

AVERILL'S OBSERVATIONS

Cherryville Writer's Comments on Several Local Topics

Success to the Courier in its new quarters, where no big brewery will be able to attempt to dictate its policy.

In a recent issue of the Oregonian appeared an answer to an enquiry as to whether the national bank bills have any other security besides U. S. bonds, to which enquiry the Oregonian replied "None."

The Republican Leader used to say that it makes no difference how high the tariff is, so long as it pays it anyway.

The coming of Helen Keller, the possessor of the most wonderful human intellect ever developed, almost unsurmountable obstacles aroused a remarkable degree of interest and enthusiasm in Portland.

In the history of France a poor, simple country girl, Joan of Arc, relieved the country from the oppression of the English and now it seems that another blind and deaf girl is an important factor in relieving the cruel and heartless wretches that hold us in the mighty grip of the capitalist class.

Frank Walsh has been appointed head of an industrial commission to enquire into the condition of the laboring classes and promises a complete and full investigation without any evasions whatever.

We notice the brave fight that Dr van Brakle is making for his rights under the constitution and law against the blood-thirsty medical trust and wish him success.

An effort is being made here to start up a closed, or shut-down saw mill to saw cedar logs and cedar stubs into boards for manufacturing coffins.

Lincoln once said that the church that would stand as its main doctrine with all your mights and your neighbor as yourself, which Christ said was the chief commandment, he, Lincoln, would join.

Whereas, the possibility of the proposed county bond issue, for the best proposition for the agriculturists in general, looks very uncertain, therefore be it resolved by Molalla Grange No. 310, in regular session this 4th day of April, 1914, that this Grange is opposed to bonding the county without a DEFINITE understanding as to by whom, where and how the money is to be used.

LIBERAL

Grass and clover and all small grains are one month ahead of last year. Stock of all kinds are gaining rapidly in flesh.

The Liberal base ball team cleared their diamond off last Sunday and scrapped and clod-mashed it level. They have a fine place on the Liberal town site.

Mrs. Lidia Wright and sister, Mary Healy, of Estacada, left Oregon City Monday night for Tucson Springs, Red Bluff, California, and will be gone for five or six weeks.

Every thing is moving around Liberal and lots of work. Road work will soon start in earnest and we are the proud possessor of a large road scraper. It will not sit by the road side and rust out either.

I will sell at my place, three miles east of Canby, at Public Auction, on April 18th, 1914, the following: all farm tools, 11 head of cattle and 24 head of hogs, shoats and brood sows.

Spring Laxative and Blood Cleanser Flush out the accumulated waste and poisons of the winter months; cleans your stomach, liver and kidneys of all impurities.

The Courier and the twice-a-week Portland Journal, three papers each week for \$1.75 is some bargain.

SCHUEBEL'S SUGGESTIONS

Eldorado Man Outlines Remedies for Present Weak System

Editor Courier:— For some time I have been thinking of the wonderful change that seems to be in sight for us. It seems the millennium is in sight if we can believe or expect one half of what is promised by the various candidates for office, but I for one remember the past, and when I go back I find only a very few of those men making good, or remembering their promises after election.

I would make the county court, or Judge, manager, hire clerks to fill the various offices at such wages that would not be too high, but let go, but hit from one position to another. If I had my way, I know I could stop a lot of this humbug.

Every two years we are promised reforms in the legislature, and each term brings on heavier tax burdens, too many laws with too many words in them, and then when tested, they will not stand the test.

That the supreme court shall pass on every law that is proposed or passed; add such words or take certain words out of a law so that the law is constitutional at any time the discovery is made that the law is faulty.

Let us make no mistake in the matter of a county judge selection. The boy who knows, that I did not advocate the recall. The report made to the mass meeting did not recommend the recall, and I thought I knew that was not the remedy, and yet, although hard on Mr. Bentie and Blair, I believe it will work for us in good thing for the county.

First, it will assure enough money at one time to work to better advantage. Second, the whole county will feel the foot the bill.

Last, but by no means least, I am satisfied that by the time the bonds become payable enough people will have become enlightened enough that the government will issue money to pay them off.

Since the law was passed I have spent two evenings studying the new banking law and I assure you the administration has made good. It's promise to the bankers that they will not be hurt.

R. Schuebel.

Rev. Smith's Services The people of Alberta District will give a banquet social Saturday, April 11th, to pay for organ and new hymn books.

Strengthen Weak and Tired Women "I was under a great strain nursing a relative through three months' sickness," writes Mrs. J. C. Van de Sande of Kirkland, Ill., and "Electric Bitters kept me from breaking down. I will never be without it."

Do you feel tired and worn out? No appetite and food won't digest? It isn't the spring weather. You need Electric Bitters. Start a month's treatment to-day; nothing better for stomach, liver and kidneys. The stomach, liver and kidneys are the most important organs of the body. Relief or money back. 50c and \$1.00 at your druggist.

A LETTER ON ROADS

Franz Kraxberger Gives Some New Ideas on an Old Subject

In all times and with all people every great movement has had behind it some impelling force driving it forward, sometimes to victory, sometimes to defeat; the ultimate success or failure of the undertaking being conditioned largely on the justice of the cause as measured by the rule of right and wrong.

We have no intelligent road system at present, and the citizens and tax payers cannot be blamed for showing their unwillingness in raising more funds as too much time and money has already been wasted and very, very little accomplished.

Engraven deep in the hearts of the greatest women and men in the world FORWARD: attack the enemy of civilization called bad roads on three sides with an intelligent State, County, and District system, and the victory is yours.

So the farmer has done a great deal of grubbing and grading the roads, much of it voluntarily under a heavy tax on his shoulders.

is responsible for at hand, but I know that they must exist and I feel sure that Dr. Mount and Strickland will furnish them to you as a basis for their action.

Dam him! Go after him! He is dangerous!!! We want men on the Health Board who believe in pouring down things, in opening things, in rubbing on things, in clipping off things; in cutting out things and in squirting in things.

It is evident that Dr. van Brakle would not be able to tell "pure" cow pus from horse pus, and neither can he operate a needle point squirt gun.

Portland Man Writes Ironical Letter Regarding Van Brakle Case

Portland, Ore., March 23, 1914. Dear Doctor:— The public prints inform me that you have my letter.

BONDS AND GRAFT

A Farmer from Canby Writes of Remedies for Road Improvement

Canby, Rt. 2, April 7, 1914. Editor Courier:— If you will permit me a small portion of space in your valuable paper I will try to give you some of my views on road making as I have heard so much discussion in your paper about this topic.

I have done a good deal of road work and lots of bridge building in Lane and Linn counties, and would say that my idea of the way road work should be done is different from the way it is done now.

Let every district vote their own tax as they think they are able to pay, and then put it on the road and when they build a piece of road build it good and finish it for all time to come.

It looks as though there cannot be anything done without some graft attached to it. If you want a contractor the graft will go along with it or before the end of it it will show up and cannot be kept out apparently.

Another thing in the building of good roads is that the roads in this county have to be thrown up well and drained and one course is to have it covered with crushed rock or gravel and then fine gravel put on top.

I have been in this valley and in Oregon for the last fifty-six years and I know the roads are a lot better than they were forty years ago, and better than they were twenty years ago.

Give Anderson a Chance Hubbard, Ore. April 7, '14. Editor Courier:— I agree with taxpayer from Macksburg in last week's Courier under the heading "A Macksburg Viewpoint."

Surely Mr. Mulvey never had much experience in ordinary tactics, he wouldn't assert that six men were harder to line up than fifty-nine. It is my opinion that should Mr. Mulvey get to be judge and divide the county into six road districts he could form an Oregon City ring that would set Brovinsky's teeth on edge with envy.

J. S. Yoder.

CENTRAL POINT

Editor Courier:— I thought I would write a few lines as I was afraid that the outside world would not know that we were alive, as I haven't seen anything in the papers from this place for a long time.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by the insertion of a medicine into the mucous membrane of the middle ear.

Harsh physics react, weaken the bowels, will lead to chronic constipation. Doan's Regulets operate easily. 25c a box at all stores.

LOGAN

The Parkside high school pupils gave a dramatic entertainment at the grange hall on March 28th, which was well attended.

There was an Arbor-day program at the grange meeting March 4th, minus the tree planting. Arrangements were completed for the 40th anniversary picnic on May 23rd.

Everyone was pleased to see Geo. Tracy out at the grange meeting for the first time since his hospital experience, and all hope he will entirely recover without further trouble.

Several Grangers are intending to attend Pomona Grange at Parkside.

Wedding at Wessonville A pretty spring wedding took place on March 29, 1914, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Esle, at Wessonville.

William Kleinsmith is sawing wood for Henry Kleinsmith. Miss Sophie Mueller, who is attending school in Oregon City, was in this neighborhood visiting last week.

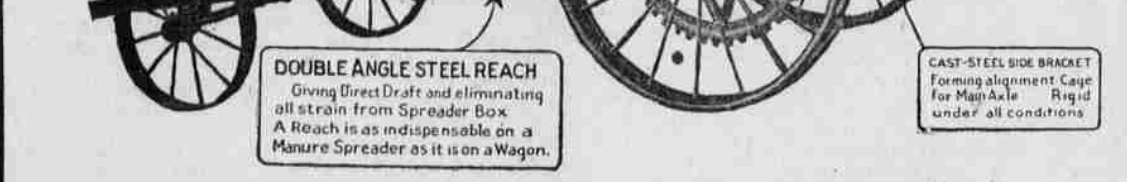
40 Acres. Part bottom, part hill, creek runs through place, 15 acres in cultivation. Buildings on place. Good road to all points. 10 miles from Oregon City on Clackamas Southern Railroad. Sidewalk to church. School and store. \$4500.—MacDonald & VanAuker.

WOMEN FROM 45 to 55 TESTIFY To the Merit of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during Change of Life.

Westbrook, Me.— "I was passing through the Change of Life and had pains in my back and side and was so weak I could hardly do my housework. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has done me a lot of good. I will recommend your medicine to my friends and give you permission to publish my testimonial."

Manston, Wis.— "At the Change of Life I suffered with pains in my back and loins until I could not stand. I also had night-sweats so that the sheets would be wet. I tried other medicine but got no relief. After taking one bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I began to improve and I continued its use for six months. The pains left me, the night-sweats and hot flashes grew less, and in one year I was a different woman. I know I have to thank you for my continued good health ever since."

If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.



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