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PERSONAL

H. West, of Scappoose, was a visitor in town Tuesday.

John Campbell, of Vernonia, was in town during the week.

C. L. Smith, of Deer Island, was a visitor in St. Helens Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dolman are still visiting relatives in Salem.

Mrs. J. G. Watts, of Scappoose, was visiting Mrs. H. R. Cliff, during the week.

A. Richardson, of Portland, has been visiting his son, D. W. Richardson in St. Helens.

Mrs. Burton Legg and two children, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Briggs.

P. S. Younger, a merchant of Pendleton, visited his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Powell, over Sunday.

Dr. Edwin Ross and Deputy Sheriff W. A. Wood went to Salem Wednesday to view the senatorial contest.

Mrs. May Whitney Morton, of Astoria, was visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Godfrey, during the past week.

Mrs. A. J. Quigley and son, Walter, of Vancouver, Wash., are visiting with Mrs. Quigley's aunt, Mrs. A. P. Laws.

P. A. Frakes shipped a fine Holstein bull calf to Idaho some 2 weeks ago. He has as many orders now as he can fill.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Rowland, Miss Ethel Gabbert and Mrs. Emily Miller, of Portland, were in St. Helens Saturday.

Miss Lou Frakes is now sojourning in Eastern Oregon, Gilliam Co. She likes it fine, the weather is nice and dry, and no snow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dillard returned from Salem Tuesday, where they were the guests of Chief Justice and Mrs. F. A. Moore.

Mrs. George Kale, of Yankton, has been visiting her brother, Fred Briggs, for a few days. She was accompanied by her little son.

Miss Agnes Tichenor, of Clatskanie, is one of 107 children, that are competing for the prize essays offered by the Sons of the American Revolution.

D. W. Dobbins, of Scappoose, son of Mrs. R. J. Frakes, spent last week at Kalama with his uncle, J. S. Cloninger, and family to invoice their large stock of merchandise.

J. H. Dobbins of Portland, was a visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. R. J. Frakes, Saturday and Sunday. He returned to Portland, where he is employed by the S. P. R. R.

P. A. Frakes is now selling a great many Holstein Fresians bulls. He sent one to Idaho two weeks ago, and this week he sold a yearling at Astoria. The people are waking up to the fact that they are the dairying cattle.

George Weber and Carl Hithicum, who are getting out cottonwood on the Willamette slough, nine miles above town, for the Willamette paper mills at Oregon City, were in town Wednesday night. They had been to the Cowlitz river on a tour of inspection. There are seven men in the camp, and they expect to remove their base of operations to Deer Island.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Mildred, the only child of K. H. and Estella Gabbert, died in St. Helens, Friday evening, Jan. 16th, from the effects of her clothing catching on fire four hours previous. She was two years and 18 days old. The accident occured while the mother was absent from the dining room for a minute or two, the child's clothing evidently having caught fire in some way from the open damper of the heating stove. The body of Mildred was taken to Eugene and buried in the Pleasnt Hill cemetery which has been the burial place of the family for generations.

The bereaved parents take this method of expressing their appreciation of the many acts of kindness and sacrifices by the residents of St. Helens practically applied during the hours of sadness.

The following is from the Eugene Morning Register of Tuesday:

"Mildred, the two-year old daughter K. H. Gabbert, editor of The Oregon Mist at St. Helens, was interred in the Pleasant Hill cemetery yesterday at 1 p. m. At 8:30 in the morning funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Gabbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rowland on East Eleventh street, Rev. McCallum, of the First Christian church officiating. The services at the grave were conducted by Uncle Samuel Baughman, a grand uncle of Mrs. Gabbert. The interment was made in the Pleasant Hill cemetery for the reason that it has been the burial place of relatives of both parents for four generations."

Not only are the parents under special obligations to the people of St. Helens for their practical demonstrations of sympathy, but to the people of Eugene and Pleasant Hill as well. Among the floral designs in evidence was an elegant piece from the Christian Endeavor Society of the Eugene Christian church. Geary Relief Corps engrossed resolutions of sympathy, and the First Christian church Sunday-school of Portland, sent letters of sympathy. Miss Ora Reed, a teacher in the Eugene public schools, telephoned to her parents at Pleasant Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reed to entertain the funeral party that went from Eugene, consisting of four teams and 10 persons. They were taken in and provided for in spite of all protests.

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CLATSKANIE

DEATH OF MR. AND MRS. Z. BRYANT.

The one unusual and startling occurrence of the past week was the death within 12 hours of each other of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Bryant, whose long residence and extensive relationship have made them prominent figures in the community. Mrs. Bryant had been a sufferer from Bright's disease for two years or more, and realized that in all probability that her life would not be prolonged a great while. Mr. Bryant seemed in about in his usual health until the night of Thanksgiving day when in attempting to rise he found his left side nearly useless. After some four or five weeks he seemed to be gaining a little; then without any known cause seemed to grow weaker and gradually declined until until death came early Friday morning. Mrs. Bryant, after alternations of hopeful and anxious symptoms sank into unconsciousness, and died at 9 p. m. Thursday evening. Mr. Bryant at that time was too nearly gone to realize that she had passed away. Their four daughters and two sons had all been summoned on Thursday afternoon and were all present that night, although Mrs. Whitten and Mrs. Wheeler did not reach the house until a short time after their mother breathed her last breath. Funeral services were held in the church on Saturday afternoon where the two caskets were placed and an opportunity given the large audience to take a final look at their lifeless faces. The two caskets were then closed and taken to the Bryant cemetery where side by side in one grave they were placed to disappear from mortal vision as the words, "Earth to Earth, Dust to Dust," etc., were spoken, and the earth covered two who for 40 years had journeyed together in life. Mr. Bryant was in his 71st year. Mrs. Bryant was not quite 63 years of age.

Mrs. Lucia C. Brewick, daughter of Mrs. C. P. Clark died at the residence of her parents last Wednesday morning, after an illness of a few days. She was about 40 years of age, and had been a widow for a few years past and leaves a son about 11 years of age. She was quite a useful woman in this community, and had recently moved into a home of her own, which she was paying for from her earnings.

Miss Laura Nichols came down from Portland Saturday morning to attend the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant. Mrs. William Watts came from Scappoose with her child the same morning on a similar errand. They both returned the same evening.

J. B. Finley and wife are stopping in town from Nehalem, where they have resided for some years past. It is reported that Mr. Finley expects to remain for some time in the employ of the Clatskanie Lumber Company.

Master Charles Tichenor tried to hurry up a fire in the stove by pouring oil on it. He succeeded, but the flash that followed gives him a sorry looking face over which he wears oil and cotton with some yards of bandage.

Quite a force of men are at work changing the county road above town to get out of the way of the proposed logging railroad up the Clatskanie.

Arthur Hall was down from Forest Grove Saturday evening, and spent the Sabbath with friends in town.

THOS H. TONGUE.

Oregon mourns the loss of one of her greatest statesmen, who passed away in the midst of a useful career.

The late Hon. Thos. H. Tongue, was a poor boy when he first commenced the study of law, under W. D. Hare.

By great force of character, and close application, he arose to top rung of the ladder of fame, in his profession. He early in life espoused the cause of Republicanism, and held several state and county offices before being nominated for Representative of the 1st Cong. district of Oregon.

While in Congress, Mr. Tongue never lost an opportunity to secure an appropriation for Oregon rivers and harbors. Mr Tongue was the young mans friend. If a young man was struggling for an education, he found a friend and powerful ally in Mr. Tongue. His cosy office in Hillsboro, and both of his large private, and law libraires, were at the service of the young man, preparing an oration. Mr. Tongue took great pleasure in personally criticizing and advising the young speaker or law student. He was never happier than when he had some young student at-law, reading in his office. The writer speaks from personal experience. Having read in Mr. Tongue's office for some time, I always found the great man at all times ready and willing to lay down his work to give a student a word of advice and encouragement.

During my course of study, in Mr. Tongue's office, I was several times, called upon to deliver public addresses. Mr. Tongue always loaned me books and freely gave me advice, and always objected to the use of notes, saying "Depend on note books and you spoil your brain; depend on the brain and burn the note book."

Long will Oregon mourn the loss of one of her greatest of the great men, but longer will the young orator and young law student, mourn the loss of their friend and tutor.

M. S. HAZEN.

CARD OF THANKS.

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LOCAL

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For a bad taste in the mouth take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Warranted to cure. Price 25 cents. For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross.

It has been practically decided that no tax levy will be made by the St. Helens city council this year. There is a surplus of $300 in the treasury, and more coming in.

The big saw in the sawmill was completely shattered while the mill was in operation Wednesday afternoon. The accident caused a suspension of operations for a day or two.

Owing to the absence of the editor during the week at Eugene to attend the burial service of his only child, local matter is cut short. Some observations on the Nehalem valley, and special road articles will appear next week.

The Skamokawa Eagle, in an item about the Gray's River Grange installation, and the accompanying program says: The duet rendered by Mr. William Meserve and Mrs. William Meserve was one of the masterpieces of the evening.

At the special meeting of the St. Helens school district held Thursday night a ten-mill tax was voted. The school is over-crowded, and as there are too many grades for two teachers, it will be necessary to fit up another room and add a new teacher.

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine I have used for indigestion and constipation is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard F. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have an unpleasant effect." For sale by Edwin Ross.

George W. Perry, of Houlton, sold 8 Plymouth Rock chickens in the Portland market a few days ago. The total weight was 130 pounds, and the price received was $13. After the sale was was made, it was found that an additional cent per pound could have been secured.

The newly elected officers of the Rathbone Sisters were installed last Thursday night, and a social session and lunch were special features. Mrs. Lucy Gray was the installing officer, and she was assisted by Mrs. J. G. Watts of Scappoose, and Mrs. May Whitney Morton, of Astoria.

The following information is published in answer to the query of a correspondent: There are 30 state senators in Oregon and 60 members of the lower house. Of the total 69 are republicans, 14 are democrats and four are citizens or union representatives. Of the opposition 17 are democrats, the other member, Representative Hahn, being a republican.

Death of F. M. Tompkins.

DIED.

TOMPKINS—At Scappoose, Oregon, Thursday Jan. 8, 1903, Francis Marion Tompkins, aged 68 years, 10 months and 27 days.

Deceased had been a sufferer for many years from injuries received through an unjust punishment inflicted upon him from 1872 to 1876, which in 1900 caused a stroke of paralysis, leaving him almost an invalid and at last terminating in spinal meningitis and after one week of suffering caused his death.

The interment took place at Fair View cemetery, Sunday, January 11, and was largely attended by the many friends. The services were conducted by Rev. A. C. Fairchilds, of University Park.

Mr. Tompkins was born in Hardin county, Kentucky, Feb. 12 1834, with his parents moved to Alton, Ill, in 1837 remaining there until in 1852, when he came across the plains to Oregon, locating at the Dalles. On June 18, 1863, he married Mary J. Smith, and after residing in Eastern Oregon, for a number of years they came to the Willamette Valley, and on Feb. 17, 1879 moved to the present home at Scappoose, Or., where he resided until his death. Deceased leaves a widow, and seven children, as follows: Mrs. L. Baxter and Mrs. Jos. Meserve of Portland, Ore. J. G. Tompkins, of Rainier, Ore.; Frank S. Tompkins, of McMurry, Wash.; Ella, Nettie and William C., of Scappoose, Ore. All of whom were in attendance at the death bed.

A precious one from us is gone,
A voice we loved is stilled,
A place is vacant in our home
That never can be filled.

God in his wisdom has recalled
The boon his love had given,
Although the body lies here at rest
The soul is safe in heaven.

Oh, we loved him, yes, we loved him,
But Jesus bade him come,
And our loving father, gently left us
For that bright and happy home.

When ones we love are taken away,
By death's resistless hand,
Our mournful hearts the tributes pay
Which pity dost command.

While pity prompts the rising sigh,
May this truth be impressed
With awful power; I too must die—
Sink deep in every breast.

He is free from pain and care,
And oh God help us, in our sad bereavement
All our sorrow now to bear.

Father, thy gentle voice is hushed,
Thy warm true heart is still,
And on thy pure and lovely brow
Is resting death's cold chill.

Portland and Seattle papers please copy.

THE OREGON LEGISLATURE.

A Few Personal Observations Etc.

The Oregon legislature is in active session and the legislative fight is on.

It does not differ materially from former legislatures, except that there are a few new faces in the senate and house, and a few clerks who have not heretofore held positions. A few old-timers, who were familiar figures in the state house for many continuous sessions, have passed away, but many still remain.

Hon. Martin Both, Columbia county's representative, is attending strictly to business, and can be found promptly in his seat at roll call. He has already introduced several important bills, which will become laws. The enabling act introduced by Mr. Both for a vote on the re-location of the county seat of Columbia county has passed a second reading in the house, and was referred to the Columbia county delegation with permission to report at any time. The other bills introduced by Mr. Both will receive consideration in the future. One provides for an increase in the salary of the county judge; one regulating the rights of property owners fronting on tide lands, and another amending the charter of the city of Rainier.

Fulton received 31 votes Wednesday, a gain of three over the day previous. Geer received 18 votes, a loss of two from the day previous. The opinion prevails that Fulton will not be elected senator, although he may receive a total of 36 votes at some time during the session. The Multnomah county vote is scattered promiscously, and is evidently against Fulton. The Marion county delegation is solid for Geer. It is possible that the successful candidate has not yet been named.

Representative Kramer, of Douglas county, has introduced an amendment to the constitution providing that the general state election be changed from June to November. The act provides that the amendment shall be submitted to the voters at the first special or general election. The adoption of the amendment will have the effect of doing away with the expense of two elections every four years.

Joint-Senator Alex Sweek, of Portland, takes an active interest in Columbia county affairs, and has introduced several meritorious measures.

It is probable that Governor Chamberlain will call a special election to elect a congressman in June.

Governor Chamberlain has appointed J. W. Morrow, of Heppner, as state land agent to succeed L. B. Geer.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The Receiver of The St. Helens Lumber Company Practically Relieved.

Judge McBride held an adjourned term of circuit court Tuesday.

In the matter of the suit of S. H. and J. G. Dorrance vs The St. Helens Lumber Company, E. E. Quick, receiver, was directed to turn over all property to the defendant corporation. The preferred labor claims were ordered paid in full, and a check for $139 15 was ordered placed in the hands of the receiver to pay off the general labor claims when they shall be properly verified.

The suit of James Dart vs N. F. Nagel was dismissed.

In the suit of William Fluhrer vs Nordby & Olson, the findings were for plaintiff and the defendants given 20 days to move for a new trial.

In the suit of Alice L. Deitz vs George Kane, a decree was handed down to the effect that the plaintiff was the owner and entitled to the possession of lot 2, section 4, and ne¼ of se¼, 6, 3.

In the suit of the Brous Manufacturing Company vs W. C. Lee, the sale was confirmed.

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Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Oregon, December 31, 1902.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TAAT 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, Nancy C. Hacker, of Keasey, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 6000, for the purchase of the sw¼ of nw¼ and lot 4 of section No. 3, in township No. 4 n, range No. 3 west, 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 her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 14th day of March, 1903. She names as witnesses: E. K. Throop, Douglas Magill and H. L. Redmond, of Keasey, Oregon, and Charles McCauley, of St. Helens, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of March 1903

j9m13 CHARLES B. MOORES, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Oregon, December 29, 1902.

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, Martha A. Magill, of Keasey, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 6001, for the purchase of the n½ of nw¼ of section 8; ne¼ of ne¼ of section 7, in township 4 n, range No. 5 west, 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 her claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Saturday, the 14th day of March, 1903. She names as witnesses: E. K. Throop, H. L. Redmond, August Schulepiet and W. H. Hacker, all 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 14th day of March, 1903.

j9m13 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior
Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon
January 3, 1903.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following-named settlers have filed notice of their intention to make final proof in support of their claims, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on February 18, 1903, viz:

NANCY HACKER,
H. E. No. 13295 for the se¼ of nw¼, ne¼ of se¼ and n½ of sw¼ of section 32, tp 3 n, r 5 w. And

WILLIAM H. HACKER,
H. E. No. 12971, for the w½ of se¼ and w½ of ne¼ of section 29, tp 5 n, r 5 west.

They name the following witnesses to prove their continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Douglas Magill, Harley L. Redmond and Ed F. Turoop, of Keasey, Oregon, and Charles McCauley, of St. Helens, Oregon. CHARLES B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon.
January 3, 1903.

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 final proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on February 23, 1903, viz:

HERMAN J. HORNUNG,
H. E. No. 13413 for the s½ of se¼ of section 29, and e½ of se¼ of section 29, tp 5 n, r 5 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Thomas Pettijohn, of Vernonia, Oregon; G. H. Stitts, W. E. Eichman and F. H. Eichman, of Keasey, Oregon.

j9f24 CHARLES B. MOORES, Register

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon Columbia County.
Florence Leila Argent, Plaintiff,
vs.
Edward H. Argent, Defendant.

To Edward H. Argent, the above-named defendant:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREgon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the Complaint filed against you in the above-entitled suit on or before the 30th day of January, 1903, that being the last day prescribed in the order of publication of summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief therein prayed, to-wit: a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony now existing between you and the plaintiff.

This summons is published for six consecutive weeks by order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Columbia, made on the 10th day of December, 1902, the first publication being on the 19th day of December, 1902.

W. M. LaFORCE,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY THAT THE UNDERsigned has been, by the Hon. J. B. Doan, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Columbia County, appointed administrator of the Estate of Jeremiah Galvin, deceased. Any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me, duly verified according to law, at the office of W. H. Powell, at St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

JOHN DOLAN,
Administrator of the Estate of Jeremiah Galvin, deceased.
W. H. POWELL, Attorney for Administrator.
Dated December 12th, 1902.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned as administrator of the estate of Michael J. Canty, deceased, has filed his final account of his administration of the said estate, in the office of the County Clerk of Columbia County, in the State of Oregon, and the County Court of said County has fixed the 21 day of March, A. D., 1903 at the hour of one o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the County Court House in said County, as the time and place for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof.

D. J. SWITZER,
Administrator of the estate of Michael J. Canty, deceased.
S. H. GRUBER,
j23-f20 Attorney for the Administrator.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Oregon, January 12, 1903.

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, Arvin Boetikoter, of Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 6007, for the purchase of the sw¼ of nw¼, w½ of sw¼ sec. 1, e½ se¼ of sec. 2 in Township No. 4 n, Range No. 4 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 Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1903. He names as witnesses: A. S. Early, W. D. Hurt, David Early, of Vernonia, Oregon, and C. Saservin of Houlton, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 26th day of March, 1903.

j16-20 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

Estray Taken Up.

Notice is hereby given that on the 22nd day of December, 1902, there strayed to my place about two miles West of Goble, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, a black cow with light streak along back, has crumpled horns, and is about three years old. Has small calf.

The owner of the above-described animal can obtain possession of the same by furnishing sufficient proof of ownership and paying all expenses and costs.

JAY P. ARCHIBALD.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two fish nets; one 200-fathom 16-inch mesh; one 75-fathom 7-inch mesh. Both nets in good condition. Will trade for work or sell for cash at a bargain. Apply to N. J. Durost, Valley, Ore.

Fresh fish in season every Friday, and special Sunday dinner at the St. Helens Hotel.