CLACKAMAS COUNTY morning on account of illness, and has not yet been able to return. The children bare

ENTS SWEEP THE FIELD.

A Little Boy Shot by His Brother, Who Did Not Know the Gun Was Loaded.

HOOD VIEW, Sept. 26 .- A very sad acciresulting in the death of little Archie. aged is getting better. three years, youngest son of T. H. M. and As Rev. F. M. Sumner was going to his Mary Baker. It seems as though Thomas. appointment last Sabbath his horse fell the oldest son, aged 14 years, was going for down and lamed him considerably, but he a hunt and as he came out of the house is getting better. with the gun in his hand, thinking it was not loaded (as it was never put up loaded), pointed it at his little brother playfully saying, "I am going to shoot you, Archie," all very busy tending their fruit and sowing The topic will be "Christ Among Men." and at the same time the gun was dis- wheat. Most of the wheat will be sown in Mr. Lewis is an earnest Christain busicharged in some way, the contents striking good time this year which will be a great the little fellow, who was only a short dis- help to the farmers. tance away, in the left side ranging all the It looks as though we will have some very way from the knee to the crown of the favorable fall weather, neither too wet nor head, sixteen shot taking effect in the too dry; with prosperity coming through head, killing him instantly. As the older the people's efforts and by the natural brother spoke the little one looked up and prosperity which the calamity howlers say smiled, thinking it fun, and died with the is "only temporary." The farmers are sure smile on his face. The family are com- to see better times than they have been pleasiv distracted with grief over the sad seeing. affair, and have the heartfelt sympathy of all their neighbors.

Hood View church by the Rev. Mr. Brady, easier than to Portland. Farmers in this in charge there. The interment was at section would much rather haul their pro-Pleasant Hill cemetery, Wednesday, Sep- duce to Oregon City if they were sure of a tember 22, and was largely attended.

Mink Notes.

MINK, Sept. 26.-Threshing is over, just finished vesterday and we congratulate the threshers, Freil and Godfred Mink, for the long and successful run they have had and the good work they have done. We can boast of having as good a threshing outfit in our neighborhood as ever graced any community. Grain has not turned out so well as some expected but it has done fairly well and all the farmers seem to be in good spirits as they are seen daily going to town with their grain.

Some of the farmers have sown their grain and it is coming up, looking nice and green.

Potato digging is the order of the day around here and some champion diggers have been developed. Martin Massinger claims the distinction of having dug nearly 100 sacks in one day while digging for E. W. Hornschuh, and Henry Steiner averages between 65 and 70 sacks. What's the grocery business in Portland for the last matter with our boys? They're all right.

School commenced here last Monday with Robert Guinther and Rose Bullard as teachers.

There were two dances in our village during the week. John Mink's threshing crew danced on Tuesday evening in the old Mink store, and Fred Mink's crew danced on Friday night in the old Bill Martin house. All report a good time, with a little ginning up on the part of some of the boys at the latter place.

Miss Rose Guinther of Portland is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Guinther, for a few days.

Fred Fisher, who has been absent from our burg for a long time, is back again Miss Hettie Guinther is teaching in Dist. No. 101, Falls View.

The Lutheran and German Congregational churches celebrated Harvest festival

yet been able to return. The children hope to see her in her place again soon. Miss THE ENTERPRISE CORRESPOND- Davis, one of the pupils from the professor's room, is filling her place.

Damacsus Notes.

T. H. Feathers is busy drying bis prunes.

He will dry two tons of apples and also

few mornings ago. While trying to find

he stepped off and fell about three feet.

then rolled to the bottom, striking on his

head and shoulder, but fortunately received

Born to the wife of A. Newell on Thurs-

day morning, a young republican; mother

and child doing well With all the visitors

Sunday the little one was exceedingly quiet,

not showing th least trace of populism.

more experience than money.

Johnson's dryer at Clackamas.

with the threshing somewhat.

Marmot Items.

MARMOT, Sept. 28 .- The threshers are

near this neighborhood now, you can hear

the whistle blowing cheerfully, but it seems

the rain could not keep away for any great

length of time, so that it made its appear-

ance again yesterday and looks as if it has

come to stay for a while. It may interfere

Miss Ashe, while taking a four mile ride

neither scratch nor bruise.

wife's daughter.

ready market.

some potatoes.

abcess.

three years.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The vocal music class will begin its fourth term next Tuesday night under the direction of Mrs. J. H. Strickler. Mr. Carter of Eagle Creek got this far on The tuition will be the same as last year, his way home from the hop fields when he 50 cents for the term of ten lessons. was taken down with a lame back and had The class will meet at 7:30 every Tuesto stay several days with Mrs. Conklin, his day evening and spend the first hour Mrs. Bessellieu, who has been for some in elementary work, sight reading, etc., dent occurred at this place last Monday, time confined to her room with a lame back, and the second hour in chorus work. All intending to join are requested to come if possible the first night so that the wishes of the class may be complied with regarding books, music, etc.

The men's meeting on Sunday afternoon will be addressed by C. A. Lewis DAMASCUS, Sept. 28 .- The people here are of the First National bank, Portland . ness man and what he has to say will be of interest to'all men. We bespeak for him a crowed house.

Notice to Taxpayers.

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, October 18, 1897, the board of equalization of Clackamas county will attend at the office of the clerk of the county A larger portion of the wheat that has court of said county and publicly exambeen hauled from here this year was taken ine the assessment rolls for the year 1897 The funeral sermon was preached in the to Oregon City, the trip being made much and correct all errors in valuations, descriptions or qualities of lands, lots er other property. And it is the duty of all persons interested to appear at the time and place appointed; and if it shall appear to such board of equalization that there are any lands, lots or other prop-Mr. Paulson is having his barn painted. erty assessed twice or in the name of a C. E. Paulson had quite an accident a person or persons not the owner of the same, or assessed under or beyond its the stairs in the dark, there being no railing, value, or any lands, lots or other property not assessed said board of equalization shall make the proper corrections.

L. STOUT, Assessor.

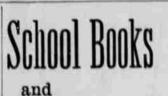
WAGES IN CHINA.

In Spite of Their Lowness the Celestials Huntley's Book Store, Wax Fat.

How a Chinese workman manages to Walter Smith is in the East Portland support his family and remain sleek and hospital undergoing an operation for an fat on the wages he receives is an everlasting mystery to the European and Albert Bohna and family have moved in American. The Chinese are a people of Mrs. Olsen's house, having been in the marvelous economy. They will support a family, furnishing food, clothes, shelter, from a small garden which they The hop pickers have all returned with call a farm, but which in America would not more than furnish an Amer-A. Welch is hauling his prunes to Marion ican family with early vegetables.

In cities the laboring men receive the merest pittance. In Canton, where laborers are better paid than in other parts of China, skilled workmen live on these wages: Shoemaker, \$4 per month; shorts, \$15.50 per ton. blacksmith, \$5 per month; fine ivory carver, \$12 per month; tailor, \$5 per month; fine embroiderer, \$4 per month; designer, \$6 per month; silversmith, \$8 per month.

The Chinese are superstitions, and the workmen support, in addition to towards Portland, the other day, saw a their temples and pagodas and priests, large panther crossing the road about half which receive more in proportion than a mile from here. Bears seem to be plen- the churches of Europe and America, tiful around here and pigs as well as sheep idol makers, geomancers, fortune tellers, physiognomists, soothsayers, astrol-



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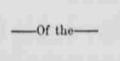
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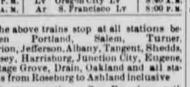
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today. Both churches were crowded to overflowing and were decorated with samples of the various cereals and fruit produced during the year. A good dinner was served at the Congregational church to which all paid their respects with a sincerity that only a German can display. These annual festivals are a German custom and are eminently befitting the purpose for which they are held. People were present from every quarter, Clarks, New Era, Canby, Portland, Baker City and Oregon Cuy.

Stafford Notes.

STAFFORD, Sept. 27 .- The past week has been very warm for this season ot the year. J. Q. Gage is home from the Nestucca country, and surprised his friends very much by bringing with Lim a bride

August Peters, better known as "Big wife, this time a widow with three children. The boys greeted them with a charivari.

We have lately been informed that "Bob" Ford has again taken to double harness. Bob was at one time a resident of this neighborhood and is the father of a family of grown children. His former wife lives with one of their sons near Sherwood.

John P. Gage was very greatly surprised on Sunday last by the appearance of his only brother, Wm. M. Gage of Kansas. It is the first time the brothers have met since Cassie Eaton and Master James Eaton from Jno. P. left the state of Michigan over 27 Oregon City; Miss Annie Mumpower from years ago

Lester Shipley of Hazelia is hauling the straw away from the H. E. Hayes place. The grain on the Meldrum place has

been harvested and hauled to Tualatin in the sheaf.

Much cider is being made at present and most of it out of a good quality of apples. Some cheat has been sown.

Potatoes are green and making a splendid growth.

Most of the prunes have been gathered and cared tor.

Phil Baker has been having some culverts and bridges repaired, one of which he built up with stone.

Apple picking time has arrived and they are of a No. 1 quality in this section.

Some straw has been burned in the fields. but to most of us it looks like a waste.

Sunnyside News.

SUNNYSIDE, Sept. 28 .- Miss Stella Sumner left for Seattie this morning to attend school there which begins on the 29th. This is her last year. Miss Rothle Grantham of Seattle, who has been visiting her grandparents, accompanied her.

Rev. Mrs. M. D. Wheeler, recently from Iowa, preached to a large and attentive congregation last Sabbath, from 1st Kings, XVIII, part of verse 25, "And the God that answereth by fire, let him be God."

Mrs. J. S. Bradley and daughter, Mrs. Foster, are visiting friends at this place.

All have returned from hop picking, consequently the number of pupils in school is increasing. Miss Birdsell, the assistant

son's (Otto) leg last week in Portland at St. Vincent hospital, was very successful and he is expected to return home in a week or two.

are reported to be carried off by them.

Mr. Bode spent a few days here looking after his farm 1% mlles east of Marmot. Mr. Hipple of Eagle Creek, paid his yearly visit to the Aschoff family, returning home vesterday.

Fred Gerke will in a few days take a run to Portland to perfect arrangements with some firm there for a trip to Klondike.

Wm. Weich and several others have already made arrangements to go on a dredger in the spring.

The Misses Failing and Ashe have carried off the honors of the recent whist party. Chris. Donovan, one of Marmot's home-

steaders, was on the list of the steamer Excelsior's passengers from Klondike and Peters," has again taken unto himself a is reported to have brought home with him after a two year's absence over \$15,000 as bla

> share. It has set all the Marmotites talking and half of the precinct is preparing to

leave for the gold fields in the spring.

Monmouth Notes.

MONMOUTH, Sept. 23 .- Clackamas county is quite well represented at the state normal this year, with Miss Elizabeth Baker, Robt, Baker and Ira Baker, from Willamette Fails; Misses Myrtle Taylor, Jennie Noble,

Stone; and Alice and Elmer McArthur from New Era. The Misses Grace and Marina Aliard from Pleasant Home are also num-

bered among the students. rived last week to pursue her studies at the the reduction in price.

normal. The students number about one hundred and thirty at present, but a much larger enrollment is expected soon. Most excel-

lent work is being done in all the classes and good results are expected at the close o

DIR. the year. Clackamas Items.

CLACKAMAS, Sept. 28 .- School opened Monday morning with Miss Stitsler and Miss House as teachers. A full attendance and marked attention on the part of the

scholars indicate a prosperous term. Levi Johnson, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Oregon City, delivered an able and interesting address in the Congrega-

tional church last Friday evening. His subject was "Plain Points on Personal Purity," and was listened to by an appreciative audience of men only.

Balf. Youman and Mr. Heilmeyer have returned from California.

Prune drying is over and apples are the ext on the trays.

Rev. D. B. Gray, of Portland, will speak in the Congrgational church next Sunday, both morning and evening.

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ogers and interpreters of dreams, who exist by thousands and coin all the money they want. Another thing which makes money for a certain class is the Chinese custom of burning great quantities of "spirit money," imitation pound. coins, which are supposed to be legal tender for dead relatives. One city alone employs 100,000 people in making THE this cash for ghosts.

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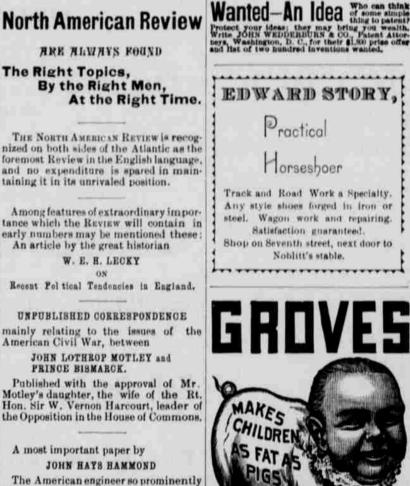
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