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### Two of a Kind...

Make a strong pair. It's as plain as day, though, that there are no pairs to our rockers. We have the chairs and the public of Oregon City find it best to come to us for seats. There's a chair for everybody in our furniture house and a superb all around display of up to date furniture, too, at prices that up to date are without a parallel in Oregon. The people enjoy sitting on us, and we don't mind it a particle. We meet the procession with chairs and are prepared to rock this town to its foundations.

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4:00 P. M.	2:00 P. M.

No Sunday Trips.

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### STAFFORD.

Stafford is still improving. Numerous little fires here and there, well watched to keep from spreading, helps to clean away unsightly brush, stumps, piles of refuse, etc. Not much straw is burned here, as we realize the ground must be fed from year to year or it will eventually refuse to yield, therefore all straw which is not otherwise used is plowed under.

It has been too dry to plow as yet, and wells are giving out so that some have to haul water in barrels from Mat Athy's spring.

The gin-mill near Nat Athy's seems to have got itself into debt all around. I see by last week's *Ironworker* that one McGrigor has sued the company for \$80, and a man was inquiring for them to-day, he said they owed him \$200. Hard times whenever a gin-mill can't pay up.

Mark Baker, son of our popular road boss, has been quite sick the past month with nervous fever, caused by taking cold while helping to dig Mrs. Melcher's grave.

Mrs. Beible's little niece is stopping with her and attending school. Miss Bethka has been teaching the fall term for about a month with good success and a constantly increasing attendance.

On Saturday last we held a called meeting at the school-house for the purpose of voting a tax to build a new school house, which is badly needed. They gave an unanimous vote to raise \$500 for that purpose.

C. Thompson offered to build a brick house 30x50, 14 feet high, all finished and plastered complete for the wonderful low price of \$700. But he makes his own brick and is a mason himself, so, of course, he could do the job cheaper than another who had all to buy.

J. Q. Gage has not yet returned from Nescocca bay, but is expected daily. His brother, Charlie, made a short visit to the old home last week, and accompanied his mother and sister to the Grange fair at Tigardville on Wednesday and started for his home at Nescocca the next morning.

The Melcher woman who at one time figured largely in the courts, and caused the arrest of the county judge, seems to have "kinder" subsided after corralling her husband in Stafford.

Our mail route is changed now to run from Wilsonville to Oregon City and back daily. Time will tell whether it is for the greatest good of the greatest number.

A number of grangers from this vicinity attended the Grange fair at Tigardville, among whom we hear were Mrs. Larson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Gage and daughter, Mrs. Barnes and daughter, Susie Turner and M. Gross, besides others. Mr. Turner had a fine display of onions and apples.

Mrs. Gage last week made out a new bond as postmaster, the first which has been required of her since she first accepted the office, ten years ago when Mrs. Henry, the only person who ever held the office in Stafford, removed to Olympia.

Mr. Hayes and Wm Schatz have each put new roofs on their houses, and Mr. Schatz has painted his, which gives it a very neat appearance.

Henry Schatz has been suffering with a swollen hand and arm, causing, he thinks, by getting a briar in his thumb. October 8th.

Lunch Baskets—we will have a larger and complete new assortment next week. If you want a basket don't fail to wait for the new goods. E. E. Williams, the grocer.

### CANBY.

All the hop pickers have returned with more or less of the white metal. They report having had a good time.

The potato harvest is now on. The crop is rather light and tubers small in these parts.

The late frost killed the corn, potato vines and the tender garden truck, but since then we have had very fine weather for out-door work.

S. Garrison is going to make hoops again. G. Knight is in that business now. Work is not very plenty.

J. Hodges has the brick ready to wall his well. J. Young has the contract. He has dug several wells round here.

Wm. Vorpal is putting up a woodshed. He has one of the finest residences in town.

Canby now has a telegraph office.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Vorpal died on the 25th. He was seven months old and never had been well.

The last wedding around here was on the 3d when Miss Elizabeth Roth and Lewis G. Grasier were united.

The prune drying is about over. There has been about 15 tons dried here, nearly all are Italians. The prune business will certainly be a good one and Canby can grow as fine prunes as anywhere else in Oregon, or anywhere else for that matter. This business is the best for a man with limited means. Prunes dry about two-thirds away, which leaves 20 pounds of dried for one bushel of green ones, leaving one-third for his labor. They are much easier handled than other fruit and pay better, although choice varieties of apples pay well if sold green.

Born to the wife of J. Shull, a girl. All are doing well. Dr. White and family have moved back to Canby and bought property and will build at once.

A. Hart is getting ready to build on his place near here. Mr. Myers is going to move his house about ten rods from where it now stands.

Judge A. E. Waite of Portland was in town one day last week looking after his farm near here.

The city council has offered \$10 reward for arrest and conviction of the persons who removed the lamps from the streets.

Mr. Shurt's baby is lying very sick with the cholera infantum. S. Shanks took charge of the Waite farm the first of the month.

Wm Mack's grand-daughter is keeping house for him. The Canby school is getting along nicely.

October 7th. NERO.

### SUNNYSIDE.

Mrs. J. E. Deardoff of Rock Creek was visiting relatives here Wednesday.

Irry Comstock, who resides near Cape Horn, Wash., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. S. E. Johnson.

Rev. J. S. Brady was in Oregon City last week, the guest of C. A. Willey.

Mrs. Geo. Deardoff and daughter, Ida Harvey, were visiting Mrs. Thos. Wiles Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Bowerman of Salem are on a visit to friends here.

Misses Zephia and Myrtle Davis were the guests of Mrs. A. Hunter Sunday.

J. H. Reed and family have returned to Sunnyside after an absence of a year.

J. Clift, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ida, and niece, Miss Nellie Davis, is on a visit to Corvallis.

Alvin and Ellsworth Hubbard have bought a pony apiece.

Mr. Cotty has built a new shed to his barn.

Our school is prospering nicely with Prof. Alex Thomson as teacher.

Sunnyside is 5 miles east of Milwaukie 11 miles from Portland, 4 miles from Damascus, and about 7 miles from Oregon City. It contains a store, post-office, blacksmith shop, church and school house, and is a thickly settled community of thrifty, enterprising inhabitants.

This is a good place for cordwood; more of it being hauled away from here, perhaps, than from any other place the same distance from Portland.

J. H. Cruikshank is building some new board fence.

Preaching at the church every Sunday. Sunday school at 10. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

P. T. Davis has traded off his saw mill to Seaver and Douglass, for other property.

October 8. JEXTA.

A large stock of new goods has just been received at the Racket store. Bargains of all kinds. Call and see for yourself.

### MOLALLA.

Farmers in this vicinity are taking advantage of the present fine weather and are busy seeding. It is now almost too dry to plow.

Armstrong Mulligan, who has been farming Mr. Sander's farm for the past two years, is going to quit farming and will move his family to Portland. Mr. Mulligan expects to get a position on the street railway as motorman.

Levi Reed and son are preparing to leave Webfoot for Eastern Oregon. They expect to locate near Long Creek in Grant county.

Al Hardesty and wife from Umatilla county arrived here recently. They report that the grasshoppers destroyed everything in that vicinity. They expect to make this their home for a while at least.

Our school commenced last week with O. D. Eby as principal and a Mr Young of Woodburn as assistant. There is a fair attendance for the commencement.

Melvin Klice is going to Eastern Oregon to drink Alkali water and herd sheep.

Or. Cutting and R. T. Dibble have about finished the carpenter work on their dwellings. Each will have a cozy house when finished.

L. Schultheis is having a bill of lumber hauled from the Geo. Kayler saw mill to build a large barn. M. Trullinger, our blacksmith, is also building a barn.

Russell and Stewart have commenced work on their ledge on Ogle Creek. They expect to run a 100-foot tunnel this fall and tap the ledge 175 feet below where it crops out. Mr. Russell thought of bonding his mine to a Portland man. The day that he received his supplies to go to work the party came from Portland to consummate the trade but it was then too late to do so.

T. A. McFadden returned from his trapping expedition. One of his horses gave out. He will try it again in a few days.

It is reported that there will be two packing houses in our town this winter. October 8th. X. Y. Z.

### FROG POND.

Hon. John Kruse commenced digging spuds last week. The yield is fair considering the season and the potatoes are a nice size for chipping.

Frank Kruse has been laid up for the last week with a gathering in his head.

Will Armstrong, Harvey Bissell and Sam Cox, and Misses Bertha Sturgis and Elda Riggs of Canby and Miss Eliza Mulvany of Meadow Brook, were the guests of Miss A. E. and Clyde Evans Sunday.

The A. P. A. meets next Saturday night, visiting members always welcome.

A number of our young people are talking of going to the fair.

It is too busy a time just at present for much news but just wait till we get our spuds picked and apples digged and woodshed full of wood and we will have your paper full of news to the over flowing point.

October 8. ONCE.

PORTLAND has a Chinese gardener who hires only white help. Several Chinese hop growers in Marion and Polk counties will have only white pickers. This is getting the labor question slightly mixed.—Statesman.



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