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WESTLINGS.

The creamery started May the first.

Ladies' fancy belts at A O Funke's.

Rhododendrons are again in bloom.

Get your your boy a suit at A O Funke's.

Notice the ad of the American Woolen Mills.

Screen Doors with Spring Hinges $1.00 at F L Chambers, Eugene.

For Dress Cutting and Fitting call at the Ladies Bazaar at Point Terrace.

Now is the time to put in your Hay Carrier outfit. F L Chambers has them.

The San Francisco Examiner and the WEST for one year $2.50 paid in advance.

Full stock of new designs in wall paper. Prices low. F L Chambers, Eugene.

Pale, emaciated, thin, weak men and women. Hudyan cures. All druggists, 50 cents.

Hood's pills are non-irritating and the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Mrs. J J Emmons bought a "Pacific Queen." Ask her opinion of it if you want a sewing machine.

The Bain is the most durable wagon built. See them before you buy. F L Chambers, Eugene, Or.

Some of the cattle around town are causing considerable trouble by jumping into the enclosures.

Racking headaches, bleary eyes, weakness, noises in the head. Hudyan cures. All druggists, 50 cents.

A Crescent Bicycle to be given away free. Write F L Chambers for full particulars, Eugene, Oregon.

The University boys came out victorious in the recent debate with the Pacific and Willamette university teams.

Yesterday was Mrs E A Morgan's 63 birthday and she still has living that most precious of friends—a mother.

Mrs Sarah Smith received the sad news this week of the death of her only child, Charles Sinclair, at Winters, California.

Anyone desiring to purchase a new sewing machine may find it to his interest to call at the WEST office and ascertain what we offer in that line.

The next quarterly teacher's examination will commence May 10th. After this examinations will be held semi-annually.

Racine Buggies and Hacks have a twelve years reputation in this country. Another full car load just received direct from the factory. F L Chambers Eugene.

Ninety per cent. of the people have some kind of humor in the blood, and this causes many diseases. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures these diseases by expelling the humor.

Those who did not have their potatoes housed last winter had a good many frozen, and as a result potatoes are scarce and are selling at from 60 to 75 cents per bushel.

4,000 pieces of Tinware, half car of Stoves, car of Twine, car of nails and wire, car of Iron and a big supply of all hardware which was bought before the advance in prices, enables me to supply all lines at away down prices. See me before you buy. F L Chambers, Eugene.

We urge our subscribers who are in arrears for the WEST to send us all or a part of the amount of your subscriptions. The price of a year's subscription is a small amount but it is by putting those small amounts together that we manage to pay our bills.

Harry Klein was taken to Salem today by Sheriff Withers for commitment in the Oregon hospital for the insane. Klein was doing time in the county jail awaiting the grand jury on the charge of stealing three coats from the store of F E Dunn.

The WEST has for sale one years' tuition in the Holmes Business College of Portland. This is one of the leading business colleges on the coast, having English, Commercial, Shorthand and Telegraphic departments and we offer this tuition on easy terms.

Mark Hartley writes us from Potter Valley, Cal. saying: "We are doing moderately well here with goats and turkeys but could do better with more means to go on. We like the country fine but would not advise any one with a home on the Siuslaw to quit it for any trifling cause. It is all very well to see the sunshine and the clear blue sky but it takes rain to make 'taters' grow."

The "Death Knell" has been sounded to Apothecaries' Drugs, and a sign "To Let" will be in many windows of Doctor offices since the AUNT JANE Home Remedy for female troubles has been placed on the market. Every man or woman, married or single, should send a two-cent stamp to our office for a beautifully illustrated circular, free. Address The Aunt Jane Medicine Co., rooms 13-14 Lewis Building, Portland, Oregon.

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Makes the food more delicious and wholesome.
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PERSONALS.

John Morris was in town Wednesday.

Geo Masterson was seen on our streets this week.

L M Christensen expects to start for Alaska soon.

Rev. Knotts returned from Lake creek Monday.

Capt C G Wilson and wife left for Eugene Friday.

W Nichols of Meadow came down on Tuesday's boat.

B Dorsey of Violin river was seen on our streets Friday.

W H Weatherson attended the court house dedication at Eugene.

Mr Yates of Upper North Fork was in town the first of the week.

Mr and Mrs Elmer Johnson of Acme were trading in Florence Monday.

Miss Etta Saunders came down from Point Terrace to help Mrs Sutton.

C B Morgan came up from the life saving station on Barrett's stage Tuesday.

Mr and Mrs Severy visited over Sunday with their daughter, Mrs Chas Harwood.

P E Jackson was in town Saturday making final proof on his homestead at Mapleton.

M Noffsinger and family moved to the Rogers place on North Fork a few days ago.

Mr J A Levage's family came in from their farm on Mercer lake to spend a few days in Florence.

Miss Ella Safley went up the North Fork Wednesday for a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Will Johnson who has been spending the winter with his sister Mrs. Ed Evans left for Siletz, Monday.

H Landschooft of Linnens who has been quite ill for some time was seen on our streets Saturday.

Miss Mabel Anderson who has been confined to the house for several days is able to be about again.

Showers did not prevent Darius Vanderburg from making a business trip to this city Saturday.

Peter Erhardt came to Florence Saturday to meet his nephew and wife who just arrived from Kansas.

Jason Neely came down from his ranch at Meadow the week to spend a few days with his family.

Misses Bessie and Emma Brynd came down from Point Terrace Saturday for a short visit with friends here.

L C Ackerly has been suffering from an inflamed eye and came from Minerva Tuesday to consult Dr Darrin.

O W Hurd returned home Tuesday after an absence of two weeks at Portland, Astoria and other points.

John Lawson and daughter came up from the Life Saving Station, Tuesday to consult Dr. Darrin. They remained several days.

Mrs Albert Karnowsky returned last Friday from a visit to her parents on North Fork, She was accompanied by Miss Angie Abbot.

Frank Knowles came down from Mapleton Monday morning to get a doctor for Grace Fisk who is quite ill at Capt Steear's place.

Mrs Geo Buss and son from Maple creek were in town Wednesday. Mr Buss is one of the men who were carried off by the gold fever this spring.

Dr Darrin arrived in Florence by yesterday's boat. A rush of professional business at Hale detained him a week longer than he expected to remain there.

Arthur Johnson and family came down from their home on Sweet creek to see his brother. They were none to soon as he bade them all the last farewell the next day.

Guard: Benj. Lester and wife, of Vancouver, B C, are here visiting G W Orcutt and family. Mr Lester is en route to Douglas county to take charge of the late Senator Reed's estate.

IMPROVED TRAIN SERVICE.

Effective Feb. 12th, the Northern Pacific will inaugurate double train service between Portland and all points east. Trains will leave Portland at 11:30 a m, and 11 p m daily. These trains will both be first class and fully equipped in every respect, heated by steam, vestibuled, standard Pullman and tourist sleepers, dining cars and colonist sleeping cars, with through sleeping cars to Missouri River points via Billings, which renders the service now offered by the Northern Pacific unequalied by any other transcontinental line. The only line to the Buffalo Hump territory. See that your tickets read via the Northern Pacific to all points east or south. For further information call on address,

R McMURPHY,
General Agent, Eugene, Or.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

I will sell, or trade for stock, 1 span of Morgan mares—well matched—weight 1050 each. H H FISK,
Ord, Oregon.

The final papers by which C D Thomas transfered the Idlewilde ranch on Tsiltcoos lake to Capt. C G Wilson were made out and signed at Eugene Monday. $1000 is the consideration mentioned in the deed.

THE RALPH SOLD.

April 25th, 1899.

The steamer Ralph was sold today for $610. There was a large crowd at the auction. Deputy U S Marshal S L Morse, of Portland, did the selling, and a man by the name of Trombly, a canneryman from Coos bay, bought her. The sale was protested by the owner, John Wall. The Ralph was tied up twice, first, because Capt. Wall did not have license to run a boat on the Umpqua; second, for violating the passenger law. After Capt Wall paid his fine for the first offense, which was $100, he hired Capt. Erickson to run the boat for him and it was he that violated the passenger law. The Ralph is allowed 12 passengers. One day down at the life saving station, near the mouth of river, she had an all the passengers that the law allowed her, but still there were two women (sisters of charity) who were very anxious to cross the river so Capt Erickson took them across unknown to his employer, and that is how Capt Wall and the steamer Ralph violated the law.

After Erickson had done this, violated the law himself, he went and informed the authorities that the Ralph had taken on 14 passengerg and by so doing had violated the passenger law and consequently she was tied up the second time. Capt Wall not seeing fit to pay the fine that Capt Erickson had imposed on the Ralph, by neglecting his duty as master, she was sold.

The reason that Erickson informed on the Ralph was that the informant receives half of the fine. Capt Erickson is a man who very seldom has any money, and when he does get a little he doesn't keep it long if there is a saloon around. Owing to his great appetite for liquor and the want of money to procure the same, it is noised around in Gardiner, quite loudly too, that the opposition steam boat company bribed Erickson to do numerous petty tricks which would work a hardship on the Ralph and benefit the opposing company.

When the Ralph was tied up the second time Erickson manoeuvered around and got the appointment as watchman of the boat at $2.50 per day; and he so shamefully neglected his duty that the machinery, hull and all is almost a total wreck and it impaired the sale considerable. The Ralph when tied up was worth about $1500.

Erickson neglected his duty as master of the Ralph while running her, and then again as watchman, after she was tied up. The sentiment of the Gardiner people is strongly against his receiving any compensation whatever for his services as watchman. A man who willfully neglects his duties, and his employer thereby loses hundreds of dollars, ought to be made to suffer for it just the same as though he had stolen it directly.

DIED.

April 29th, at the residence of his father in Glenada, William Christopher Johnson, aged 27 years and 14 days. The deceased is a son of L R Johnson and wife and was born in Ontario, Norfolk Co., Canada, He went with his parents to Kansas, then to Michigan and about eight years ago he came to the Siuslaw and purchased some property in Glenada and in time was joined by his parents and four brothers, Lucien, L G, Arthur and Roy. He married Miss Lily Beaver, of Sloan, Iowa, in 1893 and after spending a year or so in Glenada they moved to Iowa. Last summer he moved to Portland, Or. with his wife and young son, working in a ship-yard there till his health failed, they then came to Glenada about six weeks ago where he remained till the close of his "life's journey." His friends relatives did all they could to prolong his stay here, but it was not to be and he passed peacefully away to join his Maker last Saturday at 10 p m.

His relatives have the sympathy of a large number friends in this their hour of trouble.

Mrs Sweet the mother of Frank Sweet died at the residence of her son in Acme Wednesday afternoon, May 3rd, 1899 aged about 80 years.

She had been quite feeble for several years. The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon and the remains laid to rest in the Masonic cemetery at Acme.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Sunday school at 10 a m. Preaching at 11 a m, and 7 p m. Endeavor 3:30 p m. Preaching in Glenada at 2 p m. The Rev. W A Smick of Albany is expected in and will conduct most of the services.

I G KNOTTS, pastor.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to tender our thanks to the many friends who so kindly assisted us during the last illness of our son, William C Johnson.

L R JOHNSON AND FAMILY.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. 25c The genuine has L B Q on each tablet.

THINK about your health. Do not allow scrofula taints to develop in your blood. Take Hood's Sarsaparilla now and keep yourself WELL.

Dr. Darrin Has Arrived In Florence.

Proof of Wonderful Cures Being Performed by Him.

Consultation Free.

(Office hours from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

There can be no doubt nor question of the curative properties of electricity, judging from the extraordinary cases of cure performed by Dr. Darrin, now stopping at the Morris Hotel, Florence, Or., to May 25th.

The great advantage of electro-magnetic treatments is that it brings relief in a large number of cases professedly beyond the reach of the ordinary remedies of the physicians, and Dr. Darrin has enforced a belief in the curative powers of electricity upon the people by his remarkable cures.

The Dr. treats all chronic diseases successfully.

REFERENCES:

Ex-Judge J. H. Nosler, Coquille City, Or., partial paralysis and a breaking down of the system, restored five years ago.

Harry H. Baldwin, Bandon, Or., dyspepsia and neuralgia of the stomach five years, cured.

Truman Butler, The Dalles, Or., chronic rheumatism and contracted joints and impoverished blood, all of years standing, given up by all treatments until Dr. Darrin cured.

GENERAL NEWS.

A terrible cyclone passed through northern Missouri killing about one hundred persons and injuring about ten times that many. More than 400 buildings were blown down at Kirkville.

On April 27th the bodies of 356 U S soldiers and sailors arrived at Governor's island on the funeral transport, Crook. The mariners and sailors will be buried in the naval cemetery at the navy-yard. The bodies of 246 soldiers will be sent to the national cemetery at Arlington.

Striking miners blew up the Bunker Hill and Sullivan Mill at Wardner, Idaho, destroying property worth about $300,000. Threats are made to destroy it if rebuilt. It is thought that troops will be needed to settle the trouble.

ACME ITEMS.

BY A CORRESPONDENT.

Frank Sweet's mother is very ill.

Amos Haring was in Acme Saturday.

Miss Earnest Whitmore visited friends in Acme Saturday.

Arthur Johnson of North Fork was seen on our streets Monday.

School is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Eavens.

Mr Frank Alexander and family spent Sunday visiting with E P Waite on the farm.

Robert Vanderburg and family have moved to the Offield place. Mr Vanderburg is logging.

$100 REWARD $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list testimonials.

Address, F J Cheney & Co, Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists. 75c.
Hall's Family Pills are the best.

OFFICIAL ITINERARY.

Mrs L M N Stevens, national president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, and Miss Anna Gordon, vice president, to be in Eugene, Saturday and Sunday, May 27, and 28.

Mrs L M N Stevens, national president of the W C T U and Miss Anna Gordon, vice president, who left Chicago on Friday, April 14 on their western trip, will be in Eugene on the above dates, at which time they will hold a W C T U conference, with a view to promoting the highest possible interest of the work.

As these distinguished ladies hold only three conferences in the state, Eugene is very fortunate in being selected as one of the three.

Mrs Stevens and Miss Gordon are not only experienced W C T U workers in America, but in England and Canada as well. Both are able and statesmanlike women and too much can not be said in praise of their capabilities.

The public is cordially invited to attend this conference.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

One 2½ steel skein Mitchel Wagon with four heavy springs under bed, spring seat, neck-yoke and doubletrees all in good running order. Will sell for cash or trade for stock. Price $65.00.

Enquire of E E MABIN, Florence, Ore.

CHRONIC MALARIA

Differs materially from ordinary chills and fever. It is the result of repeated acute attacks. The liver and spleen are principally affected. They act as storehouses for the malarial poison and the blood takes it from them. The poison must be driven out of the system. HUDYAN will eradicate every trace of it. HUDYAN will destroy the action of the poison and eventually drive out the last particle of it from the system. In addition to this, HUDYAN will restore the lost appetite. It will build up the weakened system. HUDYAN will make new blood and new flesh. The pains in the bones will disappear. The befuddled brain will become clear. HUDYAN will do all this and make you well. HUDYAN has cured others and it will cure you. We describe the symptoms. Study them carefully. They are yours. Do not delay longer, but take HUDYAN now and you will be cured.

HERE ARE YOUR SYMPTOMS:

1. CONSTANT HEADACHE AND TROUBLED BRAIN. The malarial poison is circulating in the brain. HUDYAN will drive it out. HUDYAN will purify the blood and the brain will receive it in a pure state. Your headaches will disappear and your mind will become clear.
2. PALE OR YELLOWISH COMPLEXION. HUDYAN will establish a free circulation of pure blood and cause the cheeks to assume their natural color.
3. LOSS OF APPETITE AND GNAWING IN THE STOMACH. HUDYAN will clear the stomach and restore the appetite and the digestion of food will become perfect.
4. FEELING OF WEIGHT OVER THE LIVER. This is due to the enlargement of the liver. It is filled with the poison of malaria. HUDYAN will drive out the poison and cause the organ to assume its natural size.
5. HEAVINESS IN THE REGION OF THE SPLEEN. The spleen becomes greatly enlarged. HUDYAN, by its direct action on the malarial poison, will lessen the congestion and cause the heaviness to disappear.

You are suffering from Chronic Malaria and you can be cured. The relief is held out to you. It is HUDYAN. HUDYAN will relieve your every symptom and make you well. When you have used HUDYAN tell your friends what it has done for you. Hudyan can be obtained of all druggists for 50c per package, or six packages for $2.50. If your druggist does not keep it, send direct to the HUDYAN REMEDY COMPANY, San Francisco or Los Angeles, Cal. Remember that you can consult the HUDYAN DOCTORS FREE. Call and see the doctors. You may call and see them or write, as you desire. Address

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Los Angeles, Cal.
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San Francisco, Cal.

THOU ART GONE.

(Selected.)

To the memory of Eddie Whisman.

Thou art gone from our gaze,
Like a beautiful dream
And we seek thee in vain;
By the meadow and the stream
Oft we breathe thy dear name,
To the wind floating by.
But thy sweet voice is mute,
To our bosom's lone cry.

In the stillness of night
When the stars mildly shine
Our hearts fondly hold,
Sweet communion with thine
For we feel that thou art near
And wherever we may be
That God's spirit of love
Keeps a watch over thee.

FROM A FRIEND.

CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, April 25, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by L. V. Stingley, contestant, against the Homestead Entry No. 7,046, made March 17, 1892, for the w½ sw¼, ne¼ sw¼, section 17; the nw¼ nw¼, section 20, tp 18 south, range 11 w, by Marion D. Landis, contestee, in which it is alleged that he is well acquainted with the tract included in this homestead entry and knows the present condition of same; that the said Landis has wholly abandoned said tract, and changed his residence therefrom for more than six months since making said entry; that the said tract is not settled upon and cultivated as required by law, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 15, 1899, before C. H. Holden, United States Commissioner, at Florence, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 26, 1899, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Roseburg, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed April 8, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.
J. H. BOOTH, Receiver.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon
April 20, 1899.

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 C. H. Holden U. S. Commissioner at Lake Precinct, Douglas Co., Oregon, on June 3, 1899 viz: Stephen J Shrum, on H. E. No. 7915, for the ne¼ se¼, s½ ne¼, nw¼ ne¼, sec 19, t 19 s, r 11 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

E. B. Miller, A. A. Miner, W. T. Carl and G. A. Glover, all of Lake Precinct, Oregon.

J. T. BRIDGES,
Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
March 25, 1899.

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 Joel Ware, U. S. Commissioner at Eugene, Oregon, on May 27, 1899, viz: John L Beers on H. E. No. 9514 for the SW¼ NE¼, S½ NW ¼, Sec. 4; SE¼ NE¼, Sec. 5; Tp. 15 S., R. 10 West.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Luther E. Milledge, William M. Kirby and Pleasant L. Tucker of Hermann, Ore., and Spencer D. Lyons of Eugene, Oregon.

J T BARDGES,
Register

ACTIVE SOLICITORS WANTED EVERYWHERE for "The Story of the Philippines" by Murat Halstead, commissioned by the Government as Official Historian to the War Department. The book was written in army camps at San Francisco, on the Pacific with General Merritt, in the hospitals at Honolulu, in Hong Kong, in the American trenches at Manila, in the insurgent camps with Aguinaldo, on the deck of the Olympia with Dewey, and in the roar of the battle at the fall of Manila. Bonanza for agents. Brimful of original pictures taken by government photographers on the spot. Large book. Low prices. Big profits. Freight paid. Credit given. Drop all trashy unofficial war books. Outfit free. Address, F T Barber, Sec'y., Star Insurance Bldg., Chicago.

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They master us and force us into the arena,
Where like gladiators, we must fight for them."

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