CORRESPONDENCE

this place on Saturday last.

recent drouth(?) but the oat fields are in their future home. poor condition.

Emil Bottemiller has gone to Milwaukie to work in a vegetable garden.

Tom Curran and wife of Kelso, Wash., are visiting the latters parents at this place. O. C. Dean, who has been working on a Columbia river steamboat, returned last

week with a badly crushed foot, Clarence Stevens, a soldier boy who has been stationed in Hawaii, is with us once

Mrs. W. C. Moore and Mrs. B. G. Cosper, were visiting friends at Mulino, on Satur' day last,

Carus

Carus, June 5,-"So the moon she got full and the stars went on a spree." If, as the alamanac asserts, these bodies control the weather, perhaps its present intemperate condition may be thus accounted for. The outlook is rather gloomy for crops; but an entire failure is hardly possible in Ore-

Mumps and measles have been very prevalent in this community lately, and most cases are quite severe,

A large party of surveyors and assistants were out from town last week, endeavoring to locate a route for the new railway.

Supervisor M. E. London and his crew have been busy the past few days blasting out stumps on the Molalla road. Some Immense ones have been thrown out with comparatively little damage,

The wedding of W. R. Miller, of Oregon City, and Miss Jennie May, daughter of W. W. May, will take place Sunday evening, in the Graham church at 7:30.

Redland.

REDLAND, June 5 .- Ah there! Plenty of dust here, but it has lots of water squeezed forty acres of ground. into it.

Gardening is in the last stage of development. Potato planting is most over.

Redland is going to be right in it for the next few weeks to come, with Children's distance walkers. Two of them walked to day exercises in the M. E. church, Sunday, Oregon City and back last Thursday, June 11; union picnic, by the Sunday schools at the Little Clear Creek bridge, on the 21st; Teachers' Association, on the 24; and the 4th of July.

We were treated by a most excellent sermon by Rev. L. Davis, at the M. E. church Sunday evening and by the minister of the Presbyterian church at Bethel at i p. m.

B. F. Linn our sawmill man, who has been very sick at Oregon City is able to come home, to the delight of all.

Wm. Spregue is erecting a new granary. It will be quite an improvement to his

Our cemetery is being treated to a new board fence.

Miss F. W. Sprague spent Sunday in Logan.

is at bome enjoying an attack of the mumps.

Stafford

STAFFORD, May 23 .- Grain is being put in -in the mud.

School in Dist. No. 41, Mrs. Rinearson. teacher, will close this week. A school picnic will be given in Gage's park, June 2.

School wood for the bonning year has been delivered in the school yard by Chas. Larson.

A. M Holton accompanied by his wife and daughter, returned to their home on the Sound last week.

Mrs. Agnes Howard and children will soon depart for their homestead on the

Columbia Washington side. Wm. Jester is firing on a lower Columbia steamboat,

J. P. Gage is having some meadow plowed The sorrel had taken possession and he thinks by plowing now, while the sorrel is in bloom, the weed can be eradicated.

The necktie social in Larson's hall Saturday evening had a slim attendance. Louis Schroeder run his chopper the 221

and closed down for the season.

John Schatz jr. has purchased another hike the second one this season. One of them has not got a skirt protector.

Gage's have dehorned their cows. One that was very reckless has changed her disposition, and other stock fear her no more. May 31 .- Born, May 25, to Mr. and Mrs.

J. Q. Gage, a nine pound boy. Mrs. Agnes Howard and children de, parted for their home near Lyle Monday, the 29th.

Weddler's have been planting corn. Although it is late in the season they expect

to harvest a good crop of fodder. Jack Elligon is hauling potatoes to Portland fro m the Popenburg place.

H. Frobase is doctoring to have rheumatism cured by a Portland man and has b scome quite spry again.

Decoration day was duly observed, many being at the cemetery at all times.

Peters' & Co's. Threshing Co. have disposed of their old horse-power and purchased an engine to take its place.

H. H. Baker has bills posted that he will give a dance in the Tualatin grange hall next Saturday evening. Music furnished eloquence displayed; not because of the br the Priester Sisters' string orchestra. The Frog Pond and Stafford schools will

join forces next Friday in closing exercises from the innermost depths of a soul whose at the big new school building here. All only purpose in life is to uplift fallen day exercises will be given, which will be humanity. That kind yet earnest look both instructive and amusing. Patrons of that sincere expression of countenance, either district who fall to attend them will those ringing tones, yet tinged with sadness miss an assured treat.

C. N. Larson has purchased a new saw and will make wood for Mr. Saffron.

Oswego.

Oswego, June 7 .- The event of the past Oswroo, June 7.—The event of the past years. During this time he has led his conweck in Oswego was the marriage of Miss gregation out of a bondage not excelled by Gertrude Evans, daughter of Wm. Evans, to Mr. Harry Chapman of Sioux City, Iowa.

The couple were married in the CongrePortland where he intends to spend the regrational church. The church was crowded mainder of his years in peace

overflowing by friends to witness the wedding. The church was a veritable bower of flowers and evergreens. After the wedding a reception was held at the resi-CLARKS, June 5.-G. F. Gibbs, of Maple dence of the bride's parents at which a Lane attended the Grange meeting held at large number of invited guests were royally entertained. Mr. and Mrs. Chapman will Wheat has been lavorably affected by the visit in California and then go to Stoux City,

> I. O. O. F. No. 93 held memorial services in their hall last Sabbuth afternoon. Rev. E. V. Smith, of Clatskanie, delivered the address which is very highly spoken of by all who heard it.

Supervisor Hays has a force of men and teams at work on the road east of Sucker Creek bridge.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haines, jr., on Monday morning, a fine son.

Mrs. Eva Bussard, of Oregon City, is visiting in Oswego this week, Isaac Austin and J. C. Haines, jr., started

for the Columbia Monday evening to fish Mrs. Mary Austin who has been quite

sick for several days is slowly improving. It has come at last-spring.

Logan.

Louan, June 6 .- Some of the armers have commenced plowing for summer-

There is talk of a union celebration at Union Park the Fourth of July .

Mr. Swales is hauling lumber for a new granary. Mr. Swales is a prosperous far-

Mr. Cale is building a new cellar and woodshed. Logan is improving in spite of the rain.

Fall-sowed grain looks well in this com-

Mrs. Coriess is still very sick. Mrs. Barney Fallert is expected home

James Hattan is slowly recovering

Children's day will be celebrated at Logan June 11th. Joe Kischen has just finished logging

Mr. Austin started for Long Creek, Eastern Oregon, last Thursday where he

has a four months' school to teach, Logan against the world for lady long-

Maple lane.

MAPLE LANE, June 6 .- Mrs. Fred Wourms and daughter visited at Oregon City Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Vanover is ill with the whoopng cough.

Kate, Lizzie, Aggie and Geo. Priester returned home Monday from Stafford where they had been visiting for a few days.

Mrs. Bradford, of Portland, is a guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Swallow Mrs. J. Dixon and son Guy, spent the

better part of the week visiting with relatives at Sellwood. Miss Annie Wantz returned home Sun-

Chas. Rutherford, of Redland, was seen on our streets one day last week.

mirror, which covered one side of the The school children are preparing an excellent programme for next Friday, the last day of school.

Mr. Strack, a former resident of this place, was visiting at A. Mantzs' last week.

Mrs. H. Holden and baby are visiting at social at Beaver Creek Tuesday evening and

report a good time. Rumor has it that there is going to be a wedding to the neighborhood soon.

Silas Bevens and family intend moving to Oregon City seon.

Mesers, Cassidy and Morrison will occupy the place to be vacated by Mr. Bevens.

Shubel.

SHUBEL, June 4 .- Johnnie Bohlander and Barbara Steiner, of Portland, came out to see confirmation exercises in the German Congregational church last Sunday. Theresa Staben has gone to Hillsboro on

a visit for a few days. Oscar Guenther, of Portland, is home for

a few days.

Lena Grossmiller is home for the summer.

Godfred Moehnke went to Pertland or

business one day last week. Fred Kamerath sold a horse to Justic

Schubel, of Oregon City last week.

Frank Grossmiller has gone to Oregon City to work on a milk ranch. John Moehnke, of Portland, has been

spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Michael Moehnke. Will Hettman has returned from Eastern

Oregon where he has been working in a ored young man" who was among the brickyard for a few days. "Be it ever so humble there is no place like home."

Mr. Fischer, our road supervisor, is pushing work on the road as fast as the weather permits.

Holy Baptism was administered to the infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. August Blubm according to the decrees of the Lutheran church today.

Rev. Staub preached his farewell sermor in the Congregational church here today. As a farewell, it certainly is without a parallel. Not because it was more brillians than other like deliveries, not because of the metaphors and hyperboles that usually adorn like deliveries. But because it came gave evidence of a sincerity that language fails to portray. And when the hour of parting came, when the beloyed pastor and his noble wife bid farewell to all present, many an eye became dim with tears. Mr. Staub has been pastor here for nearly ten

urally appear so. If you are old, why ap-

Keep young inwardly; we will look after the outwardly. You need not worry longer about those little streaks of

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your hair to threaten you onger with baldness. Do not be annoyed with dandruff. We will send you our book on the Hair and Scalp, free

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Free Hairdressing.

Some one said once that you could get almost anything for nothing in New York. This was brought practically to my notice a few days ago, says a writer in the New York Herald, as I was going up town on Third avenue. I passed a barber shop which displayed this strange sign:

"Ladies' Hairdressing Done Free Every Afternoon From 1 to 5 o'Clock." As it was past 3 I was prompted by curiosity to go in and investigate. I day after a week's absence in Oregon City. found the "ladies" hairdressing parlor a neat, cozy place, with a number of chairs standing in front of a long

I was fortunate enough to find a subject in the chair, who was having her hair dressed. She was a middled aged, thick handed, respectable looking wom-Mrs. H. Holden and baby are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. E. Martin. ball "Doing" her hair was a nice look-Some of our young people attended a pie ing little woman, the head of the hairdressing establishment, and gathered around the chair were half a dozen white coated young men, watching the process of the work and occasionally giving assistance. And that is how the apprentice or student in hairdressing gains his experience, and the clever women who are in touch with the trick get their hair dressed for nothing

The Prig and His Cane.

In the number of The Tatler for Oct. 6, 1709, it is observed that "a cane is part of the dress of a prig" (this, by the way, shows the erroneous notion prevalent that "priggishness" is a modern word) "and always worn upon a button, for fear he should be thought to have an occasion for it or be esteemed really and not genteelly a cripple."

In the number of Nov. 18 a rural squire in town is sketched who is the prototype of one of the pavement nuisances: "His arms naturally swang at an unreasonable distance from his sides, which, with the advantage of a cane that he brandished in a great variety of irregular motions, made it unsafe for any one to walk within several years of him.

And under date of Dec. 5 there is an amusing sketch of "a lively, fresh colapplicants to Isaac Bickerstaff's court of censorship for license to use "canes, perspective glasses, enuffboxes, orange flower waters and the like ornaments of life. This young man had his cane also pamphlet telling you how to find out hanging on his fifth button and was "an Oxford scholar who was just entered at the temple."-Gentleman's Magazine.

Proze the Quicksand.

"When I was out among the hills of northern India," said the major, "I had an experience that I wonder didn't turn my hair gray. I was camped all alone on the side of the Ganges and had occasion to go for some water. Before I knew where I was I had stepped right into a quicksand. I knew what was up at once and knew that I was gone. As I stood there with that horrible sand dragging at me like some living monster I turned colder and colder. Do what I could my teeth would

keep on clattering, though I knew that every vibration of my jaw was shaking me farther down into that ready made grave. Suddenly I noticed that I had stopped sinking.

"Struck the bottom, eh?"

"Certainly not: I had grown so cold from horror and fear-I may as well admit-that I actually froze the water in the quicksand."

The Smart Young Wife,

Young Mr. and Mrs. Smith were preparing to make a visit to friends for a few days. Their baby was only 2 months old, but was an important member of the family just the same. Mr. Smith was up stairs and Mrs. Smith down staie, putting on her things and getting ready to start. "Hubby." she called out to her better half on the floor above. "please bring me my gloves! They are lying on the dresser. And bring me my evershoes and veil and that hatpin lying en top of the chiffonier and a few of those animal crackers for baby, and don't forget the baby's toothbrush.

Poor hubby had a hard time finding everything his wife wanted. He was a long while making his appearance and finally his wife called to him, "What is keeping you, dear?"

"Oh, that confounded toothbrush for haby! I have everything but that.

Then Mrs. Smith laughed. "You silly duck," said she, "did you not know that I was only joking? The baby. bless her dear little heart, hasn't a tooth to her name.

That was why hubby got so mad and "said things" as he was coming down stairs. A man never likes to have a joke played on him by his wife. - Pittsburg Chronicle.

A Bellicose Youth.

The boy is still father to the man. A certain prominent political hustler, who, like the British tar in "Pinafore, is ever ready with his fists, showed his pugilistic taste at an early age.

The first day he went to school the family were, of course, anxious to know his impression of the new occupation. "Well, Sammy." said his father, "what did you learn on your first day at

school?" Straightening up and assuming a bellicose attitude. Sam replied. "Father, I learned I can lick every boy in my

A few days later his love of pugilism and frequent battles led to his expulsion. He came home that day and surprised his good mother with the remark, "Well, mother, thank the Lord, I have been turned out!"-Cleveland Plain

Archery In a City's Streets.

The military students of Tung-Chon are a conspicuous nuisance. They have a way of using one of the main streets in the city as a convenient spot for practicing archery, and we have been repeatedly obliged to edge up to the extreme edge of the footpath to avoid possible eccentric flights of arrows.

Characteristically it never occurs to them to suspend operations for others' safety or convenience, and minor accidents must not be uncommon.

A lad was brought to the hospita, the other day who had been struck by an arrow just below the eye as he was edging along the highway. He was not badly burt and probably regarded his injury as incidental to the ordinary risks of travel on city streets.-North China Herald.

Brides and Wet Weather.

A Breton bride rather likes to have a wet wedding: it is held to signify that all her tears are now shed and that she will therefore have a happy married life. I know of no similar belief in the British isles.

The Erza of Simbirsk call the day

before the wedding the weeping day, and the bride and her girl friends weep all they can, with the idea, it would seem, of getting the mourning of life over so that only joy may remain. The Badagas of the Neilgherries attain the same end by sousing the bride

with water. Some Greck tribes have a

similar belief in the virtue of a drench-

ing bringing good fortune.

If It Hadn't Been Sunday. "Had it not been the Sabbath day, said a Perthshire preacher to an elder "between the preachin's." "I would just have asked ye how the hay was

selling in Perth on Friday. "Well, sir," said the elder, "had it no been the day it is I wad jest bae tell't ye it was gaun at a shillin the

stane. "Indeed! Well, had it been Monday instead of the Sabbath I would have told ye I have some to sell.

"Umph, aye, on aye, sir! And had it been Monday, as ye say, then I wad jest hae tell't ye I wad gie ye the market price for it.'

early on Monday morning, and the preacher's haystack vanished like a highland mist. KIDNEY Is a deceptive diseas e

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