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G. L. Hawkins, the Independence marble cutter, has placed an excellent monument over the grave of Rev. Wm. Gay in the Odd Fellows cemetery at Dallas.

MILL CREEK AND GOOSE NECK.

Everybody has heard of them but many who have lived in the county for years have never been there and have but a faint idea of their locality. Mill Creek begins in the mountains west of Dallas and runs into the Yamhill river just above Sheridan. Gooseneck, which is a smaller stream, runs east and enters Mill creek below Buell's chapel. We are back from a two days cruise out that way. We found Mr. Remington and son, on the Salt Creek road, cutting a fine crop of cheat hay and their wheat will pan out big. He had been told that it would not do to pasture young cheat, but his calves and pigs wintered on it and seemed to make it better. He will almost quit raising grain and put his place in grass for stock. The many shocks in Jas. Boydston's hay field told of a good yield. In the Dolph woodland across the road Jesse Martin has cut 150 or more cords of oak grub wood for shipment from Smithfield to Portland. Peter Hansen has moved back from Oak Grove. He now has 45 acres of hops, having added 12 acres to his old yard, and will almost double the capacity of his drying plant. At the road side just beyond the Teddie Roe place Frank Coad, of Dallas, has erected a neat residence. The German Baptists there are now without a pastor, their preacher having been offered a better position in Portland. The old Nicklin homestead of half a century ago which afterwards became the property of Al Graham, then of Samuel Coad and now owned by Henry Clanfield, is to have a new two story, twelve room $1,500 house. The old buildings have been moved back and material is being assembled. Mr. Chapman, of Ballston, will be boss carpenter. Where the Grand Ronde road leaves Salt Creek near the foot of the Butler hill, Ezra Hart and W. H. Sloper live. We turned to the left towards the headwaters of that classic stream up which so many politicians are said to have gone. J. J. Brown, recently from California, lives on the old Haygood place recently occupied by J. W. Flanery, who is now in Eastern Oregon. His sons, Tide and Joe, have lived near there for several years. They believe in education and their children always stand well in school. Harry Seymour, who is to teach at Rickreall, was the popular instructor of the Upper Salt creek school during the last term. It is 2½ miles from there up to Martin Bros.' new sawmill, which is only a mile below the source of Salt creek. In going we passed the homes of W. H. Brown and Glenn Zumwalt, the latter place now being occupied by Will. White. Will. Martin spent the winter making an entirely new mountain road and getting his plant to the new site. It is in virgin timber, no saw logs ever having been cut that high up the stream. They have leased nearly 200 acres from a Mrs. Summerville, of Centralia, Washington, and it will take years to cut all the saw timber tributary to that site. They expect to cut a million feet this season and half as much more during the winter for the spring trade. They are filling a California order for 100,000 feet of 4-inch flooring and are sending some 25,000 feet to J. J. Hill and J. K. Sears at McCoy. They have a good country trade, mostly for fences and barns. Four families live around the mill. Mrs. W. E. Martin and Miss Laura Buell cook for the boarders. Sam. Hayes is boss in the woods. Alvin Country has charge of falling the trees and the team of Robert Vautran draws the logs to the mill pond. Will Martin is sawyer and manager, Prosper Lachance keeps up and lets out the steam, Sam. Cairnes does the off bearing, Hank Beeler runs the edger, Chas Rees keeps the books and John Dickey is yardsman. There is now on the yard about 75,000 feet of ceiling and rustic and that much rough lumber. The prices are $6.50 for rough, $9 for shiplap and from $13 to $18 for rustic and flooring. They have a good planer and will erect a large dry shed before winter. There is an easy grade to the mill and when the road is put in good repair big loads can be hauled from there. Coming back to the school house we soon crossed over the divide and struck Mill creek at the old flouring mill site, half a mile below the Peter Syron saw mill. But few remnants of the old grist mill are to be seen. A few years ago Brown & Blery built a sawmill there. It soon burned down and they put up the framework for another, and there it stands, roofless and without machinery. March & Sons now own the Syron mill and have this season cut half a million feet of logs and have a good supply of all kinds on hand. They find a good local demand and have an unlimited supply of logs away up the stream. They expect to soon branch out and build up a more distant trade. Mr. March has just bought a splendid $125 horse to complete his logging team Striking down Mill creek we found Havila Hinshaw running the Zimri Hinshaw hop yard, the latter now living in the Rock Creek country. George, son of old Uncle Billy Hinshaw, was getting ready to start back east of the mountains where Cal Syron, Wm. McCormick and Avery Hinshaw are working in a saw mill. Near Buell's chapel are the ashes of Dorr's store recently burned, and close by is the two story school house and public hall. Since we last passed that way it has been improved by the addition of a nice belfry and good bell, and now another room is to be added to accommodate the increasing school population. There is preaching at Buell's chapel twice a month and they have a good Sunday school presided over by Mrs. Morgan Ingermanson. About 50 attend it, the teachers being Walter Butler, Miss Alice Payne, Mrs. Harry Coad, Mr. and Mrs. Ingermanson. Nightfall brought us to the hospitable home of Ross Rowell and wife, she having been the widow of Wm. Blair. The postoffice is kept by their nearest neighbor, Mr. Lucas, who brings the mail from Sheridan three times a week. After a good night's rest we are off at an early hour for interviews with Gooseneck friends. The old Henry Rowell house is vacant. Next we come to the home of N. M. Dickey, whose surroundings indicate industry and thrift. He was preparing to have a steam saw cut up his firewood for next winter. On the old Isaac Hinshaw place Harry Coad and family are prospering. His son, Edie, will go back to the state university two more years. Their youngest son, Sammie, is a most promising boy. Mr. Coad is in poor health. At the next house live James Bell and family, who are spoken of as most excellent people. A quarter of a century ago they lived on the farm of Joshua McDaniel, north of Dixie. His soninlaw, David Geiger, has bought and occupies the Cyrus Purvine farm. J. W. Keas lives at the old John Bones place. Small fields of new cut hay were everywhere in evidence and all the grain looked well. Taking the left hand road we soon came to a nicely painted and well furnished school house. They have an excellent Sunday school under the popular supervision of Miss Florence Bell. At least 50 gather there every Sunday afternoon and Rev. Gittins, of Sheridan, preaches every other Sunday at the close of school. The whole neighborhood, both saints and sinners, take pride in their Sunday school. And now we are at the home of J. B. Constable, who formerly ran the Davis hop yard. Just yonder is Rowell Bros.' sawmill and of course we are going to see what they are doing. Entering the first house to make inquiry who should stand before us but Miss Minnie Butler, now Mrs. Jones. She has two interesting children. Her boy at once took up with us, or rather our horse and buggy, and his mother could hardly persuade him to stay with her, for he wanted to ride. Not far from there the Rowells established a mill 14 years ago, and have changed location twice. In another year they will have consumed all available saw timber around that site, but have several other good bodies of it in view. Their annual output is over a half million feet and they dispose of it around Sheridan. Willis Rowell is in charge and acts as sawyer. Frank Lackey runs the engine and Fred Coad has charge of the log carriage, while Lyle Jones does the off bearing. John Ridgeway was there for lumber to repair fencing. On we go and are soon at the home of Mrs. Sophronia Lackey, a daughter of Grandpa Bolejack. She knew a host of pioneers and always loves to hear or read about them. Still on we go to the home of Henry Olmsted and family, who live at the end of the road, there being only a dense forest beyond them. So much of the land as they have cleared brings prolific crops of grain, grass, berries and vegetables. Going back on our track for some distance, we took a blind road through heavy timber and came out where Robert McKune settled perhaps fifty years ago. When we were there a dozen years back it was the home of Dick Dunn, but John Dunn, of McCoy, now owns it. A. W. Toews is the present occupant and has a fine hop yard. His girls were out destroying weeds and thistles which many other girls and boys ought to be doing. As the clock struck 12 we alighted at the home of J. M. Davis and wife and were at once extended a genuine southern welcome. Mrs. Davis had been very sick and their daughter, Mrs. Porter, was staying there. She had an extra good dinner, but said that she would have had a better one had she known of our coming. Mrs. Davis delights in flowers and has many beautiful ones. Mr. Davis has twelve acres of choice hops and a delightful camping place. He has already has the offer of more pickers than he will need. Returning downstream and fording Mill Creek at Buell's chapel we tarried for chats with Mrs. Muller and Mrs. Ingermanson and then struck a jog trot for home via the Grand Ronde road. We found several German families cutting splendid crops of hay, some pure vetches and some with oats and vetches mixed to keep the latter from falling. Dr. Fink and his daughter were out in their clearing, piling and burning brush, while his goats were attending to the sprouts farther back. Both Mrs. Fink and her daughter like outdoor work and are not ashamed to be seen at it. The doctor had a cane with a sharp blade about an inch wide on the lower end of it. We asked its meaning and he said it was to cut weeds and thistles. Wherever he goes on the farm all such things near his pathway are destroyed. Thus has he slain thousands of these pests and many other farmers ought to profit by his example.

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WEST SALEM.

Jesse Lucas spent the Fourth at the metropolis.

Everybody seems to be busy making hay.

Miss Carrie Bentley is home for the summer vacation.

Miss Elfie Wann is working at the cannery.

Sim White's house looks quite nice with its new coat of paint.

Jesse Lucas has bought a new horse and buggy.

Mrs. Walker Fitts is able to be up and out again.

Mrs. A. W. Witherall returned to Portland last Tuesday.

Misses Maud and May Savage went to Independence on the Fourth.

Paul Traglio is helping to build the new mill at Salem.

Asa Hirons, of Shellburn, visited his aunt, Mrs. M. E. Gibson, recently.

S. A. White and family celebrated the Fourth at Independence,

Walkar Fitts and Ich. Burt worked on the road at Eola last week.

Messrs. Wann, Wilson and Wilkening have been busy lately picking cherries for the cannery.

What Shall We Have for Dessert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it to-day. Try Jell-O, a delicious and healthful dessert. Prepared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! simply add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspberry and Strawberry. Get a package at your grocers to-day. 10 cts.

OAKDALE.

John and George Robinson have gone to put up hay on the place they have rented near Portland.

Mrs. Smith is up from Portland, accompanied by her motherinlaw and Mrs Depaw. They are all visiting at Mr. Yocum's.

Mr. Bowman and wife spent Sunday at Mr. Peterson's.

Mr. Macomber and wife have been suffering with sore throats.

Mrs. Effie Card and Mrs. Mary Card spent a few days in Salem this week

Rev. Russell preached to a good crowd Sunday.

A few of our boys started to charivari Leland Murphy but their hearts failed them when they saw how small the crowd was.

Mrs. Garwood has been spending a few days at Oakdale.

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It is the medicine above all others for catarrh and is worth its weight in gold, Ely's Cream Balm does all claimed for it.—B. W. Sperry, Hartford, Con. My son was afflicted with catarrh. He used Ely's Cream Balm and the dissagreeable catarrh all left him.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill. The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cents or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York.

OAK GROVE.

There will be church next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

Miss Minnie Elson, of The Dalles, is visiting her friend, Miss Mello White.

Some farmers think the grain is not filling well.

Mrs. Holt, nee Maud Chitwood, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Harris.

Ralph Poppleton, of Portland, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. D. R. Rulle has a new son, born June 29th.

James Allen is visiting his sick mother in Tacoma.

We hear echoes of wedding bells.

A Sustaining Diet.

These are the enervating days when as somebody has said, men drop by the sunstroke as if the Day of Fire had dawned. They are fraught with danger to people whose systems are poorly sustained; and this leads us to say, in the interest of the less robust of our readers, that the full effect of Hood's Sarsaparilla is such as to suggest the propriety of calling this medicine something besides a blood purifier and tonic,—say, a sustaining diet. It makes it much easier to bear the heat, assures refreshing sleep, and will without any doubt avert much sickness at this time of year.

BUENA VISTA.

Mrs. J. A. Veness, of Winlock, Washton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Sarah Baldwin.

Carl Williams, of Salem, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Sarah Baldwin visited her brother, Chas. Lee, at Albany last week.

Edith Linville and Sophia Elgin, of Corvallis, are visiting relatives here.

C. E. Tyler and wife, of Croston, passed through here Tuesday on their way to Coquille, Coos county, where they expect to make their future home.

The school board have just received 30 new books for the school library.

Jas. A. Porterfield died at the home of his son, Miles Porterfield, 2 miles north of Buena Vista, July 14th, aged 83 years. He was an old pioneer, having lived in Oregon 51 years. He was followed to his last resting place in the I. O. O. F. cemetery Monday by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.

Farmers are all hauling hay, of which there is a very large crop here.

Fruit is a much shorter crop than was at first thought.

W. W. McLaughlin passed through town Monday and says this is his last trip to Lebanon, as he expects to bring his housekeeper back with him.

A Good Cough Medicine.

Many thousands have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. If afflicted with any throat or lung trouble, give it a trial for it is sure to be beneficial Coughs that have resisted all other treatment for years, have yielded to this remedy and perfect health been restored. Cases that seemed hopeless, that the climate of famous health resorts failed to benefit, have been permanently cured by its use. For sale by A. K. Wilson.

RICKREALL.

There is a new son at the home of C. D. Purvine.

Mrs. Orr had a relapse and Dr. Reynolds, of Salem, was called.

Ed. Hall's little boy fell in the fire and burned his hand.

H. Darling, wife and son have been visiting the family of S. T. Burch.

Sarah Warkentine has been out on Salt creek visiting her parents.

Dr. Chase and wife, of Salem, spent a few days here with their daughter, Mrs. C. D. Purvine.

John Vernon and wife attended services at the Baptist church in Dallas.

Miss Jessie Stoner has returned from Portland, where she has been under medical treatment.

Mrs. J. Southwick bought of Judge Burch two lots on which she is building a barn and expects to have a residence erected.

EOLA.

Henry Brophy is having his hops sprayed.

Mrs. Hunter is helping Mrs. Brophy cook for the carpenters that are working on the Gilbert, Patterson & Brophy hop house.

Farmers are busy with their haying.

Cherry picking still continues in the Beardsley orchard, the crop being immense.

C. H. Farmer and family, Cary Gilson and family, of near Perrydale, J. W. Bones and family, of Bellvue, and Ewin Gennings, of Falls City, were visiting Mr. Clements last Sunday. Mr. Gennings was a former friend of Mr. Clements in Tennessee and has been in Oregon only a short time. All, fifteen in number, spent a pleasant timereturning home in the afternoon.

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No discovery in medicine has ever created one quarter of the excitement that has been caused by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It's severest tests have been on hopeless victims of consumption, pneumonia, hemorrhage, pleurisy and bronchitis, thousands of whom it has restored to perfect health. For coughs, colds, asthma, croup, hay fever, hoarseness and whooping cough it is the quickest, surest cure in the world. It is sold by all druggists, who guarantee satisfaction or refund money. Large bottles 50c and $1. Trial bottles free.

BRIDGEPORT.

Mrs. Barnhart's mother and Mr. Barnhart's sister from Kansas are visiting them.

Mr. Curtis and family, whose wife is N. M. Chapin's daughter, arrived here last week from Michigan.

Mr. Ensign after an extended visit to his daughter, Mrs. A. F. Courter, has returned to his home in Salt Lake City.

The Reed & McKown hay baler left for the valley this week, where they will have an all summer's run.

D. Shepherd and W. L. Frink traded their horse power for an engine and will also run a cook wagon with Mrs. Shepherd and Mrs. Card as the cooks.

She Didn't Wear A Mask.

But her beauty was completely hidden by sores, blotches and pimples till she used Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Then they vanished as will all eruptions, fever sores, boils, ulcers, carbuncles and felons from its use. Infallible for cuts, corns, burns, scalds and piles. Cure guaranteed. 25c at all druggists.

Oregon Crops.

Haying is nearing completion and the crop, as a whole, is an average one and has been secured in excellent condition. Cut worms have appeared in the clover fields in Clackamas, Marion, Linn and Curry counties, but they are not nearly so numerous as they were last year. The ranges are drying up, as is usual this time of year, but stock continues in excellent condition. The harvest of fall-sown grain is becoming general. Wheat, oats, rye and barley in the Willamette Valley are doing well. The heads are large and well filled. In eastern Oregon the prospects are not so favorable, as there is considerable complaint of small heads with shrunken berries, and a good deal of the wheat in Union county has been cut for hay. Hops are generally free from lice and making satisfactory progress, although in some few sections the lateral vines are reported deficient, which means that there will be a correspoading shorttage in the yields. Corn, potatoes and gardens continue making slow advancement, and sugar beets are promising, but all these crops as a rule, would be benefitted by more rain as well as by warmer weather.

New Mail Route.

The postoffice department is advertising for bids up to August 3rd for a tri-weekly mail from Buell to Dallas via Salt Creek. It is to leave Buell at 8 o'clock Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays and to arrive at Dallas at 11. Returning it is to leave here at noon and reach Buell at 3. The route is all right except that it should begin at Dallas and run through to Sheridan, seven miles beyond Buell, leaving here in the morning and returning in the evening. It would be a great accommodation to a large scope of country whose present mail facilities are very inadequate.

C. F. Belt and wife are having the old W. P. Wright house transformed into an almost new one. It has been raised, reroofed and the rooms rearranged, and all the surroundings have been made more presentable. They will soon have one of the most cosy homes in town.

EXPERTS' REPORT.

Last week Messrs. Clark and Buchanon, the experts employed to examine the books of the various county officials, finished their labors after working 41 days, and the committee appointed to fix their compensation, consisting of J. H. Hawley, president of the Monmouth bank, H. Hirschberg, president of the Independence National bank and R. C. Craven, president of the Dallas City bank, after going all over the work of the experts, fixed the amount of their compensation at $500 and joined with the county court in the following statement relative to the matter: We have examined the work of Messrs. Clark and Buchanon in relation to the balancing and checking up the work and accounts of the various county officials from the date of the court house fire up to the present time, (including bills audited and allowed at the July term of court,) and we find that the work of our various county officials has been very satisfactory. While there has been some small clerical errors, sometimes in favor of the county and sometimes against, there have been no mistakes of any great importance. The officers have been honest, painstaking and careful. Owing to the court house fire having destroyed the records of the sheriff's office, the report on that office for any time previous to the fire is necessarily incomplete and very unsatisfactory; since that time, however, everything has been kept in good shape and fully accounted for. The present county indebtedness as shown by the detailed statement herewith (which includes warrants drawn in July term) amounts to the sum of $107,012.21, while the assets which we consider to be absolutely good amount to about $60,000. This, however, does not include the 1896 nor 1897 tax rolls, which we think at another term of the legislature can by special enactment be made, for the purpose of collection, the same as the original rolls; this will make our assets about equal to our liabilities. During the year ending July 1st, 1901, a large amount of warrants have been called in and paid; tax collections have been pushed vigorously and although expenses have been somewhat in excess of an ordinary year, owing to the large amount of bridge building last fall and bridge repairing during the winter and spring, yet the income far exceeds the expenses and we very confidently hope that at no very far distant day, at the present rate, to see the county again out of debt. At the suggestion of Messrs. Clark and Buchanon, the county has adopted a new system of keeping their accounts by which the books are balanced up every day and it can be told at any time just how the county finances, or any particular fund, stands; this improvement alone will, we believe, be worth to the county all or more than the work of the experts cost the county, as the system of checks is so complete that it is almost impossible to make a mistake without it being detected at once, and by having the books examined every year or two, at a nominal expense to the county, everything is bound to be kept straight. The following synopsis of assets and liabilities, it will be seen, does not include the court house or jail property, which at a very conservative estimate is worth not less than $50,000. It does, however, include property bid in for taxes by the county, which is either subject to redemption or sale by the county as soon as title is perfected thereto. Respectfully submitted,

J. E. SIBLEY,
SETH RIGGS
J. B. TEAL,
J. H. HAWLEY,
H. HIRSCHBERG,
R. C. CRAVEN.

BALANCE SHEET.

Polk county, Oregon, July 6, 1901.

Liabilities	$107,012 21		
Represented by warrants of 1894		$ 15 00	
By warrants of 1895		5 10	
By warrants of 1896		70 51	
By warrants of 1897		74 10	
By warrants of 1898		4,177 30	
By warrants of 1899		48,115 66	
By warrants of 1900		44,747 61	
By warrants of 1901		14,808 53	
	$107,012 21	$107,012 21	
Resources	$ 91,024 60		
Represented by—			
Tax purchases, 1898		$ 2,242 92	
Delinquent taxes 1898		5,475 41	
Delinquent taxes 1896		10,261 68	
Delinquent taxes 1897		13,100 22	
Delinquent taxes 1898		1,658 42	
Delinquent taxes 1899		8,073 58	
Delinquent taxes 1900		50,592 57	
	$ 91,024 60	$ 91,024 60	
Resources, special taxes, cities and school districts	$ 5,758 62		
Represented by—			
Dallas 1900 tax		$ 962 44	
Independence 1900 tax		1,158 73	
Monmouth 1900 tax		431 88	
Falls City 1900 tax		14 53	
School district 2		869 50	
District 29		2,238 04	
District 33		175 20	
District 48		37 88	
District 59		235 20	
District 58		29 87	
District 60		22 66	
District 6		25 93	
	$ 5,758 62	$ 5,758 62	
E. V. Dalton, treasurer. Cash on hand July 6, 1901	$ 23,886 28		
Represented by—			
General fund		16,250 63	
County school fund		7,085 10	
Overplus fund		10 91	
City of Dallas		126 84	
City of Independence		42 50	
City of Monmouth		14 80	
City of Falls City		1 22	
School district 2		22 01	
District 29		84 17	
District 33		10 32	
District 46		15 50	
District 57		123 04	
District 58		16 54	
District 60		12 02	
District 61		3 67	
District 46		25	
District 9		9 50	
District 24		4 12	
District 55		31 30	
District 36		10	
District 13		1 00	
District 62		90	
	$ 23,886 28	$ 23,886 28	
Liabilities		$107,012 21	
Resources, sundry taxes	$ 91,024 60		
Cash on hand	16,250 63		
Excess of resources		$ 263 02	

From the above resources must be deducted approximate amount of uncollectable taxes, errors in assessment etc.

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