financial condition of Wasco county as it is possible to make. Sherman county is entirely out of debt, has $12,000 on hand and don't want any more territory.—Sherman County Observer.

Notice of appeal to the supreme court in the case of Sam Howard, of Portland, vs. Clatsop county, was filed in Clatsop county Wednesday. The suit was brought there in the circuit court to recover $10 paid by the plaintiff as district attorney's fees in a divorce proceeding and was dismissed by the court on a demurrer. The case is understood to be a test one and if successful, numerous suits will be brought in the several counties of the state to recover the amounts that have been paid as similar fees since the law placing district attorney's on salaries went into effect.

A page advertisement in a recent issue of Puck says of this state: "There are millions of acres in the gift of the government in Oregon; soil that yields three to five harvests from one seeding—in Oregon; over 20,000,000 acres of forests, carrying from 35,000 to 240,000 feet of lumber to the acre—in Oregon. Pastures that turn out 250-pound sheep and 2200-pound cattle—in Oregon. There are 14,000 square miles of mineral lands, as rich as those of Colorado, California or the Klondike—in Oregon. A climate that is unsurpassed, no winter cold, no summer heat, no blizzards, no drouths, no crop failures—in Oregon." The advertisement was written by George H. Daniels, the well-known passenger agent of the New York Central railway. Mr. Daniels visits Oregon every year, and knows what he is talking about.

Meeting of Relatives.

COLUMBIA CITY, Nov. 19.—(TO THE EDITOR.)—Will you permit me to give you an item of interest to us, perhaps, more than the rest of the world?

The reunion of my family, after so wide separation over the earth's surface, for the last six years, is a little remarkable. During the last week all of my family, except my daughter, Willie, who is in Waukesha, Wis., have been under the parental roof, at this place. This is the time to say to the young folks (the older ones realise it) that now is the happiest time of our life. For more than fifty years spent here the conditions of life have been such that we have drifted but little until recently, though once under way, seemingly, the object must be accomplished by my two sons.

Dr. Byron Caples has traveled in Europe, somewhat, the object first, to gain knowledge of his profession. He attended a course of lectures in London and Vienna, Austria; he was in most of the large cities, such as Rome, Paris, London, Dublin, Glasgow; he traveled through Switzerland and on to the North Cape, beyond the Arctic circle, and at midnight wrote me a letter while sitting on an iceburg. From there he went to Africa, landed at Alexandria, thence on to Cairo and the Pyramids, and up the River Nile a thousand miles, into the Soudan country, then returned to Jopps and the Holy Land, Jernsalem, Bethlehem and Jarico; was on the Jordan river and the Dead sea. From all the places visited he brought many curios and beautiful things.

Fred Caples has traveled extensively in the North the past four years, from the head of the Yukon river by way of Dawson, to its mouth; visited Nome City and many of the best mining camps in Alaska, and will return to that country in the spring to work out some of his mining claims, the nuggets he brought from them, as well as chunks of gold in quartz, proving their richness. He is of the opinion that the country is not yet prospected. Dr. Byron Caples has returned to his home in the East.

C. G. C.

Pioneer of Nehalem Valley.

TO THE EDITOR:—I am sorry to inform you that my father, G. T. Foster, died October 29th, in Portland, of a complication of diseases and old age. He was buried November 3rd in Fishhawk cemetery, this county. Father was born September 15th, 1825, near Buffalo, N. Y. His parents moved to Cleveland Ohio, and from there to St. Joseph, Michigan, while he was still quite young. In 1850 he crossed the plains with an ox team, to California, coming to this state the same year, locating on Scappoose bay, where he engaged in the logging business. He located in this valley in 1872. He leaves six children, eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild. S. H. FOSTER.

GRAND BALL.—There will be a grand ball given in this city Thanksgiving night, to which the dance-loving public is extended a cordial invitation to attend. Music will be furnished by Brice's orchestra, of Ridgefield, which guarantees a good time. Everybody come and enjoy the great festival time by taking part in these exercises. Not an expensive time, but a very enjoyable time.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon,
November 16, 1901.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim under Section 2301 R. S., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on December 30, 1901, viz:

JOHN AITKEN,

Homestead entry 12,612, for the se¼ of section 24, township 4 north, range 3 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James S. Mow, Josephine Tompkins, Lars P. Elison and Halvor Olsen, all of Warren, Oregon. CHAS. B. MOORES,
n23t27 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.
Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon,
October 19th, 1901.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Columbia County, at St. Helens, Oregon, on November 30th, 1901, viz:

ALBERT FORD,

Homestead entry 12,920, for the e½ of se¼ of section 24; e½ of ne¼ of section 25, tp 4 n, r 5 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George P. Smith, Jay Burtraw, Jerry Zandkuiler, all of Houlton, Or., and Frank Wortman, of Vernonia, Or.
o25n29 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Columbia County.
In the matter of the estate of Elmer E. Whitney, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned administrator of the estate of Elmer E. Whitney, deceased, that he has filed in the office of the County Court of said County, his final account of his administration upon said estate, together with his petition for final settlement of said estate, and that the Hon. J. B. Doan, judge of said Court, has designated Friday December 6th, 1901, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, as the time, and the court-room of said court, in the city of St. Helens, Oregon, as the place, for hearing said petition for final settlement and discharge, at which time and place anyone interested may file objections in writing, if any they have, thereto. C. E. WHITNEY,
Administrator of the estate of Elmer E. Whitney, deceased. Dated at St. Helens, Or., this 8th day of November, A. D., 1901. n8d8

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Oregon, Nov. 7th, 1901.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN COMpliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Jerry Zandkuiler, of Keasey, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5539, for the purchase of the se¼ of the sw¼ of Section No. 7, in Township No. 4 n, Range No. 5 w, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 27th day of January, 1902. He names as witnesses: Albert Ford and Frank Wortman, of Vernonia; August Schuleplet and Martin Gutsentant, of Keasey, Oregon. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of January 1902. CHAS. B. MOORES,
n15j24 Register.

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