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TUESDAY, APRIL 7, 1903.

GENERAL NEWS.

Much opposition is developed to the Panama canal treaty in Colombia.

Harry Stratton has succeeded in breaking his father's will and will receive \$350,000 in cash from the estate.

Rev. Charles Parkhurst in his sermon Sunday, said that many negroes would be better off if slavery still existed.

A new cabinet has been formed in Hayti, the old cabinet having resigned because they were censured by the senate.

A general strike has been proclaimed in Holland as a protest against the proposed anti-strike laws of that country.

Charlie Fleming, a 9-year-old adopted boy, was kidnapped from St. John's parochial school, in Somerville, Mass., Thursday.

The recent cold snap in Maryland froze early vegetation and it is stated that there will be no peach or strawberry crop.

The enlisted men of the navy are to be given a net shore leave of 10 days when the battleships are docked next month.

Emerson Hall, the proposed new hall of philosophy at Harvard, has \$75,000 promised of the \$150,000 required to build it.

Arthur Pennell, the suspect in the Burdick case, who committed suicide, is now said to have been a defaulter to the sum of \$150,000.

All four years of the course at Yale are to be elective hereafter. This rule will make it possible for a freshman to drop Greek and other unnecessary studies.

Frank Buchanan, the leader of the Bridge and Ironworkers in their struggle with the United States Steel Corporation, predicts a general labor war throughout the country.

Two negroes were killed, two seriously hurt and nine slightly injured by falling walls in a brick tenement house at Louisville, Ky., Thursday. The collapse caught the inmates asleep in their beds.

As a result of a long crusade, the board of commissioners of the District of Columbia yesterday adopted a regulation forbidding expectorating on the sidewalks, making a violation thereof subject to a fine of \$1.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST NEWS.

Dunsmuir, Cal., suffered a \$200,000 loss by fire Monday morning.

Ollie Drumgald, of Julietta, Idaho, took carbolic acid Monday and died before aid could be summoned.

The fifth annual championship tournament of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association will be held at Portland April 22-25.

The receipts from fines in Astoria for the month of March, was \$1,287. The total annual income from liquor licenses is \$20,000.

Mayor Williams, of Portland, has been asked to appoint a committee to arbitrate the differences between labor unions and employers.

The 2-year-old daughter of H. F. Cassidy, of Boise City, was run over and horribly mangled by an electric car Monday. She may recover.

The fast mail trains on the O. R. & N. will hereafter stop five minutes at Multnomah Falls, for the purpose of allowing tourists to view the falls.

Robert George, of Astoria, was killed by a logging train Monday. He attempted to jump on the moving engine and fell under the wheels.

Water Bailiff Ed Marshall, of Astoria, seized 3,000 pounds of salmon on the Clatskanie Monday, which had been caught in violation of the law.

Donald Ross, of Whatcom, Wash., committed suicide Monday by shooting himself with a 32-calibre rifle. Despondency and drink were the causes.

Employees at the Insane asylum have petitioned for an increase of wages. The board of asylum commissioners has the request under advisement.

E. A. Smith, of McMinnville, who won the state oratorical contest on an oration said to be stolen from Senator Vance, will be held by the McMinnville College for plagiarism.

Two hoboes were arrested at Bonneyville, Monday, for breaking into O. R. & N. freight cars. They were selling cigars so cheaply that it aroused suspicion and their theft was soon discovered.

ALBA HAPPENINGS

SNOW ABOUT GONE. GRASS GROWING SLOW.

Very Little Loss of Stock in the Valley—Alba Sawmill Started Up Last Wednesday—James Lehman Fixing Up His Summer Resort.

Alba, April 6.—The old snow is nearly all gone, but Sunday morning the ground was coated white to a depth of two inches. However, it is nearly all gone. Stock is nearly all in pastures, but grass is very short and never was known to grow so slow. What little range there is left is nearly covered with snow yet and no sign of vegetation in Uncle Sam's pasture. There has been very little loss of stock that has wintered in the valley, but parties that have wintered at the straw stacks are driving in short a good many cattle that have died during the long winter.

George E. Stocker will leave this week for a trip to California for the benefit of his health. His son Mac will have charge of his interests while he is gone.

A. Downs will start a force of men on the roads in a few days, which are in very bad condition at present.

The Alba sawmill will start sawing lumber the first of April.

Ellis Connell gave a birthday party at the home of his parents, on April 4, that day being his 9th anniversary.

Herbert Thompson, who moved from here to the C. Wilson place, four miles south of Pilot Rock, with his family, are all afflicted with the small-pox.

William Scott and David Ingram are building five miles of fence this spring.

James Lehman is preparing to run his summer resort himself this summer, and will be all ready to entertain when warm days come again.

RIDGE ITEMS.

Three Hundred Head of Cattle Wintered in the Straw Fields, Taken to Mountain Pastures.

Ridge, April 5.—Robert Moore and Thomas McEwen, of Ukiah, passed up with cattle the first of the week. They have over 300 head, which were wintered in the straw fields and then pushed to the Columbia River for early spring forage. It took them two weeks to come from the river, and their cattle were in fair shape. Only 15 head of their stock died last winter.

George B. Taylor has erected his telephone line from W. E. Baker's to Nye, thus adding about four or five more miles.

We have had very moderate weather for the past week. We had a thunder and hailstorm Monday; cloudy and windy the rest of the week. Dust storms from the north-west Friday evening; cold west wind Saturday and snow in the evening; raw day Sunday, the thermometer registering from 33 to 54 above.

Miss Eva Ogle, of Athena, is sick at present with the measles, but is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Wachter made a business trip to Pendleton this week. H. B. Owens was transacting business in Pendleton this week.

ECHO NOTES.

Mrs. Miller to Give Entertainment Next Tuesday—Robert Stanfield Ships Cattle to The Dalles.

Echo, Or., April 5.—Mrs. Charles H. Miller on next Tuesday evening, will give an entertainment for the benefit of the M. E. church. Following is the program which she has prepared with great care: Solos by Mrs. Schuyler Miller, Mrs. Charles H. Miller, Garfield Stansbury and Percy Ripper; readings by Misses Duncan and Moorhouse and Mrs. Jones and Messrs. Jinnett and Greene; quintet, by Messrs. Mudge, Atkinson, Stansbury, Manner and Miller; piano recitals by Miss Agnes Boyd and Mrs. Charles H. Miller.

Robert Stanfield, of Butter Creek, shipped eight carloads of 2-year-old steers to The Dalles today to pasture. The market not suiting him, he decided that the growth would be sufficient to justify him in holding them over.

Wheat at Nolin.

William F. Yohnka, the auctioneer, who lives 14 miles west, between Yonkum and Nolin, reports that some winter wheat in that neighborhood, was winter killed, but the acreage was not large. The wheat, with the exception of the very small areas mentioned, looks finely at this juncture.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of T. F. Howard, architect, up to 12 o'clock noon of April 13th, 1903, for the erection and completion of a two-story frame residence, with some basement for Dr. C. J. Smith, according to plans prepared for the same by T. F. Howard, architect. Separate bids will be received for the stone work of the basement. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids for the work. April 1st, 1903.

Notice to Contractors. We will notify you later, the date we want the horses brought in for inspection. Yours truly, HENRY OLDENSTADT, HERMAN METZGER. For further particulars, write to Herman Metzger, Portland Ore.

Stock Farm for Sale. We have the Jas. Lindsay farm, near Alba for sale. It consists of 640 acres, 140 acres in timothy; more than 200 acres in wild hay, which will grow timothy. A portion will grow wheat and barley, balance pasture; abundance of water. All fenced; good buildings. Will sell in one, two or three tracts. Easy terms. BENTLEY & HARTMAN.

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Claude Riddle, of Vancouver, has deserted his wife and children. He has been located at Astoria.

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White China pie plates, per set, 65c (Olds, Wortman & King's price is \$1.25.)

14-Qt. Granite Dishpan, each 50c

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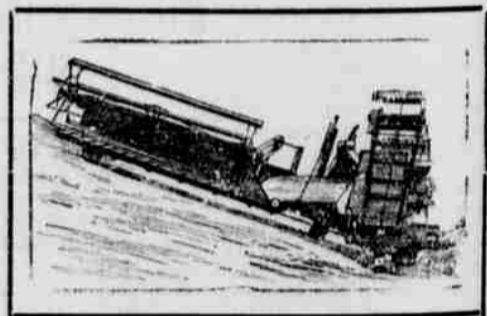
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