CORRESPONDENCE

Correspondents are requested to renew their work. We will supply all necessary stationery. The news from your neighborhood should appear in these columns every week.

Viola.

Another pioneer has passed away. Seth Austin was born in Ohio, June 10th, 1833, came to Oregon in 1852, died in Viola at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elnora Mattoon, on the 26th day of July, 1903, aged 70 years, 1 month, 16 days. His wife died 14 years ago while living at his farm on the Molalla. Their five children, Willard, Bert, Harry, Nellie and Elnora, are all still living. The funeral was conducted by Rev. J. W. Exon at Viola cemetery, July 27th, 1903. A large number of friends attended the burial services. Mr. Austin was well known throughout Clackamas county, being an old pioneer, having first settled in the Molalla section, but of recent years has been living on a claim far into the Cascade Range on the Clackamas river, which was becoming noted for its hot springs and which some day in the near future will become a great medical resort.

Mrs. Captain Adams, of Portland, with her three children, is tented near the home of Mrs. Sevier.

Mrs. Newton Walker is visiting friends in Portland.

W. C. Ward, the forest ranger, came home this week for supplies.

Moris Ward and Mr. Sears, Jr., have returned from their trip to the mountains.

J. W. Exon and Wm. Brown were peddling beef last week. Mr. Brown is thinking of starting a meat wagon that will make regular trips weekly during harvest.

Mr. Brown, our enterprising merchant, has bought the Viola Hall.

Ed Miller lost a valuable heifer last week.

Mr. John Randolph has returned from a trip to the mountains.

Cedardale.

Mrs. Jim Hall was quite poorly Saturday. She has heart trouble.

H. L. Kelly, of Oregon City, came over the first of the week to view the James Bros.' store and the new school house and insure the same.

C. R. James, Neal Oleson, and Johnnie and Willie Hargreaves went Sunday to play ball with the Molalla boys against Canby. Scores 18 to 19, favor of Molalla.

Several of the boys spent three or four days in the mountains last week and reported a good time. They say the huckleberry crop will be great.

John Gerber, C. R. James and D. A. James are all preparing to build themselves a new house this fall. Yes, come along with your improvements, that is what makes a country.

Mr. Jones came up Monday to cut his oat crop.

T. N. Force went again to Mulino. There is something that attracts his attention there. We think he is tired of batching.

Molalla.

Settled harvest weather.

Ho! for Wilhoit Springs.

Molalla is taking hold of the creamery business slowly but surely.

We have no deceased cattle and should other localities be so afflicted, we hope that hereafter their reports will not be sown broadcast with such a blanket expression that covers our vast herds on a thousand hills and vales.

The Glad Tidings campmeeting is now well under way. The "Sweet Singers in Isreal" are in evidence, constituting a brigade up to date. Next Sunday will be the big day. There is no charge at the gate as has been reported.

Wayne Robbins returned from his fishing expedition Saturday eve, much improved in health.

Elder J. H. Moore and family have moved to Lane county where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. Wheeler and wife, of Albany, are visiting at their uncle's, R. R. Thomas.

Lakeshore.

Miss Edith Toon closed a most successful term of school July 22nd and a grand picnic was given in honor of the same by the good people of Lakeshore. The picnickers assembled near Union Mills at the place known as the old Indian camping ground. The weather being most propitious everyone seemed to enjoy themselves greatly. After a good program the crowning feature of which was the graduating of Miss Belva Shaw, a most bountiful dinner was served. The tables were loaded with all the good things the Willamette Valley affords which is saying a great deal. D. L. Trullinger entertained with his phonograph which being a good one afforded amusement for old and young. All returned to their homes feeling sure they had had a splendid time. Lakeshore school was assisted in their program by Miss Florence Toon, of Portland, the Misses Belle and Goldie Murphy, of Mulino, and Misses Jennie and Jessie Aikens, of Liberal. Mrs. Gebish and Mrs. Boynton, Sr., of Woodburn and A. Engle and family, of Molalla, honored us with their presence. Also Ben Marshall, of Clarks and Edgar May of Meadowbrook.

Cholera Infantum.

This has long been regarded as one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases to which infants are subject. It can be cured, however, when properly treated. All that is necessary is to give Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and castor oil, as directed with each bottle, and a cure is certain. For sale by G. A. Harding.

Try Tillman's roasted coffee. Its delicious. At Harris grocery. tf

Hair Splits

"I have used Ayer's Hair Vigor for thirty years. It is elegant for a hair dressing and for keeping the hair from splitting at the ends."—J. A. Gruenenfelder, Grantfork, Ill.

Hair-splitting splits friendships. If the hair-splitting is done on your own head, it loses friends for you, for every hair of your head is a friend.

Ayer's Hair Vigor in advance will prevent the splitting. If the splitting has begun, it will stop it.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

Needy.

Grain is fast ripening and soon the thresher will start.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Johnston and Miss Myrtle Smith attended campmeeting at Gladtiding Sunday and report a very good time.

Miss Mary Zimmerman, of Aurora, spent a few days with relatives here last week.

Mrs. William Thompson visited with Mrs. Atkins Sunday.

On Monday three small girls, barefooted and hatless, from Paradise City, strayed through here, hunting their grandmother. We knew not who or where she was, so advised them to go back to Paradise and ask the mayor.

The Foundation of Health

Nourishment is the foundation of health—life—strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the one great medicine that enables the stomach and digestive organs to digest, assimilat and transform all foods into the kind of blood that nourishes the nerves and feeds the tissues. Kodol lays the foundation for health. Nature does the rest. Indigestion, dyspepsia, and all disorders of the stomach and digestive organs are cured by the use of Kodol. Sold by Geo. A. Harding.

WHAT WILL WEATHER BE?

Data for Month of August Compiled By Forecast Official.

The following data, covering a period of 22 years, have been compiled from the weather bureau records at Portland, Or., for the month of August.

TEMPERATURE.

Mean or normal temperature, 66 deg.

The warmest month was that of 1897, with an average of 71 deg.

The coldest month was that of 1899, with an average of 62 deg.

The highest temperature was 97 deg. on the 22d, 1891; and on the 10th, 1902.

The lowest temperature was 43 deg. on the 20th, 1876.

Average date on which first killing frost occurred in autumn, Nov. 15.

Average date on which last killing frost occurred in spring, March 17.

PRECIPITATION

(Rain and melted snow.)

Average for the month, 0.64 inches.

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

The greatest monthly precipitation was 2.50 inches in 1890.

The least monthly precipitation was 0.00 inches in 1885.

The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 consecutive hours was 0.83 in. on the 25th, and 26th, 1899.

The greatest amount of snowfall recorded in any 24 consecutive hours (record extending to winter of 1884-85 only, was inches on , 18 ,

CLOUDS AND WEATHER.

Average number of clear days, 17; partly cloudy days, 9; cloudy days, 5.

WIND.

The prevailing winds have been from the northwest.

The highest velocity of the wind was 35 miles from the southwest on the 16th, 1893, and from the south on the 31st, 1897.

Station: Portland, Oregon.
Date of issue: July 29, 1903.
EDWARD A. BEALS,
District Forecastor Weather Bureau.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

When the stomach is overloaded; when food is taken into it that fails to digest, it decays and inflames the mucous membrane, exposing the nerves, and causes the glands to secrete mucin, instead of the natural juices of digestion. This is called catarrh of the stomach, caused by indigestion. Doctors and medicines failed to benefit me until I used Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.—J. R. Rhea, Coppell, Tex. Sold by G. A. Harding.

Shubel.

Misses Lydia and Lottie Hornschuch were the guests of Miss Hazel Ginther Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ginther, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Hornschuch attended Conference at Oregon City yesterday.

Rev. Essig preached an interesting sermon in the Congregational church Sunday.

CONTINUE

Those who are gaining flesh and strength by regular treatment with

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should continue the treatment in hot weather; smaller dose and a little cool milk with it will do away with any objection which is attached to fatty products during the heated season.

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A COMMUNICATION.

(To the editor)—Last week's Record mentions a rumor that Mrs. McAdam, of Texas, would probably be appointed principal of the Eastham school, and goes on to say that "her work was very satisfactory." Since the Record was not in existence at that time, this opinion can be based only on hear-say and is to taken with a grain of allowance. It was no doubt highly satisfactory to herself and the inner circle of her personal admirers, but the great majority of the patrons and tax-payers do not share this view.

If a teacher's success is to be inferred from stunning styles of head-gear, military parades and showy entertainments, then this candidate takes front rank; but if she is to be judged by scholarly and intellectual attainments, we cannot reach such a conclusion. It is true she had on record a state paper; but this was at a time when the merest nominal requirements, or no requirements except the pocket-book, could secure one. She has never taken an examination in this county and consistently kept away from all educational meetings, where she was in danger of exposing her mental shallowness.

She gave up her position in Oregon City, at the expiration of her contract, June, 1900, and it was more than suspected that she dared not face the ordeal of a public examination.

The newly elected superintendent, who was a grade teacher during the McAdam regime, will meet difficulties enough in her first year of administration without embarrassing her with needless ones. Should Mrs. McAdam be made one of her subordinates, feminine jealousy would soon find endless opportunities for carping criticism and invidious comparison with "my husband's" way of doing things.

It should be our proud ambition to build up an efficient educational system in Oregon. This can best be done by recognizing the successful work of teachers who have identified themselves with the interests of our state. We have scores of teachers, in Clackamas county alone, who have demonstrated their efficiency by unqualified success. If the best positions in the county are open only to applicants of unknown or questionable antecedents, what motive remains for the ambitious home teacher?

We pass Chinese exclusion laws, because the Chinaman is an American for revenue only, yet it is proposed to place our best schools in the charge of a family whose highest motive appears to be to spend our revenues in texas.

Believing that he voices the sentiment of a large majority of the patrons and tax-payers of the district, the writer wishes to record an earnest protest against the proposed appointment.

Very truly yours,
J. C. ZINSER.

STATE GUARD IS REORGANIZED.

C. U. Gantenbein is Elected Adjutant General—Equipment of Men.

At the election of officers of the new Third Infantry Regiment of the O. N. G., Saturday, Adjutant General Gantenbein was chosen Colonel, and John L. May, formerly of Ashland, and C. E. McDonell and G. C. Von Egglofstein, of Portland, were choice for Majors. The election of General Gantenbein, as Colonel will hasten the change to be made in the Adjutant General's office. Ten days are allowed him in which to act upon the offer of the office, and it is understood that he will be ready to accept at the expiration of that time. The election of a major of the First Separate battalion, which includes Co. B, of Ashland, Col. Geo. O. Yoran, of Eugene was the choice and he will therefore command this battalion.

In every particular the Oregon National Guardsman is to be equipped exactly as his comrade in the regular army. Word was received from the War Department at Washington Thursday morning that 41 cases, containing 1,500 ponchos, 2,000 regulation black shoes, 1,500 blue flannel shirts and 1,500 campaign hat cords had been shipped to this state, and Adjutant General C. U. Gantenbein has announced his intention of issuing the same to the militia as soon as they arrive. The value of this shipment is placed at $9,640.44. It is hoped that the Krag-Jorgensen magazine rifle be in the hands of the Oregon National Guard before this year's encampment, which has been set for September 3 to 12, inclusive.

CHINESE MAGIC LANTERNS.

How Their Instruments Differ From Those In Use In This Country.

The magic lantern, like porcelain, gunpowder and printing, may have been an invention of the Chinese. For more than twenty centuries it has been a staple amusement in the Celestial empire and has been developed into many forms unknown to the occident. The Middle Kingdom, which has been well termed Topsy Turvy Land, uses the magic lantern in just the opposite manner from what we do, having the light and picture behind the screen, the same as in our parlor amusement of shadowgraphs. The commonest form of the magic lantern in the extreme orient is a large box supported on a tripod or four legged table. The box is about 4 feet wide by 2 high, and its front is made of ground glass, oiled silk or oiled white paper.

Over the box is a light framework of bamboo and cloth, which reaches to the ground and conceals the operator from the audience, but leaves the glass exposed to view. A powerful lamp in front of a concave reflector throws a strong light upon the glass or screen, as the case may be. The top of the box and the sides are half open to permit the introduction of small figures. This arrangement gives four distinct classes of instruments. With all four instruments the exhibitions are given in the streets, squares and market places. They draw audiences ranging from five to thirty and give an entertainment of from five to fifteen minutes in length. Each spectator is supposed to contribute 1 cash, or a twentieth of a cent, when the hat is passed around. Generous or enthusiastic patrons frequently give from 10 to 15 cash, so that the average performance nets the proprietor about 2 cents. This seems ridiculous to Americans, but in a land where an ablebodied man can be hired for 5 cents a day the owner of a successful magic lantern is looked upon as a very well to do individual.

The little plays which are written about the magic figures are as conventional as our own immortal Punch and Judy. The "wicked tiger" depicts the career of a dissolute animal who from killing pigs, dogs and buffaloes finally eats a beautiful maiden and is slain by a Mongolian chief in full armor on horseback. "The wicked wife" forms a compact with the devil, squanders her husband's substance in riotous living and, in the last scene, hangs herself in a blaze of red fire, while the evil one expresses wild joy in extraordinary oriental gesticulations. "The cruel magician," "the grateful dragon," "the fairy foxes" and other bits of eastern folklore afford brief sketches, which are as familiar as household words.—New York Post.

A Few Hot Weather Suggestions

WE PUT UP AND SELL what we believe to be the BEST HEADACHE CURE in the world. That is a broad statement but we really believe it is true. We are so positive that we guarantee a cure, or your money back without a murmur. The name of our headache remedy is **H. & J's. HEADACHE TABLETS.** The price is Twenty-five cents a box. If you buy them and they don't effect a cure after taking four we want you to come back and get your twenty-five cents. We don't say this because we think you'll want your money back but because we know you won't.

IF YOU ARE TIRED After the ride get a glass of Soda Water. It's just the thing to brace you up. It's made of pure carbonated water flavored with rich fruit juice flavors. Cleanliness is one of the good points about our soda and fountain. You cant expect to get pure soda where everything is untidy.

IF THE HOT WEATHER HAS BROUGHT ON MOSQUITOS, Flies, etc., you can eradicate them with **ROACHINE** the only goods that will call insects from their nests and immediately kill them. It kills Roaches, Bed Bugs, Potato Bugs, Flies, Fleas, Lice, Spiders, Ants, Carpet Worms, Fleas on dogs and cats, Lice on horses, cattle, fowls and swine. Price 50 cts. per pint $2.50 a gallon.

ON GOING TO BED Take half a wineglass full of Nile's Celery Nervine During the day take two or three more doses. In a very short time the blood will be pure; your apetite excellent; your nerves strong; your liver and stomach disorder all gone. It will make the people who take it well and strong. Buy it now. Price one dollar.

THIS IS THE SEASON TO GET READY For Summer Complaint. It is decidedly wiser to pay twenty-five cents in getting ready than suffer great distress and pain and pay big doctor bills by neglect. The way to prepare is to buy a bottle of Blackberry Carminative. Buy it right now. All forms of summer complaint have a disagreeable habit of coming when you are not thinking about them; often they come at night when the doctors are all in bed and the drug stores closed.

The Point We Want to Emphasize Is RELIABILITY

It may sound egotistical to hear a man praise himself but that does not alter facts. A little self pride is all right if it is honest. We ask for your trade with the distinct understanding that we will try harder to give you satisfaction than any other druggist. We are trying hard to make this the best drug store, we don't care to be the biggest but the best.

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Oregon City Market Report.

(Corrected Weekly.)

Wheat—No. 1, 70c per bushel.

Flour—Portland, $4.00 per bbl. $1.05 per sk. Howard's Best, $1.05 per sack.

Oats in sacks, white, $1 to $1.15 per cental, gray, $1.10

Hay—old Timothy, bales, $16 per ton; loose, $10 to $12 per ton. Clover $12; Oat, $12; mixed hay, $12.

Millstuffs—Bran, $22.00 per ton, shorts, $23.00 per ton; chop, $21.00 per ton, barley, rolled, $22.50 per ton.

Potatoes—New, 1c to 1½c per pound.

Egg—Oregon, 18½c to 20c per dozen.

Butter—Ranch, 35c to 40c per roll.

California onions, $1.00 per cwt.

Dried apples, 6c to 7c per lb.

Prunes, (dried) petite, 3c per lb; Italian, large, 5c per lb, medium, 3½c; Silver, 4½.

Cabbage (new), 40c to 60c per dozen.

Green peas, 1½c to 2c per pound.

Raspberries, 4c per box.

Royal Anne, Bing and Kentish cherries, 4c per pound. Other varieties from 3c to 3½c.

Cauliflower—40c to 90c per dozen.

Dressed chickens, 10 to 12½ c per lb.

Livestock and dressed meats; beef, live, $3.50 to $4.00 per hundred. Hogs, live 5½ to 6 cts; hogs, dressed, 7½c; sheep, 2½ to 3c; dressed, 6½ to 7 cts; veal, dressed, 6 to 6½c; lambs, live, 3½c; lambs, dressed, 6½c to 7.

Imagination and Illness.

An interesting experiment was recently made by an English physician in reference to the relative power of imagination of the two sexes. He gave to a hundred of his hospital patients a dose of sweetened water, and shortly afterward entered the room, apparently greatly agitated, saying he had, by mistake, administered a powerful emetic. In a few minutes four-fifths of the subjects were affected by the supposed emetic. These were mainly men, while all of those not affected were women.

Where Licorice Grows.

On the banks of the Tigris and the Euphrates the licorice plant is chiefly grown. These great rivers flow through flat, treeless prairies of uncultivated and nearly uninhabited land. For three months of the year hot winds blow, and the temperature reaches 104 degrees.

For six months of the year the climate is moderate and salubrious, and for three months bleak and wintry, the thermometer going down to 30 degrees at night.

Both Dangerous.

"Hi, Br'er Jake, what struck you? You look like you done had a tussle wid a wil'cat."

"I has. I los' my las' cent in er poker game las' night, en when I git home Marth'-Ann she git me inter an udder poker game en skin what wuz lef'."—Washington Times.

Poetry.

Poetry is not made out of the understanding. The question of common sense is always, "What is it good for?" It is a question which would abolish the rose and be triumphantly answered by the cabbage.—Lowell.

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THE PLUMBER

Wood Wanted.

Notice is hereby given that the county court will receive sealed bids, at the office of the county clerk, up to 5 o'clock p. m. of Wednesday, the 5th day of August, 1903, for 55 cords of good, sound wood, cut from green trees, old growth timber, to be first-class in every respect, to be delivered in the court house yard.

The county court reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

To be paid for in cash. By order of the county court.

F. A. SLEIGHT,
County Clerk.
July 17.

July 9, 1903.

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