THE COLUMBIAN.

U. S. OFFICIAL PAPER.

NEWS DROPS.

Rev. Mr. Reese is in town.

Angus Forbes at La Centre has a young heir.

The St. Helen's mill is running three quarters time.

Mrs. Nettie Graham has a little girl three weeks old.

J. C. Mason's wife is on a visit to her relatives in Portland.

A Vancouver paper says logs are coming up to $5.50 per thousand.

G. W. Harris is going into business at New Era, Clackamas Co. Oregon.

Capt. Rockwell went down lately to Sauvie's Island, and bagged much game.

We saw young Stone on the boat, a former resident of Scappoose. He lives at Tualatin.

Mr. John Ward has bought the place formerly belonging to old man Benzer, on Lewis River.

Mr. J. S. Davenport always carries a full stock of goods, and a great variety desirable articles.

Father Sellwood preached Sunday evening on the history of the Episcopal Church in America.

Charles Muckle ran his hand into a cider mill at the Fair and had the ends of his fingers planed off.

A tramp came round yesterday, but concluded after surveying his quarters for the night to tramp on.

Mr. Cagle on Sauvie's Island says the Cœur d'Alene are not a humbug but are very rich, but a person needs capital to work them.

On the boat we met Mrs. Culbertson, the wife of the proprietor of the *Palace* hotel at La Centre. She is a very pleasant, social lady.

Mr. Asa Corwin found that the oak on Church hill where formerly hung a swing was a bee tree. We thank him for a liberal present of honey.

We regret to learn that Dr. Stewart fell from a load of wood at Fossil and broke both legs. Mrs. Musgrove brought down the sad news.

Mr. George L. Maxwell has returned upon his ranch opposite Columbia City. He has sold out a half interest in his mine in Idaho to advantage.

Mr. Hanthorn and wife of Astoria have gone to the States and left Newton Perry in charge of the cannery and Annie in charge of the household.

Mr. Godkin informs us the passenger cars are running regularly, and they rarely pass the depot at Milton without stopping. The fare is 75 cents to Portland.

Met a gentleman from Maine, Knowlton by name, he has invested in lands across the river. Mrs. Knox and Mrs. McIntosh were at the Fair, the evening we were there.

We have received from A. L. Bancroft their series of School readers, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5. They are marvels of beauty, we will next week publish a critical review of them.

Mrs. Laughlin was robbed at Seattle of $57, and a note given by Strausser at Hillsboro. The thief entered her room when she was absent for a moment, and decamped in a hurry.

Mrs. Alice Gill, and son and daughter visited Mrs. Adams yesterday afternoon Mrs. Gill is a lady of culture and refinement and her children show excellent training and are very interesting.

From Portland we have J. Selling & Co.'s Catalogue and also S. Lipman & Co.'s Fall and Winter Catalogue full of everything anybody wants if they only have the wherewithal with which to purchase.

We have received a cheese from Capt. Fales. It is rich, rare and tasty. We regret to learn that the Captain and his family are troubled with ill-health. He was in St. Helen the other day but we did not see him.

Columbia City Items.

I can whip the son of a g— that published me. C. B.

There is better fish in the sea than has ever been caught. H. B.

I am a dandy sporting dude. B. M. C.

If I could train down twenty pounds, I would challenge Campbell. B. S. C.

I can knock him out in four rounds. G. H.

I am a delcate, dyspeptic dude. S. C.

Darling, name the day. M. D.

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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 the Judge of the Probate Court at Kalama, Wash. Ter., on Saturday November 22d, 1884, viz: Walter S. Lysons Homestead Application No 2700, for the North, West ½ of Sec. 25, Tp. 8 N. R. 1 W.

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

William Lane,	of Carrollton	W. T.
William B. Lane,	of "	"
J. S. Huntington,	of "	"
George Dobin,	of "	"

FRED, W. SPARLING, Register
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Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land.

LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER, W. T. October 7th. 1884.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and in Washington Territory," Welcome Barber, of Cowlitz County, Wash. Ter., has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the N. W. ¼ of N. E. ¼ of Sec. 30, Tp. 7 N. of Range 1 W. of the Willamette Meridian.

Testimony in the above case will be taken before the Judge of the Probate Court, at Kalama, Wash. Ter. on Saturday, the 20th. day of December, 1884.

Any and all persons having adverse claims to the above described lands, or any portion thereof are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof.

FRED. M. SPARLING, Register.
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Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Land.

LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER, W. T. September 25th, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber Lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and in Washington Territory," George Gunthert of Cowlitz Co., Wash. Ter. has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the South East ¼ of Sec. 6, Tp. 9 N. of Range 4 West, of the Willamette Meridian.

Testimony in the above case will be taken before the Judge of the Probate Court at Kalama, Wash. Ter. on Saturday, the 6th. day of December 1884.

Any and all persons having adverse claims to the above described land, or any portion thereof are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof.

FRED. W. SPARLING, Register.
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ESTRAY.

There came to my premises last Fall a red cow about 12 years old, small white spot in the forehead, and point of left horn broken off. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

HENRY GERTY.

Deer Island Precinct, Columbia Co. Ogn. Aug. 15th. 1884.

Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, Oregon. Aug. 27th, 1884.

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 the County Clerk of Columbia County at St. Helens, Oregon, on Thursday, Oct. 23 1884, viz: John Vanblaricom, Homestead Entry No. 3776 for the N. ½ of S. W. ¼ of Sec. 34 T. 5 N. R. 4 W.

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

Josiah Kemble of St. Helens, S. D. Sheeley J. W. Vanblaricom, and D. F. Baker of Vernonia, all of Columbia County, Oregon.

L. T. BARIN, Register.
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Notice for Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OGN Aug. 14, 1884

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 the County Clerk of Columbia County at St. Helens, Oregon, on Monday, Oct. 20, 1884, viz: Thomas Kinney, Homestead Entry No. 4375 for the N. E. ¼ of Sec. 4 T. 6 N. R. 2 W.

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

G. W. Heath of Columbia City, C. T. Herzog, and C. E. McKinister of Neer City, Columbia Co. Oregon, and J. W. Hudson of Kalama, Cowlitz Co. W. T.

L. T. BARIN, Register.
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Notice For Publication.

LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER, W. T. September 1st, 1884.

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 the Judge of the Probate Court, at Kalama Wash. Ter. on Friday, October 17th, 1884, viz: James John, (Indian) Homestead Application No. 2933, for the West ½ of South West ¼ of Sec. 18, Tp. 8 N. R. 1 W.

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

P. W. Crawford,	of Vancouver,	W. T.
A. P. Spillman,	of Freeport	"
A. H. Edlin,	of "	"
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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz:

Benjamin A. Deetz,	of Oak Point,	W. T.
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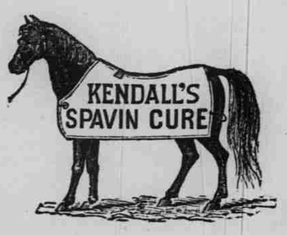

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FRED. W. SPARLING, Register.
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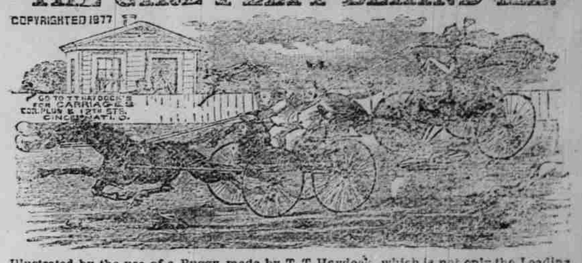

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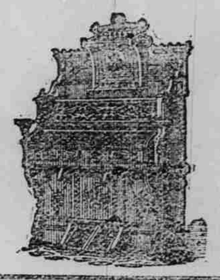

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Notice of Application to Purchase Timber Lands.

LAND OFFICE AT VANCOUVER, W. T. February 27th. 1884.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 3, 1878, entitled "An Act for the sale of Timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and in Washington Territory," Henry S. Gregory of Multnomah County, Oregon has this day filed in this office his application to purchase the N. ½ of N. E. ¼ of Sec. 30, Tp. 8 N. of Range 1 W. of the Willamette Meridian.

Testimony in the above case will be taken before the Register and Receiver at Vancouver, W. T. on Wednesday, the 14th. day of May, 1884.

Any and all persons claiming adversely to said described land or any portion thereof, are hereby required to file their claims in this office within sixty (60) days from date hereof.

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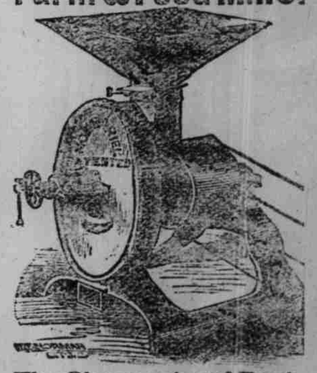

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