

CORRESPONDENCE

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

Eldorado.

James Fisk has sold his Benton county property for \$1500 and is taking life easy for a short time.

W. H. Jones was breaking horses Monday.

Low Backner spent a few days the first of the week at J. P. Martin's.

Glye Smith and Miller Handosty went to Oregon City Monday night.

Newt Maule, of Portland, spent Sunday at home—Malino.

Frank Irish and John Pains butchered a beef Monday.

John Smith, of Portland, is at home at present.

A man from Silverton has bought Rubin Fenton's farm for \$1300.

Albert Schoenborn's new fence improves his ranch very much.

The dance Saturday evening was O. K.

Ralph Howard has purchased a new horse.

F. M. Manning is again very low with asthma.

Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bedridden, alone and destitute, such is the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies: "I'm on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50c. Guaranteed by Charnan & Co. Druggist.

Molalla.

Mid-winter, judging from the appearance of the surrounding hills.

Quite a gale blew into our favored cove, barometers got down to 28.80. No damage done to speak of.

Grandma Dibble is very sick. Mrs. Amy Wilson, of Walla Walla, in answer to a "phone arrived Sunday evening at her mother's bedside. Mrs. Eliza Sawtell, of Klamath Falls, is expected by today's train.

The school entertainment at Teasel Creek, Saturday night, was a success. Every part was well acted showing that Mr. Marquam had his little band of workers well drilled. In conclusion some 12 baskets were sold to the highest bidder, netting the snug sum of \$12.60. Although it stormed the house was well filled.

The Molalla Mutual Telephone construction is going right along. The Ramsey division now have their wire strung in the air. Liberal and Cole divisions are well under way. Wire will go up on the Judd division today. The Russellville division has begun construction, while the Marquam branch is organizing to push the system to all points of the compass in that locality. Thus the good work goes on.

What is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjusts this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at Charnan & Co. drug store.

Dover.

The farmers are getting somewhat discouraged. It begins to look like they will not be able to get in their crops this spring.

Our new postmaster, Mr. Eardman, took possession of the postoffice last Monday. The people of this neighborhood are pleased as it is more convenient for them.

The viewers were here Monday viewing a road from the top of Bear Creek hill to Mr. Neilson's. It is high time there is something done. The road in all directions is almost impassable. We think the county should lend a helping hand before long. From here to Eagle Creek the roads are so bad that the farmers can not get to the railroad to ship their produce. The Gibson hill is impassable; can not get a load up or down. The roads from here to Firwood are almost as bad. We would like to see something done on our roads this spring.

A. J. Kitzmiller is putting a new picket fence in front of his house.

Joe DeShazier and Grandma DeShazier went to Sandy last week on business.

Mrs. Eardman, who has been sick all winter, is recovering.

If you want to get the news, all the news, fully and reliably reported, during the campaign, you should sign for the Enterprise. We are making a special rate of 25 cents from now until after the June election.

LIVER TROUBLES

"I find Theford's Black-Draught a good medicine for liver troubles. It cured my son after he had spent \$100 with doctors. It is all the medicine I take."—MRS. C. A. OLIVE MANTON, Parkersburg, W. Va.

If your liver does not act regularly go to your druggist and secure a package of Theford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine frees the constipated bowels, stirs up the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion of bile.

Theford's Black-Draught will cleanse the bowels of impurities and strengthen the kidneys. A torpid liver invites colds, biliousness, chills and fever and all manner of sickness and contagion. Weak kidneys result in Bright's disease which claims as many victims as consumption. A 25-cent package of Theford's Black-Draught should always be kept in the house.

"I used Theford's Black-Draught for liver and kidney complaints and found nothing to equal it."—WILLIAM COFFMAN, Marblehead, Ill.

THEFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

Willamette.

Frank Shipley visited friends in Portland Tuesday.

Willie Bedline and family have moved in the Maples house.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders entertained at Mr. Tuesday evening in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Ladd, of Portland.

Mrs. Nellie Edge is staying for awhile with her friend Mrs. Frank Brown, on the hill.

Mrs. C. A. Miller and children are visiting friends in Seattle and Everett, Wn.

Mrs. Harry Shipley visited at home Saturday and Sunday.

Harley Miller is enjoying a visit from his mother and sisters.

Miss Bessie Capen has been ill but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Harry Hahn and children, from Portland, visited at the parental home Sunday.

Tom Johnson was so unfortunate as to lose his best cow Saturday.

Mrs. Shepherd from New Era is very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Grandquist, at the Wood Camp.

Jack Fisher has sold his team and gone to cutting wood.

Our young ladies are interested just now in the Philippines.

The Literary society meets this week with Mrs. Sanders.

About thirty of his friends surprised Al. Buckels Saturday evening, it being his birthday anniversary. A most delightful evening was spent. At a late hour the guests departed, wishing Al. many happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Rob Cook and little daughter are visiting friends at Newberg, while Grandma Cook is keeping house for Rob.

Mrs. Shade, of Portland, was visiting at Mr. Ellery Capen's Sunday.

G. H. Rogers is putting in a 'phone from his store to his residence.

Mrs. Johnny Hickman enjoyed a visit with a friend from Canby Sunday.

Robt. O'Brien returned to Milan, Wn., Monday.

Mr. Buckels arrived from Kansas Monday for an extended visit with his son Al. and family.

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Eldorado.

F. C. Kimmey, of Malino, has moved up to Ed Jones' place to live this summer.

Ed Jones and Miss Kimmey were doing business at Oregon City Monday.

Most of the Eldoradoites attended the boxing match at Woodsides of Malino, Sunday.

Dancing school is still progressing at Carus.

Mrs. Vada King, of Portland, visited with her sister-in-law, Mrs. I. E. Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mosher spent Monday at Macksburg.

Sinton Paine is very sick also Miss Grace Schobel.

Mrs. Walter Emmett is dangerously ill.

Rich Davis is making cord wood for his prune dryer.

Ern Jones spent several days in Portland last week.

The Name Witch Hazel.

The name Witch Hazel is much abused. E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, are the inventors of the original and only genuine Witch Hazel Salve. A certain cure for Cuts, Burns, Bruises, Eczema, Tetter, Piles, etc. There are many counterfeits of this salve, some of which are dangerous, while they are all worthless. In buying Witch Hazel Salve see that the name E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, is on the box and a cure is certain. Sold by Geo. A. Harding.

Cheapest lots in Oregon City for sale. Inquire at the Enterprise office. Oct. 2 if

Beaver Creek.

Rain is still the order of the day. John Bohlander is having some wood cut.

Mr. Lewelling is busy clearing land.

Miss Staben left this week to visit her brother at Whatcomb, Wash.

H. W. Parry is busy slaughtering at present.

A. Bluhm has sold his team for \$263. Shannon Bros. are still baling hay.

Dr. James has been here for the last 25 years and has just found out that this part of the county is no good and wants to pull out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Tremaine are the proud parents of a 9-pound girl.

Garfield.

We were all surprised the evening of the 12th last by a genuine good snow storm that put a stop to farming for the afternoon, and by Sunday morning there were 11 inches of snow on the level; well, some looked blue, as if it was not old March and the same old weebot, only on a little tear, and by noon today, Monday, the ground was bare of snow and steaming.

Mr. J. P. Irvan is home, after a few weeks' visit to the Big Bend country to see his daughter, Mrs. F. Folsom.

Miss Lou Odell, of Portland, is visiting her uncle, W. P. Snuffin, and relatives, for a few days.

Mrs. F. Nite and daughter, Ethel, started Saturday evening for Los Angeles, California, where Mrs. Nite will engage in dress making.

Mr. Louis Palmateer is going to go to Douglas, Eastern Oregon, for his health. He is offered a good situation and his brother-in-law, C. Duncan, will run the old farm in his absence. We hope the change will be for the better.

As Ralph Lemon and Mr. Mike Habeline were returning home from spending the evening with the family of Mr. C. T. Hoffman, Sunday evening, they saw the track of the panther that has been prowling about the last few weeks. It was fresh in the new snow. So Mr. Granvil Linn was sent for and came up with his dogs, and the men to the number of 10 turned out for a good panther hunt. There were the two Lemon brothers, W. P. Snuffin, Louis Palmateer, Granvil Linn, Lee Willis and others, among them. Book Halaateer, who could not forego the desire to stand on a runway once more and listen for the baying of the hounds. But it being such a bad day, raining, snowing and hailing by turns, the dogs could do but little. We hope the panther will soon be caught as it is a very large one and might get close to small boys and school children if pressed by hunger. Then it's scary for the young men to have to cross its track to go to see the girls; might make him spin yarus to look big, you know.

There is to be an entertainment by the north Garfield school in the near future, the proceeds to go towards a library for said school, the ladies to bring baskets for sale to help the fun and fund. There will be a literary program and a general good time as we always do have at such times.

Mr. Irwin is soon to move to his home among us. We are glad to have him come.

A Favorite Remedy for Babies.

Its pleasant taste and prompt results have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a favorite with the mothers of small children. It quickly cures their coughs and colds and prevents any danger of pneumonia or other serious consequence. It not only cures croup, but when given as soon as the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. For sale by G. A. Harding.

Dover.

Mrs. Erbman is about well again.

Mr. Selman's little girl is quite sick.

Feed is getting scarce. There are some that have not got any hay.

Mr. Woolf went to Oregon City to pay his taxes one day last week.

Mr. A. Kitzmiller has been appointed road supervisor of George precinct for two years.

Ida Roberts was seen going over to her school last Sunday.

It commenced to snow last Sunday and it still snows. It is about 8 inches now, but if it had not melted it would have been two or three feet deep. March came in like a lion; we hope it will go out like a lamb.

The old settlers say it takes lots of snow and rain through the winter to make good crops. If that be the fact, we will surely have the largest crops we ever had. It rains and snows as easy as if it had been at it for years. It commenced snowing last Saturday night and Sunday morning it was ten inches deep.

Mr. Coupling, the Lutheran preacher who preached at Bissel, had quite a walk last Sunday, as Eagle creek was so high he could not go on horseback.

Miss Roberts, of Dover, the school teacher who teaches at George, had quite an experience last Sunday. She came home Friday and Sunday she had to go back through the big snow. She is the kind of a teacher to have.

Mr. Uptegrade has been quite ill for some time. He seems to be getting worse. He sent for Dr. Fifer Tuesday.

Mrs. Selman has gone to Oregon City to visit her sister, as she has been sick for some time.

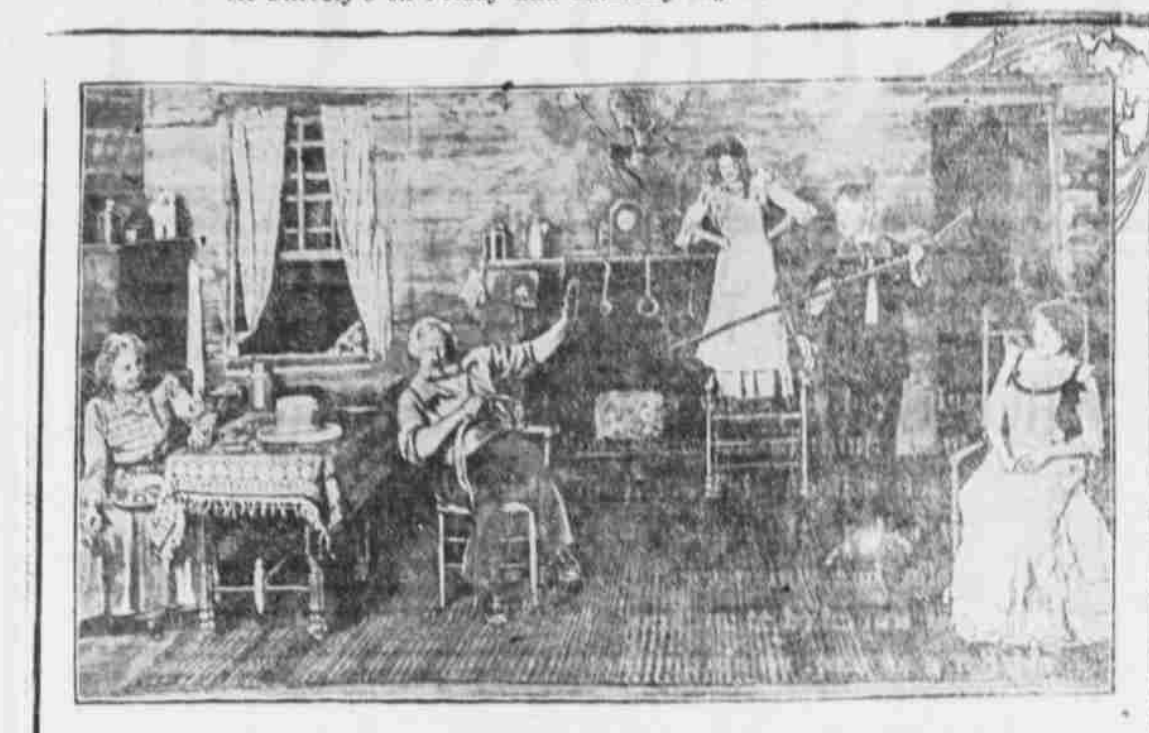
Mr. and Mrs. Kitzmiller went to Oregon City last Friday on business. They have bought the mother's tract of land that joins their place. Mr. Kitzmiller expects to put a large barn on it in the near future.

The farmers are anxious for the roads to become settled so they can haul their potatoes to market.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Druggist*

At Shively's on Friday and Saturday Nights, 18th and 19th.



Scene from Act II Christopher Jr.

Barlow.

S. Evans was an Oregon City visitor Monday.

Mrs. Jaggerson, of Portland, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. E. Lindholm and family.

Mrs. Wm. Sheppard was brought home from Oregon City Sunday where she has been for the past few weeks receiving medical aid. Mrs. Sheppard has cancer of the stomach but was to weak to undergo an operation.

Miss Rosa and Emma Rusek, of Portland, are visiting relatives and friends at Barlow this week.

Several of the little friends of Crissie Zee gave her a very pleasant surprise at her home Saturday p. m. Each one brought a very pretty present for their little friend and a very pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Chas. Childs, of Oswego, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Evans and other relatives at Barlow returned home Monday.

Miss Nell, of Salem, visited over Sunday at the city mayor's.

H. T. Melvin was transacting business in Oregon City Monday.

Mrs. G. Brown from Michigan, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Smith and family last week.

"I love my whole life to Burdock Blood Bitters. Scrofulous sores covered my body. I seemed beyond cure. B. B. B. has made me a perfectly well woman." Mrs. Chas. Hutton, Berville, Mich.

Proper Treatment of Pneumonia.

Pneumonia is too dangerous a disease for any one to attempt to doctor himself, although he may have the proper treatment at hand. A physician should always be called. It should be borne in mind, however, that pneumonia always results from a cold or from a attack of the grip, and that by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the threatened attack of pneumonia may be warded off. This remedy is also used by physicians in the treatment of pneumonia with the best results. Dr. W. J. Smith, of Sanders, Ala., who is also a druggist, says: "I have been selling Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and prescribing it in my practice for the past six years. I use it in cases of pneumonia and have always gotten the best results." Sold by G. A. Harding.

Beaver Creek.

The dance at Carus was a success and a good time was had.

Sunshine is looking down upon us once more.

Bill Thomas and Ralph Howard are cutting rails in Carus.

George Staben has returned from Washington.

A household necessity—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals burns, cuts, wounds, of any sort; cures sore throat, croup, catarrh, asthma; never fails.

A Discriminating Dog.

"Yes, the neighbors complain about my dog."

"Does he bite?"

"No, he's too affectionate. He has the reputation of being a Judge of beauty, and every time a pretty woman passes along the street he frisks about extravagantly."

"I should think the women would like that."

"Yes; but there are only two pretty women on the street, and the others complained."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Her Object.

Mr. Snoodles—Good afternoon, Miss Annex. Going for a walk? I hope I may accompany you?

Miss Annex—Yes. Dr. Sargeant says we must always walk with some object, and I suppose you will answer the purpose.

Seeks Diversion.

He—Why is she suing him for divorce?

She—For diversion.

He—Diversion!

She—Yes; she says being married is so monotonous.—Baltimore American.

The Only Way.

Fidgett—Really, now, do you think there is any way whereby a man can retain the respect of his children?

Middlet—He might send them away from home as soon as they begin to take notice.—Boston Transcript.

In Chicago.

"The lady next door is celebrating her golden wedding."

"Married fifty years?"

"No—times."—Puck.

NEW PENSION RULING.

No More Examinations After Applicant is 62.

Washington, March 16. — Commissioner of Pensions Ware, with the approval of Secretary Hitchcock, today promulgated the most important pension ruling that has been issued in a long time. It directs that, beginning April 11 next, if there is no contrary evidence, and all other legal requirements have been met, claimants for pensions under the general act of June 27, 1890, who are over 62 years old, shall be considered as disabled one-half inability to perform manual labor, and shall be entitled to \$6 a month; over 63 years, to \$8; over 68 years, to \$10, and over 70 years, to \$12, the usual allowances at higher rates continuing for disabilities other than age. The order follows:

"In the adjudication of pension claims under said act of June 27, 1890, as amended, it shall be taken and considered as an evidential fact, if the contrary does not appear, and if all other legal requirements are properly met, that when a claimant has passed the age of 62 years he is disabled one-half inability to perform manual labor and is entitled to be rated at \$6 per month; after 65 years at \$8 per month; after 68 years at \$10 per month, and after 70 years at \$12 per month, not exceeding \$12 per month, will continue to be made as beneficiaries, where disabilities other than age show a condition of inability to perform manual labor.

"This order shall take effect April 18, 1904, and shall not be deemed retroactive. The former rules of the office fixing the minimum and maximum at 65 years and 75 years respectively, are hereby modified as above."

Commissioner Ware said today:

"There is an advantage of saving to the Government in the use of this order, because every old soldier who has reached the age of 62 years is able to prove almost without the possibility of doubt that he is one-half disabled from earning his support by manual labor. This being so, it seems unwise to put a soldier to the expense of time and transportation to go to a place where a medical board can examine him to find that fact out, and on the other hand it seems unnecessary for the Government to keep boards established and then pay \$3 for the examination of a soldier when the result of the examination can be so accurately foretold. Of the 200,000 examinations in the last year, if one-fourth of them were saved it would make a saving to the Government of \$300,000 and perhaps an equal amount in time and transportation to the old soldiers who would have to go and be examined."

Canby.

Miss Annette Wait was a Portland visitor Wednesday.

J. S. Dickson was in Oregon City paying taxes this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bates and Harriet Bates made a trip to Oregon City Wednesday.

Mr. Mallett organized a singing school in Canby last week.

A new confectionery store has been started in the Geo. Knight building by Geo. Hampton.

John White and Willard Knight took in the ball at Macksburg on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckerson and their son, Lee, visited Portland Sunday.

Miss Katie Newberry, Miss Hallie Spink and Elmer Vetaso, of New Era, attended Tebekah lodge at Canby last Tuesday night.

Mrs. R. S. Coe visited Portland one day this week.

There will be a grand ball in Canby on March 19. Everybody invited.

There was a very pleasant party given at Mrs. W. H. Bair's last Monday evening. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves.

Mrs. W. H. Bair and Miss Veve Knight were in Portland and Oregon City Thursday.

A. H. Knight and W. H. Bair went to Woodburn Thursday night and while there "rode the goat" in the Encampment I. O. O. F.

Canby has plenty of light on the subject now; the electric lights having been turned on again.

Happy, Healthy Children.

Any child can take Little Early Risers with perfect safety. They are harmless, never gripe or sicken, and yet they are so certain in results that robust constitutions requiring drastic means are never disappointed. They cannot fail to perform their mission and every one who uses DeWitt's Little Early Risers prefers them to all other pills. They cure biliousness. Sold by Geo. A. Harding.



Miss M. Cartledge gives some helpful advice to young girls. Her letter is but one of thousands which prove that nothing is so helpful to young girls who are just arriving at the period of womanhood as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound too highly, for it is the only medicine I ever tried which cured me. I suffered much from my first menstrual period, I felt so weak and dizzy at times I could not pursue my studies with the usual interest. My thoughts became sluggish, I had headaches, backaches and sinking spells, also pains in the back and lower limbs. In fact, I was sick all over."

"Finally, after many other remedies had been tried, we were advised to get Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and I am pleased to say that after taking it only two weeks, a wonderful change for the better took place, and in a short time I was in perfect health. I felt buoyant, full of life, and found all work a pastime. I am indeed glad to tell my experience with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, for it made a different girl of me. Yours very truly, Miss M. Cartledge, 533 Whitehall St., Atlanta, Ga."

—\$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.

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Jack Schatz, Jr., and his father have bought a gasoline engine to be used in sawing wood for home consumption.

George Bickels wife and baby left for home last week.

Mr. Weidie has bought himself a fine young team to take the place of the two that died.

Mr. Gaze's hired man left quite unceremoniously. He was a young ex-soldier.

John Schatz was taken suddenly worse last week, but is better now.

Mrs. Kruse, Sr., of Frog Pond, has been quite ill is somewhat better at last account.

The postmistress and Jackie Schatz have up a bet, whether Jane and December will wed. Consideration, soda water and cigars.

Mrs. Henry Schatz has a niece stopping with her.

Next Sunday evening is the time for English services at the German Epistat church.

Miss Kate Pomeroy has gone to Oregon City.

Mr. Baker has not been in good health recently.

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Indigestion Causes Catarrh of the Stomach.

For many years it has been supposed that Catarrh of the Stomach caused indigestion and dyspepsia, but the truth is exactly the opposite. Indigestion causes catarrh. Repeated attacks of indigestion inflames the mucous membranes lining the stomach and exposes the nerves of the stomach, thus