

# CORRESPONDENCE. . .

## CLACKAMAS MEN PURCHASE SAWMILL

Clackamas, June 13—The frequent showers are doing much good to all vegetation. The wet weather interferes with strawberry picking, but the fruit will be better in the long run than if left to dry up on the vines.

R. B. Holcomb and wife went into Oregon City Friday afternoon and spent a few hours at the strawberry fair and flower show.

Mrs. J. S. Stephenson and Mrs. R. M. Kelly gave a tea Thursday afternoon of last week to the members and friends of the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church. Those able to be present reported a very pleasant occasion. The amount in the treasury of the society was increased by the free will offerings of the guests.

Mrs. Clara Tressman and little daughter Jessie of Portland were guests of Miss Lula Hayward last week.

Mrs. Charles Davis and Mrs. Harrison Imel came down from Boring Sunday. They remained several days to visit friends and can berries.

P. T. Davis and Herman Webster have bought a saw mill near Estacada. Mr. Webster moved his family there Saturday. Mrs. Webster's many friends in this place hope that her health may be greatly improved by the change.

### VIOLA ITEMS.

Farmers are all smiling because of the recent showers.

James Sevier has about recovered from a serious burn received while at work on his engine.

Some much needed repairs are being made on the M. E. church and parsonage.

Clara Sevier and Charles Hienbothom were married at the home of the bride's parents, June 5. Rev. Patton performed the ceremony. After the wedding the invited guests and relatives partook of a well prepared dinner. In the evening a large crowd of young people called upon the newly married couple to find a table spread with sufficient to satisfy the most delicate taste. Mr. and Mrs. Hienbothom left on Friday for a ten days' trip to the seacoast.

Clayton Wentz, agent for a life insurance company, has been doing a good business in these parts for several days.

John Mattoon got badly pinched with a log while working in the wood for Mr. Deering a few days ago.

### NOTES FROM CLARKES.

Farmers are pleased at the rain. It makes the crops grow, but cherries may spoil. It will make a good crop of potatoes.

While E. Bergland was unloading furniture his horses scared and ran away; mashed the wagon and one of the horses was badly hurt.

C. Stromgreen's horses tried to run away one day last week while there was a load of casing on. The boards slipped and the horses scared.

Mrs. Will McGeorge of Portland made a visit to her sister, Mrs. Ed Hetman, and C. P. Tallman last week.

W. H. Wettlaufer will break in the new horse he bought some time ago. Mrs. Tom Martin will attend the United Brethren conference.

Lucian Stout has bought part of the Jack Ringo farm and will move onto it soon.

Charles Beck and Lucy Countryman were married Wednesday of last week.

The German M. E. church had a basket meeting Sunday and Monday. There was a good attendance.

B. Sullivan, road supervisor, will have finished the Hugington hill in a few days.

Miss Emma Kleinsmith was visiting her aunt, Mrs. Henry Kleinsmith. Henry Kleinsmith came home last Monday from shearing sheep.

Tom Randall was in Clarkes Sunday and also F. White. They were looking at some timber.

Bill Buckner was in Clarkes Friday looking around to see what he could find and the real estate man, Charles Robeson was doing the same.

John Putz and wife made a visit Sunday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Pete Schewe.

Miss Christina Haag, who made a visit in Clarkes at her uncle and aunt Haag's, has returned home.

### MULINO MUSINGS.

W. A. Woodside made a business trip to town this week.

Mr. Wiles' folks are going to move to Portland this week.

Mr. Crook of Mulino has been on the sick list for the last week.

Oscar Daniels has moved in with his uncle, H. Seltzer.

Fred Wallace has the measles. He returned home from Oak Point, Wash., Monday.

Mrs. Fred Woodside returned Sunday after a week's absence. Elmer Erikson bought him a new buggy.

### BARCLAY ALUMNI.

The Barclay High School Alumni association will hold a meeting in Knapp's hall, Thursday night, June 20, when the class of '07 will be tendered a reception.

### IDLEMAN TO BE JULY 4 ORATOR

C. M. Idleman of Portland has accepted an invitation to deliver the Fourth of July address in Oregon City. The speaking will be in the city park at John Adams and Seventh streets.

Mr. Idleman is an ex-attorney general of Oregon and is well known in Oregon City. Some years ago he was a member of the law firm of Idleman, McCown and Johnson that had an office in this city. He is reputed an orator of ability and a man who always has something to say worth bearing.

### ESTACADA SCHOOLS CLOSING EXERCISES

### NEW METHODIST CHURCH IS CROWDED BY FRIENDS OF GRADUATES.

The closing exercises of the Estacada public schools were held Tuesday night in the new Methodist church. The following program was rendered: Orchestra; invocation; salutatory, Olive K. Wagner; orchestra; oration, "Progress of the Twentieth Century," Edna E. Miller; orchestra; essay, "The American with the Hoe," William M. Dale; violin solo, Nell Bronson; essay, "The Pacific Northwest," Ava W. Lovelace; vocal solo, Dr. W. K. Haviland; recitation, "Arnold, the Traitor," Mary M. Dale; orchestra; reading, Simeon Spitz; oration, "Nature," Lawrence E. VanDyke; vocal solo, Mrs. W. K. Haviland; recitation, "Mice at Play," Kittle E. Reagan; valedictory, Paul V. Women; address to class; presentation of diplomas.

### COMING EVENTS.

Fourth of July celebration in Oregon City.

Chautauqua opening, Sunday, July 9.

Reunion Indian War Veterans at W. O. W. hall, Portland, June 18.

Summer Normal begins July 1, continuing six weeks, Y. M. C. A. building.

Annual school election, all school districts in Clackamas county, Monday, June 17.

Oregon Pioneer Association, 35th annual reunion, at Armory in Portland, June 19.

### GREAT DOINGS AT FIREMEN'S PICNIC

The firemen are beginning to show active interest in the firemen's picnic that is to be held Sunday, June 30, in Canemah park. The barbecue will be held in the morning and will be open to members and exempt members of the department only. Invitations have been extended to the mayor and city council of Milwaukie, the chief of the Portland fire department and the firemen of St. Johns and Estacada to be present directly after the barbecue.

At this time there will be speaking and a general good time. Judge Gordon E. Hayes, Mayor Caulfield, County Judge Dimick, George C. Brownell and others have been asked to speak. In the afternoon there will be foot races and a tug of war, and the crowning feature of the afternoon will be a baseball game between a team chosen from the Fountain and Cataract hose companies and one composed of members of the Hill and Elyville companies. As this game will be practically between the Hill and Downtown factions there will be much rivalry.

The Hill aggregation will be captained by E. Chapman, while Henry Stratton will endeavor to lead the Downtown bunch to victory. The tug of war will be between a team composed of members of the Cataract Hose company and Columbia Hook & Ladder company and another chosen from the Fountain, Hill and Elyville Hose companies.

## Brief Snapshots At Folk In the Public Eye.



JAY GOULD.

THE Gould family has been very much in the public eye of late. Some members have been conspicuous for one thing and some for another. Some have been winning honors and some merely notoriety. Jay Gould, son of George J. Gould and grandson of the late railroad king whose name he bears, has set out to make his mark as a tennis player. Some day or other he may make his mark in the world of business, but at present the world of sport is that in which he aims to shine. His latest achievement is winning the title of amateur champion in court tennis from the Britons. That was rather cruel on Mr. Gould's part, because the sport is one in which the British have always claimed to beat the world. Young Gould's chief opponent and the player from whom he won the championship was Eustace Miles. He is a vegetarian, and it was in allusion to this in connection with the battle over tennis that Punch perpetrated the following lines:

A wonderful athlete called Miles Coated cabbage in forty-four styles. The result of this feat Was exceedingly bad. Jay Gould has a corner in smiles.

At the crucial point in the contest with Miles Gould's racket wrist went back on him. Twice it took a cramp and play had to be stopped while it was massaged. At this time Gould played as if his very life depended on every stroke of his racket. His doggedness—the "sand" which made his grandfather such a dominant figure in his lifetime—kept the young player going even after he had used up all his boyish store of vitality.

In the house of George Gould are domestic peace and tranquility. Miss Helen Gould, never having married, is not troubled over the question of how to manage a husband. The domestic affairs of Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Gould have not protruded into the public gaze. But Anna and Howard and Frank have all had reason to think favorably of the "trial marriage" idea. Anna won the title of countess, but at the price of much unhappiness and finally a resort to the divorce court. Howard and his wife, who was the actress, Katherine Clemmons, have frequently quarreled and are at present seeking freedom from each other. And now the quarrels of Frank and his wife have become public property. In the latter case the husband says it is another instance of too much mother-in-law. Indeed, both Mr. and Mrs. Gould have denied that there has been any serious quarrel between them, and Mrs. Gould remarked: "Whatever trouble we have had has been caused in a measure by my mother's quick temper. She does and says a lot of things she doesn't mean."

Mrs. Gould was Miss Helen Kelly of New York and was quite popular in society. She married Mr. Gould five years ago. She is tall and slender, with golden brown hair. Her mother, Mrs. Edward Kelly, in speaking of the incident, said: "This was not a case of 'too much mother-in-law.' It was a case of a loving mother trying to save her daughter from a broken heart."

The witty Bishop Stanford Olmsted of Colorado at a dinner in Denver said apropos of Sabbath breaking:

"I was talking to an eastern clergyman the other day about his church attendance.

"I suppose," I said, "that in your district rain affects the attendance considerably?"

"He smiled faintly. "Indeed, yes," he said. "I hardly have a vacant seat when it is too wet for golf or motoring."

Dr. Louis Klopsch, editor of the Christian Herald, who was recently decorated by the emperor of Japan, accomplished much through his journal for the relief of the starving Japanese in the famine of a year ago. He is now engaged in similar work in behalf of the famine stricken Chinese.



DR. LOUIS KLOPSCH.

The decoration given him in recognition of his services to the Japanese was that of the Order of the Rising Sun, and it was conferred by Baron Takewo Ozawa, personal envoy of the mikado. About fifteen years ago Dr. Klopsch, through the Christian Herald, raised a large sum of money for famine sufferers in Russia, and the late Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, whose sermons were for years published by Dr. Klopsch, accompanied him to Russia to assist in the distribution of the relief. Dr. Klopsch received a testimonial from the czar for his work in this connection. Since the

death of the elder Talmage Editor Klopsch has supervised the publication of the sermons of his son, Rev. Dr. F. De Witt Talmage. Dr. Klopsch is a native of Germany and came to this country in early childhood.

Sir Edward Grey, who has been put up by the present Liberal government in England to defend one of its principal measures, the army bill, is one of the leading figures in parliament. It is predicted that he will some day be premier. He has been in parliament since he was twenty-three, and at thirty he was Gladstone's undersecretary for foreign affairs. He was greatly assisted in his political career by his wife, who died about a year ago. In an article about Lady Grey written at the time of her death the writer stated:

"Even apart from her devotion to her husband she was the keenest possible Liberal politician, though the daughter of an old Tory squire, Major S. F. Widdington, whose ancestor is mentioned in the 'Ballad of Chevy Chase,' and her personal popularity in the border county was responsible for much of its Liberalism. For Sir Edward she worked incessantly and brilliantly, from his first political campaign, two months after his marriage in 1855, down to the late battle, from whose triumph she has been so tragically called away. Lady Grey had a large desk at Folton devoted to political papers, answered many of Sir Edward's letters and throughout his five campaigns frequently took notes at his opponents' meetings of points in the speeches which she thought needed reply."

Former Senator Chandler's statement that a movement is on foot among Christian Scientists to retire Mrs. Eddy from the headship of the sect and put in her place Mrs. Augusta E. Stetson has called attention to the career of that lady. She was formerly first reader of the First Church of Christ, Scientists, New York, and has been called high priestess of Christian Science in that city. The church of which she was head recently erected a new edifice at a cost of about \$1,000,000.

Mrs. Stetson while its first reader, or pastor, enjoyed a salary of \$5,000. She is head of the Christian Science Institute in New York.

After her retirement as first reader in the First church she remained a member of the board of trustees and the most influential person in the organization. There was a movement about two years ago to displace her leadership, but it did not succeed.

Dr. B. D. Evans, one of the experts in the Thaw trial, was criticizing at a physicians' dinner the browbeating method of cross examination that the courts permit.

"But my criticism," Dr. Evans ended, "has been feeble, and what good is feeble criticism? The critic, to score, must be epigrammatic, unexpected, humorous. Thus, in my native Bridgeport, a candidate for congress spoke at a mass meeting, and afterward a politician asked an old farmer what he thought of the speech.

"'Waal, I dunno,' said the old man soberly, 'but I think six hours' rain would 'a' done us a lot more good.'"

The subject of equal pay for men and women who teach in the public schools has been a good deal under discussion of late. Sometimes even the male teachers do not receive very high salaries. Senator Isidor Rayner of Maryland is one of those who believe that the educators of the land are none too well paid. At a reception not long ago he told a story about a teachers' meeting in a district where the salaries were extremely low.

"A rich, portly banker opened the meeting with an address," he said. "The banker concluded his remarks with an enthusiastic gesture and the words: "Long live our schoolteachers!" "What on?" shouted a thin, pale, seedy man in a black coat slightly smeared with chalk marks."

Curve Pitching. Curve pitching is not a new feature of baseball by any means, yet many veteran "fans" well remember the days when the man who talked about making a ball curve would have been locked up in the town calaboose with iron pills chained to his ankles. Baseball historians aver that curve pitching came into vogue in the early seventies in some localities, and in spite of the length of time that has elapsed since that period, in which the development of curves has been diligently pursued, it is the opinion of expert observers that there are many mysteries and possibilities that are as yet unsolved and inexhausted.

Even In Death. Roberts—Poor Williams died and left a wife and three children.

Jones—That's nothing. He was too mean to take them anywhere when he was living.—New York Life.

### HER HUSBAND A MINOR.

Wife, Appointed His Guardian, Makes Him Live by Code.

When Mrs. Esther Delaney, pretty and twenty-two years old, was appointed guardian of Walter J. Delaney, 28 Whiting street, her husband, who is twenty and a minor, in the probate court in Chicago, she at once decided to run the Delaney ménage according to her own ideas.

Vivacious Mrs. Delaney is the first wife on record to be made conservator of all her husband's worldly goods and dictator of his habits and general mode of living. She and Delaney are happy as can be together, but that fact has not prevented the wife from laying down a code of rules for her husband which is as interesting as her guardianship is unique.

"I am his legal guardian as well as his wife now," she declared, "and he will have to do just as I say. I am doubly the ruler of this household now. The court is behind me."

Here are some of the domestic laws Mrs. Delaney declares she will enforce:

Her husband may smoke as many cigars or pipes of tobacco as he wishes away from home, but not one in his own domicile.

He may have three glasses of beer a day.

He must be at home by 6 o'clock in the evening and stay there.

He must be prepared to walk the baby at all hours of the night without a murmur.

He must be willing to wheel the go-cart in the parks on Sunday.

He must take his wife to a theater at least once a week.

Prices of new gowns and new bonnets must not be too closely censured, and the bills must be met promptly.

### BIT HIS TONGUE IN TWO.

Strange Accident to Autoist While Cranking Machine.

His tongue severed by an involuntary bite of his teeth, Bion J. Arnold, Chicago's \$30,000 a year traction expert and prominent electrical engineer, will be unable to talk for some time.

Mr. Arnold was jerked by a sudden movement of the engine of his automobile when he was trying to "crank" it against the auto frame, bringing his chin down on the radiator with such force that he bit off almost half of his tongue.

Frantic with pain and with blood streaming from his mouth, Mr. Arnold jumped into the automobile and made a wild run from the entrance of Washington park, where the accident occurred, to Mercy hospital.

Dr. Thomas Lilly sewed the severed piece of his tongue on again in a more painful operation. Health Commissioner Evans holds out assurances of speedy recovery.

### ABDUCTS INDIAN MAID.

Waiter Kidnaps Red Damsel and Drops Her Before a Car.

Paul Beyer of New York fell in love with an Indian maiden and abducted her early on a recent morning. Without asking her consent he tucked her under his right arm and started for his home, 425 East Twenty-fifth street.

Crossing Third avenue at Sixty-fifth street, Beyer stumbled and dropped



A TROLLEY CAR HIT HER AND CUT OFF HER LEFT HAND.

his ladylove, and a trolley car hit her and cut off her left hand and a box of cigars. Thereupon he was arrested.

Benjamin Unger, who keeps a cigar store in 1107 Third avenue, owned the maiden, and it was in front of his place that Beyer kidnaped her. Beyer promised in the Yorkville court to make amends to him and was discharged. He said he was a waiter in the Waldorf-Astoria. The maiden was wooden.

Desperate Battle With Angry Rats.

In a battle with rats Abraham Hunsberger of Lansdale, Pa., killed twenty-eight which had attacked him, while as many more escaped. When the fight began he struck at one huge gray rat with the hoe. The animal squealed, and in an instant the loft was full of rats, which attacked Hunsberger, grabbing at his legs and tearing his trousers with their sharp teeth, others jumping on his back and snapping at him. Hunsberger dropped the hoe, frightened, and endeavored to get out of the loft through a trapdoor. The door had "caught," and, finding he could not get it open, he again grabbed the hoe and with part of the handle as a weapon fought the infuriated little animals.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Clackamas County, Oregon, Administratrix of the Estate of Daniel D. Evans, deceased, late of Clackamas County, Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same, duly verified according to law, with my attorney, C. H. Dye, Esq., Cor. 6th and Main Streets, Oregon City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Oregon City, Oregon, the 14th day of June A. D. 1907.

ELIZA M. EVANS, Administratrix of aforesaid Estate. 2715

### SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon in and for the County of Clackamas.

M. P. Cannon, Plaintiff, vs. Alice Cannon, Defendant.

To the above named defendant, Alice Cannon:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 27th day of July, 1907, and if you fail to answer, for want thereof the plaintiff will take decree against you for the relief prayed for in the complaint herein filed, to-wit:

That the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between plaintiff and defendant be forever dissolved, and that the plaintiff be decreed to be the absolute owner of Lots ten (10) and eleven (11), block ten (10) in Park Addition to Albina, now Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon, and that the defendant be decreed to have no interest as dower or otherwise, in and to said property, and that the plaintiff recover of and from the defendant his costs and disbursements in this suit and for such other and further relief as to the Court may appear just, meet and equitable.

This summons is published by order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the above entitled Court, duly made, signed and filed on the 11th day of June, 1907, which order specified the time for answering the complaint herein as the 27th day of July, 1907, and the first publication of summons is made upon the 14th day of June, 1907, and the last publication of summons is made upon the 26th day of July, 1907.

RALPH E. MOODY, Attorney for Plaintiff. 2717

### WOOD WANTED.

Sealed bids will be received by the School Board of School District No. 62, Oregon City, Oregon, until 5 o'clock, Saturday, July 6, 1907, for furnishing 100 cords of first-class fir wood, said wood to be four feet in length, cut from sound, large first growth timber, well seasoned and split reasonably fine, 50 cords to be delivered at the Barclay school building and 50 cords at the Eastham school building in Oregon City. All of said wood to be delivered on or before September 1, 1907. Second growth wood is not desired. The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bidders should enclose their bids in a sealed envelope and mark "Bids for Wood," and address the same to the Clerk of School District No. 62.

By order of the School Board. E. E. BRODIE, District Clerk. Dated this 14th day of June, 1907. 2712

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### ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Letter list for week ending June 14, 1907:

Women's list: Freeman, Mrs. Harry; Hawkins, Mrs. W. R.; Hawkins, Mrs. Maude; LaFollette, Mrs. S. J.; Russell, Mrs. Ida M.; Powers, Miss Nieta.

Men's list: Calkins, R. M.; Carter, Andy; Carlson, Herr John.

Mt. Hood beer, it's the Beer. C. W. Kelly, 246 Alder St.