

It Pays to Fight Flies.

We had the great pleasure of visiting the model dairy ranch of Judge Henry Schroeder the last of the week, and were astonished at some facts and figures given us by the Judge in regard to the use of an effective fly antidote on a modern herd of dairy cows.

As a proof of the profits to be derived the Judge furnished us with the following figures: In July, 1901, he milked 26 cows, using no spray, and made 1035 lbs. 15 oz. butter, and in the same month of the following year milking the same number of cows under like circumstances with the exception of the use of this fly "dope" and the output of his dairy was 1306 lbs. 14 oz. of butter, or an increase of 271 pounds of butter, and a like trial upon another occasion, gave an increase of 183 pounds while there were three less cows milked during the season the spray was used.

A corporation has been formed under the laws of the state of Oregon which has taken possession of the celebrated Salmon Mountain Mine (placer), and they are making preparations to work that rich mine according to recent improved methods.

The first number of the North Bend Citizen, the new paper just founded at that new and thriving town by C. R. Ingle. This is a bright and newsy number of eight pages, four of which are full of wide awake local matter and a big writeup for the new town.

FOR SALE—A good business location. For particulars enquire or address, W. H. SCHROEDER, Arago, Oregon.

Pioneers Thirteenth Reunion.

The thirteenth annual reunion of the Coos and Curry County Pioneers, and Historical Society was held in the Dixon grove at Myrtle Point on August 14, 1903.

The program was as follows: Song, America, by the choir. Prayer, by Rev. Burg, of the Adventist church.

Response by J. Henry Schroeder. Song, Oh Come, Oh Come Away. Annual address, by Hon. E. G. D. Holden.

The throng then gathered at the Gospel tent and continued the program by singing, Kind Words Can Never Die, followed by My Old Kentucky Home.

At 2:30 p. m. President J. Henry Schroeder called the meeting to order for business. The minutes of the 12th annual reunion were read by the secretary, E. W. Hermann, and approved.

It was then moved and carried that the next reunion be held at North Bend, and the following named officers were elected for the ensuing year: C. Eckhoff, president; J. Henry Schroeder, 1st vice-president; S. B. Cathcart, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Ada Dungan, secretary; B. F. Ross, treasurer; Mrs. Dora Cathcart, historian; Herbert Lockhart, marshal.

The report of the committee on by-laws was read and adopted as read.

There being no further business, the following resolution was then adopted: Resolved, that the members of this Society extend their heart-felt thanks for all the favors received during this meeting. Much credit for the success of this reunion should be given the good people of Myrtle Point for their liberal and valuable assistance extended, and further, to the Hon. Judge E. G. D. Holden, of Coquille City, for the most appropriate oration delivered on this occasion.

The meeting then adjourned. The attendance at this meeting was very good, though there were but few from Coos bay and the lower Coquille. Those from the Bay were: C. Eckhoff and wife, C. Hilborn and wife and A. G. Aiken; from Bandon: J. Hamblock and wife, and I. Hacker and wife from Coquille. Everything was pleasant and agreeable.

On Wednesday morning Itham Robison, of Fishtrap, found in his bear trap a live live bear and no foolin' this time, and it had no rings around its tail either. Concluding to try him for a pet, the boys proceeded to take the fellow home alive. They first got a rope around his neck and choked him down and then pinioned his feet in good shape and then removed the steeltrap and took him in alive. The animal is about two years old and of good size, and while he is somewhat vicious, he does not sulk or refuse to eat, and they may succeed in taming him to a considerable degree.

On Sunday afternoon the stormer Welcome brought down from the creamery and cheese factory of Carl Bros., at Norway, a cargo of cheese that at the regular market price, represented a value of three thousand dollars. Quite a number of our dairymen are beginning to realize that at the ruling prices of butter and cheese, the latter is far the most profitable to the producer, and are taking advantage of the gains to be derived from having their milk made into cheese.

Potent Pill Pleasure. The pills that are potent in their action and pleasant in effect are DeWitt's Little Early Risers. W. S. Philpot of Albany, Ga., says "During a bilious attack I took one. Small as it was it did me more good than calomel blue-mass or any other pills I ever took and at the same time it effected me pleasantly. Little Early Risers are certainly an ideal pill." Sold by R. S. KNOWLTON.

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Riverton Pick Ups.

J. K. McLeod and family have moved to Coquille.

D. Urquhart and family have moved into a house close to C. T. Cessna's coal mine.

Miss Myrtle Davis, of Ramote, is now visiting her sister, Mrs. L. E. Brown, at the Riverton hotel.

Miss Oma Leggett received a fine organ on Thursday last. It was purchased in Chicago by her brother and presented to her.

Mr. Martin, one of Coquille's prominent jewelers, made us a business call last week.

D. Kearney Perkins and Wm. Toller of the lower river made us a pleasant call on Saturday last.

Dr. F. G. Kelly is contemplating making Coos county his permanent residence in the near future.

We are informed the Riverton saw mill will soon be supplied with a dynamo for furnishing light for the mill.

The Riverton hotel has been lately refitted and is now one of the most popular hotels on the coast, under the excellent management of Mrs. L. E. Brown.

Joseph Ferry is already weary of the duties connected with the post-office here, and is seriously thinking of tendering his resignation as post master of Riverton.

Miss Lorena Vowell and little Mary Lannigan have both been very sick children for the past ten days.

Last Friday we visited the Riverton public school. We were somewhat surprised and greatly pleased at the improvement we found there.

Professor Brown seems to possess the necessary qualifications to impart to his pupils an enthusiasm seldom found in a public school. Our greatest surprise was the advancement made by the pupils of the seventh grade, consisting of Miss Lizzie Foster, Miss Oma Leggett, Eddie Price, and Harvey Leggett, all of whom will soon be passed to the 8th grade. We procured a fine photo negative of that class.

E. P. Tattle and family, of Grants Pass, who are here on an outing, are thinking some of locating with us, being highly pleased with the looks of our town and surroundings. They will take in the beach this week, and then return home and if they can succeed in getting ready for the move before winter, will probably be with us before the rainy season.

C. L. Law, a late arrival from Grants Pass, who has been here for several weeks, was joined last week by his family, who came in overland from that place. Mr. Law is well pleased with our town, having had all he could do at his trade, that of a painter.

The Dress goods department of Geo. A. Robinson's store, has received the following for Ladies' Tailor suits, etc., Broadcloth, Kersey, Melton, Panama canvas, armor, Crepe, Soliel, Melrose, silk Poplin, Tricot, Flake Venetian, Camelina.

DeWitt is the Name. When you go to buy Witch Hazel Salve look for the name DeWITT on every box. The pure, unadulterated Witch Hazel is used in making DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve in the world for cut's, burns, bruises, boils, eczema and piles. The popularity of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, due to its many cures, has caused numerous worthless counterfeits to be placed on the market. The genuine bears the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co. Chicago. Sold by R. S. KNOWLTON.

Notice of Dissolution. Notice is hereby given that the Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the firm name of Drane & Kay is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The market business will be continued by P. E. Drane at the place of business heretofore occupied by the old firm, where all who know themselves to be indebted to said firm are requested to come at once and make settlement.

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Assignee's Notice of Final Settlement. Notice is hereby given, that Isaiah Hacker, the duly qualified and acting assignee in the matter of the assignment of David Morse, Jr., insolvent debtor, for the benefit of his creditors, in the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Coos county, has filed his final account as such assignee, with the Clerk of said Court, in said matter, and that the same will be heard and passed upon at the regular September, 1903, term of said Court at Coquille City, Coos County, Oregon, on Monday the 14th day of September, 1903, or as soon thereafter as the Court may hear the same. Dated at Coquille City, Oregon, this 10th day of August, 1903.

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One Minute Cough Cure For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

Norway Items.

Most of the farmers have their hay in and are now waiting for rain, as their late crops are now in need of it.

G. S. Davis left Friday for the city via Roseburg, on a pleasure and business trip, and his father, J. B. Davis, also went on the last train to the old Soldiers Reunion.

Capt. Reed, who has been very ill for some time, is no better, his niece Mrs. Eugene Schetter, is waiting on him.

Minnie McCloskey and Sarah Wagner visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pinkston Laird last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Williams made Coquille a business call on Monday.

Mrs. Hixon, of Myrtle Point, visited friends in Norway last week.

The Misses Ada and May Schroeder have gone to Marshfield and Coos river for a week's visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Richard Hauton and two children who have been visiting Heppner and other places near there since last spring, returned home Friday. She enjoyed her visit but prefers the cool weather of Coos.

A. W. Jenks took a flying trip to Coquille last Wednesday evening.

One of Norway's popular young ladies entertained a few of her friends last Monday with an afternoon tea.

Camper's are getting numerous in Norway.

A. O. U. W. Attention! C. C. Hogue, Past Grand Master Workman will address the members of the order Monday evening, August 24, 1903, at Odd Fellow's Hall, at 8 p. m. Mr. Hogue is thoroughly informed on insurance matters, and especially on the plans and aims of the A. O. U. W. He is a pleasing talker and all who hear him may expect a treat. Do not miss this opportunity to hear what will be of great value to each member.

Save the Children. Ninety-nine of every one hundred diseases that children have are due to disorders all caused by indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is just as good for children as it is for adults. Children thrive on it. It keeps their little stomachs sweet and encourages their growth and development. Mrs. Henry Carter, 705 Central St., Nashville, Tenn., says: "My little boy is now three years old and has been suffering from indigestion ever since he was born. I have had the best doctors in Nashville, but failed to do him any good. After using one bottle of Kodol he is a well baby. I recommend it to all sufferers." Kodol digests what you eat and makes the stomach sweet. Sold by R. S. Knowlton.

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George W. Loggie, of Boston, is on the bay visiting his father, Peter Loggie.

Married—At East Marshfield, Aug. 11, 1903, Max Timmerman and Miss Lela Barzee. Rev. Horsfall officiating.

An unconfirmed report is in circulation that L. J. Simpson has purchased the Southern Oregon Company's interests in this country.

John Blomquist launched Captain Harris' new boat, Curlew, yesterday, and will commence at once the building of a launch for Geo. Ross.

Chief Clerk Prentiss, \$2000. W. has received a check for \$2000 to pay the policy carried in that order by the late C. W. Paterson. The prompt payment of all claims by this order is commendable.

Several bags of ducks were brought in from the sand hill lakes last week by hunters. These ducks breed in this locality and it is feared that the early opening of the duck season will have a tendency to drive the ducks to other localities for nesting places.

We do Plumbing and Tin work. In fact anything in our line. Quality and prices guaranteed. Give us a trial and be convinced. T. H. Mann & Co.

Mysterious Circumstance. One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head of constipation. Try them. Only 25c, at R. S. Knowlton's Drug Store.

Early Risers. The famous little pills.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. Land office, Roseburg, Oregon, Aug. 7, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before E. G. D. Holden, U. S. Commissioner at Coquille, Oregon, on Sept. 24, 1903, viz: Charles L. Moon, H. E. No. 18448, for the S. 1/4 S. E. 1/4, Sec. 28, E. 1/4, N. E. 1/4 Sec. 33, T. 26 S., R. 11 W.

WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that The First National Bank of Coquille, in the County of Coos and State of Oregon, has complied with all the provisions of the United States of America required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking; Now, Therefore, I, William B. Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The First National Bank of Coquille," located in the Town of Coquille, in the County of Coos, and State of Oregon, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section Fifty one hundred and sixty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and Seal of office this Twenty-third day of June, 1903. WM. B. RIDGELY, Comptroller of the Currency.

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Card of Thanks.

The undersigned wish to tender their sincere thanks to the many neighbors and friends who so kindly volunteered their services in caring for and assisting in the burial of their boy who was fatally shot by accident on the 8th inst. May the Lord abundantly bless them. MR. AND MRS. P. H. BREWER.

If you wish to either buy or sell any real estate, I am in a position to give you the best possible service. Give me a trial. J. J. STANLEY.

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