

AN OUTING.

Floating Down the Columbia by Night - An Interesting Account of a Novel Trip.

To THE EDITOR: - It was about 7 o'clock in the morning of July 16 when we pushed our little boats out in the Columbia and bidding adieu to The Dalles started down the river. There were ten in the party. Shortly after rounding Crate's point the up-stream wind began to blow and we were compelled to seek the nearest harbor. On a sand covered rock our party was compelled to remain till evening. When the wind died away sufficiently we made a fire and began our camp life. In the quiet of the evening we again embarked, and this time a drift sail had been arranged so during the night we went quietly floating down the river, singing songs that echoed between the high mountains along the river. But at last all became quiet, and only the two captains, Brown and Bunnell remained at their post. The rest found quarters in the bottoms of the boats.

About eleven o'clock the wind again began to blow and the waves to roll "mountain" high. We quickly made for land but Washington's rocky shore failed to furnish us a landing till many attempts had been made. At last we got into a little cove where our boats could be protected from the fierce storm, and all went on shore in the darkness. A fire was built and we dried our clothes and blankets which were ringing wet. The light of the fire showed us our refuge, and as we looked in saw a pile of shifting sand ten or twelve feet high, and a few feet away a bluff of rocks leaving an open space of only a few feet. Over the upper end of this open space a sail was hung to prevent part of the wind from striking us, and in this condition after vainly watching for sometime all of the party but one were overcome with fatigue and fell asleep. It was well that a guard remained, for the sparks from the fire carried by the fierce wind set fire to the blankets and it required watchfulness to keep the camp from burning.

When the early dawn came stealing over the hills we left our harbor of refuge and again drifted down the stream remembering the old saying that "any port in a storm was a refuge." The next landing was at Klickitat where we remained through the day and at evening crossed over to McClure's and camped for the night. The next day we sailed to Major creek and passing down the river reach Mosier a little before dark. The next morning found us at Hood River, after the best sail of the trip. We purchased more provisions and a hat for one of the party who had lost his during the wind, and then crossed over to Underwoods. There we spent the day and last Saturday morning we sailed into the beautiful waters of the Little White Salmon, where we pitched what was supposed to be a permanent camp; but the waters of the stream, the birds of the air, and the bushes of the land were not willing to furnish supplies we wanted, and we again broke camp yesterday morning. Two of the party returned to The Dalles on the noon train somewhat rough-looking after going through such trying experiences but glad, now that they were over, that we had enjoyed the few days together. The rest of the party sailed on down to find some pleasant camping place.

Wasco County Cases Decided.

The supreme court, which has been in session at Pendleton handed down decisions in some important cases which were appealed from this county.

The T. G. Mitchell vs. O. D. Taylor case was the one in which the most interest was taken and its outcome has been watched with close attention by lawyers in The Dalles. The case was reversed and a new trial ordered. Judge Wolverton delivered the opinion. The statement of facts, as given in the decision, is that D. B. Cornell purchased stock on installments, in the Columbia River Fruit Company, through the defendant who was president, the defendant agreeing to repurchase the stock when demanded. The stock was transferred to the plaintiff before the second payment. Mitchell demanded repurchase by the defendant, which was refused. The plaintiff executed transfer and delivered it to the defendant and brought an action for the purchase price. The plaintiff was nonsuited, the lower court holding that no demand to repurchase had been proved. The supreme court opinion holds that proof of delivery of the transfer was proof of the demand and the case should have been given to the jury.

The case entitled James Cameron, appellant vs. Wasco County, respondent, was reversed in an opinion by Judge Moore. This action was concerning a county road and had been through the county and circuit courts and finally taken to the supreme court.

The judgment of the lower court in

the case of Johnston Bros., respondents, vs. Joseph Barillo, defendant, and Brown and Jones, appellants, was affirmed. Judge Moore read the opinion. Johnston began an action against Barillo and had some grain attached. Brown and Jones came in with a laborer's claim for threshing and sought to attach the property. Johnston Bros. objected to this latter claim and alleged that it was a contractor's and not a laborer's claim, and that it had been paid by a promissory note from Joseph Barillo and accepted by Brown and Jones. The court below held that the claimants should establish their demand by judgment, and as this was not done the claim was rejected.

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[Chicago Musical News.]

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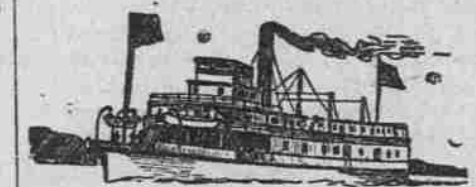
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