

CORRESPONDENCE

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New Era

Charles Saylor and Jonah Penman sent in an item in last week's New Era notes that I wish to explain, as it throws a reflection upon my character. There was to have been a surprise party at Mr. Fredrick's home, and my house to be the place of meeting. After coming here there being only a few they decided not to go to Mr. Fredrick's home, and they remained at my house to spend the evening. Applying such names as the above writers did was entirely un-called for and ungentlemanly.

Molalla

There was a good crowd at the school house on Thanksgiving. A nice entertainment was given in the forenoon by the school children. We could not be present at the entertainment, but ye gods we were there in time for dinner, and the vast quantity of roast turkey, chicken, pumpkin and other kinds of pies and cake galore were enough to make a hungry man weep for joy. The ball in the evening was well attended, and the receipts therefrom amounted to a neat sum for the Molalla Artisan lodge. We noticed Chauncey Ramsby and Miss Edith Bohanna, also S. J. Vaughan and Miss Florence Patty, all of Oregon City. Everything went off quietly with the exception of a couple of young fellows, who do not belong in this section, cached a bottle of tangle foot. When they went out to take a sip they found it gone, and they accused a young man who belongs here of taking it, but he denied the accusation. There being two to one and much larger than the one accused were mainly enough to strike him any way. After awhile the party that lifted their benzine went to them and admitted taking it and offered to pay for it, yet neither of them were man enough to apologize to the party they assaulted. There has not been a disturbance raised at a gathering here for a number of years, only by a party or parties that do not reside here. The Molalla people are getting tired of such doings and the very next time such a thing occurs again, some one will have a chance to play a fine, so ye bruisers look out.

Some sneak thief cut Ralph Eady's stirrup leathers on his saddle, and stole his stirrups and laddings. The guilty party, whoever he may be, would certainly steal swill from a blind sow. Messrs. Kizer and Baloney, of Butteville, passed through here recently enroute for home from their Ogle Creek mines. They will put up an arrastre on their mining property next spring and work their ore. An experienced mining man visited the Ogle creek country last fall, and he predicts a bright future for Ogle Creek. He says the ore from the Russell No. 1 mine is equal, if not superior to the best mines at Sumpter that clean up from sixty to eighty thousand dollars each month. He expects to spend the coming summer there. The many friends and acquaintances of A. J. Wyland will be pleased to know that he is still alive and O. K. It was reported and generally understood that Andy died about Thanksgiving last year, but such is not the case. Clyde Jackson and Otto Brandt, who have been working for J. K. Shaver, started for Eastern Oregon last Monday. They expect to find work there. There will be another shooting match at Molalla about Christmas. Peter Gray is receiving lots of hogs and is paying the highest market price. XYZ.

Wood Camp

Bill Platt is driving team for Mr. Beaman. W. P. & P. Co. are fluming wood to its utmost capacity. John Turner and Fred Zimmerman are loading scows at present. Mackburg. Winter has set in for good but there are still some potatoes left in the ground. Boat rates to Frisco are only 50c per hundred. It is time our advance agent of prosperity was doing something to prove his reputation. Fred Welch is growing a fine crop of "littlebancho(w)hiskersonhieschin." Thanksgiving and turkeys have come and gone. Some of the young folks spent the eve at Needy and some went to Carl Damm's refreshment party. Oak Grove school is coming out with a new bell. Heretofore a pedestrian could pass within a half mile and not know it was there. It takes a Mexican to size of a chicken coop and call it a large barn. The friends of Mr. Heinz will be sorry to hear that he has returned from a Portland hospital not improved. J. M. Sperl of Oregon City visited J. Damm and family Saturday and Sunday and gave a refreshment party Saturday night at their home. There was a show in our burg Saturday night which was well attended. She's the girl I dream about. I think the world of Dollie. She's the girl I never doubt. She's no case of jolly. If you saw her in your heart, A tender spot she'd reach, Sweeten the rest of 'em Better'n the rest of 'em My Dollie's a peach.

REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

School Reports

The following is the school report of district No. 57, for the month ending Nov. 29, 1901: Number of days taught, 19. Number of pupils enrolled, 15. Whole number of days attendance, 266. Whole number of days absence, 32. Whole number of times tardy, 1. Those who were on the roll of honor for the month are Lizzie Scheel, Andrew Scheel and Willie Lins. Number of visitors were Mr. Meinke, Mr. Ochs, Mr. J. Paulson, Mrs. Weidner and Miss Dora Smith. Parents and others interested in education should visit our school. EMMA B. KLEINSMITH, Teacher.

Following is the report of Shubel school for the month ending Nov. 29th, 1901: Number of pupils enrolled, 46. Number of days taught, 20. Average daily attendance, 140. Number of cases of trilliness, 2.

HOPE AND EFFORT.

Hope is of the valley; Effort stands Upon the mountain top, facing the sun; Hope dreams of dreams made true and great deeds done; Effort goes forth with toiling feet and hands To attain the faroff, sky touched tablelands Of great desire and, till the end is won, Looks not below, where the long strife, begun In pleasant fields, met torrents, rocks and sands. Hope, but when Hope bids look within her glass And shows the wondrous things which may befall, Wait not for destiny, wait not at all; This leads to failure's dark and dim morass; Sound thou to all thy powers a trumpet call And, staff in hand, strive up the mountain pass. —New York Tribune.

A Perilous Wooing

How a Lover Was Put to a Severe Test to Win His Sweetheart. BY BJORNSTJERNE BJORNSSON. From the time that Aslang was quite grown up there was no longer any peace or quiet at Husaby. In fact, all the handsomest young fellows in the village did nothing but fight and quarrel night after night, and it was always worse on Saturday nights. Aslang's father, old Canute Husaby, never went to bed on those nights without keeping on at least his leather breeches and laying a good stout birch stick on the bed beside him. "If I have such a pretty daughter," said old Canute, "I must know how to take care of her."

Wilsonville

Dr. Osborn, of Portland, has recently opened up a drug store in one of the Harnes vacant buildings. Karl Slickizer, who has been employed in the California kitchen in Portland, is home for a few weeks visit, and will give a free dance Saturday, Dec. 7th, in Peter Bros. hall. Charles and Bert Seely are busy sacking their onions at Woodburn, which they sold a few weeks ago for \$1.50 per sack on board the cars. The hunting season is over, and Karl Dickman claims the prize. He reports of leaving killed in the neighborhood of 85 birds up to date. John Baker, of Pleasant Hill, has moved into the house formerly occupied by James Lee. Charles Hansen has moved into the McCormick house. Mr. Tipton and family, of Tualatin, has moved into the Hansen residence. Charles Korman is the competent village blacksmith. Pinto.

Elliott Prairie

A big dinner was held in the church on Thanksgiving day. The bill of fare included turkey, pies, cakes, preserves, etc., all in plentiful quantities, which was duly appreciated. Bud Thompson has been unlucky. He was badly treated over his potatoes, which he sold to a Portland man, and when prices slumped, the latter refused to take any more. Later, he received a kick from a horse, which has incapacitated him for work for some time. Miss Birdie Blair came home from Portland to spend Thanksgiving, but has returned to school. Arthur Todd, who is studying architecture in Portland, after visiting his home three or four days, returned Sunday. George Leffly has returned from Scio, and will make his home with his sister, Mrs. Thompson for the winter. Mrs. Todd is recovering from the effects of her recent accident, which occurred during a recent visit to Portland. Mr. and Mrs. Pendleton have returned from Eastern Oregon, and will probably stay at George Killin's home during the winter. Aramaho.

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"It often made my heart ache," writes L. C. Overstreet, of Elgin, Tenn., "to hear my wife cough until it seemed her weak and sore lungs would collapse. Good doctors said she was so far gone with Consumption that no medicine or earthly help could save her, but a friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery and persistent use of this excellent medicine saved her life." It's absolutely guaranteed for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Throat and Lung diseases. 50c and \$1 at Geo. A. Harding. Trial bottles free.

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well again by Saturday, and Friday found him on his legs again. Then he thought of what Aslang's father had said, "If you can get up to her next Saturday without being stopped by Canute and his men, the girl shall be yours." Over and over again he looked up at Husaby farm. "I shall never see another Christmas," thought Thor. As before mentioned, there was but one path up to Husaby hill, but surely any strong, able fellow must be able to get to it, even though the direct way were barred to him. For instance, if he were to row round the point yonder and fasten his boat at the one side, it might be possible to climb up there, although it was so very steep that the goats had great difficulty in climbing it, and they are not usually afraid of mountain work.

Saturday came, and Thor went out early in the morning. The day was most beautiful. The sun shone so brightly that the very bushes seemed alive. Up on the mountain many voices were "jodling," and there was much blowing of horns. When evening came, he was sitting at his cottage door watching the steaming mist rise up on the hills. He looked upward. All was quiet. He looked over toward Husaby farm, and then he jumped into his boat and rowed away round the point. Aslang sat before the hut. Her day's work was done. She was thinking Thor would not come that evening and that therefore many others might come instead, so she unfasted the dog and without saying anything walked further on. She sat down so that she could see across the valley, but the mist was rising there and prevented her looking down. Then she chose another place and without thinking more about it sat down so that she looked toward the side where lay the field. It seemed to bring peace to her soul when she could gaze far away across the water.

Our First Pottery.

Dr. Daniel Cox of London, proprietor and afterward governor of west Jersey, was undoubtedly the first to make white ware on this side of the Atlantic. While he did not come to America himself, he caused a pottery to be erected at Burlington, N. J., previous to the year 1800, through his agent, John Tatham, who, with Daniel Cox, his son, looked after his large interests here. It is recorded that in 1801 Dr. Cox sold to the West New Jersey society of London, consisting of forty-eight persons, his entire interests in the province, including a dwelling house and pottery house, with all the tools, for the sum of £3,000.

Speed of One Ocean Current.

Some time ago the figurehead of a ship was picked up near a little island off the coast of Western Australia, which, from the course it was pursuing when found had evidently only just arrived there. It was identified as belonging to a vessel that had been burned at sea near Cape Horn, at a point just 6,000 miles away, two years and a half before. The mean rate at which the figurehead had traveled was therefore about six miles and a half a day, and this may be taken as being the speed of the particular current which had borne it along.

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The Northern Pacific is noted among railways for its advertising matter. Its pamphlets, folders, booklets, etc., are tastefully gotten up and are valuable for what they contain. Here is a partial list of what MR. CHAS. S. FEE, general Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., will send out, carefully mailed, upon receipt of prices given. Any combination can be made, and money or express orders, silver or stamps will be accepted. This is a fine opportunity to obtain good descriptive reading matter for little or nothing. Wonderland 1901—An annual publication, beautifully illustrated in color and half tone. This number treats particularly of the history of the Northern Pacific's Trademark, the Easter Battlefield in Montana, and the Yellowstone Park. Send Six Cents. Miniature Wonderland—A neat and dainty publication containing a complete history of the Northern Pacific Trademark. The artistic covers of Send Four Cents. Wild Flowers from Yellowstone—A book of pressed wild flowers from Yellowstone Park, showing the real flowers in their natural colors. A dainty and beautiful souvenir—ten specimens of flowers and six full page illustrations of Park scenery. Send Fifty Cents. Yellowstone National Park—A new 112-page book in strong, flexible covers, good paper, plain type, illustrated, pocket size, a compendium and descriptive of the World's Wonderland. Send Twenty-five Cents. Climbing Mount Rainier—An illustrated pocket-size book, 72 pages, in strong, flexible covers, printed on heavy paper, descriptive of an ascent of the highest peak in the United States—outside of Alaska—of a glacial nature. Send Twenty-five Cents.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

In the county court of the state of Oregon for Clackamas county. In the matter of the estate of John R. Green, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator by the above entitled court of the above named estate. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby required to present them with the proper vouchers therefor to me within six months from the date hereof at my law office in Oregon City, Oregon. C. D. LAFORETTE, Administrator of the Estate of John R. Green, deceased. December 6, 1901.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the executor of the estate of Phillip Wolf, deceased, has filed in the county court of Clackamas county, state of Oregon, her final account as such executor of said estate. And that the 13th day of January, 1902, at 10 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by said court as the time for hearing all objections to said report and the settlement thereof. MARGARETHA WOLF, Executor of the Estate of Phillip Wolf, deceased. F. Ten A. Schaefer, Attorneys for Executor.

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In the Matter of the Estate of Arnes M. Washburn, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that George T. Howard, administrator of the estate of Arnes M. Washburn, deceased, has filed his final report as administrator of said estate in the county court aforesaid, and the Hon. Thomas F. Ryan, judge of said court, has set Monday, the 6th day of January, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m. for the hearing of objections. If any there be to said final report and for the final settlement of said estate. Whereof all persons interested are hereby requested to take due notice, and file their objections, if any they have, before said date. Oregon City, Oregon, Dec. 2, 1901. GEORGE T. HOWARD, Administrator of the Estate of Arnes M. Washburn, Deceased.

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In the Matter of the Estate of J. W. Bryan, of Lowder, Ill., writes: "My little boy was very low with pneumonia. Unknown to the doctor we gave him Foley's Honey and Tar. The result was magical and puzzled the doctor, as it immediately stopped the racking cough and he quickly recovered." J. W. Bryan, of Lowder, Ill., writes: "I bought a bottle and take pleasure in stating that two doses cured me and enabled me to go to a good time at the party Mr. Snell is a resident of Sumner Hill, N. Y. This remedy is for sale by G. A. Harding.

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