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SUMMER RESORTS IN MARION COUNTY.

The eastern half of the county may be termed a natural park of exceeding beauty, made up of snow-peaks, towering verdure-clothed hills, mountain gorges, precipitous cliffs, primeval forests, crystal lakes, foaming cataracts, limpid streams and charming landscapes. The lover of Nature in her untamed glory may revel in sights and scenes of unsurpassed grandeur for weeks and months, and at every turn in the line of travel, new pictures

thence look out through the silvery mist and behold all the varied beauties of the rainbow, mingling and re-mingling until the heavens seem one glad bow of promise. The scene is one of exceeding beauty. There is a narrow valley of good land for some miles above the falls, and several families have taken claims and are making homes amidst the mountain grandeur that spreads in loving folds around them. The approach to the falls is by a good wagon road, and just now there are many visitors there.

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TROUT.

Fishing at Whatcom Lake, Whatcom county, W. T., is most excellent just now. A pleasure party, composed of four ladies and three gentlemen, recently caught seventy-five fine trout in two hours.

A PARTIAL "clear up" at Hamilton & Chappel's, on the Applegate, (Jackson county) yielded one pint of gold dust.

DOUGLAS county claims the honor of raising the largest ox in the State. It



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spread before his astonished gaze, like the dissolving views of a calcidoscope.

Silver Creek Falls is the most noted point of attraction to those seeking a few days of recreation within this county. They are situated twenty-two miles east of Salem, on Silver Creek. The stream is about thirty feet wide, and drops off an overhanging shelf of rock for a distance of 180 feet. The water leaps a limpid, sparkling stream, and falls a cloud of spray. Behind this wall of spray, the adventurer may find his way for seventy-five feet, and

Two and a half miles north of east from the main falls are the North Silver Falls, very similar to those above named, save that the volume of water is much less. There is a trail leading from one fall to the other, but no road. Good pasture land for summer range in the vicinity.

The Santiam river from Smith's ferry up into the mountains is an attractive place for summer tourists, as it supplies abundance of trout and plenty of game, with cool zephyrs from the snow-clad hills beyond.

Route into Southern Oregon in 1846," are complete in these numbers. Bound in book form, they make a valuable addition to any library as well as a handsome present to friends in the Eastern States.

NOT A SUCCESS.

Joaquin Miller, as a dramatist, is a miserable failure. His "Danites" was snubbed by the entire California press, and his latest production, "Vigilantes," has been rejected by the Williamsons.

is 19½ hands high, and is owned by Clark & McGregor, of Roseburg.

Eight canning establishments, on Frazer river, B. C., will export about \$800,000 worth of salmon this year.

This season's exports of salmon from the Columbia river, up to the present writing, amounts to over one million of dollars.

Nine thousand gallons of oil for export will be extracted from salmon heads, in Wahkiakum county, W. T., this season.