

OUR ASSOCIATE EDITORS.

All the County News Graphically Written up by Our Brainy Rustlers.

INDEPENDENCE.

Courtesy Enterprise.

Mrs. Romayn, of Portland, is visiting Mrs. Clyde Williams.

Mrs. Kate Walker returned Wednesday after a week's visit in Portland.

Mr. Gordon, of Portland, is spending the week at the home of H. Drewery.

Mr. Kiser and family of Missouri arrived here yesterday and will make their future home here.

J. W. Hobbs, U. S. revenue inspector of Eugene, was looking after the duties of his position here Wednesday.

Loran Bogan, accompanied by his wife, returned from Portland Tuesday and will occupy the Mattison cottage south of the L. & M. Ry.

W. W. Percival purchased the first of the week from John Carnody six head of blooded Clyde horses, four of them being full blooded fillies. The horses were all splendid animals but the fillies in particular show the result of years of intelligent and careful breeding by their symmetrical form and quality.

Dee Taylor has received from the taxidermist a mounted deer head which has been placed in his barbershop. The head is from a buck and has been mounted in a condition that makes it

appear as near life like as skilled work can do. Electric lights will be placed at the tips of the horns and the combination will no doubt have a pleasing effect.

Rev. Douglas of the M. E. church was called to McCoy Wednesday to officiate at the funeral services of John Ellis, who died at his home near McCoy on Monday, March 11th. Mr. Ellis was born in Indiana 69 years ago and came to Oregon about three years ago from Oklahoma. Besides his wife, six children are left to mourn his loss. He received a paralytic stroke from which he never fully recovered. The remains were interred at Bethel cemetery.

ROCCA.

Miss Grace Hampton was mail carrier to Norton on the 14th.

Royal Plank went to Dallas to make final proof on his homestead.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kimmel has received the final receipt for her homestead.

F. J. Morrison was called to Dallas on account of the sickness of his children.

B. Gildner, of Dallas, bought 83 acres of timber land from F. Wittenstrom for \$1,180.

R. C. Barnett is doing the chores for

J. L. Morrison during the absence of his son.

Miss M. L. Hampton's four ewes have produced her with three pairs of twin lambs and one lamb.

H. H. Seaman, of San Francisco, was up Saturday visiting old neighbors and in the interest of his property.

David Edgar, who has been cruising among the timber on his way to Norton. If this should meet the eye of Sherman Hewitt, the Roca P. M. would like to have his address.

MONMOUTH.

Courtesy Star.

Hugh Guthrie has resumed his work in the forest reserve. He was recently transferred to the Niskiyou reserve.

President Resler is very busy now being out of town a great deal looking up the prospect of a school for next year.

The 1908 intercollegiate state oratorical contest will be held at Monmouth. J. M. Woods, of this place, is president of the association.

Mrs. M. J. Wylerton while sitting in front of the fire Tuesday morning fainted and fell. Being so old and crippled, it has jarred the nerves of the spine and hip, causing much pain. She is improving now.

One of the most pleasant events of the season was the dancing party given by the A. V. club in the Woodman hall Saturday evening, March 9th.

The hall was artistically decorated in Japanese effects with lanterns, screens and potted plants. Delicious punch and wafers were served during the evening.

Those present were Misses Irene Campbell, Kate Wood, Lois Powell, Hilda Stenholm, Ada Chapman, Geneva Wilcox, Elsie McKee, Genevieve, Fanny Maurer, Edna Hammond, Zero Walker, Clark, and Messrs. Ted Pierson, Burns Powell, Harry Stine, Ray Hagdale, Ed Huber, Harry Bluff, Glenn Percival, Graves Crowley, Allen Clark, W. Wood, Eugene, and Crobbie Dalton. Patronesses, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Riggs.

Saturday night a large game of basketball was played on the O. S. N. S. gymnasium floor between the Willamette University team and the O. S. N. S. boys. The game during the first half was very exciting and the decisions of the referee were fair, the score standing 8 to 9 in favor of the Salem team. The last half of the game started off well but one of the home boys fouled twice in succession and some remarks were directed from the audience which made the referee angry. In a few moments he called a foul on the captain of the home team which the captain claimed was unjust and the team was called off the floor. After considerable discussion the captain wanted to finish the game but his players would not go back so the game was forfeited to the Willamette University with a score of 12 to 15.

Monmouth will have a cannery and fruit evaporator, both to be built this year. A committee of two, J. H. Hawley and Will E. Beidwell, visited Spring Brook last Friday when Wm. Kincaid, who has been general manager of the cannery at that place since it began operation four years ago, and them at the train, and showed them through their large cannery and evaporator and gave them an estimate of the cost of each; giving the sale of the product, the stock holders and the benefit the neighborhood derives from the cannery. The two gentlemen came home fully convinced that a cannery can be made to pay here. A meeting of the business men of the town was held at Hotel Monmouth Monday night when an organization was formed with J. H. Hawley president and P. O. Powell, secretary.

After careful consideration it was voted to capitalize for \$10,000 and divide the stock into 1000 shares of \$10 each. A committee consisting of J. H. Hawley and Mr. Boothby was chosen to draft articles of incorporation and sell stock. Several thousand dollars worth of the stock has been sold and it is believed that all will be taken up in a few days. A committee consisting of S. M. Daniel and others was appointed to hunt a location for the cannery and evaporator. Apportionment was made to meet at the call of the president.

Jimmy Shinn has made good for the Portland league baseball team. He is a brother of Mrs. Ed Blessing of this city.

Married, at high noon Sunday, March 10, 1907, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ford, near Sheridan, Miss Emma L. Ford and Mr. Edward J. Fuller, of Monmouth. Rev. Parker of the M. E. church officiating. The bride was beautifully attired in cream silk covered with allover lace. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served by Miss Sarah, a sister of the bride. Those present from a distance were Mrs. Bann, a sister of the groom, and a brother, J. S. Fuller, wife and daughter, Winton. In the afternoon the happy couple departed for Monmouth, at which place they will make their future home, where the groom is in business as a farmer and prune grower. —McMinville Reporter.

Care of Hogs.

The feeder who keeps his hogs in a muddy yard without shelter in stormy weather has to shovel in corn enough to warm the hogs and feed them. Hogs born as well—Barn New Yorker.

Petals Plank.

A traveler was startled by hearing on a lonely road one night this piteous appeal: "Will the kind gentleman please help a poor, unfortunate man? I have nothing in the world but this loaded revolver." —Harper's Weekly.

On the Job.

At a recent public meeting of retiring counselors in a certain ward in a country town one of the speakers was boasting that he could bring an argument to a "pin" as quick as any other man.

On hearing this one of the audience who was acquainted with the speaker shouted out, "Aye, man, Sandy and you can bring a quart of water in a pail a bit quicker." —London Tit-Bits.

Cause For Complaint.



"Well, not exactly sorry, Willie, but if I had known that you would walk nearly twenty miles without finding a minister I would have insisted on you hiring a cab." —Browning's Magazine.

Company.

Curious about my Uncle Jim. Trouble find a' eling to him; Had most every kind there is From the mumps to rheumatism. But he says he don't complain 'Bout the bother nor the pain; Says that trouble's got to be Kind o' sort o' company.

Says that he kin allus find Subjects to divert his mind; Never fears the slightest doubt As to what he'll talk about; Reminds me not to be afraid; Says that trouble's got to be Kind o' sort o' company." —McMinville Reporter.

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA OF HEAD

One Mother's Trials—Little Ones Treated at Dispensary for Three Months—Did Not Seem to Improve—Suffered Five Months.

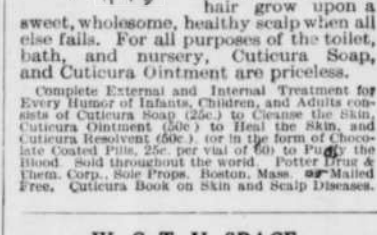
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W. C. T. U. SPACE.

Mrs. Chloe Butz, Editress.

GOVERNOR HOCH'S OPINION OF SALOONS.

Since 1880 the manufacture and sale of intoxicants except for medicinal purposes has been prohibited by the constitution of Kansas. Not a single grog can be sold in the state. It is everywhere and always an enemy to society and to good government; it is a destroyer of peace; it is a promoter of strife; it is a fruitful source of crime; it is the devil's best recruiting camp; it imposes more burdens of taxation upon the people than any other agency in existence; no human interest is sacred to it; it voluntarily obeys no law; it desecrates the Sabbath, and refuses to close its doors on this holy day except when a policeman with righteous orders from some corrupt mayor is on that beat; the Fourth of July appeals not to its patriotism, for it has none; it enchains children, in defiance of the law against selling to minors; it makes day lured with its profanities and night hideous with its orgies; it is everywhere and always an anarchy; the prohibitory policy is only questioned as a matter of expediency. But I must ever believe that in the final analysis, wrong, alone, is expedient, and that ultimate some means can always be found to make any right thing practicable. Prohibitory policy has been a great success in this state. It has been a great benefit educationally and financially for the people. Viewing it from a lower plane, from its economic side, I believe it is equally worthy of commendation. Saloons are not commercial necessities. All the money that goes into their tills is just so much taken out of legitimate business channels.

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