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"For five years, I suffered untold misery from muscular rheumatism. I tried every known remedy, consulted the best physicians, visited Hot Springs, Ark., three times, spending \$1000 there, besides doctors' bills; but could obtain only temporary relief. My flesh was wasted away so that I weighed only ninety-three pounds; my left arm and leg were drawn out of shape, the muscles

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Concerning Some Early Immigrants.

To a state in which wool interests have been, in the good days that are past, of such tremendous financial importance, the record of the coming of the first wool-bearers must be a matter of historical interest. From one, of whom it may be said, "A part of this she was, and all of this she saw," we have been permitted to gather some incidents of this early migration.

In the first days of March, 1848, a band of four hundred and forty sheep was collected in Sullivan county, Missouri, by Mr. Joseph Watt, and took up the line of march for the crossing of the Missouri at St. Joe. Mr. Watt was a native of Ohio, and had already crossed the plains to Oregon; had spent about two and a half years here; had selected a claim in Yamhill county, erected buildings and made preparation for bringing hither his father's family and others who might cast in their lot with them. The start westward was made thus early, the traveling abilities of sheep not having been fully tested, and Mr. Watt's intention being to travel very slowly.

Missouri at that time was a good state to emigrate from—no railroad, very little internal improvement, wretched roads, the settler on its rich soil invariably poisoned with malaria. It was not a homesick, heartsick company that crossed the Missouri that March morning and pulled up its banks of mud in the snow and slush of the spring's "breaking up." Had they been disposed to be homesick, the golden success of Mr. Watt's work in Oregon would have gone far to dispel it. He had a clean bank book to begin with, and made his first strike in the erection of the first flour mill at Oregon City. For this he received \$10 per day, and he took part of his pay in clocks. How these clocks were brought to this coast, our historian does not know. One of them was sold to Wm. Burnett of Yamhill county and is now owned by his son, Hon. George H. Burnett of Salem. They were certainly of American manufacture, and probably came in on one of the trading vessels, possibly those that brought some of the early Methodist missionaries. Mr. Watt traveled with these clocks and found a ready sale, taking his pay in wheat. The price of this staple was at that time very low, but the successful operation of the flouring mill ran the price up most satisfactorily to the wheat growers. The result of this labor and traffic, amounting to four thousand dollars in gold, was carried back to Missouri by Mr. Watt in a leather belt around his body, the chafing and weight of which was most patiently and cheerfully borne.

To return to our mutton. The starting of the grasses enabled the line to get in motion, Mr. Watt being chosen captain of the company. The sheep proved admirable travelers, far better than cattle; the pasturage was excellent; they kept in good marketable condition; the tables of the company were kept

supplied with fresh mutton whenever wanted, though the great abundance of game at that time, buffalo and antelope being very numerous, made this not a matter of necessity.

The captain's experience in crossing the continent was not always accepted by the impatient members of the caravan, and they thought sheep traveled too slowly and pushed on ahead, sometimes leaving notices written on boards, one of which is remembered:

"Watt and his sheep going to pasture; Watt says, 'sheep, can't you go a little faster?'"

Our historian, then a girl of 11, rode the two thousand miles, helping to keep the woolly travelers in line. It was easily done, and the whole journey at that date is remembered but as a pleasant picnic trip, only for the dreadful longing for more sleep. With the very early starts, seldom stopping at noon, one can think of the fatigue and the need of a great big sleep that the growing girl must have felt, and which is not forgotten in nearly half a century.

No enemies to sheep were found except in the ferryless, bridgeless streams. On Green river thirty were left on an island. Their wool weighted down with the ice-cold water, they could swim no more. The band crossed the Cascade mountains, reaching Oregon City September 24th, and the final resting place three days later. An odd thing was that while the drivers were thoroughly willing to rest in this long-looked-for resting place, the sheep seemed to think it their bounden duty to keep moving, and the duty of the young shepherd girl was by no means over.

Bills Allowed.

The following is the list of claims against Wasco county allowed at the March, 1896, term of court:

WITNESS CIRCUIT COURT.	
Mat Melquist	6 00
John Guier	2 00
G H Dufur	3 00
Knud Hange	4 00
David King	4 00
Emma Carna	2 00
Pearl Blake	2 00
Ira Gilmore	2 00
E M Shutt, sec'y stock union, bounty on wild animals	60 00
H Teague, bounty on wild animals	3 00
M W Morris	1 00
W H Odell	4 00
Alex Dairyapple	1 00
Ralph Doyle	4 00
Ralph Walters	2 00
E T Greene	1 00
Geo Sherrill	1 00
M Allen	1 00
Ralph Doyle	3 00
L A Daly	1 00
J W Brown	2 00
John Templeire	2 00
F C Cloure	2 00
W A B Campbell	7 00
W R Winans	2 00
Tommy Thompson	2 00
E Dunsmore	2 00
Robert Hayes	1 00
Joseph E Ensley	4 00
Ed Hill	1 00
David Miller	2 00
Frank Bonner	1 00
Chas Davis	1 00
W H Howell	4 00
S P Ward	6 00
Phil Wagner	1 00
Robert Hayes	1 00
Sam Vickers	1 00
C A Gibon	1 00
J F Jones	1 00
Bert Davidson	1 00
W H Kenney	3 00
Peter Slatter	1 00
D Davidson	3 00
W J Davidson	1 00
W J Harmon	1 00
W L Hendricks	3 00
J W Pennington	1 00
J L Hanna	1 00
M M Morris	3 00
A J Grubb	1 00
Frank Johnston	1 00
D D Nelson	1 00
Henry Sullinger	2 00
H Moses	1 00
N J Spichenger	1 00
L Cover	2 00
M Thornburg	15 00
Tom Taniwa	1 00

In the fall of 1893 a son of Mr. T. A. McFarland, a prominent merchant of Live Oak, Sutter county, Calif., was taken with a very heavy cold. The pains in his chest were so severe that he had spasms and was threatened with pneumonia. His father gave him several large doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which broke up the cough and cured him. Mr. McFarland says whenever his children have croup he invariably gives them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it always cures them. He considers it the best cough remedy in the market. For sale by Blakeley & Houghton's Drug store.

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SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco. F. Davenport, C. Wood, M. M. Davenport, C. E. Coppel and F. Short, partners doing business under the firm name of Davenport & Brown Lumber Co., Plaintiffs.

vs. C. P. Heald, Mary P. Heald, H. C. Coe, Kittie Coe, S. E. Barinnes, A. S. Disbrow, H. E. Noble, Eugene D. White, W. L. Adams and Otis Savage, Defendants. To C. P. Heald and Mary P. Heald, Defendants: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county; or if served within any other county of this state, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you; or if served upon you by publication, then on or before the first day of the next regular term of this court; and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiffs will take judgment against you and apply to the court for the relief prayed for in their complaint.

This summons is served by publication upon you, the said C. P. Heald and Mary P. Heald, in pursuance of an order of the above entitled court made and entered hereto on the 11th day of February, 1896. feb15

Guardian's Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Abernethy, guardian of the person and estate of Joseph Shields, a person of feeble health, has filed his final account with said estate in the county clerk's office of Wasco County, State of Oregon, and that the 24 day of March, 1896, being the first day of the regular March term of the county court of said county, in probate, for the year 1896, at 10 o'clock, a. m. of said day, has been appointed as the time for hearing said final account and report, and that the said hearing will be had, together with any objections thereto, if any are made, before the Hon. George C. Blakeley, County Judge at the county courthouse in the county courthouse in the Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon.

All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and there show cause, if any there be, why said final account should not in all things be approved and allowed. This notice is published by order of the Hon. George C. Blakeley, Judge of the county court of the State of Oregon, for Wasco County, of date January 24, 1896. FRANK ABERNETHY, Guardian of the person and estate of Joseph Shields, a person of feeble health. Dated January 24, 1896. 123

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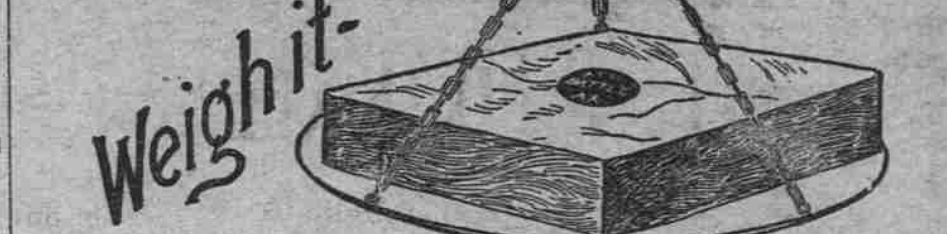
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