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WESTLINGS.

Blanks for Warranty Deeds for sale at the West office.
The tug Maggie arrived Thursday morning from Tillamook.
The young men of Bandon are taking steps to organize a fire company.
We learn that the Spruce Point mill will resume operations next Tuesday.
We received a fine steed salmon yesterday which Mr Beck had ordered.
The San Francisco Examiner and the Wes for one year \$2.50 paid in advance.
The Roberts is loaded with salmon and will probably leave for Coos this morning.
Three cases of smallpox are reported in the family of M D Johnson of Mound precinct.
J J Emmons put up some new cave spots on the Old Fellow's building a few days ago.
Amusement, instruction and entertainment at the Magic Lantern display this evening.

The sidewalk leading to west Florence has been temporarily repaired for the convenience of pedestrians.
The steamer City of Eugene is laid upon a bar in the Willamette near Salem and can not be gotten off till the river rises.
Miss Isabel Kyle gave a birthday party last evening that being her eleventh birthday. All enjoyed the occasion very much.

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.
Two candidates were initiated in the I O O F lodge in Cottage Grove Saturday evening. A large number of the brethren from Eugene were present.
Frank Pepper gave a party yesterday afternoon in honor of his eleventh birthday. Quite a number of the boys and girls of his own age were present and enjoyed a merry afternoon.

The Grangers warehouse at Roseburg burned Monday night. The owner was Mrs Josephine. It was leased by Miller & Atkins. Forty tons of grain and 15 tons of flour was lost. Loss, \$4,000; fully insured.
Several families on the river prepared Christmas trees at their homes, taking that way to distribute gifts instead of the time honored one of placing them in the stockings. Some very beautiful trees are reported.

The schooners Berwick and Ralph J Long were towed out to sea Wednesday morning and immediately set sail for San Francisco. They carried loads of lumber from the Sinslaw and San Francisco Lumber Company's mill.
J W Geary Post W R C of Eugene recently sent a donation of a number of articles to the soldiers' home at Roseburg. Commandant Shipley in a letter thanking them, stated that it was the first present the home had received for some time.

We find it necessary to ask our subscribers who are in arrears to try to pay at least part of the bill. We do not like to dun anybody but it takes money to keep up the paper and we have to depend on the subscribers to contribute their share of it.
The West has for sale one year's 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.

The British bark Cambrian Warrior and the German bark Hyon arrived at Astoria recently from foreign ports minus the bills of health required by law. The masters of each were summoned before the custom house authorities and a fine of \$5000 imposed on each vessel.
Last Thursday Mrs Landschoot of North Fork dropped her purse containing several dollars in money into the river near Hurd's wharf. Walter Haring dove a couple of times in search of it but without success. He then obtained a grappling hook and in a short time was fortunate enough to recover the purse.

Marshall Main: The telephone line up Coos river was completed last Monday, but upon trial it did not work very well. Investigation showed that the cable across Coos river at the creamery had become damaged by drift and snags. It was taken up and poles now 70 feet high will now carry the line across the river.
My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some one similarly afflicted may read it and be benefited.—Thomas C Bower, Glencoe, O. For sale by all druggists.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

GREENLEAF ITEMS.
By a West Correspondent.
Dec 24, 1899.

Walter Miller is carrying the mail between Hale and Ialoe.
Seth Simmons has been suffering from stomach and kidney trouble, but is better.
S S Miller proposes to remain on the Chickahominy ranch until fall, when he will take up his residence in the valley. The homestead is filed upon in the name of his son Ray.

When Mr and Mrs Boyer, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs O Willcutt, were here last fall on a visit, they talked of wintering at Eugene and returning in the spring. They were traveling by wagon. When they reached Eugene they had changed their mind and were not far from leaving. Nothing has been heard from them since. Now comes their daughter and child from her Oklahoma home to visit her uncle and aunt and parents, who she supposed to be still at Mr Willcutt's, she having heard nothing from them since they were here. She expects her husband to follow by-and-by and go home with her. But where are the old folks? They are a jolly old couple, lost somewhere in this big country, themselves and three horses.

ACME ITEMS.
By X Y Z.
Dec 23, 1899.

Jimmie White paid his annual visit to friends in Acme Christmas.
A large crowd attended the dance here Christmas. About 40 tickets were sold. All report a good time.
Miss Ollie Cushman started for Eugene yesterday where she will enter the Sisters school of that place. May her efforts be crowned with success is the wish of her many friends here.

Mr Jackson brought down a raft of logs yesterday for the mill company here.
There was a large attendance at the Christmas tree here Christmas eve.
Mr Lawrence Johnson of Glendora made us a pleasant call today.
A number of our good citizens are complaining of various pains and aches this week. Too much Christmas turkey.

We hope to see a large attendance at Sunday school next Sabbath. We will have a review of this quarter's lessons and there will also be the election of officers for the next quarter. All come.
Miss Hattie Sweet has gone to Eugene to visit her sister Mrs Howman.
Oscar Gates is home for a visit during the holidays.

MAPLETON NOTES.
By GLEANER.
Dec 26, 1899.

We have had some fine weather this week.
Mrs E C Knowles has been feeling quite bad lately.
Mrs Vanderford had a Xmas dinner Monday inviting a few relatives.
Rosie Knowles is improving in health nicely. We hope to see her out going to school in a few weeks.

There was a Christmas tree in the Hatcher Saturday evening, everybody seeming to enjoy themselves.
How Are Your Kidneys?
Dr. Hobbie's Specific Pills cure all kidney troubles. Sold free. Address: Hobbie's Specific Pills Co., Chicago or S. F.

LOGS WANTED.
The Sinslaw and San Francisco Lumber Co. want 10,000,000 feet of logs delivered at their mill at Acme within the next few months.
For further information inquire of I. B. Cushman, Acme, Oregon.

GLENADA NEWS.
By OBSERVER.
Dec 25, 1899.

We are all enjoying the beautiful sunshine.
Geo Fiek of Point Terrace visited Geo Gibbs Christmas day.
Mr and Mrs Kane and Mr and Mrs Monroe visited in Glenada Christmas day.
Mr and Mrs James Furnish have been visiting at J L Furnish's the past few days.
Miss Etta Saunders is visiting her parents at Point Terrace during the holidays.
Mrs Haring and family of North Fork visited with Mrs C Harwood Friday and Saturday.
School closed last Friday for a week's vacation. Christmas exercises were held Friday afternoon.

Beauty is Blood Deep.
Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascares, a Candy Cathartic cleans your blood and keeps it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day by taking a box of Cascares, a candy cathartic, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascares, is quickly for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

WANTED SEVERAL BRIGHT AND HONEST
Persons to represent us as Managers in this and other counties. Salary \$500 a year and expenses. Straight, honest, no more, no less salary. Position permanent, our references, any bank in any town. It is mainly office work conducted at home. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. The Business Company, Dept 3, Chicago.

LOGGING TEAM AND TIMBER FOR SALE.
I offer for sale my logging team consisting of nine head of oxen, seven years old; all my logging outfit and from 1,500,000 to 5,000,000 feet of timber close to the Sinslaw river. A good road from river to the timber built last summer. Shanties and barns necessary for logging camp already built.
SIDNEY WATT,
Acme, Oregon.

A SURE CURE FOR CROUP.
Twenty-five Years' Constant Use without a Failure.
The first indication of croup is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoarseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land and never disappoints the anxious mothers. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record without a failure. For sale by all druggists.

RIPE RASPBERRIES.
Last Friday Elwood Lloyd brought us a pair of fresh red raspberries which he had gathered the evening before from his bushes near Point Terrace.
With strawberries ripening at Thanksgiving, raspberries and blackberries at Christmas, and frost but two or three times this season, the climate here is a striking contrast to that of most other parts of the country.

MAGIC LANTERN DISPLAY.
A fine Magic Lantern display of Photographic Views, World Renowned Buildings and Scenery of our own and foreign lands, Famous Statuary and reproductions of some of the most famous Paintings of the World will be given in the Old Fellows Building in Florence, Oregon, Friday evening, December 29th, 1899.
Admission 10 cents.
J O PHELPS.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E W GROVE'S signature on every box. 25c.
MISSING.
August Fisher a German farmer residing two miles south of Eugene left his home last Friday morning for a hunt for birds and up to Tuesday afternoon had not been found. It is feared he has become insane and wandered away, or has committed suicide. Parties were out searching for him Sunday and Monday but without success.

KANSAS PROPERTY FOR SALE OR TRADE.
Two 160 acre tracts of land in Northwestern Kansas for sale or trade for property in Oregon.
The land is all rich prairie suitable for cultivation. About 75 acres plowed. About six miles from town and three miles from B & M railroad is a fine country for raising cattle.
For prices and terms inquire at this office.

SEWING MACHINE FOR SALE.
A new, seven drawer, Climax sewing Machine, oak finish, manufactured by the New Home Sewing Machine Co, for sale cheap. Call at the West office and examine it.
To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Cascares Candy Cathartic. 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

SUNDAY SERVICES.
Sunday school 10 A M.
Praying 11 A M and 7 P M.
Eudavor 2:20 P M.
I G KNIGHT,
Pastor.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office, at Roseburg, Oregon.
December 5, 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, Oregon on January 19, 1900, viz: Thomas E. Russell on his H. E. No. 7266, for the Lots 5 & 6 Sec. 24 T. 19 S. R. 12 W. Lot 2 & 3 E 1/4 NW 1/4 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:
C. E. Herwood, of Glenada, Oregon, Grant E. Harhart, of Lake Precinct, Oregon, Wm Carl, of Lake Precinct, Oregon, E. E. Miller, of Lake Precinct, Oregon.
J. T. Burdors, Register.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Estate of Josephine E. Stiles deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Geo. B. Durris has been duly appointed executor of the estate of Josephine E. Stiles deceased, by the Hon. E. O. Puffer, County Judge of Lane county, State of Oregon. All persons having claims against said estate, are hereby notified to present itemized claims to the undersigned executor, at his law office in Eugene, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.
Dated Eugene, Oregon, December 24th, 1899.
Geo. B. Durris,
Executor.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
November 17, 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, Oregon, on December 29, 1899, viz: George A. Glover, widow of Amos Hartley, deceased, on H. E. No. 7199 for the N 1/2, S 1/2, Sec. 9, T. 18 S. R. 10 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
George W. Hartley, of Point Terrace, Oregon, Charlie Anderson, of Point Terrace, Oregon, Simon Hoffman, of Point Terrace, Oregon, Ira Hoffman, of Point Terrace, Oregon.
J. T. Burdors, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.
Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon.
December 4, 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, Oregon, on January 19, 1900, viz: George A. Glover, on his H. E. No. 7217 for the Lots 2 & 3 Sec. 7, T. 19 S. R. 11 W. & Lots 8 & 9 Sec. 12 T. 19 S. R. 11 W.
He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:
Stephen J. Shamus, of Lake Precinct, Oregon, Thomas Jensen, of Lake Precinct, Oregon, Robert M. Mills, of Florence, Oregon, E. H. Anderson, of Acme, Oregon.
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