

News from School.

One half of this school term has passed, and the studies are still being pursued with about the same energy and interest as at the beginning of the term.

In the high school the classes in History, Literature, Rhetoric, Civil Government, Science and Mathematics are well up with their grade work and never made more satisfactory progress. The first year class in Classics is studying the "Essay on Lucretius" by Lowell, and Lincoln's "Gettysburg Speech." The second year class has just finished Goldsmith's "Deserted Village" and are taking up Scott's "Ivanhoe." The third year class is manifesting an extraordinary enthusiasm in "Hamlet." They even meet evenings to discuss points in the plot and phases of the different characters. This is the first year the historical romances has been taken up as a regular study. The class in Geology has never had access to as many good specimens as this year, and the result is shown by their rapid progress and high interest.

While we realize that our supreme occupation in school is seeking intellectual development and earnest application in the pursuits in which we are now, generally, so actively engaged, we do not hesitate to turn aside occasionally from our studies to some useful and needed recreation. We realize that "all work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." The girls, or rather those who desire it, have their physical exercise and dumb bell drill and the boys the foot ball game. The high school now has a fine team. Nearly every afternoon at close of school they may be seen practicing. The team has a match game with the academy at Goldendale on Thanksgiving day. Foot ball is one of the great games of America, and does much to develop courage and manliness in its participants, though it does sometimes result in a few bruised shins and bumped noses. Moreover, a good team organization creates a feeling of sympathy and engenders a good school spirit.

The high school debating club will debate the question "Resolved, That the Use of Machinery is Injurious to the Laboring Class," this evening in connection with the program of the literary society.

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Strange Freaks of Rich Men to Escape the Grim Reaper.

The Most Childish Expedients Resorted to by Monomaniacs on This Subject - Some of the Quietest Cases.

A man who, while poor, is not more afraid to die than most people, often develops a haunting terror of death after he has made a big fortune, and spends an unhappy life and huge sums of money in trying to avoid the coming fate, frequently burying himself into a premature grave through sheer worry and fear. This passion, says London Answers, has turned the brains of a good many wealthy people and made monomaniacs of them. They resort to the most childish expedients to keep death from their doors.

You remember Kipling's character, who had his chair slung on ropes from a beam that the world might spit under him, instead of carrying him along to grow older. There was an actual case very like this a few years ago, when John Isip, an Englishman, who made a huge fortune out of silver in Mexico, drove himself mad through worrying about his death.

After exhausting all the safeguards London could offer, he bought a small rocky island called Bryhill, on the West Irish coast, taking with him one faithful servant. Here, in feverish haste, he had four stone pillars raised and a small one-story cabin, with three rooms, rather like a horseboat, slung on chairs from iron girders that crossed the pillars and swung clear of the ground. Once inside this, he shut himself up with some books and a pet jack-faw for company, and never left his swinging house until his death.

The attendant, who lived in a small house close by, used to row to the mainland a mile and a half when the weather permitted, for provisions. The master spent his time reading and looking out over the Atlantic from the cabin windows. His brain had given way, of course, and he imagined his life stood still, while the earth revolved under him. He had no relatives to insist on his entering a private asylum, and he died three years later in the cabin, worried out of life by the fear of death. His hair was snow-white, though he was only 43.

Another wealthy man, Jean Inglesant, though he had made a fortune by shrewd speculation, also gave way to the dread of death. He conceived the idea that all movement and effort wasted the tissues of the body, and this notion sunk so deeply into his mind that he went to live in a quiet country house and hardly moved hand or foot for years; if he even stirred a finger he did it with dread, believing it used up his vitality and shortened his life by so much time. He spoke as little as possible, sometimes not opening his lips for days, and was fed by attendants with spoons. All his food consisted of "soups," to ease him the fatal exertion of chewing, and his one amusement was being read to by the hour together, for he would not hold a book or turn the pages. Even the reading he did away with toward the close of his life, believing that listening shortened his existence.

One of the queerest cases was that of a Mrs. Holmes, a very wealthy widow, who had a terrible fear of germs and bacilli of all kinds. She had studied the subject deeply, and it affected her reason, to all appearance. The dread of death seized her, and she was convinced she would die by some wasting disease inspired by microbes. Knowing that cold is fatal to the average germ, she had two rooms adjoining each other fitted as refrigerators and kept constantly at a temperature of about 32 degrees, or just below freezing point. One would suppose this to be more trying than any quantity of microbes; but the owner was happy in her consciousness of freedom from germ disease. Winter and summer the rooms were kept at the same point, and the adjoining rooms and hall were also kept cool, that no current of warm air might bring bacilli in.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of Wasco county, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Francis Ross, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to present the same to me, duly verified, at the office of W. H. Wilson, in Dalles City, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated November 10, 1900.

GEO. F. ROSS, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the county court of the state of Oregon, for Wasco county, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth A. Southern, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present the same, with the proper voucher therefor, to me at my office in Boyd, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof. Dated September 24, 1900.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the clerk of the county court of the state of Oregon for Wasco county their final account as executors of the last will and testament of Henry Barnum, deceased, and that Monday, the 4th day of November, 1900, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by the County Court for said county as the time, and the county court room in Dalles City as the place for hearing of objections to said final account and the settlement of the same.

J. W. FRENCH, F. P. MAY, Executors.

NOTICE FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has duly filed with the County Clerk of Wasco County, Oregon, his final account and report as administrator of the estate of Adolph Agidius, deceased, and that the Honorable County Court has fixed Monday, the 4th day of November, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day as the time, and the County Court room of the County Court house in Dalles City, Wasco County, Oregon, as the place for hearing said final account and report. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and show cause, if any there be, why said report should not be approved and said administrator discharged.

Dated this 3th day of October, 1900.
J. P. AGIDIUS, Administrator of the estate of Adolph Agidius, deceased.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco.

In the matter of the estate of Louis Schwabacher, deceased. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Louis Schwabacher, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate of said deceased are hereby notified to present them, duly verified, to the undersigned at his office in the store room of Fleischler, Mayer & Company, in the City of Portland, Oregon, within six months from the date hereof.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1900.
SALOMON HIRSCH, Administrator.
COTTON, TRAIL & MINOR, Attorneys for Administrator.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has duly filed with the county clerk of Wasco county, Oregon, his final account and report as executor of the estate of Phoebe J. Haight, deceased, and that the Honorable County Court has fixed Monday, the 5th day of November, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day as the time, and the county court room in the county court house in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, as the place for hearing said final account and report. All persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at said time and place and show cause, if any there be, why said report should not be approved and said executor discharged.

Dated this 29th day of September, 1900.
FRANK MENEFEE, Executor of the estate of Phoebe J. Haight, deceased.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT THE DALLES, OREGON, October 27, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at the Dalles, Oregon, on Wednesday, December 5, 1900, viz:

Hattie L. Bandy.
of the Dalles, Oregon, H. E. No. 5533, for the SW 1/4, sec 21, T 2 N, R 12 E, W. M. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Frank Lappier, of the Dalles, Oregon, Albert G. McKaney, of Mt. Hood, Oregon, Henry C. McKaney and Eric Grenlund, of the Dalles, Or.

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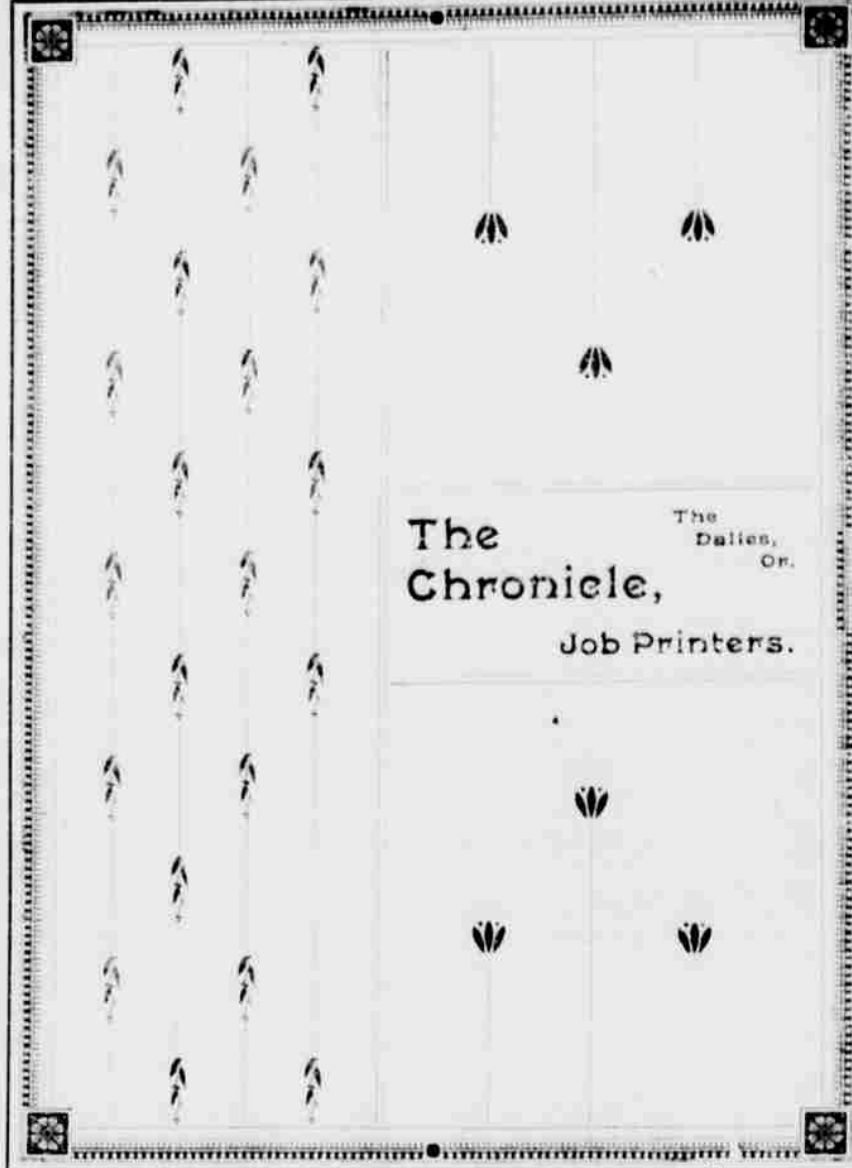
LAND OFFICE, VANCOUVER, Wash., October 26, 1900.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. E. Ross, Register and Receiver for the District of Washington, at Goldendale, Wash., on Monday, December 10, 1900, viz:

George B. St. Lawrence.
of Lyle P. O., Wash., who made H. E. No. 10,000, for the W 1/2, sec 24, R 12 W 1/2, T 3 N, R 12 E, W. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
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