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TIMBER WILL BE A GOLD MINE.

The owner of timber land, provided that he can afford to pay taxes and interest on the property for a limited number of years, will have a veritable gold mine. While it is true there are still large bodies of timber along the Columbia and its tributaries, it is surely but gradually disappearing.

A. Crouse, a well known St. Helens logger, has returned from a visit to his old home in Maine, and finds great change in timber conditions since he left there. He says there is a great demand for lumber at high prices, and the mills are cutting anything that will make a dimension of 2x4.

From recent developments, it evidently would not be amiss to start a movement for the reform of ministers of the gospel. A prominent New York clergyman left his family and ran away with a young lady member of his flock to California, where he was recently discovered.

The test made at the late state fair fittingly demonstrates the superiority of the Holstein and Ayrshire breeds of cattle over the Jerseys in the matter of milk production as well as for marketing purposes.

Now that a telephone line to the Nehalem country is assured, the next important move is to have a new road surveyed over the mountains on a six per cent grade. The survey of a road on an easy grade, is a matter of the utmost importance.

On Monday Harvey Scott, according to the press dispatches, dined with President Roosevelt. On the day following some federal appointments in the Lakaview offices were made public.

The mails to and from the county seat to the greater portion of Columbia county, continue to lie over a day at Houlton, and the government inspectors never show up. Neither is there any afternoon train mail to Portland.

This paper is sent out on the Friday mail routes at the same time as the Weekly Oregonian. Subscribers, who do not receive it promptly will confer a favor by promptly notifying this office.

MORE TAXABLE PROPERTY.

The summary of the assessment roll completed by Assessor A. T. Laws, makes a satisfactory showing. There is an increase on the roll in the total valuation of \$24,822. There is considerable increase in the number of acres of non-tillable land, and while the valuation of some timber land was increased, the assessment on some of the burnt timber lands was reduced.

Table with 3 columns: Description of property, No., Value. Includes items like Acres of tillable land, Acres of non-tillable land, Town and city lots, etc.

GRANGE OPEN MEETING.

YANKTON GRANGERS MAKE A CREDITABLE EXHIBIT

And Discuss How to Make Farming Pay—Interesting Program.

"How to make the Farm Pay," was the theme for discussion at the open meeting of Yankton Grange held Saturday afternoon. There was a good attendance of Grangers, and some who were not members of the order.

When the Grange lecturer, J. A. Luman, announced the topic, "How to make Farming Pay," G. L. Tarbell led off in the discussion. He said that the best way to make the farm pay was to have something to sell every day.

G. W. Perry said that he liked farming, when some one else did the work. Mrs. Perry was next called on, but did not claim all the honor for the successful management of their farm.

R. Kappler believed that the farmer should make a special study of his work, and in this way would be certain of success. There were certain advantages in farm life—One was nearer nature, and the privileges of pure air and water.

G. U. Barger believed that the success of the farmer depended on keeping out of debt and having occasional periods of recreation. When a boy was over-seer over his grandfather's Negroes, and secured an extraordinary amount of work out of them, by occasionally getting them a half-holiday to go fishing.

Charles Tarbell, who is over 70 years old, and came from New England, where good farmers thrive, said that he was taking especial interest in dairying on a small scale—that it was a species of farming that brought in revenue every day.

Frank Brown was an earnest advocate of marketing the produce of the farm in the form of animal fat. He had made a success during the past season in raising wheat, oats, rye, barley and peas. His strong forte is raising and fattening hogs.

Mrs. H. O. Oliver stated the big grain farmers of Eastern Oregon and other places were not farmers; they do not raise diversified crops nor make a study of rotation in soil products.

FISHHAWK.

Rain and sunshine. Bear seem to be getting more plentiful. They have begun to feed in the orchards. Hopping at the Johnson hop yard closed Monday afternoon.

The banner yield of grain in Nehalem was on Mr. Birkenfeld's place, at the mouth of Fishhawk. He threshed nearly 2000 bushels of oat of about 33 acres. Some oats went as high as 75 bushels to the acre. But where, oh! where was the hay that made six tons to the acre?

Fred Frantz was a strong advocate of farmers pooling their productions for market, which would enable them to secure good prices. Mrs. G. R. Hyde, also made a few appropriate remarks.

CLATSKANIE

Mrs. Mary E. Conledge, of Oakland, Calif., who has been visiting her son in Astoria, is visiting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Conveys this week.

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He Learned a Great Truth

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" John Wesley, because once telling is once enough.

KEASEY

Hop pickers nearly all at home again with money in pockets—some to the Grove returning for winter supplies, chuck holes of mud through the hill country and clouds of dust over the plains.

Miss Lizzie McPherson plumed her wings for flight and is at home with her aunt and grandmother in Portland, where she will con her lessons in the presence of professors of the graded school.

Miss Lillie Chedellin has also taken her flight and found a boarding place in the city there to further wind her way up the hill of science.

Clarence Reed remained with his uncle, Thomas Brown, of Forest Grove. He also anticipates books and slates in some of the schools at that place.

The steeler belonging to E. W. Keasey, that received notice in the Clatskanie Chief last spring through one of its correspondents, was glad to say is not the nuisance that it was supposed to be; its stinger being only a large bunch of warts which are now entirely gone through the application of a solution of bicarbonate of potash.

Autumn's clouds and winter's rain are fast approaching, and the bad road question is again being agitated—peak on brethren and keep speaking—long since we were tired of the "bumpty Bump" of the corduroy and the chuck holes, but Supervisor Mellinger is attempting in fact as possible to correct the badness.

The rock bluff on the Keasey-Vernonia route should have either grade logs or railing to insure the safety of travelers. There has been several narrow escapes in passing over it and it is always with a feeling of thankfulness when once we are on the other side.

Saves Two From Death.

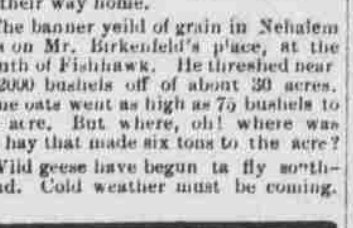
"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had Consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and to day she is perfectly well."

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Rainier Sawmill Sold.

The property of the Rainier Mill and Lumber Company, situated at Rainier, was sold in front of the court house in St. Helens last Saturday morning to Gardner K. Wilder for \$20,000 by the receiver, B. D. Sigler. A half dozen bidders were present, among them W. L. Reed, the defendant in the litigation, but it was knocked down to Gardner K. Wilder, the plaintiff in the suit that threw the concern into the hands of a receiver.

The Clatskanie Grange held a very interesting session last Saturday, when nine candidates were initiated into the mysteries of the order. Norman Merrill built a bran new sidewalk in front of his property on Nehalem street this week, which adds to the looks of his lots, as well as filling a long felt want of convenience for pedestrians during the wet season.

Who was it that scolded that Lighthouse dog on Bridge street last week? Adolph Plover will complete his new house this week. Many of the girls are casting good eyes at Gus, and many of our citizens are spending as to who will occupy that new dwelling, when finished.

Those nuisances on Nehalem and Front streets have not yet been abated. They stink as long as ever. The Keystone Lumber Company has all its yards full of lumber at their mill, and are having it hauled to the depot, as fast as teams can be secured to do the work.

Washington and Holmes have completed their new sawmill on section 24, and are getting out a first-class lot of lumber.

New buildings are springing up on all sides, and yet every old shack in the city is occupied by families, while others are camping in tents in this part of the county.

Thomas Meserve, of Gray's River, Wash., and three gentlemen from Rogue river, took in the sights of our city last Saturday.

R. H. Williams, while crossing the railroad track near the West Oregon Company's planing mill, had the misfortune to have one of his horses legs broken last week.

Mrs. N. Merrill went to Pendleton Saturday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rhoda Fitzgerald, nee Miss Rhoda Johns.

It is said that a gentleman in the city trying to organize a lodge of the Woodmen of the World.

Dan Rice, Oliver Anderson, Erich Erickson and many others of the upper Clatskanie people were doing business in the city Saturday.

Now that we have a new road supervisor appointed for this road district, it is to be hoped that some of the chuck holes will be filled up in the several county roads leading to the city.

It is said by those who claim to know, that the Redmen of this city are about ready to begin building their new hall.

A. M. Wheeler, of Eagle Cliff, was doing business in the city Tuesday.

G. W. Barnes and wife, of Quincy, were in the city Tuesday, doing some trading with our merchants.

Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years."

Boals-Bethune Wedding.

Sylvester Mark Boals, of Mayger, Oregon, and Adelaide Luez Bethune, of Oakland, Cal., were married September 27th, Rev. Kerr of St. Henry's church, officiating. The ceremony took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Flanders 799 Williams Avenue, Portland. After the ceremony a dainty dinner was served. Mr. and Mrs. Boals left on the evening train for their future home at Mayger.

Shoes in Great Variety.

T. C. Watts, the wide-awake Renben 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.

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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 1000 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.

Broke Into His House

S. Le Quinn of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he is entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure, at St. Helens Pharmacy.

CASTORIA

The Rural Telephone. The following clipping is printed by request. Neighbors not so far from here Put in telephones this year. Farmers build a rural line. Instruments all talked up time. All you had to do was ring. Every bell went ting-a-ling—One for Mowery, two for Spout. Short and long brought fra her soon. Every neighbor had his call. Twist the crank and that was all. Mighty nice when work is through. To gossip for an hour or two. With your neighbors one by one. Mighty nice, but lots of fun. When you heard some other two. Telling what was not for you. Every time the signal rang. To the phone each farmer sprang. Stily grinned and softly took. Each reviewer from the book. Other people's secrets dear. Poured into his large red ear. How he slapped his legs—"I want, Telephone's lots of fun." Somehow, in a week or two, Troubles dark began to brow. Applegate got fighting mad. Heard what Ja per Barnes said. Farmer Danton seemed angry too. Heard Moore telling what he knew. Foster heard Nichol telling lies. Felt him off with two black eyes. Sherman B. heard Albert Earnest Under his arm an insurance. Ben over heard a sneaking cheat. Making love to his best girl. Women too, were in the mix. Raised a most tremendous fuss. Every one in twenty houses. In glory houses throwing stones. Now the line has all grown. Wires snarl, poles over thorns. Twenty families are dealt free. Each one full of grubs and bees. Each too mad to speak a word. 'Cause of things they'd over heard. G. Whitte.

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Man Killed, Near Mayger.

F. O. Welch, an employe in the government rock quarry, near Mayger, was accidentally killed by falling rock Wednesday afternoon. He was prying down some rock on the side of the bluff to keep it from falling on the man below, when the rock broke loose above where he was working, causing death. Coroner Cliff returned from holding the inquest yesterday.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Daniels & Hanna is this day by mutual consent dissolved. J. E. Hanna retaining the business and paying all debts owing by the said firm, and collecting all amounts due the said firm of Daniels & Hanna. Signed at Seaside, Ore., this 22nd day of September, 1903. J. E. HANNA, F. M. DANIELS.

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persons in each state to travel for house established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for its useful and profitable line. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$18 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced each week. Experience not essential. Merit and references and enclosed self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL, 309 Dearborn St., Chicago.

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