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WESTLINGS.

Basket dance at the state fish hatchery on Christmas night.

New and latest style of silver plate ware at Hurd & Davenport's.

The products of the country find a ready market here, especially eggs.

Hood's Pills are hand made, and perfect in proportion and appearance.

J. I. Critzer, of Gardiner, a socialist, has been writing for the Roseburg Review.

Osborne Mowers and Rakes for sale at Meyer & Kyle's.

Guns, pistols, etc., repaired by M. W. Krnowsky.

The Trans-Mississippi congress will next meet at Omaha, that place receiving 92 votes to 87 for Portland, Ore.

One hundred and eight cases are on the docket to be tried at the next term of the Douglas county circuit court.

The most remarkable cures of scrofula on record have been accomplished by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The citizens of west Florence are repairing the sidewalk in that part of the city in a substantial manner.

As savings are getting few in the booms here, it is quite a serious question with some mill men how they are to supply their mills with saw timber before the freshets swell the flow of the river.

The Medford Mail is now printed on a power press. That is a practical and a natural result of publishing a newspaper in a town where the people understand its benefits.

A drive whist party was given on last Tuesday evening by Mrs. Alice Burns to a few friends.

Deputy Game Warden C. W. Watts, returned from Josephine county today with Anna Morris, who was arrested on a warrant, charging him with killing deer for their hides.

The Union Savings and Loan Association bank, in the Marquam building, at Portland, was robbed of \$2500 on Thanksgiving night.

News From Eugene.

We learn that the residence of Dr. T. W. Harris was entered by tramps last Saturday night, and some eatables were taken.

Last evening at the home of J. J. Mathis, about ten miles west of here on Spencer creek, quite a serious accident happened to little Emma Mathis.

For rheumatism I have found nothing equal to Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

The schooner W. F. Jewett, Captain Johnson, is at Port Angeles Wash., receiving the first cargo of ties and structural timbers for railway construction on the Hawaiian islands.

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THE REAPER HAS COME.

A Pioneer Lady of the Siuslaw Country Passes Quietly Away.

In the last issue of this paper mention was made about Mrs. John Whisman being prostrated by bleeding from the nose. This was temporarily checked, but commenced again Thursday evening, November 22, at 7 o'clock, and continued until 1 o'clock the following afternoon.

Miss Abbie Elizabeth Johnson was the eldest daughter of Rev. J. Johnson, a Methodist minister, and was born near Bedford, Massachusetts, on December 15, 1849.

The deceased leaves a husband, two married daughters, Mrs. Anna H. Taylor and Mrs. Daisy D. Neely, and Cora, an unmarried daughter, and two sons, Willie and Frances, to mourn their loss.

Mrs. Abbie Whisman was a member of the Methodist church and lived the life taught in the noblest doctrines of Christianity.

Funeral services will be held at the family residence, in West Florence, today (Friday) at 2 o'clock.

TSILCOOS.

A New Lay Letter from the Lakes—Personal Mention.

By GAIL MAKER.

"The wind bloweth where it listeth," Ich Dien.

Mr. Erlart improved the fine weather getting his house lumber home.

Supervisor Flint is on Fiddle creek superintending work on the road.

I am informed that Mr. Fisk of Acme will build on his Tsilcoos ranch very soon.

Mr. Schuster has also been hauling and scoring lumber from the river with which to build an addition to his house.

The report of a cold, driving snow-storm from the old eastern home on Nov. 12th chases away a little of the homesickness.

I was in hopes those head-lines would be too tired to "set up" again; too often there is considerable hyperbole about that "newsy letter."

To relieve the monotony, keep up the dignity of office and add an item to the county expenses an occasional lawsuit is brought before the justice of Lake precinct.

Col. C. H. Holden, after an extensive pleasure (?) trip across and around the lakes, bespeaks a great future for the Lakes county. May he prove a true prophet. I believe he also remarked that he thought the scenery etc. peculiarly adjusted to the creating of authors and even poets. (Oh!)

Gail Maker was always a great hand to give a name to every thing. There is not a chicken, cat, dog, calf, cow, horse or child on Lakeside ranch that has not its name. Now, Mr. Landis, all I want to say about the proposed new county is to suggest a name. If its birthday occurs during the reign of the coming "Lora" let us call it Lora county.

Mr. Schuster's family arrived here in May. It was some two months later when they began work on their farm, when they purchased from Mr. Alexander. Now, he who doubts the productivity of our upland soil should visit their fields; turkeys and bees as large as water buckets, squashes, cabbages, etc. in abundance and equal to the best.

It has been calculated by a resident mathematician that a creamery or a cheese factory were established at a convenient point on Tsilcoos lake, the milk from 200 cows would be available at once, and in lieu of such an event, the number would quickly be doubled. If the Siuslaw gets a creamery our dairy butter will certainly be left in the shade—or the sun.

BASKET DANCE.

On Christmas night, December 25th, there will be a dance at the fish hatchery, Mapleton. This is to be a basket dance, the ladies bring lunch, and hot coffee will be served at the Mapleton hotel.

The steamer will make the round trip from Florence, charging only half fare and the ticket for the dance 75 cents. All are invited.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Florence post-office for month ending November 30, 1904.

Gove, S. E. Hannus, Jacob.

Parties calling for any of the above will please say "advertised."

Wm. Kyle, Postmaster.

PEOPLE POINTED OUT.

Mrs. E. B. Miller was a passenger on Barrett's stage for Gardiner on Wednesday.

Merchant Charles Gettys, of Seaton, attended the dance here on Thanksgiving evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Neely came down from Seaton on Saturday to attend a Workman's banquet.

Mrs. J. R. Stiles, postmaster at Point Terrace, was a visitor in this town for a couple of days during this week.

Mrs. James Neely arrived here from Seaton Saturday last past to attend at the bed-side of her sick mother, Mrs. John Whisman.

Miss Emma Forsyth came over from Maple creek on Thanksgiving day to visit her sister, Mrs. Drew Severy, and attended the dance.

Messrs. Fred and Chester Bean came to Florence from Mapleton on Thanksgiving day and were seen dancing in the evening at the hall.

Mr. George Nichols, who resides near Mapleton, was here to attend the dance given by the Florence Cornet Band on Thanksgiving evening.

The Misses Mary and Luella Neely, accompanied by their brother Thomas, were in Florence on Thanksgiving evening to visit their mother, Mrs. J. A. Neely.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Berkrem, of the life-saving station at Gardiner, came up to our city on Saturday last, and on Sunday started for Eugene where they go to consult physicians for Mrs. Berkrem.

IVISO ITEM.

By Ich Dien.

Fine weather. Getting cool at nights.

Salmon coming up the creeks. Allen Chastain is contemplating a trip to Brownsville in a few days.

The post office at Varlen, is now in charge of Samuel Withrow as P. M.

A Warden is busy engaged in building an addition to his dwelling house.

Mrs. Leroy Elinauer leaves in a few days to visit relatives in Southern Oregon.

A. Warden and family visited W. T. Cornelius and his family near Pleasant Hill, last week.

Glad to hear that our worthy Editor has a new wood shed. Hope he has it full of dry wood.

Most every one in this neighborhood has had the la grippe this fall, but a few are about over it at present.

Henry Campbell left for California a few days ago. He has been stopping with A. F. Davis for the past year.

J. R. Davis and Postmaster Mabe sold a lot of four and five-year-old steers last week to B. S. Hyland, of Junction City. Price 1 1/2 cents per pound.

L. A. Chastain is at home at present from Halsey where he has been working for some time. He is planting out a lot of fruit trees and otherwise improving his ranch.

Thanksgiving passed very quietly in this neighborhood. The conventional turkey and cranberries failed to materialize with your humble servant, so we had to content ourselves with sausage and gooseberries.

We were glad to see items from so many different sections of our country in the last issue of THE WEST. I extend a hearty welcome to all new correspondents and would like to see the old ones more punctual in the future.

Mr. Editor, why not arrange a plan for a reunion of THE WEST correspondents to take place sometime in the near future? It would be pleasant and interesting to all and we should not lose sight of sociability in our haste to develop our new country.

Wm. T. Cornelius, who left here about 18 months ago to reside near Pleasant Hill, talks of coming back to his ranch in the spring. It is generally the case when a man who has a ranch in this country, and is doing well enough, and then pulls up to go somewhere else to better his condition, soon begins to see where he missed it. We welcome the return of all such men.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

BAND BOYS' DANCE.

The Florence Cornet Band gave a dance on Thanksgiving night at Cathery's hall, and the largest gathering of dancers that have met in this town at one time for many months were there.

The music was good, the dancers in a happy humor, and nothing was wanting to mar the enjoyment of the evening.

At three o'clock in the morning the company dispersed, each guest speaking in high terms of the band boys' dance.

The receipts of the evening aggregated \$25.50 and after paying small expense bills, the balance will be expended for an instrument.

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A CREAMERY OFFER.

The following letter is self-explanatory: PORTLAND, OR., Nov. 26, 1904.

Editor West: I am special agent for Baker & Hamilton, San Francisco.

We are engaged in building and equipping creamery companies. We call together and assist in co-operating the farmers into corporations, by which they enable themselves to secure a market for all they can produce.

I understand that your country is a good dairy country, hence I take this liberty of asking you if the people of your country wish anything of this kind.

The only prosperous countries at the present are those where the creameries are located. If I was allowed to come out there for a month and organize, I suppose we could ship direct from San Francisco, could we not? And should we expect to do business with you we should have to know what lumber, shingles, etc. would cost on the ground.

Humboldt county, California, is the banner county in California in dairying, and, if I am correctly informed, you have the same kind of country. There are 29 creameries in that county within five years. Please answer me by return mail if your people wish anything of the kind.

We will contract to build and equip complete and start it up to work to your utmost satisfaction before you pay one cent, then we are easy on the subscriber. Awaiting an early reply, I am,

Geo. S. Casady, P. O. Box 628.

The West has been urging the building of a creamery for many months. Its persistent efforts have so far only resulted in talk among the farmers, they having formed no plans as yet.

We believe arrangements have been made among the dairymen on Maple creek to purchase a separator early in the coming year. There can be no doubt about the erection of a creamery on this river in the near future, but the exact time for active and personal work by builders we cannot now determine, as we have not the advice of the dairymen.

SH. RIFF'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by virtue of an Execution duly issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County, on the 9th day of November, 1904, a Judgment rendered in said Court on the 23rd day of October, 1904, for the sum of \$1181.33 with interest thereon at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum from said 23rd day of October, 1904, and for the sum of \$100.00 attorney's fees, and the further sum of \$83.35 costs in said suit, wherein David Smith was Plaintiff, and N. H. Bjeldanes, Joseph Bjeldanes, George Pederson and Charles Anderson were Defendants, and against said Defendants, N. H. Bjeldanes and George Pederson, and on a decree of Foreclosure and Order of Sale, rendered in said suit, commanding me, in order to satisfy said Judgment and costs, and accruing costs, to sell the following described Real Property, to wit: Lots 3, 4 and 5 of Section 18; Lot 1, of Sec. 24, Tp. 18 South, Range 12 West and Lot 8 of Sec. 18; and Lot 4 of Sec. 19, Tp. 18 South, Range 12 West, containing 165.91 Acres in Lane County, Oregon, together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereon belonging or in anywise appertaining; NOW THEREFORE, I will offer for sale said Real Property, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, on Monday the 17th day of December, 1904, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., to wit: at 1 o'clock P. M. of said day.

A. J. JOHNSON, Sheriff of Lane County, Oregon.

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LANE COUNTY, OREGON.

To persons desiring reliable information regarding the wonderful resources of Lane county, or for prices and terms of grain, stock or fruit farms in the Willamette Valley or town property either in Eugene or Florence, we recommend you to correspond with E. J. Frasier, secretary and manager of the E. J. Frasier Co., Land & Loan Co., Eugene, Oregon. Send for one of their latest descriptive circulars. Read their ad. in another part of this paper.

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