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STRONG ARGUMENTS FOR A CONDENSED MILK FACTORY.

As heretofore mentioned in The Mist, the business of condensing milk is a profitable one, and dairymen usually receive better prices for their milk product than creameries can afford to pay.

It has been just about a year since the condensed milk factory was established at Forest Grove, many of the residents taking stock or contributing a bonus to the enterprise. The Times, of Forest Grove, last week interviewed a number of business men on the results of the establishment of the factory, and received the most gratifying results. Bank deposits have increased one-third in the past year, and the merchants state that nearly all the farmers now paying cash after pay day at the factory, instead of waiting until after a crop is harvested.

There is no better location for a condensed milk factory in Oregon than St. Helens, with both rail and deep water transportation.

At the close of the council meeting Monday night a move was made to aid in extending the St. Helens and Yankton telephone line from Valley to Pittsburg. Councilmen White, Slaughter, McKie and Miles each subscribed one mile of wire, while Recorder Cox and Treasurer Quick each donated one-half mile. The people in the vicinity of the proposed route offer to furnish the poles and do the construction work, provided the wire and insulators are furnished. This means that the greater part of Columbia county and possibly Portland, will be connected with St. Helens by a local telephone line.

The farmers generally were not appreciative of the endeavors of the breeders until in the last few years when dairying became a promising occupation, and farmers found that they must raise less wheat and more stock in order to maintain the productive qualities of their land. Now every one places a proper estimate upon the value of the livestock breeders' services to the country as a whole, and great interest centers in the relative merits of the different cattle, individuals and herds shown at the fair.—Roseburg Plaindealer.

There is an apparently great future market for the spruce of Columbia county and Northwestern Oregon. B. J. Fye, superintendent of the Clatsop Mill Company's box establishment, gives the Astorian the following: "The demand for Oregon lumber that is beginning to come from the east is evidence of the opening of a new field for our spruce. The odorless classes of lumber, such as used for packing butter, sugar and cereal foods, that absorb a taint from pitchy wood, are fast giving out, and Oregon spruce must take their place."

It need be Yamhill county against the world. Now it's Scappoose in Columbia county. The list of prizes carried off at the state fair by Scappoose fine stock breeders would fill a good sized book. P. A. Frakes' herd of Holsteins took all kinds of prizes, and Honeyman's Ayrshires made a record. West's Jerseys made a creditable showing, put a Liolestin cow from Spokane won the medal on the butter test.

No fault is found with the management of the St. Helens postoffice, but there is a long and loud kick about the mail service between this place and Houlton, and it is no wonder that there is a growing sentiment in favor of discontinuing three or four postoffices and having a free delivery from Houlton.

Give the farmers better roads whenever possible. The farmers are what keep the country up and they need all the privileges that can be given. Good roads means a prosperous, thickly settled community. There is no factor so far-reaching and so satisfactory.—Vancouver (Wash.), Columbian.

Another strong argument in favor of a good road to the Nehalem, is the statement in the Forest Grove times, that many Columbia county residents are doing their trading in that town.

A. C. Wolf, aged 36, a well known resident of Houlton, was committed to the State Hospital for the insane by the county judge Wednesday. He owns a farm on the Pittsburg side of the mountain, but had been boarding at the home of E. E. Hazen. He suddenly became affected recently and wandered off into the woods where he remained five days. It is believed that a course of treatment will restore his reason.

COUNTY COURT.

There was an adjourned term of the county court last Monday. All the members of the board were present and other officers.

A petition was granted the city of Clatskanie to lay some water pipe across the road, and alongside the road one-fourth mile to the city limits.

The petition of Sheriff Hutton was granted to cancel sale of certain property to P. H. Marley. The property in question had been decided to the state by C. G. Huntley, but was sold for delinquent taxes.

The consideration of the I. G. Wikstrom road was postponed until October 17th.

The report of the viewers in the matter of the C. H. English road, was accepted, and the change in the road ordered. The clerk was ordered to draw a warrant in favor of P. Hughes for damages in the sum of \$90 in accordance with the report of the board of viewers.

In the matter of the proposed alteration of the road in the vicinity of condemned Pittsburg bridge, it was ordered that a call be made for sealed bids for its improvement.

His Life Saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"B. L. Byer, a well known cooper of this town, says he believes Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy saved his life last summer. He had been sick for a month with what the doctors call bilious dysentery, and could get nothing to do him any good until he tried this remedy. It gave him immediate relief," says B. T. Little, merchant, Hancock, Md. For sale by St. Helens Pharmacy.

Real Estate Transfers.

Dean Blanchard to Nathan D and Anna Johnson; lot 7, block 23, Rainier, \$150.

Erick Erickson to the Benson Logging and Lumbering Company; timber on sec 6, 6, 3, \$500.

Jane I Gragg to the Western Transportation and Towing Company; timber in sec 6, 5, 2.

J. H. Griffin to Viola Griffin; quit claim to sec 2, 4, 2, \$1.

Ferry W Jones by guardian, to H E Noble; tract in sec 24 and 13, 7, 5, \$25.

John W and Malinda A Lane to Joseph E Hall; n 1/2 of sec 28, 6, 5, \$500.

U S G and Gertrude Lynch to Anna Lynch; 10 a in sec 4 of sec 35, 4, 2, \$500.

Norman Merrill to the Western Transportation and Towing Company; timber in sec 6, 5, 2.

James Muckle, jr., and wife and Charles Muckle to Jacob George; quit claim to lots 15 and 16, block 20, St. Helens, \$1.

Charles Muckle to Viola and J H Griffin; bond for deed to 40 a in sec 2, 4, 2, \$450.

E B and M E McFarland to Nellie E Hand; s 1/2 of sec 32, 7, 2, and sec 4 of sec 3, 5, 2, \$2750.

G W and Kate A Perry to W M Watson; bond for deed to n 1/2 of sec 1, 4, 2.

D W and Minnie A Price to J B Lynch; 10 a in sec 4 of sec 35, 4, 2, \$500.

William F Piper to S E Lynch; 10 a in sec 4 of sec 35, 4, 2, \$500.

R L Stanwood to H A and C W Sherman; 44.21 a in sec 6, 4, 1, \$600.

G L and Emma C Tarbell to Yankton Baptist Church Association; tract in sec 36, 5, 2, \$1.

H West to K H Berhanan; lots 1, 2 and 3, in block 1, Scappoose, \$600.

G G, Rose E, J R and E M Watts to J B Lynch; 10 a in sec 4 of sec 35, 4, 2, \$500.

John M and Adaline M Underwood to Horace H Irvine; n 1/2 of sec 4 of sec 14, 5, 5, \$640.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge McBride held a special term of circuit court last Saturday.

In the matter of the Security Loan & Trust Company vs The Globe, Nehalem & Pacific Railway, findings and judgment were given in favor of the intervening creditors or claimants for unpaid labor.

Elen Ellis vs Bret West; ordered that she sale of property be continued until September 26th.

In the suit of Muckle Brothers vs The Lone Star Lumber Company to recover possession of mill property, the general demurrer of defendant was overruled, and they were given until October 1st to answer.

Referee C. E. Ranyon put in a part of the day taking additional testimony in the Muckle-Good land title contest case.

What is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law, even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at St. Helens Pharmacy.

Senator Fulton Will Visit Scappoose Bay.

John Dolan, of Warren, has received a letter from United States Senator C. W. Fulton, stating that he will visit and make an examination of Scappoose bay, with a view of securing an appropriation for its improvement, before he goes to Washington. He expected to have visited this place before now, but has been called to many sections of the state, and winding up matters connected with his law practice, has taken up considerable of his time. The Senator has already consulted with Major Langlet of the U. S. Engineers in the premises. Were this bay made navigable at all seasons of the year, it would a great convenience to the public.

A Remarkable Record.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has a remarkable record. It has been in use for over thirty years, during which time many million bottles have been sold and used. It has long been the standard and main reliance in the treatment of croup in thousands of homes, yet during all this time no case has ever been reported to the manufacturers in which it failed to affect a cure. When given as soon as the child becomes hoarse or even as soon as the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is pleasant to take, many children like it. It contains no opium or other harmful substance and may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by St. Helens Pharmacy.

Water cure for Chronic Constipation

Take two cups of hot water half an hour before each meal and just before going to bed, also a drink of water, hot or cold, about two hours after each meal. Take lots of outdoor exercise—walk, ride, drive. Make a regular habit of this and in many cases chronic constipation may be cured without the use of any medicine. When a purgative is required take something mild and gentle like Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by St. Helens Pharmacy.

R-I-P-A-N-S Tablets

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RAINIER.

Mrs. J. E. Doherty is gradually recovering from her recent illness. It is understood that the city council will take active steps to improve the sidewalks and streets.

The real estate transfers printed in this issue show that more property is changing hands in Rainier, than in any other section of Columbia county.

W. L. Reed sold the 300,000 feet of lumber purchased from the receiver of the Rainier Mill & Lumber Company, to San Francisco parties. It is expected that the mill will be sold at the sale to be held at St. Helens on the 26th, and will likely thereafter soon be put into active operation. It is too valuable a property, convenient to both rail and water transportation to long remain idle.

Immense quantities of lumber are daily being hauled into Rainier from the mills back in the woods, and an average of four or five carloads are shipped out daily.

The Tam o' Shanter completed the loading of a half-million feet of lumber from H. O. Howland's mill Tuesday. The lumber was shipped to California points.

Darwin and Edward Thayer have gone to Corvallis to attend the State Agricultural College.

Mr. Wood Gives a Straight Talk.

Editor Oregon Mist.

Please allow me space in your valuable paper to answer some of the Munchhausen statements of Mr. Bourne in regard to myself in your last issue. I never asked for 90 per cent of the gate receipts as he claims, but did ask for 30 per cent which I still claim we were entitled to. How much money would they have taken in if Clatskanie and St. Helens had not been there? As to the gates gotten up for me, that must be a "pipe dream" or a case of inflated imagination, as I never received a cent from any person in Rainier, directly or indirectly, except the prize money and a small amount of the gate receipts. There would have been no tie if the gates had been properly arranged, and there was no provision for playing off a tie. Rainier's hired players had to go the next day as well as the rest. Rainier had asked six teams to come in to the tournament, but as they sent out no teams and it was impossible to get any word from the manager of the affair only three teams went in. St. Helens gave \$1.0 in prizes last year while Rainier gave \$100 this year.

Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies: "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by St. Helens Pharmacy.

Puts an End to it all.

A grievous ailment often comes as a result of unbearable pain from over taxed organs. Dizziness, Backache, Liver complaint, and Constipation. But thanks to Dr. King's New Life Pills they put an end to it all. They are gentle but thorough. Try them. Only 25c. Guaranteed by the St. Helens Pharmacy.

Shoes in Great Variety.

T. C. Watts, the wide-awake Reuben merchant, has added a big stock of shoes, manufactured by G. L. Hibbard of Portland. Mr. Hibbard is the best known manufacturer of boots and shoes in Oregon, and his goods are known to be of the best quality. Mr. Watts has a great variety of these goods—shoes for women, children, men, boys, loggers and every body. If you want a pair of shoes made to order by this firm, your measure will be taken. There are looks as well as shoes.

A Boy's Wild Ride for Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and every body. If you want a pair of shoes made to order by this firm, your measure will be taken. There are looks as well as shoes.

Commissioner Case and wife were viewing the country up the river Sunday; also trying the roads.

County Surveyor W. T. Watts and County Roadmaster W. E. Stevens were surveying and locating a road from the East end of the Pittsburg bridge along the side of the bluff and crossing Canyon creek at or near the mouth to intersect with the county road opposite the Detrick place, Thursday. A much-needed change and one that will be appreciated by all who travel from Pittsburg to Missoula.

Carroll Kenney and family were visiting with friends above town Sunday, between showers of rain and mud.

J. P. Sheeley, supervisor of road district No. 15 has a force of men and teams at work hauling and placing gravel on the road above the Beaver school house.

Miss Oral Spencer left Monday for the metropolis, where she expects to be employed during the coming winter.

John Baker received baptism by immersion Sunday in the Nehalem, Rev. A. Smith, officiating. Miss Estella Gray received the same kind of baptism in Rock creek on the above-named day. Rev. M. Heverling officiating.

Mr. Johnson, of Fishhawk, was up and purchased a few fine goats from Thomas Anderson, of Kist, Friday.

Dad Soule and wife have rented their city property to Grant Downing, and moved to the beautiful home of their son, Tell, on Upper Coon creek.

Saturday was the Granger's day in this city, and a godly number were out notwithstanding the bad weather.

Dame Ramon says, and everything points that way, that there will soon be a merry noise in this vicinity, when gun, cowbells, tin cans and the whoop of Stony Point's boys will take a principal part. Hark! boys; do you hear 'em now bells?

A gentleman from Clatskanie who has a large body of valuable timber on the upper Nehalem, passed through town Wednesday on his way to view the Charles Armstrong property above town.

KURLEY.

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The Pittsburg Writing Machine Company

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REUBEN.

James McDonald and wife of Penn. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weiler. Mrs. J. M. H. stay and daughter. Kist, visited friends in Near City, Friday.

Mrs. Jane Zenar visited friends at Houlton Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Tawson who is attending school at Clatskanie came home Friday evening to spend Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

W. J. Kinder went to Portland, Saturday to attend the carnival.

C. C. Horen is hauling lumber from Rainier to Near City for the Farr Bros. and George Foster Jr.

Albert Larson who has been sick for two months, returned home Friday from Pe Ell, Wash.

J. B. Lake, of Houlton, was a visitor at this place Sunday.

Jacob Severson, of Roy, Wash., was in town Sunday, shaking hands with his old friends.

Schools began in district No. 20 Monday with Nettie M. Ward as teacher, and in district No. 37 with Miss May Rowley as teacher.

Mrs. Jane Zenar has bought the Jacob Severson house and lot in west Reuben, for \$380.

Mrs. W. E. Henerick, of Sauvie's Island, visited her brother Robert McLarty, at Mooreville, Saturday and Sunday. She returned home Monday on the Kellogg.

W. T. Watts, our county surveyor is doing some work out on Tide creek this week.

Mrs. Robert McIntyre visited friends in Portland Monday.

Mrs. Antone Wise and daughter, Nellie, were in Portland visitors Tuesday.

T. F. Norton, of Mooreville, moved his family back to Portland for the purpose of sending his children to the graded schools.

Albert Larson and R. Anliker visited Portland, Tuesday.

Spencer Rose's family have returned to Vernonia.

W. Soule has moved from town. Plenty of fish in the river and Rock creek.

Mrs. G. W. Rice and family have gone hopping down the Nehalem.

J. W. Rensch will take a vacation and go to the hopyards.

A. H. Mathews, of Houlton, and Cleve Meilinger drove out a bunch of cattle last Monday.

Mr. Emmons is re-singling his house.

What is the matter with Kurley? John Parker, while hauling logs, got his foot caught between a log and a skid. His foot is sojourning in the valley for a short time.

George Rice has again resumed his duties as mail carrier, while Tucker is sent on the East end of the route.

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S. P. Donkel Murdered.

S. P. Donkel, who was recently murdered while putting up hay some distance from his home place, was a former well known resident of Mist, in this county. Mrs. Donkel died about six months ago. Last May Donkel wrote to his office to change the address of his paper from Lava, Crook county to DeScluttes.

Following is the latest dispatch from Prineville in reference to the matter: C. M. Donkel, of Descluttes, is under arrest on suspicion of having murdered his father some time between the 13th and 17th of this month.

As will be remembered the body of S. P. Donkel was discovered a few days ago buried near his cabin in the woods, a bullet wound back of the right ear telling the cause of death. Young Donkel, who alleges that he had been away from the cabin for several days, reported the finding of the body in a grave three feet deep, and over which a big fire had been set in order to obliterate all traces of the murder. Donkel's money was found to have disappeared, and the theory is that robbery was the motive for the murder.

Young Donkel, who is faced with the serious charge of fratricide, admits that he frequently quarreled with his father, but denies being guilty of the murder, and says he can easily give a satisfactory account of himself from the 13th to the 17th of September.

Siferite-Larson Wedding.

Miss Amelia Larson, of Portland, daughter of A. H. Larsen, of Scappoose, was married to Albert Siferite, of Fort Stevens, Or., Wednesday, 2 p. m., September 16th. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Brown, at Scappoose, and the officiating clergyman was Rev. O. W. Allen.

The wedding was one of those quiet but long-to-be-remembered affairs by all those present. The bride is well known in this vicinity, it having been her home in former years. The groom is in the government employ at Fort Stevens as an engineer.

The bride was attired in white satin with white rose carnations. The groom was attired for the occasion, and together looked the picture of happiness as they stood at the hymeneal altar, where they were made one.

Immediately after the ceremony the guests were invited to partake of the wedding feast, which had been prepared by Mrs. L. Brown, and which all enjoyed to the utmost.

The young couple took the evening train for Portland for a short visit, after which they will reside at Fort Stevens. All friends and relatives wished the young couple a long, happy and prosperous life.

Do You Want To Make Money? And believe that you have enough business ability to successfully represent a reliable firm in your town and vicinity; if so send in name and address, with ten cents to cover cost of mailing, etc., for full particulars to Wirtz's Savings, Seattle, Wash.

The paper puts you in touch with manufacturers who want agents and dealers, teaches you how to write advertisements and tells you of many ways to make money, either working part or all the time.

Send ten cents today.

BIRTHS. To J. F. Morgan and wife at Deer Island on September 14th, a boy.

To George Kale and wife at Yankton, September 20th, a son.

To John Greenwell and wife at Warren, September 21st, a girl.

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Jurors For October Term.

Sheriff Hutton and Clerk Henderson yesterday drew the following list of jurymen to serve at the October term of the Circuit Court, which convenes Tuesday, October 13th: Goble—Frank Bishop, James Kennedy, Fred Bucher.

Quincy—E. Erickson, Andrew M. Anderson, W. E. Jones, Scappoose—Grant Lynch.

Warren—J. S. Mow, Nels Jensen, Kist—Riley Thomas, T. H. North, Houlton—R. H. Bailey, John Berdahl, Yankton—C. L. Ayres.

Clatskanie—Emil Loverson, Frank B. Elliott, George A. Kelly, C. L. Conyers, Alfred Gerstman.

Rainier—George Carrigan, T. S. Ryckman, George F. Moeck, Eagle Cliff—Edward Davey.

Vernonia—C. W. Meilinger, William Placks, J. E. Dow.

Reuben—G. W. Jordan, St. Helens—A. Robinson, Mist—Nels D. Peterson, C. L. Mellis, Deer Island—J. A. Wikstrom.

Houlton Sidewalk Social.

About \$27 was the total receipts from the sidewalk entertainment and supper given in the W. O. W. hall at Houlton Saturday night. The supper and social was preceded by an excellent program.

First was a song by six little girls; remarks by M. S. H. Cleveland; recitation, Flu Knowles; guitar solo, O. C. Clark; recitation, Katie Perry; solo, Mrs. Winnie Bailey; recitation, Mrs. A. M. Holton; song by six little girls; instrumental music, Mrs. Copeland; dialogue, "A Matrimonial Advertisement." The money raised will go far toward building some needed sidewalks to connect with the school building.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of

Call for Sealed Bids for Construction of County Road.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the County Clerk of Columbia County, Oregon, at St. Helens, up to noon, Saturday, October 17th, 1903, for the construction of a piece of road from the East end of the bridge across the Nehalem river at Pittsburg to a point about 1600 feet down said river, according to the plans and specifications on file at the office of the County Clerk, adopted by the County Court. Each bid must be accompanied by a bond, signed by two or more freeholders as sureties, in double the amount of the bid, made payable to the county for the faithful performance of the contract. The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if they deem them too high.

By order of the County Court, H. HENDERSON, County Clerk.

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