

**Lower River Boat.**  
Many family and individual camping parties are now availing themselves of the fine camping grounds found in the vicinity of Clatskanie on the lower Columbia where there is pure water, fine scenery and good fishing. These camping places are convenient of access and are fine places to take one's family for the summer. The popular steamer Sarah Dixon makes regular trips during the season, and those who desire to go to the lower river either to camp or on business will find it to their comfort and advantage to take this popular boat.

**The Horticultural Meeting.**  
In planning for your work next week do not forget to allow one day for the meeting of the Horticultural Society on Saturday. This is really one of the most important meetings of the society and it is of the utmost importance that there be a good attendance of all who are interested in fruit raising. Our farmer friends should not forget to bring their wives with them on that day so that they may participate in the meeting and share in its benefits.

The last of the week H. E. Cross received a telegram from his brother Chas. Tillamook county stating that Truman Cross was very sick with congestion of the brain and was not expected to live. Chas. and Mit at once started over by train but arrived too late to see their brother alive. They immediately returned with the body which was buried at Canby.

Rev. L. R. Janney who was for ten years a missionary among the Hindoos in the evening of the 8th, his subject being, "Life among the Hindoos." No one is better qualified than he to impart reliable information on the subject and those who have heard him speak are loud in their praise of what he says.

A lemon wood walking stick with a combination gold handle was left standing against an electric pole at the Congregational church on Sunday evening and forgotten by the owner. A liberal reward will be paid for its return as it was prized by its owner as an heirloom. W. T. Welch.

There will be a meeting of the people of Eagle Creek on Saturday to consider the proposed road down the Clackamas. Hour of meeting 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Stevens returned from their trip to the Sound on Saturday much pleased with their trip.

W. S. Runyon was in the city on Monday looking after some business matters.

Harley Stevens has returned from Tacoma for the summer.

**BACHELOR'S HALL.**  
"Here's the house, from dome to base,  
Standing in a sunny place;  
Rooms there are a half a score;  
Tiled or polished is each floor;  
Everything contrived to please—  
Perfect, as you see, for ease."  
"Yes, but where's the mistress?"  
"Here are parlors, sitting rooms,  
Scouted by sweet jaquino blooms,  
Halls there are, and chambers, too,  
Elegant and furnished new;  
Storeroom with its ample store,  
Kitchen, pantry and what's more—  
"Yes, but where's the mistress?"  
"Here's the servant's brief brigade—  
Irish cook and serving maid,  
Housekeeper—I think that's all,  
Save the chow boy, close on call;  
Not a servant on the place  
With a sour, unfriendly face."  
"Yes, but where's the mistress?"  
"In the master, look me o'er;  
And, besides, I've gold galore;  
Business with the Hyson tank,  
Where my credits are not blank—  
Takes a deal, 'twixt you and I,  
For the house and our supply."  
"Yes, but where's the mistress?"  
"Now see here, my eager friend,  
That insistent quiz should end;  
What has not yet come about  
May before the year is out,  
Still my heart feels no distress,  
And I'll live without, unless  
Cupid sends a mistress."  
Edward Vincent in Good Housekeeping.

**Bringing Out Receptions.**  
The fashion of bringing out a girl by means of an evening reception instead of an afternoon tea seems to be gaining ground. It has the merit of being more distinctive at all events, as there are not many houses in New York that could stand the crush of an evening affair if the invitations were as general as those for a tea.

Where a tea is given for the purpose of introducing a debutante to society, it is becoming an unwritten law that those of her friends who have been invited to receive with her should remain afterward either to dinner or (as was done very successfully in the case of one young lady lately) for a sit down supper, a number of young men being asked to stay after the reception in informal fashion.

The dress of those who "assist" should not be too elaborate, as it is the debutante that should be the cynosure of all eyes. It is in better taste, therefore, for her friends to consider this and to wear less conspicuous gowns themselves.—New York Letter.

**An Ancient Work on Angling.**  
The greatest work of antiquity on angling is said to be the Halieutica of Oppian, a Greek poet, who flourished in the time of Severus, A. D., 198, from which we learn that many artifices in fishing thought to be modern were known to the ancients. We also learn from Athenaeus that several other writers had written treatises or poems on fishing some centuries before the Christian era.—American Angler.

**Advocating greater simplicity of life among the wealthier classes of society**  
Dean Lefroy remarked recently that \$127,000 a year is spent in England upon perfumed spirits from abroad.

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**CANBY**  
—TRY THE—  
**ROGERS HOUSE,**  
MRS. J. HARRIS, Prop.  
Home cooked meals served in the best of shape. Clean rooms and bed. Meals 25 cents. Board at reasonable rates.  
**J. F. FORD, Evangelist,**  
Of Des Moines, Iowa, writes under date of March 25, 1893:  
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Dufur, Oregon.  
Gentlemen:  
On arriving home last week, I found all well and anxiously awaiting. Our little girl, eight and one-half years old, who had wasted away to 35 pounds, is now well, strong and vigorous, and well fleshed up. S. B. Cough Cure has done its work well. Both of the children like it. Your S. B. Cough Cure has cured and kept away all hoarseness from me. So give it to every one, with greetings for all. Wishing you prosperity, we are yours,  
Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Ford.  
"If you wish to feel fresh and cheerful, and ready for the spring's work, cleanse your system with the Headache & Liver Cure by taking two or three doses each week. 50 cents per bottle by all druggists. Sold under a positive guarantee by  
L. M. ANDREWS.  
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Double and Single Rigs, and saddle horses always on hand at the lowest prices. A corral connected with the barn for loose stock.  
Information regarding any kind of stock promptly attended to by person or letter.  
**Horses Bought and Sold.**  
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.  
The partnership heretofore existing between S. M. McCown and H. E. Cross in the Gladstone saw mill company is this day dissolved by mutual consent. H. E. Cross becomes the sole owner of the partnership property, and will collect all accounts and pay all indebtedness.  
S. M. MCCOWN,  
H. E. CROSS,  
June 5, 1893. 6-16

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IT GIVES FRESH MESS AND CLEAR SKIN.  
CURES CONSTIPATION, INDIGESTION, DIZZINESS, ERUPTIONS OF THE SKIN, BEAUTIFIES COMPLEXION.  
An agreeable Laxative and NERVE TONIC. Sold by Druggists or sent by mail, 25c., 50c., and \$1.00 per package. Samples free.  
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A GOOD INVESTMENT is one that brings big returns.  
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**OREGON KIDNEY TEA**  
will cure all Diseases of the Kidneys and Urinary Organs, Constipation, Diabetes, Scalding Pains when Urinating, Pains in the Back and Limbs, Irritation of the Bladder, Brick Dust Deposits and Bright's Disease.  
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Full Stock of Guns & Ammunition.  
Repairs on all kinds of small machines promptly made. Duplicate keys to any lock manufactured. Shop on Main Street, next to Noblett's Stables.

**GREAT SPEAR HEAD CONTEST.**  
**CHEW**  
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AND  
**SAVE THE TAGS.**  
One Hundred and Seventy-Three Thousand Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars,  
**\$173,250.00**  
In valuable Presents to be Given Away in Return for  
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1,155 STEM WINDING ELGIN GOLD WATCHES ..... \$54,50 00  
5,775 FINE IMPORTED FRENCH OPERA GLASSES, MORGON BODY, BLACK ENAMEL TRIMMING, GUARANTEED ACHROMATIC... 28,575 00  
23,100 IMPORTED GERMAN BUCKHORN HANDLE, FOUR BLADED... 23,100 00  
115,500 ROLLED GOLD WATCH CHARM ROTARY TELESCOPE TOOTH PICKS..... 57,750 00  
115,500 LARGE PICTURES (14x28 inches) IN ELEVEN COLORS, for framing; no advertising on them..... 28,975 00  
**261,030 PRIZES, AMOUNTING TO..... \$173,250 00**

The above articles will be distributed, by counties, among parties who chew SPEAR HEAD Plug Tobacco, and return to us the **TIN TAGS** taken therefrom. We will distribute 226 of these prizes in this county as follows:  
To THE PARTY sending us the greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS from this county we will give..... 1 GOLD WATCH  
To THE FIVE PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each, 1 OPERA GLASS..... 5 OPERA GLASSES  
To THE TWENTY PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each 1 POCKET KNIFE..... 20 POCKET KNIVES  
To THE ONE HUNDRED PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each 1 ROLLED GOLD WATCH CHARM TOOTH PICK..... 100 TOOTH PICKS  
To THE ONE HUNDRED PARTIES sending us the next greatest number of SPEAR HEAD TAGS, we will give to each 1 LARGE PICTURE IN ELEVEN COLORS..... 100 PICTURES.  
**Total Number of Prizes for this County, 226.**

**CAUTION.**—No Tags will be received before January 1st, 1894, nor after February 1st, 1894. Each package containing tags must be marked plainly with Name of Sender, Town, County, State, and Number of Tags in each package. All charges on packages must be prepaid.  
**READ.**—SPEAR HEAD possesses more qualities of intrinsic value than any other plug tobacco produced. It is the sweetest, the toughest, the richest. **SPEAR HEAD** is absolutely, positively and distinctively different in flavor from any other plug tobacco. A trial will convince the most skeptical of this fact. It is the largest seller of any similar shape and style on earth, which proves that it has caught the popular taste and pleases the people. Try it, and participate in the contest for prizes. See that a **TIN TAG** is on every piece of **SPEAR HEAD** you buy. Send in the tags, no matter how small the quantity.  
Very sincerely,  
THE P. J. SOBG COMPANY, MIDDLETOWN, OHIO.

A list of the people obtaining these prizes in this county will be published in this paper immediately after February 1st, 1894.

**DON'T SEND ANY TAGS BEFORE JANUARY 1, 1894.**

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