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ALL POINTS EAST.

Hon. Dean Blanchard, of Rainier, was

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

If you want to keep posted on county affairs, subscribe for the oldest paper in the county, the Misr. Edgar Muckle, of Rainier, spent seve-

ral days in town visiting relatives. Edgar is sawyer in his father's mill. Fresh fish in season every Friday, and special Sunday dinner at the Oriental

day's in this month may be wet ones. The Porcelain Baths at Houlton are all ready for customers. If you want a re-

cut patronize the Houlton barber shop. Satisfaction guaranteed. Rev. Thorpe will hold services at Warren next Sunday morning, at Houlton at 3 p. m., and at St. Helens at the usual

J. Dupont & Sons, of the Valley shingle mill, will deliver shingles to customer at St. Helens, Houlton, Columbia City Warren and neighborhood. They manu facture the very finest grade of cedar shingles and guarantee their prices to be as low as shingles of the same grade can be procured elsewhere.

It is reported that Joe Gaston and Bill Reed of Portland are going to build a railroad through the Nehalem. A party of surveyors have been there this week surveying the line. The road will start from Goble and go through Jewell and Mishwauka and to Tillamook.-Astoria

The Royal Chinook salmon is the best fish that swims, and Chinook shoes are the best shoes on the market. They are made of the very best material and are sure to give satisfaction. Bailey a Brinn, Houlton's reliable dealers in general merchaudise, keep them for sale at from \$3.50

Our farmers, especially those on the river bottoms, should put in as much root crops as possible as soon as conditions permit. For dairy purposes there is nothing so relished by cows as carrots rutabagas and beets, not to mention the fact that they go a good way to tide over in a short hay crop.

The fruit canning season is approach ing and the price of sugar is sure to go up. Prudent housekeeper should order a supply from Bailey & Brinn, Houlton's

County court met in adjourned term in Friday last, for the purpose of checkng up the accounts of the sheriff. R. S. Hattan was sworn as county judge. The amount of taxes unpaid is \$8,973.68, a large part of which will doubtless be paid in before the list becomes delin-

Magnolia, Canadian Club, Old Governent Whiskies and Gordon's Dry Gin at the Owl Saloon. Old Crow Whiskey bottled in bond. Also Old Quaker-made

Muckle Bros., at their camp on the the mill will thereby be able to run except in phenomenally eigh water.

went to the Alberta country last May, has returned to God's country and was a that Alberta is decidedly a frost, and he picniced at Caples' spring. Columbia is perfectly content to stay where the City on the Fourth. With the exception Oregon rolls and the grass grows the vear round.

of Mrs. J. L. Maxwell, this was entirely a family reunion.

Mr. Frank Miles, who is in the employ of Honeyman & DeHart, of Portland, visited his old nome in this city this It is our hope and expectation to run a

loaded about 800,000 feet of ties from in a fair and impartial manner. barges at Muckle Bro's, wharf in this County court is now in session. The cargo, and appears fit to weather any be justified. gale. In addition to her cargo the Re- There are no shoes made that are bettersengers, for whom she has every con- Graham.

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The joint installation of the Houlton Woodmen of the World and Women of Woodcraft last Saturday night is reported to have been an extremely pleasant affair. After the installation ice cream and cakes in abundance were served to Tuesday morning. the members and their guests. The editor was unable to attend, being absent in

Portland, which he greatly regrets. Helens and tackle the team here.

ber, 38 inches long. For information have an enjoyable time. write Western Cooperage Co., Houlton,

July present from District Attorney Allen, his visit to Southern Oregon, where he in the form of a re-appointment to the went for the purpose of looking up cer-

Hon. Geo. W. McBride, who has just returned from St. Louis, informs us that Oregon's exhibit there is a great success a pleasant caller at the Misr office Tues, in that it is a novelty and attracts the attention of the visitors more than do the more showy and monotonous build ings put up by other states. It consists of a reproduction of old Fort Clatsop, surrounded by a high stockade made of palings, with the bark on. Visitors are entertained and treated to Oregon fruits, cherries being the specialty so far, and they express a desire to learn all they can of the land that produces the large and luscious Royal Annes. They are told An Oregon weather prophet prophesises that we are going to have an exposition that two or three of the remaining Sun- in Portland next year, and that if they want to see the prettiest country that ever lay out of doors and enjoy the trip of their lifetime, they will do well to attend. It is not claimed the 1905 Fair freshing bath or a firstclass shave or hair will surpass the St. Louis Exposition in size, but it is stated that it will excel it in its Oriental features, and that it will be a complete exhibit of the resources of

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Talking about cows, Mr. Harry West informs us that but three silver cups have been offered for butter tests in the Northwest, and Scappoose, Columbia county, got them all. They are now in the possession of Messrs. West, Collins, and Frakes. As a matter of fact, no other section of Oregon can show as fine bred stock in Jerseys, Holsteins, and Guernseys as the Scappoose country. Coweman, are getting gat the piling for They will all be at the State Fair and the people of Columbia county should be

there to see them. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. McBride, Dr. and Mrs. Willis B, Morse, Mr. B. F. Giltdent of this county, but who sold out and ner, Mr. Edmond Giltner, Miss George lie Caples, Mrs. J. L. Maxwell, Thos. A. McBride, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dolman,

Compare the Mist this week with any paper published in Columbia county and we are willing to abide by your verdict. newspaper that will be taken on its The steam schooner Redondo has merits, giving all the news of the county

city during the week. About twenty only business of importance transacted men were employed at forty cents per up to the time of going to press was the hour. Most of the stevedores were from swearing in of the new officials and the kortland, but some local men were em- examination and approval of their official ployed. The ties were brought down bonds. A petition is in for the building Lewis river on barges. The destination of a bridge across the Nehalem river at of the vessel is San Francisco. She is a Natal. It will probably be disallowed, staunch iron craft, with powerful engines on the recommendation of the road and modern appliances for handling master, as the expense does not appear to

Physician and Surgeon. dondo carries a limited number of pasthan the Stilson line, carried by Perry &

A large stock of novels just received at

was to sell at sheriff's sale the Herman cents and over, and you can exchange Reamer land, on the Upper Clatskanie, these coupons for all varieties of the best to Mr. John Stuart, of Portland. The class of China ware. Goods on exhibition sale was conducted on Tuesday last by Deputy Chas, Blakesley.

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County Assessor Laws and son Edward were metropolis visitors last Friday. Mrs. A. T. Laws and daughter Nellie visited Seaside last Saturday, returning

Attorney Conyers, of Clauskanie, was

in town on business Tuesday last. W. B. Dillard and son Waldron, Wil-If the Rainier boys desire a good warm bur Muckle and Ernest Johns, started game of ball they should come to St. for an outing at Mt. St. Helens Wednesday night. They took with them two WANTED-Stave bolts; yellow fir tim; burros as pack animals and will no doubt

Weinhard's beer on tap at the Owl

W. H. Powell received a Pourth of Mr. E. E. Quick has returned from Steamer Hassal's leaves Portland daily, except Sunday, at 8,00 p. m. Faturday 10,00 p. m. Studies, at 8,00 p. m. Faturday 10,00 p. m. Hallon, highly commending Mr. Powell's for Astoria and way leadings. Returning leaves Astoria at 7:00 a. m. daily, except sunday.

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A GLORIOUS FOURTH

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tained The Assembled

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It was a great day for the race-we mean the human race-when John Hancock and the rest of those immortals attached their signatures to the great document declaring the thirteen colonies to be "free and independent states," and the century and a quarter that has elapsed since that date has only served to emphasize and magnify the wisdom of the fathers of this Republic. The anniversary of the great event wa

this county, from Scappoose to Clatska-

nie, and from the Columbia to the Neha-

heard above the roar of the combustibles and the yells of the small boy. The programs were so remarkably similar that a repetition of them would be monotonous. Beginning at Scappoose the orator of the day was Dr. H. R. Cliff, of St. Helens, and they do say that the doctor match game of base ball between Scappoose and St. Helens, in which our boys 'put it all over" the Scappooses and their Portland men to the tune of 10 to 4, much to the surprise of all. The feature of the game was the work of the St.

crowd being too large for the room. At Warren the celebration was under the auspices of the Warren band. It was held in the grove just west of the Noon place, and the attendance was mainly local, though a few were present from few remarks. The Declaration was read standing a moment to give greeting to ESTIMATES FURNISHED by Mrs. F. M. Hoyt, in a clear and intel-friends, he was caught sight of and apligent manner. There were foot races, plauded. But the measure of applause the band boys and the members of the local camp Woodmen of the World, resulting in a victory for the former, after

ported in every respect. The orator to the record of ex-President Cleveland, of the day was Hon. Dell Squart, of Port- All the shackled party interest which had land, and those who were present say he lain dormant through two national con-

and we are sure the people of Clatskanie echoed from a thousand throats. Hats, listened to an able and scholarly ad- handkerchiefs, fans, and arms waved, dress, such as Professor Collins is fully and delegates and spectators stood on capable of delivering. A participant informs us that in addition to the popula- der was turned into confusion which tion of the city fully five hundred visitors convention officials were powerless to

gress of our country.

exercises were the order of the day. The orator was a native son of the Nehalem, Mr. Omar Spencer, son of our old friend, Israel Spencer. He gave his neighbors an address that testified to both his patriotism and his culture. He is one of the young men of Columbia county who the opposition. has been fitted by education and home training to fill any position of trust or honor to which he may be called.

Columbia county may well be proud of the manner in which the great day was celebrated. So far as this county is does not get it the yield will be about concerned, it was eminently a "sane' Fourth of July.

La Cruzador cigars-two for a quarter at Brinn Bros. Owl Saloon.

AFRAID OF CARRIE.

garded as an absolutely fearless man, and has proved his courage on many and divers occasions. But it appears that George intends having with up-to-date there is one terror before which Mr. Roosevelt quails. He let slip that fact to a gathering of newspaper men at the executive office on the day of his nomination. "I hope," said the president, looking about anxiously as he passed around a box of cigars when the glorious but not wholly unexpected news was flashed from Chicago, "I hope Carrie

be set down to a clear breach of confidence on the part of the recipients of the Friday. cigars. No doubt these gentlemen felt that their duty to their papers was paramount, and their chance discovery of the cream wagon Tuesday. one thing the president is afraid of was certainly worth publishing.

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ST. LOUIS, July 6.—The Democratic National Convention today listened to an extended speech frem Representative John Sharp Williams, its temporary chairman, appointed the committees necessary to perfect a permanent arganization, and adjourned. In a session lasting two hours and fifty minutes one striking incident overshadowed all other proceedings. That was the enthusiastic and prolonged cheering which greeted the name of Grover Cleveland. While the outburst which greeted the name of the Democratic expected the name celebrated very generally throughout lem. The eagle flew and the orators orated, and the reader of the Declaration of Independence tried her best to be greeted the name of the Democratic ex-President before its last syllable had fallen from the lips of the temporary chairman was noticeable in itself, it was magnified by contrast with the greeting accorded made a great hit. There was all kinds the actual persons of men who stood for of sport, including horse racing, and a all that has been opposed by Mr. Cleveland and within the party during the last eight years.

James K. Jones, of Arkansas, chairman

battery, with Bert McKibben pitching and Henry McKibben catch- in hand. There were other stalwart lieutenants of the Nebraskan who entered Bryan himself, who, for the first time during two national campaigns, was

APPLAUSE FOR BRYAN BUT A RIPPLE. Eight minutes after the gavel fell the twice-named candidate of his party passed potato race, and a tug of war between was but a ripple when compared to the

doctrine laid down by Mr. Williams, the conservatives found occasion for the first demonstration when reference was made ventions was released as by the touch of Clatskanie's orator was J. H. Collins a trigger. The name of Cleveland was

were present.

The pupils of the Lower Nehalem country celebrated in a beautiful grove near Deep Creek. It was a joint celebration of the citizens of several adjacent communities, and was thoroughly enjoyable. The county seat furnished the orator of the occasion in the person of Mr. W. H. Powell, who delivered a and the Bryan following was hissed.

Subdue.

BRYAN FOLLOWING IS HISSED.

While the outburst was at its height, same points mentioned above and To-eledo, reaching the latter place at 10 a. m. on the following day. Returning, the boat leaves Toledo at noon, and Castle Rock at 5:30 in the atternoon, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, "Grover" and "Cleveland" was renewed and the Bryan following was hissed.

And Vernonia was not behind hand.

The loyal citizens of that community enjoyed the Nation's holiday to the fullest extent and sports and literary literary fullest extent and sports and literary Parker for president is assured beyond any possibility of defeat.

The action of Ohio last night, closely

following Pennsylvania's declaration for the New York jurist, and the bandwagon tendency displayed by other delegations which had been counted in the anti-Parker ranks, had a telling effect upon

VERNONIA ITEMS

around these parts.

one half as great as in former years. Teck Mills and wife arrived in the

valley Thursday. They were usited in marriage on Wednesday at Rainier.

President Roosevelt is commonly re- ing for Soldren's, on Deep river-Geo. Rice came in from the Grove Wednesday with a new mower and rake.

> Postmaster Keasey, the Hazelwood ers with which to make ice cream for the

Frank Tracy and son Emmous have completed their contract of corduroy and graveling on the Vernonia-Keasey road. Constable J. P. Sheeley was doing business with the notary public, Mr. Pringle,

The Misses Stella Hesferd and Rose Smith were incoming passengers on the

been engaged the past two weeks haul-Mr. Roosevelt has faced many perils ing the output of the Rogers-Seidleman and trials without flinching. He has shingle mill to the Grove and Hillsboro. Miss Oral Speucer came home Saturday for a short viiit with parents and

> very near future. Miss Grace Brown, who is teaching the

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Multinomah County. In the matter of the estate of Reuben Z. Joy, Decembed.

since acquired by operation of law of otherwise, in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

Lots 4 and 5 of section 24, and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 25, and in township 3 north, range; west of Willamette meridian, in Columbia County, State of Oregon. Also an irregular tract described as beginning in the center of the creek at the southwest corner of section 19 in township 3 north, range 1 west of Willamette meridian, and thence running down the easter of said creek, with its meanderines, to a point where the same intersects the Willamette slough; thence in a southwesterly direction, with the meanderings of said slough, to the section line between sections to ad 20, in township 3 north, range 1 west of Willamette meridian, theodewest to the place of beginning, being in Columbia County, Orogon.

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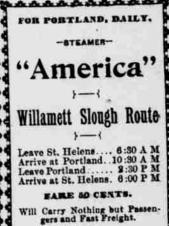
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GREAT IS GROVER.

of the National Committee, went upon the platform and took his seat unnoticed. Practically no greeting was given him when he faced the convention with gavel

ing. In the evening there was a dance at Watts and Price's hall, the the hall unacclaimed, and, lastly, Mr. greeted with silence. St. Helens. The orator of the day was in at the main entrance and sought his to have been Prof. Seeley, of Albina, seat unheralded and unheeded. A few but as he did not appear, the editor of moments later he arose and pushed his the Mist was called upon and made a way to a seat nearer the aisle, where,

a very interesting struggle. From Rainier a grand good time is re-

did full justice to the occasion.

Mr. W. H. Powell, who delivered a and the Bryan following was hissed. masterly address on the glory and pro-

Nation won't hear of this." That Carrie Nation will hear of it must

fought the battle of honest government against Tammany toughs and heclers in New York primaries; he has busted brouchos, roped steers, hunted b'ars, and catamounts, tackled bullies and bad men in the wild West; he has dealt firmly with White House bores and cranks, charged up San San Juan hill, and faced a four-hour speech by Senator Morgan Keasey school, spent the first of the on the canal question; but when it comes week with her relatives, in Portland. to another encounter with the eloquent Amazon of the Sunflower state he frank- hand and see the smiling countenance ly says, no more for him. To what use of Ed North again in our city. Edward Mrs. Nation will put this disclosure of has been attending the State Normal her dread power over the president re- School at Monmouth the past year and mains to be seen .- Milwaukee Ssntinel. expects to return next year.

storm called forth by Cleveland's name. Listening attentively to the Democratic

The greatest significance was attached to the showing made by the conserva-

Hay making is the order of the day

Late sown grain needs rain badly; if it

F. L. Wilson paid his parents a flying visit Wednesday. Frank has been work-

machinery. Cream Co's, hauler, was kept quite busy this week securing cream for his employ-

Chas. Armstrong and Chas. Smith have

friends and an outing. Alex Sword is preparing to build himself an up-to-date hewed log house in the

We are happy to meet and shake the

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