

MET AFTER 61 YEARS-

Mrs. Susan B. Meldrum and Charles Cox break the record.

The meeting on Oregon soil the other day of a brother and sister who had been separated more than three-score years. There have been numerous cases since the opening of the Lewis and Clark Exposition where relatives long parted have come together unexpectedly, but it has remained for Charles H. Cox and his sister to break all records up to date in the matter of long periods between meetings.

In June, 1844, Mrs. Susan B. Meldrum parted from her brother in Des Moines county, Iowa, and a year later, with husband and children, journeyed across the plains toward the setting sun until she reached Oregon City, where the family decided to locate permanently, and here Mrs. Meldrum has abided ever since, paying little heed to the cycle of years, until now, at the dawn, almost of a century, the one whom she left as a rosy-cheeked youth upon the old homestead in what was then one of the far "Western states," comes into her life again, like the visitation of Father Time, and the one whom he remembered in the wistfulness of early matronly grace is found surrounded by great-grandchildren older than the brother whom she had left 61 years before.

While the brother and sister maintained an intermittent communication sufficient to keep them in touch with each other's whereabouts, they have never met since the day when they parted until a short time ago, when he decided to leave his home in Platteville, Grant county, Wisconsin, and take a trip to Oregon, where he could visit the Fair, and hunt up some of his relatives at the same time. Although 83 years of age on New Year's day he looks 29 years younger.

Mrs. Susan B. Meldrum is the grandmother of State Treasurer Chas. S. Moore, while one of her granddaughters is the wife of David Thompson, prominently identified with the political history of Oregon, and another is Mrs. Sarah McCown.—Oregonian.

GOOD PROGRESS MADE.

Excavation for Pedestrian Subway Nearly Completed.

Southern Pacific Company is making excellent progress in the construction of the underground crossing at Fourth street, to connect with the stairs leading up to the top of the bluff. Nearly all of the dirt has been taken out from under the tracks and a temporary support has been made for the ties and rails. The dirt is hauled by teams to Main street, between Eleventh and Twelfth and there dumped under the street, making a much needed fill. Some work has been done on the underground team crossing at Third street, but it is evidently the intention of the company to complete one crossing before work is fairly started on another. The overhead crossings at Seventh and Eight streets will be left until the last.

PENALTY TOO SEVERE.

Minimum Fine For Burning Slashings Without Permit Is \$100.

Leading attorneys of this city express the belief that the penalty for violations of the law prohibiting setting fires to slashings without a permit from the county clerk's office, is altogether too severe. The minimum fine is \$100, or one month's imprisonment in the county jail, and the maximum \$1000 fine or one year's imprisonment. J. W. Potter, a farmer living on the Abernethy road north of Oregon City,

was arrested Wednesday by Fire Warden F. Hendricks, on the charge of burning slashings without first having procured a permit. He came to this city and had a conference with W. S. U'Ren, acting deputy district attorney, and accompanied Mr. Hendricks to Milwaukie, where Justice Gracie set the date of his trial for September 9, by which time Deputy District Attorney Schuebel will have returned.

Potter recently purchased a small farm on the Abernethy. He is a poor man, and he was entirely ignorant of the statute, and this offense was his first. The law, however, gives the prosecuting officers no discretion in the matter.

SERIOUS ALLEGATIONS.

Grace Jansen Says Her Husband is a Bigamist.

E. Grace Jansen has commenced suit for decree of divorce from H. C. Jansen. They were married in Oregon City in March, 1903, and the plaintiff alleges cruel and inhuman treatment, and says her husband called her vile names and threatened to knock her down. Ever since their marriage he has failed and refused to furnish a home for the plaintiff, and goes away without ever informing her for months at a time. Mrs. Jansen further states that the marriage contract was procured by fraud. Her husband told her that he was an unmarried man, when after their marriage he received letters from a former wife and acknowledged to the plaintiff and to the press that his former wife was living and that he had never been divorced from her.

Card of Thanks.

The family of the late Mrs. Mary Louisa Vonderahe desire to extend their sincerest thanks to those friends and neighbors who have been of such kindly assistance during the last illness of their wife and mother.

Letter List.

The following letters remained uncalled for at the postoffice at Oregon City, Or., for the week ending Aug. 17, 1906:

WOMEN'S LIST.

Anderson, Mrs. F. A.; Corns, Mrs. Clara; Davis, Mrs. Thos. T.; Harmon, Miss Nora; Hasbrook, Mrs. Grace; Power, Mrs. G.; Shaw, Mrs. Mary; Smith, Mrs. L. L.; Stoddard, Mrs. Helen; Watkins, Mrs. Fred.

MEN'S LIST.

Crist, Geo.; Hasbrook, J. B. (2); Johnson, W. P.; Keller, Charley; Reeves, C.; Smith, Orner E.; Sinclair, Wm.; Weckert, Emil; Wilson, Karl. T. F. RANDALL, P. M.

TWO NEW TEACHERS.

Miss Bertha Kennedy and Miss Emma Flemming Elected to Positions.

Miss Eva Meldrum was Monday night granted a year's leave of absence by the board of directors of the Oregon City schools, and Miss Bertha Kennedy was unanimously elected to fill the vacancy. Miss Meldrum has taught the third grade in the Eastham school for several years, and it is understood that she will go to the state normal at Monmouth to study next year. Miss Kennedy last year taught in the Barclay building in the place of Miss Antoinette Walden, who was given a year's leave of absence.

Miss Emma Flemming, of Portland, was chosen by the board to fill the vacancy, caused by the resignation of Miss Myrtle Shonkwiler, who was elected to a position in the Barclay school, and afterwards was elected to teach in Portland.

City schools will open in six weeks, on Monday, September 25, for a nine months' term.

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CANBY.

Mrs. L. E. Batten was a Portland visitor Tuesday.

A Koehler made a business trip to Portland Monday.

G. D. Stalnocker and W. A. Riggs departed for the mountains last Saturday.

W. Powers went to Portland Wednesday.

Otto Evans left Tuesday for treatment at the open fair sanitarium in Milwaukie.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Knight are taking in the Fair this week.

Howard Eccles has been on the sick list for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Whitney, of Kansas, are visiting friends and relatives here.

What promises to be the best ball games ever seen here will take place Saturday and Sunday; Canby vs. Chemawa on August 19, and Canby vs. Maroons, of Portland, August 20.

C. N. Wait and family left Monday for Roaring river, where they expect to find plenty of huckleberries.

G. B. Howard and family have returned from Dillard, Or., where Mr. Howard has been running a steam shovel. He expects to resume work at Oregon City on another shovel.

You can buy cheaper furniture at the Canby Furniture Store than elsewhere. A complete line on hand.

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MOUNTAIN VIEW.

Born, to the wife of E. C. Selby, August 13, a son.

J. Gillett and company returned from the huckleberry patch last Saturday without any berries. They were at Roaring River patch.

Mr. Hobbie and wife and Mr. Beard and wife returned from Mt. Hood berry patch Tuesday and were without berries.

Rev. Molloy and wife are both quite ill.

Mrs. W. W. May is seriously ill.

Mr. McGeehan and family returned from Long Beach last Monday evening.

Mrs. Smith and family, who lived in Mrs. Parrish's house, moved to Gladstone Tuesday.

Mrs. Skinner, with her two children, is visiting her daughter near Astoria.

Frank Allbright and family, have moved to Portland.

Mrs. Gladden, of Washington, was visiting with Mrs. Matchet and Miss Wisler last Sunday.

Misses Ella Darling and Rotta Pierce spent last Sunday at Newport.

Mrs. Lewellen and daughter, Mrs. J. B. Fairclough, are camping at the fish hatchery on the Clackamas river.

Herbine.

Renders the bile more fluid and thus helps the blood to flow; it affords prompt relief from biliousness, indigestion, sick and nervous headaches, and over indulgence in food and drink.

G. L. Caldwell, agent M. K. & T. R. R., Checotah, Ind. Ter., writes, April 18, 1903: "I was sick for over two years with enlargement of the liver and spleen. The doctors did me no good, and I had given up all hope of being cured, when my druggist advised me to use Herbine. It has made me sound and well. 50c. For sale by Charman & Co., City Drug Store."

BARLOW.

T. C. Andrus, a respected citizen of Barlow, died here last Friday, August 11, and was buried at Zion cemetery, Canby. Mr. Andrus was born in Pennsylvania 70 years ago. He has been a resident of Oregon 15 years, living much of that time on his place near Barlow. He served in the Union army three years and received injuries from which he never recovered. He leaves a wife who has the earnest sympathy of many friends.

Moses Quint, brother of the late O. B. Quier, of Barlow, was buried in the Canby burying ground last Monday. Mr. Quint spent much of his time during the last few years of his life at Barlow, where he was highly respected.

The Sangerfest chorus is working hard now to get ready for the great event the 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Clarke, of Arizona, Miss Dorothy Clarke, Miss Besie Sheppard, and Will Tall returned from Newkwin last Monday. They had a good time, plenty of fish, berries and bathing.

Mrs. M. W. Sheppard has sold her 45-acre tract of land to Louis Brudwig, of Yankton, S. D. The buyer has taken possession of the new cottage on the place and is highly pleased with prospects.

The grain yield is unusually good on the prairie this year and everybody finished threshing Wednesday. Will report average yield later.

Miss Oleson, former teacher in Barlow, will teach in Centre City, Minn., this winter. She will return to Oregon after a year's visit at her home.

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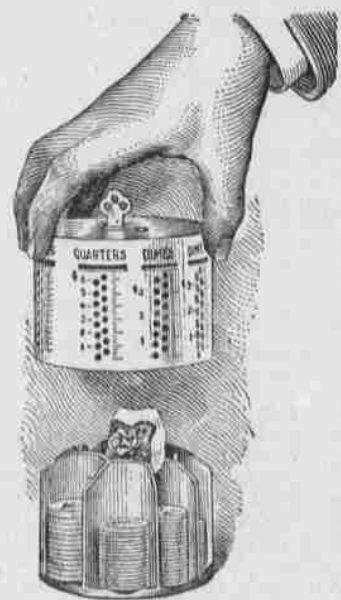
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The Bank of Oregon City

FRATERNAL PICNIC AT CANBY.

Orations Tomorrow By Big Guns in Politics.

A union fraternal picnic will be held at Canby Saturday, August 19. Big preparations are being made and all the different orders in this and Marion county will participate. The principal orations of the day will be made by Colonel Hofer, of Salem, and George Clayton Brownell, of Oregon City. Colonel Hofer is an avowed candidate for congress and he may talk politics. Mr. Brownell may or may not be a candidate to succeed himself in the state senate, but he said that pained forever be his tongue if he wavered from the subject of the "Universal Brotherhood of Man," in the Canby speech.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obe Wittmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and recommend this preparation. For sale by Geo. A. Harding."

HUCKLEBERRY SEASON IS ON

Luscious Fruit is Plentiful on Clackamas River.

The huckleberry season is now on. Mr. and Mrs. Deo Wright and Mrs. Doll Lawrence, of Liberal, came out of the Arquette woods Monday with the first berries of the season. These three people picked 14 gallons in six hours. The Arquette woods are 80 miles from Oregon City on the headwaters of the Molalla and Clackamas rivers and are the best huckleberry fields in Oregon. Mr. Wright says the berries are ripening two weeks earlier than usual this year, and that the season will be a short one. He reports that the picking will be good, that there is plenty of grass for the horses and that the woods are fairly alive with young grouse.

Several Indians were in the city Tuesday making contracts for the sale of berries. The price agreed on was 75 cents a gallon. Mr. Wright will go into the Arquette woods again Thursday for berries.

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