

LOCAL

Talk to Ross. Columbia County Bank. C. C. Masten, the logger, who purchased the Muskie tract of 4,000 acres of timber on Milton creek, has also bought the Adams' place, adjoining the townsite of the city of St. Helens. Mr. Masten has disposed of his interests in Clatsop County, and just as soon as possible, will begin work upon the construction of his logging road, and will dump his logs into the Willamette slough, upon his newly acquired property. Mr. Masten has about one mile of deep water frontage on the slough, in a protected location where there will be no danger from freshets. This purchase means a great deal to St. Helens, as it removes the last doubt as to the terminus of the road, which will cross the Northern Pacific on a high trestle just below Houlton. Mr. Masten feels very kindly to the people for the reasonable manner in which they have acted in regard to the right-of-way across their land.

Each week brings us new depositors Columbia County Bank.

Miss Mollie Probstel, editor of the La Grande Chronicle, is visiting relatives at Scappoose. Miss Probstel has made a success of the paper she edits, and has demonstrated that at least one woman is capable of conducting her own business affairs, and therefore fully competent to take part in public affairs.

Seven room house for sale or rent. Inquire of R. E. Quick, St. Helens.

Thomas Voales and wife, of Mountaine, brother-in-law and sister of E. E. Quick, are visiting in St. Helens.

WANTED—One hundred men to make stove bolts at \$1.40 per cord. First class yellow fir timber. Call on or communicate with the Western Coopers Co., Houlton, Or.

MARRIED—Emily Cox-Clear, of this city, was married to Hiram Mottley Allen, of Buffalo, N. Y., in Detroit, Mich., on November 20th. Mr. Allen is senior member of the firm of Allen & Pollack, of Buffalo, New York, and one of the rising and popular young men of that city. Mrs. Allen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Cox, of this city, and made it her home for a number of years, where she has many friends who will wish for them a long and happy life. Mr. and Mrs. Allen will reside in the Carmichael.

TIME IS MONEY—And you save time by taking the Multnomah when you have business in Portland. Leaves St. Helens at 7 a. m. Reaches Portland at 10 a. m. Starts home at 2:30 p. m. You have plenty of time to do your shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dillard were Portland visitors last Saturday.

Mr. Geo. Perry was a visitor to the city one day last week.

Mrs. L. L. Decker was a Portland visitor last Monday.

Mr. P. Land, of Warren, was a caller at this office this week.

Posters are out announcing a dance at Houlton on Christmas night. Everybody turn out.

I have little pigs for sale, seven weeks old, at Bachelor Flat, Gable's place, opposite the school house.

GUS SKUZIE

Warren, Or.

R. H. Bailey, who has for some time been sick at The Dalles, is now getting along nicely, and it will not be long before he is again at his place of business in Houlton.

Mr. L. L. Decker is in Rainier this week, doing some carpenter work for R. H. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Masten were St. Helens visitors this week.

Reports cards for sale at this office. Best form.

Mr. George Walker, of Neepawa, Manitoba, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hakesley, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Hazen, of Warren, visited in St. Helens Saturday and Sunday.

COMMERCIAL ACCOUNTS—We are glad to open checking accounts with individuals, firms, societies, corporations, and banks, and give careful prompt attention to all business, whether large or small. Columbia County Bank.

Miss Mabel Silvers left Tuesday morning for Goble, where she will remain for a while.

The Knights of Pythias will have installation of officers on the second Tuesday in January. K. of P. members and their families are welcome.

TO OWNERS OF TIMBER CLAIMS AND TIMBER.—We will buy for cash any good timber tributary to the Nehalem river. Will deal with owners only. No others need answer. Write giving full particulars to box 8, U. P. Station, Portland, Oregon.

Some of the ladies of this place are going to have a Christmas tree in the Congregational church on Christmas Eve. They are preparing a good program for the occasion.

The longshoremen here would like to organize and join the union, but it seems that they are ruled out, as the unions have to be fifty miles apart. The only union they can join is the Portland union, and it seems it would cost them an exceedingly large sum to do that.

STRAVED—A dark red two year old steer, split in left ear. Send any information to this office.

County School Superintendent I. H. Copeland now has the library books for Columbia County's schools. They will soon be forwarded to the respective districts.

Mr. Lou Manning, of Gresham, and Mr. Finney, of Portland spent last Sunday in Houlton.

Rev. Hollingshead, presiding elder of the M. E. church for this district, delivered an interesting sermon here last Sunday.

Houlton Assembly No 80, United Artists, elected officers for the coming year last Friday night. Following is the result: Master Artisan, I. H. Copeland; Post Master, Miss Anna Ketel; Secretary, Mrs. W. A. Ketel; Superintendent, Mrs. Shears; Treasurer, Mrs. Belford; Inspector, Mrs. I. H. Copeland; Junior Conductor, Frank Popejoy; Master of Ceremonies, Ed Hazen; Field Commanders, Mrs. W. A. Harris and Frank Popejoy. Our informant was unable to furnish us the name of the Senior Conductor.

Optimo cigars; two for twenty-five cts. Leaders in quality. Brinn Bros.

The Houlton Ladies Aid Society will give a social in Perry's Hall Saturday night. Everybody turn out and have a good time.

Pure bred White Plymouth Rock roosters for sale. Inquire at this office.

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M. C. GRAY.

Last Monday one of the blow pipes at the stove factory broke, causing the mill to shut down a half day.

Wm. M. Allen, of Vernonia, was a caller at this office on Thursday last. He says that by this time next year he will not have to ride over the mountains, but will come via the new railroad.

Syrup of White Pine and Tar, the old reliable cough remedy. For sale by A. J. Deming, druggist.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—One cow, iron gray, with "W" on right hip, white star in forehead, white belly, short tail. Disappeared three weeks ago from my place at Banker Hill. \$5 reward will be given for definite information concerning same.

JOHN WALCZAK, Yankton, Or.

Mr. Joseph Holaday, of Deer Island, was a St. Helens visitor on Thursday last.

The two three-masted ships, Elwell and Sintram, and the schooner W. F. Jewett, left here this week with full cargoes of railroad ties. The Sintram took 1,200,000 feet, the Elwell 1,118,000 and the Jewett about 600,000. The Elwell and Sintram go to San Pedro and the Jewett to San Francisco.

H. Morgus was a Portland visitor this week.

The engine for Dr. Cliff's new boat has arrived and it certainly is a nice one. Mr. Bousier is building the boat at Willow Bar, and the engine will soon be put into it.

Mr. Samuel Lovell, of Clatskanie, passed this week with his daughter, Mrs. H. E. LaBare.

Dance in the hall at Scappoose Christmas night.

Mr. W. C. Fischer, of Rainier, was a St. Helens visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McKie visited Portland this week.

The county clerk now has in his office a number of volumes of the report of the tax commission. This commission was appointed by the last legislature to investigate the tax laws and propose new ones. The report is full of useful information and should be read by everyone.

LIVELY SCHOOL MEETING

There was a lively time at the special school meeting held at the school house in Rainier on Saturday last for the purpose of electing one director to fill a vacancy and to decide upon better school facilities.

The candidates for the position of director were W. C. Fischer and W. D. Plie, the ballot resulting in the choice of the former by two votes. Mr. Fowler then resigned his position on the board, declaring that he would not serve with Mr. Fischer. Director Kane also resigned for the reason that he did not expect to continue his residence in the city. Mr. A. L. Clark and Parker Stennick were then elected to fill the vacancies.

The contests and disputes had taken up so much of the meeting's time that the matter of taxation had to be postponed to an adjourned meeting to take place on the twenty-second day of December. County Superintendent I. H. Copeland was present by request of the board.

REUBEN.

Miss Nellie Wise is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Tempie McCleary, at Aberdeen, Wash.

Mrs. M. Wasiewicz has moved her family from Irvend Dale to Reuben and is living in the T. C. Watts house.

J. S. Alexander has moved his family from Neer City to Catlin, Wash, where he is going to start a logging camp.

The wind on Tuesday night blew down 300 feet of Winans Bros lumber flume that runs between their mill on Jones Creek and the river.

The woods are full of timber cruisers between here and the Nehalem river and it is reported that the Columbia River Timber Co. has sold out their plant to an eastern firm who will build a large mill on the R. R. Foster land, about a half mile from here, on the Columbia River. Gable Tribe of I. O. R. M. elected the following officers for the next term: J. M. Lindsay, Sachem; Fred Jensen, Senior Sagamor; Chester Makinster, Junior Sagamor; J. M. Fowler, Prophet; W. E. Makinster, Chief of Records; G. C. Fowler, Collector of Wampum; C. O. Fowler, Frank Bishop, M. Link, Trustees.

RAINIER.

Mrs. Sarah E. Henderson of Kalama, is visiting Mrs. Mary J. Pomeroy of Rainier.

Dr. Sims, of Kalama, started for Illinois last Monday night on receipt of a dispatch conveying the news of the serious illness of his brother.

Miss Mable Foster of Goble returned home Monday from a visit to friends at the Portland Lumber Company's camp.

Mr. Miles Sheerin visited his son and daughter at the Portland hospitals Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster who have been keeping house for Judge Blanchard, moved to Portland Friday.

Mr. Geo. Rocky was a business visitor to Portland Saturday.

Miss Ethel Wonderly of Apriary was visiting relatives in Rainier Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Laura Probst, of Vancouver has been visiting with Miss Callie Pomeroy of this city the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Copeland and Mrs. Newton Perry, of Houlton, were visitors to Rainier on Saturday last. Mrs. Copeland and Mrs. Perry staying to attend the Ladies Fair of the Congregational Church in the K. P. Hall Saturday evening.

The twelve-year-old son of Lincoln Snyder was accidentally drowned at Stella Wash. on Saturday last, the remains being taken to Hudson, where Mr. Snyder formerly resided and buried in the Riverview Cemetery at that place. Mr. Snyder was formerly a resident of Rainier, being a partner with Mr. Nordby in what is now the Nordby-Patterson Lumber Company. He and his wife have many friends and acquaintances here who will sympathize with them in their misfortune.

Mr. W. P. Sheldon, secretary of the Oregon and Washington Lumbermen's Association was a visitor at the Review office on Tuesday last. Mr. Sheldon informs us that the letter from the Rainier Board of Trade on the subject of the car shortage, was greatly appreciated at the Eugene meeting, and that there will be a meeting of lumbermen in Portland next Saturday for the purpose of taking such further action as may be deemed expedient. It is hoped that Rainier will be well represented at this meeting.

Mrs. N. D. Johnson accompanied by Mrs. Cooper, were Portland visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Symons returned Monday night from a ten days visit to her daughter, Mrs. Harry Brouse, of Arleta.

Mrs. Jack Stacy has been spending the past two weeks visiting her mother, Mrs. Quigly, at Cathlamet, Wash.

Mrs. D. W. Plue visited Portland Tuesday.

Mr. Ben Reed has been in Portland on business for the past week.

Mr. Patterson of the Nordby-Patterson Lumber Company spent Sunday with his wife and family in Portland.

Attorney Fischer visited the county seat on Friday last.

Dr. M. K. Hall of LaGrande spent Sunday and Monday with Dr. McLaren and sister, of this city.

Mrs. Wm. Reed, Jr. spent several days in Portland visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Mabel Moeck visited her sister, Miss Bessie, in Portland on Saturday and Sunday last.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational church meets with Mrs. C. I. Hooghkirk next Friday afternoon at 2 p. m. Business meeting and all are requested to attend.

Mr. S. M. Rice and wife returned on the 6th of this month from a three months visit to relatives and friends in Kentucky, Missouri and Oklahoma. They traveled over 8,000 miles and visited twenty-one states and territories. They report having had a splendid time but came back perfectly satisfied with their Oregon home.

Bills are out (printed at the Review office) for a grand ball to be given Christmas eve December 24, by Minnehaha Council No. 3 Degree of Pochahontas. The maidens of the finest will see to it that all who attend will have one of the best times imaginable. Tickets \$1.00. Supper extra. Rubber necks 50c.

Hon. John Catlin of Portland, formerly county judge of Clatsop County and one of its honored pioneers, was a transient visitor to Rainier on Tuesday.

Mr. C. L. Clark and Harry Doan are building a two story residence for Mr. C. C. Wilson at his mill site about four miles from town.

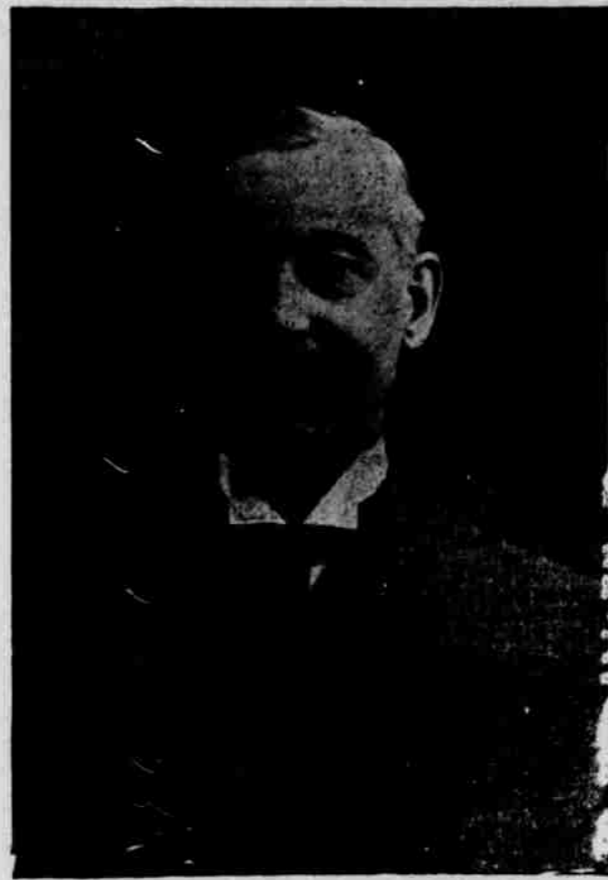
Mr. N. E. Sandel accepted a position as bookkeeper for Mr. H. O. Howard, and began his duties Tuesday morning.

Mrs. L. Perry was a Portland visitor Wednesday morning.

Mr. J. B. E. Bourne spent several days this week in Portland on business.

At an adjourned meeting of the city council held on Monday evening last license was granted W. C. Lee, under the new ordinance which provides for a license of \$900. A tax of two and one half mills was levied upon all the property in the city. This tax will raise about \$375,50, and will be put in the general fund. The committee appointed to investigate the matter of the referendum petition on the Newsom water franchise asked for further time. They had consulted several attorneys and the Secretary of State, and none seemed able to give them definite instructions as how to proceed though it seemed to be the opinion that a franchise that was not submitted to the referendum would be of little value. The main question with the council appears to be whether to put the town to the expense of a special election or postpone it until the regular city election next March.

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THE MOTH AND THE CAN.

A Grande Ronde Valley fruit farmer announces the discovery of a simple means for the extermination of the coding moth. The simplicity of the device is attractive, whether its efficacy can be demonstrated or not. It possesses the added charm of novelty, which involves some hitherto undiscovered personal attributes of the moth himself. Simply stated, the scheme is to procure a supply of coal oil cans, cut them down to a height of some eight or ten inches, paint the bottoms black on the inside; when the paint is dry pour in four to six inches of water, set them out under the apple trees and the moth will do the rest.

As to the philosophy of the project, therein is embodied the feature of prime interest. Evincing a measure of mentality previously unsuspected, the moth in seeking to better his fortunes is entrapped by base deception. The water against the black background in the bottom of the can, presents a mirror-like surface. In this, by reflection of the foliage in which he makes his home, the moth fancies he has discovered new and untrod fields for his activities. There are new buds and blossoms and twigs and leaves below that he has never noticed before; and with cupidly aroused to the highest pitch he lets go the fortune already his, and, like many an individual in the noblest order of creation, soon finds himself the victim of wicked deceit.

The Grand Ronde farmer declares that the temptation is irresistible, that the average moth proves an easy prey to the beguiling nature of the contrivance; that in five years' time at most not a moth will be left to tell the tale.

Shelly sang of "The desire of the moth for the star"; but Shelly attained his lyre without a thought of utility. The taxonomical research ever discovered either a species or the individual moth with a scintilla of yearning for a star, may be resolved to dubious conjecture—that is to say, it might have been before the Grand Ronde farmer made his novel discovery.

We are bound to concede that the pastoral habits of thought and conduct endangered by fruitgrowing in the Grand Ronde Valley are conducive to simple truth-telling, and in this view we must hold the averments of this particular orchardist to possess the merit of veracity. But as to the nature of the deception and its efficacy, there lingers with us the remnant of a cankered doubt. Is it cupidly or vanity that lures this humble insect to his sad fate? Like the addelate of mythology, does he drown through freshly conceived admiration for his own charms or is overweening greed the real cause? As the announced discovery will hardly be considered of serious moment, these questions invest it with interest, after the fashion of a somewhat curious investigation, wherein bugs and psychology might be held mutually applicable.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Charles G. Caples, deceased, has filed his final account in the office of the County Clerk of Columbia County, Oregon, and the Honorable County Court for said County and State, has appointed the 5th day of January, 1907, at the hour of one o'clock in the forenoon of said day to be the time of the hearing of said account in the County Court house at St. Helens, Oregon, and the time for the hearing of objections to said account, and the settlement thereof. FREDERICK C. CAPLES, Administrator of the estate of Charles G. Caples, deceased. First pub. Nov. 7, 1906. Last pub. Dec. 4, 1907.

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Table with columns: DAILY, READ DOWN, STATIONS, READ UP, A. M., P. M.

All trains make close connections at Goble with Northern Pacific trains to and from the East and Sound points. At Portland with all trains leaving Union Depot, at Astoria with R. & N. Co.'s boat and rail line and Steamer T. J. Potter to and from Ilwaco and North Beach points.

Passengers for Astoria or way points must tag trains at Houlton. Trains will stop to let passengers off at Houlton when coming from points west of Goble. Gen. Pass. Agt., Astoria, Or.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County. In the matter of the estate of Mathilda Wilverding, deceased. Notice is hereby given that John B. Wilverding, the executor of the estate of Mathilda Wilverding, deceased, has rendered and presented for settlement, and filed in said court his final account, of said administration of said estate; and that Saturday, the 15th day of December, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the court room in the court house in the city of St. Helens, in said county and state, has been appointed by the judge of said county court for the settlement of said account, at the time and place which time any heir, creditor or person interested in said estate may appear and file objections to said account, and for such other and further relief as to the court seems meet and just. This summons is published by order of the Hon. Thos. A. McBride, Judge of the above named court, made and entered on the 23rd day of November, 1906. JOHN B. WILVERDING, Executor.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court for Columbia County, State of Oregon. Fred W. Pearce, Plaintiff, vs. Dora Pearce, Defendant. To Dora Pearce the above named defendant: You are hereby notified to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause on or before Dec. 22, which is six weeks after the date of the filing of the first publication of this notice, and if you fail to so appear and answer the plaintiff will apply for the relief prayed for in his complaint, and for a decree dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between above named plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court seems meet and just. This summons is published by order of the Hon. Thos. A. McBride, Judge of the above named court, made and entered on the 23rd day of November, 1906. R. J. BUKOWSKY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Henry J. Watterson, deceased, by the Hon. R. S. Hattan, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon. Any and all persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me, verified according to law, at my residence at Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated this 9th day of Nov., 1906. CARRIE WATTESSON, Administratrix. First pub. Nov. 9th. Last pub. Dec. 7th.