

CORRESPONDENCE

Milovia

Milovia, June 25.—We have had plenty of rain for the past few weeks. All the grain and vegetables are looking fine and so are the weeds; it is hard to tell which will be the larger crop, vegetables or weeds, if the rain keeps on, I think it will be weeds.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. C. Miller, of Viola, were visiting at their son's, Charles Miller recently.

Mr. Coop is wearing a very broad smile over the arrival of a young miss at his home on June 6, weighing 8 pounds. Charles and Robert Miller went to Portland last week on business.

Messrs. Roy and Gray Glass, of Portland took an outing at Milovia and the mountains. They report having a fine time.

Alfred Miller, formerly of Viola, but who has been employed in Portland for the past year is visiting at his brother's.

Miss Jessie Curran is teaching school in district No. 104.

Mr. Hunt has been having quite a lame back for the past two months, but is getting some better.

John Ervin, of Garfield and Adolph Miller of Viola were visiting at Mr. Hunt's recently.

Strawberries and cream are taking the lead in the fruit line at Milovia.

Mr. Pinky is again at his old trade, snaking shingles.

Mr. Bedford has been suffering with a lame back. It seems to be a common disease, as several have been afflicted with it.

Carus

Carus, June 27.—Hay harvest is in progress though much damaged by rainy weather.

Since our last grading was done on the Molalla road between Graham church and the creek south. Planking is laid to corners, and will be completed to the creek after harvest. Henceforth the happy farmers can lean back in his wagon or carriage seat while his horses take the road at a swift trot on the way to the city.

The Misses Rachel Lewis and Tillie Thomas came out from Portland last Friday to attend the entertainment in the school house that evening, also the wedding at Beaver Creek on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Lewis gave a party to a large number of invited guests Saturday evening. Games were played, most delicious ice cream and cake were served and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Wm. Evans, of Oregon City has been visiting her numerous friends in Carus, the past two weeks.

William Doris has recently purchased a fine two seated hack.

The social and literary entertainments at the school house Friday evening was considered in all respects a grand success. Although the number present was inconveniently large for the size of the building all seemed happy and patiently waited a chance at the ice cream tables. The proceeds amounted to about thirty dollars clear of expenses, making about forty two dollars in the hands of the committee towards the purchase of a hall for the school house and other improvements. The ladies are preparing for another entertainment after harvest.

Prof. and Mrs. Evans, of Oswego are occupying their Carus residence during vacation.

Damascus

Damascus, June 27.—The dance given by the Maccabees boys Saturday evening was a decided success in every way; it began the first experience the boys had in making ice cream, they were highly complimented by those who know what is good. Another one will be given soon.

A week from next Thursday will be the time for the oyster supper to be given by the Maccabees, that the worthy scribe for the Press seems to be worrying about and if he will intimate to some member who he is, no doubt he could have a share in the affair and learn more of the noisy bees.

A dance will be given at Mr. Boone Jones' new barn on the Fourth of July, in the evening.

Supervisor A. W. Cook has completed the work on the Deep Creek and Weatherly road which was a much needed improvement; giving the people in that section a road that they can enjoy riding over.

Mr. Albert Bolna and family have moved to Portland.

Miss Ellen Byers closed a term of school at Boring's district and returned home Sunday.

Maple Lane

Maple Lane, June 28.—Mrs. J. K. Murrie and children, of West Oregon City, were visiting at A. Mautz, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gibbs, spent part of last week visiting relatives at Needy. Jas. and H. Shelly and H. C. Green, left Monday by team for Eastern Oregon.

Miss Clara Adams, of Oregon City, was the guest of the Misses Mautz Monday.

Ernest Barry and family, of Portland

were visiting relatives in this vicinity Sunday.

The directors of this school have hired a Mrs. Meeks, of Benton county, to teach the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams, were visiting friends at Woodburn, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Hazel Anderson, of Portland, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Chas. Swallow.

A dance was given at Thos. Davies' barn Saturday night, which was well attended and all seemed to enjoy themselves tripping the light fantastic toe.

Ona and Chas. Surfus, returned home Friday from Philomath where they had been attending school for the past nine months. Monday night their many friends tendered them a surprise party. The evening was very pleasantly spent in playing games and singing.

Southern Pacific Makes a Reduction.

The Southern Pacific Company have sent out circular letters to the effect that they will carry passengers between all stations on its lines in Oregon at ONE FARE for the round trip on the Fourth of July. Tickets at this rate will be on sale on the afternoon of July 2, 3, and 4, and will be limited to expire July 5, or 6th, according to the distance. They also add that this is more of a reduction than they have been in the habit of making for this occasion, but in line with the wide spread spirit of patriotism throughout the country at this time, we are anxious to offer as much inducement as possible to enable the people along our lines to attend and participate in the celebrations arranged for at so many different points.

CHAUTAUQUA ASSEMBLY.

To be Held at Gladstone Park, Oregon City July 12-23.

From the numerous letters received arranging details for headquarters, and inquiring as to the necessary expenses, it appears that there is more interest in the Assembly this year than in the past, and several organizations which have never before applied for headquarters privileges are already assigned places.

Among the organizations which have already secured headquarters privileges, may be mentioned eight colleges, nearly all the religious denominations, the Clackamas County Teacher's Association, Woodmen of the World, American Artisans, Equal Suffrage Association, Native Sons, Women's Christian Union, Grand Army of the Republic, Ladies Relief Corp. and the Oregon Pioneer Association. At the Pioneer headquarters Secretary George H. Himes will have a large number of portraits of pioneers, and the talks concerning them, with the part they took in the settlement of Oregon, will be one of the interesting features of the Assembly.

The Assembly park at Gladstone is an ideal camping ground; Passenger rates—by electric railway to and from Oregon City, 10 rides for 25 cents. Portland (round trip) 25 cents. By Southern Pacific Railway, all divisions and branches, one and one-third fare, when purchasing a ticket, take a certificate from the agent: This signed by the Secretary, at Gladstone park, secures one-third fare on return. O. R. N. Co., steamboat or rail, one and one-fifth fare.

Living expenses—Lodging and meals can be secured at private homes in Oregon City, Parkplace and Gladstone for 25 cents each. At hotels \$1.00 per day and upward. At restaurants on the grounds, 25 cents per meals. The entertainment committee at the Park will direct all who desire hotels, restaurants and private homes.

No charges for classes except the private classes in music, art and elocution. The season tickets \$1.50 including camping privileges, single tickets 25 cents, children free.

The Monmouth State Normal.

The recently issued catalogue of the State Normal school shows 34 members in this year's graduating class, representing 12 counties of the state. Fully 90 per cent of the graduating classes of the past few years have at once begun teaching. Of the 436 students graduated from the school in the fifteen years of its history 337 are at present engaged in teaching. The number is remarkably large, as the average term of employment as a teacher is in but few states above five years. In Oregon, with its 3200 teachers employed, fully 600 new teachers are demanded each year to keep up the supply.

The catalogue indicates a prosperous year, with 239 Normal students in attendance, a marked gain over the previous year. In addition 239 children were enrolled in the Training department.

25 Woodcutters Wanted.

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WEATHER BUREAU.

The following data, covering a period of 26 years, have been compiled from the weather bureau records at Portland, Or.: Month, July, for 26 years.

TEMPERATURE—Mean or normal temperature, 66 degrees.

The warmest month was that of 1889, with an average of 70 degrees.

The coldest month was that of 1896, with an average of 61 degrees.

The highest temperature was 102 degrees, on the 23rd, 1891.

The lowest temperature was 43 degrees, on the 10th, 1894.

Average date on which first "killing" frost occurred in autumn, Nov. 26.

Average date on which last "killing" frost occurred in spring, April 11.

PRECIPITATION:—(Rain or melted snow.) Average for the month, .58 inches.

Average number of days with .01 of an inch or more, 4.

The greatest monthly precipitation was 1.80 inches in 1884.

The least monthly precipitation was 0, in 1883 and 1889.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 1.10 inches on the 11th, 1879.

CLOUDS AND WEATHER:—Average number of clear days, 15; partly cloudy days, 9; cloudy days, 7.

WIND:—The prevailing winds have been from the northwest.

The highest velocity of the wind was 35 miles from the northwest on the 13th, 1894.

B. S. PAGUE, Portland, Ore.

TEACHERS MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Clackamas County Teacher's Association was held in the school house at Molalla Corners, Saturday, June 25, 1898.

The meeting was called to order at 11 a. m. by the president, H. G. Starkweather. The minutes of the previous meeting as prepared by the secretary, Miss Porter, were read and approved.

The semi-annual election of officers resulted as follows: vice-president, T. J. Gary; secretary, Fannie G. Porter; treasurer, Olive A. Luelling; editor, Bertha M. Gibson, (who respectfully declines the honor).

"How to Teach History" was presented in an interesting way by L. L. Moore. He believes the use of history is to benefit the human race. In teaching the history of a war he outlines the principle lines of march by using colored crayons in blackboard work. The subject was discussed by H. S. Strange, Shirley Buck, J. C. Zinser, T. J. Gary and Jennie Bowen.

An elegant dinner was spread under the shade of the trees on the school grounds, to which everyone did justice. Afternoon session was called to order at 1:30 p. m. by Supt. Starkweather.

"The Highest Ideal of Teaching" was the subject of an address by Prof. H. S. Strange. Teachers generally have in mind some ideal teacher who seems to them without fault. Ideals have a great influence in the formation of character. We can never attain to a higher plane than an "ideal" occupies. It is better to aim high. Education is a preparation for the life a pupil ought to live. This definition should never be forgotten by the teacher. The ideal school fits the pupils for intelligent, patriotic citizenship, for loyalty to country. Its influence may be traced from generation to generation, in ever widening circles of nobler thoughts, and purer life.

O. D. Eby gave an interesting talk on Mental Arithmetic. He was followed by J. C. Zinser.

The Association sang "Blest be The Tie That Binds". On motion a resolution of thanks to the people of Molalla for the kind and courteous treatment received, was unanimously adopted.

It was decided to omit the July and August meetings of the Association as the Chautauqua Assembly and Normal Institute will take most of the time.

The place of holding the September meeting is left to the choice of Supt. H. S. Strange.

At the close Prof. T. J. Gary stepped forward and in a neat speech eulogized Supt. Starkweather and his work as county superintendent and on behalf of the teachers of Clackamas county presented an elegant silver fruit dish and berry spoon. Prof. Starkweather responded with a few well-chosen words, thanking the teachers for the token of their esteem, and for their co-operation and support of the past two years.

On motion Association adjourned to meet again in September, 1898.

Ladies and childrens underwear all kinds from 5 cents upward at the Racket store.

Stolen.

A rubber trimmed, hand made single harness, Cramer spliced, single belly band, open bridle, new piece of clock with separate bit, lines, black oval; also whalebone whip with red leather handle. Reward for same. L. L. PORTER.

Chautauqua Boarders.

All who can take boarders and lodgers during the Chautauqua July 12-23 will please notify the entertainment committee as soon as possible. We expect a greater number to entertain this season.

T. J. GARY, MRS. M. M. CHARMAN, MRS. J. R. BEAVER, Committee.

Liver Trouble

When the yellow flag of quarantine is hoisted over a dwelling it means disease and danger. So when the yellow flag flies in the face—when the cheek is sallow and the clear white of the eye is dyed saffron—there is danger. It is liver trouble. The liver is one of the most important organs of the body. On the proper discharge of its functions depend human health and happiness. When the liver fails of its duty, poisons at once begin to generate, and other organs of the body become involved. Never neglect the liver if you value health. If you are suffering from liver trouble, begin at once the use of AYER'S PILLS and you will find prompt relief and permanent cure.

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Oregon City Market Report.

(Corrected weekly.)

Wheat—No. 1 merchantable, 98 cents per bushel. Flour—Portland, \$3.80; Howard's Best, \$3.80; Fisher's Best, \$3.80; Dayton; \$4.25; Peacock, \$4.30. Oats—in sks, white, 35 cents per bushel, gray, 34. Millstuffs—Bran, \$14.00 per ton shorts, \$14.00 per ton. Potatoes—35 cents per sack. Eggs, 12 1/2 cents per dozen. Butter—Ranch, 25 to 35 cents per roll. Onions, \$3 00 per sack. Green apples, 1.25 to 1.50 per box. Dried Fruits—Apples, unbleached, 3 cents; 50-pound boxes, evaporated, 6c; prunes, 4 to 5 cents; plums, 3c. Bacon—Hams, 10 to 11 cents; sides, 8c to 9c; shoulders, 6 to 7; lard 8 1/2 to 10. Livestock and Dressed Meats—Beef, live, 2 1/2 to 3 cents; hogs, live 3 1/2 to 4c; hogs dressed, 5 to 6 cents; sheep, \$2 1/2 to \$3.00 per head; lambs \$1.50 to \$2.00; veal, dressed 5 1/2 to 6. Poultry—Chickens, old, \$3.00 to \$3.50; turkeys, alive, 8 to 10 cents per pound.

BIDS WANTED.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of school directors of School district No. 62, of Clackamas county, Oregon, will receive sealed bids at the residence of the School Clerk, on Seventh street in Oregon City, Oregon, up to the hour of 7 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, the 6th day of July, 1898, for the sale and delivery to the district of 110 cords of good, sound, four-foot fir wood, which has been cut from large, live, standing timber, and THOROUGHLY SEASONED. Said wood to be first class in all respects and suitable for use in the furnaces of the school buildings. Seventy cords of said wood to be delivered at the Barclay School building, on Twelfth street, and fifty cords at the Eastham School building on Seventh street. Said wood to be delivered on or before September 1st, 1898. The board of directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Directors, S. M. McCows, District Clerk. Dated at Oregon City, June 17, 1898.

Bids will be received by the undersigned at the office of the recorder of Oregon City, up to 2 p. m., July 1st, 1898, for the construction of an elevated walk on Eighth street to top of bluff in accordance with the plans and specifications now in the office of the recorder. Each bid to be accompanied by a certified check payable to the recorder for the sum of \$25, as a guarantee that bid if accepted will be fulfilled.

The committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

H. E. HARRIS, JAMES ROAKE, FRED METZNER, Committee on Streets and Public Property.

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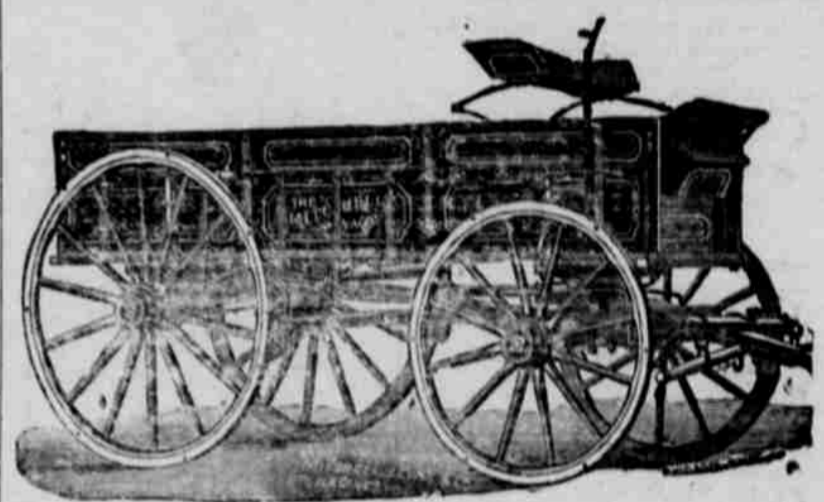
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FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. T. W. Butler, Pastor. Services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School after morning service. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Prayer meeting of Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor every Sunday evening at 6:30 prompt.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. M. L. Hanco, Pastor. Morning Service at 10:30; Sunday School at 11:45; Evening Service 7:30. Regular prayer meeting Thursday evening. Monthly Covenant Meeting every Wednesday evening preceding the first Sunday in the month. A cordial invitation to all.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, CATHOLIC.—Rev. A. HILDEBRAND, Pastor. On Sunday masses at 10:30 A. M. Every second and fourth Sunday German sermon after the 8 o'clock mass. At all other masses English sermons. Sunday school at 2:30 P. M. Vespers, apologetical subjects and Benediction at 7:30 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. H. Ober, Pastor. Morning service at 10:45; Sunday School at 10:30. Class meeting after morning service. Evening service at 7:30. Prayer League meeting Sunday evening at 6:30. Prayer Meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Strangers cordially invited.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. A. J. Montgomery, Pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath School at 10 A. M. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meets every Sunday evening at 6:30. Thursday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. Seats free.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH—GERMAN.—Rev. Erich, Pastor; J. R. EHRKE, Assistant. Preaching services every Sunday at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school every Sunday at 10 A. M. Mr. Zimmerman Supt. Prayer Meeting every Thursday evening.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ZION'S Congregational church.—Rev. F. Sack, pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 10 A. M.

Notice.

Bids will be received at the office of the county clerk for a bridge. Howe truss preferred, across Deep Creek near Burghardt's mill, bidder can furnish plans and specifications. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for (\$100) one hundred dollars; also for a bridge across Parrot Creek on the New Era and Waldron road near New Era, said bridge to be a Bent bridge 200 feet long with a 36 foot span over water. Bidders to furnish plans and specifications. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check for \$50. All material and labor on above bridges to be furnished by contractor. The court reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids—bridges must be completed by August 1st. Bids will be opened June 30th, 1898, at 2 p. m.

ELMER DIXON, County Clerk.

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