

# Correspondence . . .

## The News of the County in Detail

### AURORA.

The city election on the 14th resulted in the election of Wm. Fry, Wm. Miley, Henry Kraus, Chris Zimmerman as councilmen; Fred Will, treasurer; Geo. Fry, marshal.

Mrs. G. A. Bock, aged 26 years, died very suddenly Thursday. She was recovering from childbirth and was taken with heart failure. Mrs. Bock was a native of this city and held in the highest esteem by all. Mr. Bock is left with two small children. He has the sympathy of the entire community in his sad bereavement. Mrs. Bock was the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Fry.

H. J. Miller and Sam Edmondson returned from Portland last week, and when Aurora was reached the conversation was so interesting that the gentlemen did not hear the name of the town and rode in bliss until Hubbard was reached. By this time the theme under discussion was lacking in interest and the call of Hubbard brought cold perspiration out on the boys for they realized that a long walk was ahead of them. They arrived home about 11 p. m., weary, foot sore and disgusted. They will do better next time. Both boys are strictly temperate. They think the foul air of the metropolis was the cause of the oversight.

A large delegation of our prominent citizens visited Oregon City on Thursday last. They say it was merely a business trip. The party was made up of Fred Will, Wm. Fry, Chris Zimmerman, Henry Kraus and R. W. Zimmerman.

John P. Cole made a four-foot hole in Pudding river Thursday. He says the weather is a little cold yet for bathing.

Rudolph Giesy, one of the oldest and most respected citizens, is suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

H. C. Ehlen has organized a brass band with 15 instruments. The members are all experienced and a few rehearsals will give Aurora a fine band.

Miss Joehne will deliver a lecture here on "Hawaii" in a short time. The date and particulars will be given later.

Miss Ida Giesy, who is attending the Portland High school, was home last week for a short visit. She is well pleased with the school.

H. A. Snyder has purchased the confectionery store from H. Gerwig.

H. Gerwig has taken control of the new Aurora hotel.

Hops are on the upgrade again and hopmen feel encouraged.

Miss Priscilla Rees, is visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Welch at Astoria.

ing will be held on the 25th inst. to clear the tract of brush. The cemetery will be a public one, but under control of the local lodge of Odd Fellows.

The Odd Fellows have recently purchased a three-acre tract from Mike Buchart for a cemetery plot. A meet- W. S. Hurst is doing a large business in produce, hay and potatoes. Prices are good and the farmers are happy.

Major H. L. Rees, of Portland, recently appointed paymaster in the regular army, was visiting his parents last week. He received the congratulations of numerous friends on his appointment.

Antone Will is erecting a residence on Liberty and Third streets, which promises to eclipse everything in the city. The brick foundation and frame work are completed. The location is slightly and central. Invitations are not out yet.

The mill is busy grinding for the foreign market.

LATE—Rudolph Giesy, aged 80 years, died Monday afternoon.

Mr. Giesy was one of a family of ten brothers and three sisters. Four brothers and one sister survive. He was a single man and for many years made his home with his brother, Jacob Giesy, proprietor of the Aurora hotel. He was of a genial, kindly nature, well-liked by all.

### MOLALLA.

Miss Diana Baty has been visiting in the Teasel Creek neighborhood during the past week.

There was quite a fair sized crowd at the magic lantern show and lecture. The lecture was above the average given by these shows.

A brother of Teddy Hammond, of Indiana, is visiting here. "Teddy" as he is familiarly known here, is a great enthusiast along the line of farmers' clubs, granges, etc. He generally goes with his pockets loaded with tracts bearing upon alliances.

Mr. Sawtell has had his chopper running the past few days. He has quite a large amount of grain on hand and by chopping it up is able to dispose of considerable right at home.

Mrs. Williams is intending to rent the Gibson ranch for the coming season. Mrs. Gibson will return to Portland with her family.

Just now, a great many country lads who own bicycles, are doing some serious thinking on the tax they are to have the honor of paying for being the proud owner of that half machine, half-devil contrivance called a bike. First it took every rusty, old dollar they could scrape to buy the pesky thing, then came those tired feelings on their pneumatic tires, that are always requiring all of a man's gum money. And now to add to the other misfortunes, comes the bright idea, of some glass-eyed and surplus-brained legislator, that there ought to be a tax on bicycles to build paths for dudes and duffers to scorch on while the people in the rural districts can get

along over miserable country roads and dig up their tax just the same. Yes we must fix it up nice for the darlings so they can get the proper exercise for their tender lungs and legs, while as for the countryman, let him get his exercise and recreation behind the plow trying to squeeze from the land the money for a bicycle tax. The next thing will be an increase in the tax to buy feather-spring attachments for those who live in town. Then we are all coming to town.

There was a social dance at Molalla Friday night. Molalla is a great place for social gatherings of this kind which are usually pronounced a success.

Dudley Boyles left Saturday for Waitsburg, Wash., where he will stay for the summer at least. Dudley is quite a favorite and will be missed by the young folks.

Mrs. Todd, who has been on the sick list for some time, is slowly recovering.

Big log rolling at Frank Sawtell's place Saturday.

Uncle Billy Vaughan took a big load of goods up in the mountains last week, where he is going to range his cattle. Three yoke of cattle hitched to a wagon is no longer a common thing and when they passed through Molalla with Orin Cutting as head bull-puncher it attracted most of the citizens as much as a circus parade, and made the small boy wonder whether Dewey was a more gallant hero with his mighty guns than Orin Cutting with that lopping, big whip and haw Buck voice.

The Coyote Club, of Molalla, has not killed very many of those marauders yet, quite a band of hunters were out Saturday but still the coyote steals sheep.

March 19.

### Clackamas.

The bright days of spring finds our section in a prosperous condition. Several new settlers have moved in and many improvements are being made.

D. B. Deakins has been slashing, fencing and generally improving his place.

A five-acre tract of the Riverside addition has been sold to Mr. Woodmanson, of Kansas, who has taken possession.

C. F. Street has returned from California and is improving his place. A large tract has been slashed, a fine, large windmill has been erected, new fences put up and a first class green house erected.

### MARQUAM.

Marquam survives although the measles are still raging.

Many of the farmers in our community are disappointed by the rainy weather as the soil would soon be in good condition for cultivation and the roads were drying very fast.

Miss Lilly Bently left here March 21st for a trip to Eastern Oregon to remain a few weeks.

Mrs. Nannie Griffith and son, of Portland, are here visiting their friends and relatives.

Johnie Dunlavy left last week for Eastern Oregon.

Jessie Allen is very ill.

The Sunday school class of Gladtidings and Marquam have gone together to present a magnificent program on Easter Sunday at Gladtidings in the morning and at Marquam in the eve.

Mar. 21.

### MILWAUKIE.

School board met Friday to draw warrant to pay for repairing the heating apparatus.

The Grange met Saturday and initiated a goodly number.

Miss Rose Scott will leave Thursday for California. Her many friends will miss her, as she was a prominent leader in the society circles of Milwaukie.

News from Manila state that our Milwaukie boys are in the fight and have not become weak kneed yet. No, they never will!

Miss Augusta Bottemiller left Saturday for Albany where she will spend the summer.

Prof. A. Lehman, of Canby, visited Milwaukie relatives over Sunday.

The Basket Ball team has placed a new fence around their lot opposite the store.

Mr. O. Wissinger is doing a land office business in the wheel line. You can do as well at home as you can in Portland for he buys for cash.

Prof. entertained the scarlet rash over Saturday and Sunday.

The East S. Ry. Co. has put its section men to work again.

Mr. Birkermeier is pruning and spraying the old Jacobs orchard which will be a wonderful help to the looks of things in the south end of town.

Mr. Henry Hennimen has a force of men spraying by contract. In fact every body is spraying.

Milwaukie has several new comers and houses are in demand.

Mar. 21.

### VIOLA.

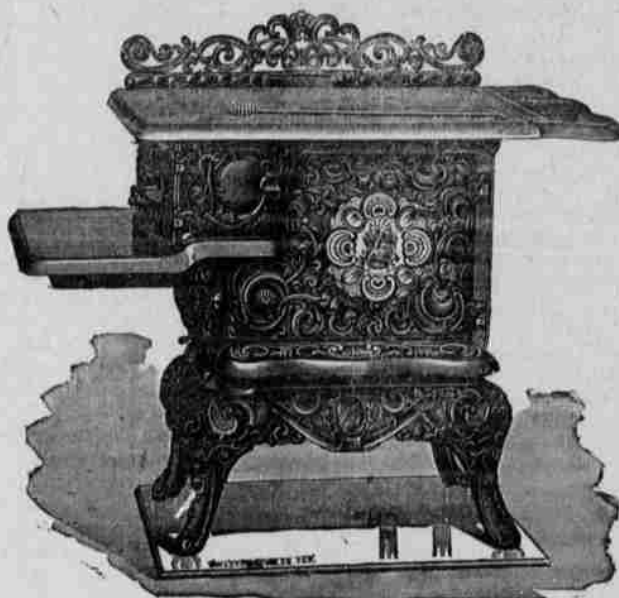
"Greenhorn" is not dead but has been asleep.

School closed last Thursday. Viola graduating class assisted the Redland school in graduating entertainment. All present had a good time.

Our road supervisor secured a large amount of donation labor which in connection with county assistance will com-

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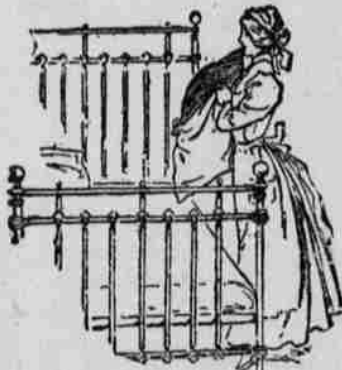


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### MULINO.

To the Editor Oregon City Press.

Dear Sir: In the last issue of your paper a notice appeared stating that at a meeting held at the Grange hall, Mulino, on March 13th, the old road committee was discharged and a new one appointed. As a matter of fact that meeting was not called by the road committee, and the road committee was not appointed by anyone taking part in that meeting, neither did anyone taking part in that meeting contribute anything toward the survey of the Molalla road except F. G. Neukirchner, who gave one day's work. As for the Bockner creek route we were not appointed a committee on that route. We shall continue to act, however, as the Mulino committee on the Molalla road as instructed by those that appointed us until we make our report and are discharged.

Respectfully,  
R. Goncher, W. A. Woodside, F. M. Manning, M. Mulvey, Members of Committee.  
March 20th, '06.

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