

CLACKAMAS COUNTY SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS FOR THE FALL TERM, 1900

Arranged by County Superintendent J. C. Zinser.

In the first column appears the number of the district, followed by the name of the school, name of clerk, postoffice and teachers. Where blanks occur in the teachers' column, no report of contract has reached the superintendent. Blanks in the second column show that the name is not known and information is desired.

Table with columns: No., Name, Clerk, Postoffice, Teachers. Lists schools and teachers for various districts in Clackamas County.

Table with columns: No., Name, Clerk, Postoffice, Teachers. Lists schools and teachers for joint districts.

A Monster Devil Fish. Destroying its victim, is a type of Constipation. The power of this murderous malady is felt on organs and nerves and muscles and brain.

A HISTORICAL RIDE.

IT WAS WORTH THREE STARS TO THE AMERICAN FLAG.

Marcus Whitman's Wild and Perilous Journey of 4,000 Miles From Oregon to Washington and the Results Which Followed in Its Wake.

The ride of Marcus Whitman was over snow capped mountains and along dark ravines, traveled only by savage men. It was a plunge through river and across trackless prairies, a ride of 4,000 miles across a continent in the dead of winter to save a mighty territory to the Union.

In 1792, during the first administration of Washington, Captain Robert Gray, who had already carried the American flag around the globe, discovered the mouth of the Columbia river. He sailed several miles up the great stream and landed and took possession in the name of the United States.

In 1805, under Jefferson's administration, this vast territory was explored by Captains Lewis and Clark, whose reports were popular reading for our grandfathers, but the extent and value of this distant possession were very slightly understood.

It was in 1839 that Dr. Whitman and a man by the name of Spaulding, with their young wives, the first white women that ever crossed the Rocky mountains, entered the valley of the Columbia and founded a mission of the American board. They had been sent out to Christianize the Indians, but Whitman was also to build a state.

He was at this time 35 years old. In his journeys to and fro for the mission he soon saw the vast possibilities of the country, and he saw, too, that the English were already apprised of this and were rapidly pouring into the territory. Under the terms of the treaties of 1818 and 1825 it was the tacit belief that whichever nationality settled and organized the territory, that nation would hold it.

In the fall of 1842 it looked as if there would be a great pouring of English into the territory, and Dr. Whitman took the alarm. There was no time to lose. The authorities at Washington must be warned. Hastily bidding his wife adieu, Dr. Whitman started on his hazardous journey.

He arrived there a worn, bearded, strangely piteous figure, clad entirely in buckskin and fur, a typical man of the prairies. He asked audience of President Tyler and Secretary of State Webster, and it was accorded him.

His statement was a revelation to the administration. Previous to Whitman's visit it was the general idea in congress that Oregon was a barren, worthless country, fit only for wild beasts and wild men. He opened the eyes of the government to the limitless wealth and splendid resources of that western territory.

What followed—the organization of companies of emigrants, the rapid settlement of the territory and the treaty made with Great Britain in 1846 by which the forty-ninth parallel was made the boundary line west of the Rocky mountains are matters of history.

The foresight and the heroism of one man and his gallant ride had saved three great states to the Union.—Omaha World-Herald.

The wise man. The wise man will not expect too much from those about him. He will bear and forbear. Even the best have foibles and weaknesses which have to be endured, sympathized with and perhaps pitied.

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Pleasant Mail Delivery.

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On reaching home the delighted maiden remarked to her mother: "Mother, this postoffice system of ours is a great thing, developing more and more every year, and each new feature seems to be best. Jimmy sent me a dozen kisses along with a money order, and John gave me 20. It beats the special delivery system all hollow."—Marcus News.

Why He Wanted Small Change.

It was Saturday, and he was on his way home. Stepping to the showcase in the cigar store, he carefully surveyed the goods that were displayed in the boxes.

"Are those three for a quarter?" he asked, pointing out a brand that seemed to please him. "Yes," said the man behind the counter. "We're making a special sale of them this week. They have always been 10 cents straight."

"All right," said the customer. "Let me have three of them." A handful of the cigars was laid on top of the case, and he carefully selected three of them, after which he handed out a half dollar.

The shopkeeper played a little tune upon his cash register and passed back a quarter. "Say," said the man who had bought the cigars, "can't you give me some smaller change? My wife wants me to go to church with her tomorrow, and I'll need something for the contribution plate. I suppose I might give up a quarter. But, by George, I have to work hard for every cent I get."—Chicago Times-Herald.

A Wise Girl.

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