

CORRESPONDENCE FROM OLNEY.

Olney, Or., July 24, 1894. Editor Astorian:

Whatever wit, wisdom, knowledge, or ability may be shown by a paper, is supposed to exist in some unseen oracle who sits veiled behind the mysterious "we" but as the writer is neither an editor, and emperor, nor a tape-worm, he prefers to use the singular pronoun, "I." Thinking that a communication from Olney would interest some of your readers, I am prompted to give you some of the impressions made upon me during my short residence in this locality, as well as the news, for publication in your excellent paper.

The Olney people, while not remarkable for great piety or devotion to religious worship, are sober, upright, orderly and industrious, but not narrow-minded, one of their prominent characteristics being largeness of spirit in judging, acting, etc. they are great lovers of the terpsichorean art; and when music arises with "its voluptuous swell," Hillery's warehouse presents a scene of mirth and beauty, and every heart beats happily.

The farmers have been assiduously engaged for some time in cutting hay, the most of which is now harvested. The swing of the scythe or the clack of the mowing machine everywhere reminds one of the industry which characterizes them.

Mr. Alexander Normand, one of our most highly-esteemed and honored citizens, recently qualified as justice of the peace, to which office he had been elected by a majority of which he may well feel proud. He is a man of industry and enterprise, being a manufacturer of charcoal, of which he has about 1000 bushels on hand, as well as a farmer.

Mr. Peterson, a prominent citizen, and the newly elected commissioner, has about ten harvest hands working for him. He has been in the employ of Mr. Kamm many years, and has amassed considerable wealth. I might add here, however, that he is an admirer of the fairer sex, which doubtless is a desirable element of character, and the central figure of attraction among the ladies—the greater society light around which the lesser lights revolve.

Messrs. Stalker and Blaisdell, two excellent and highly respected citizens, are doing profitable work in timber. Mr. Hillery, one of our best citizens, has a boarder who is training himself for a prospective contest against an Astoria pugilist.

Mr. Hoffman, of Yamhill county, and Mr. Lehning, of Portland, are visiting at Corno's.

Mrs. Heaven and daughter have returned home, where they will remain for the summer.

The lower Olney school is having a vacation of a week's duration.

Mr. John Leahy, an influential citizen and the director having charge of the lower school, sends his oldest son to an educational institution in Vancouver, Washington.

There was an excursion from Astoria to this place on each of the two past Sundays.

The baseball game on Kamm's farm last Sunday between the Olneys and the Battle Creeks resulted in victory to the former. It was largely attended by spectators. Arrangements have been made for another game next Sunday afternoon at the same place between the Olneys and a club from Astoria.

I do not object to James Corbett, or as he signs his name, "Timothy Callowable," expressing a contemptuous opinion concerning the oration I delivered, or at least attempted to deliver, on the Fourth of July; but myself and others do insist that hereafter he sign his true name and not conceal it by a pseudonym. C. J. STUPP.

OREGON NOTES.

Few salmon are being caught in the bay at Marshfield.

A big run of smelt and sardines is reported down at Coos river.

R. D. Hume's bark, Ferris S. Thompson has arrived safely in Alaska.

The session of the teacher's institute will be inaugurated at Gold Beach Aug. 7th by a dance.

Claims that weigh seven ounces are being talked of as the products of Empire City vicinity.

Salmon fishing at Gold Beach, according to the Gazette, is about over with after a very light run.

The electric light plant of Grant's Pass is saving \$20 a day in running by water power instead of cordwood.

Butter was so plentiful and cheap about Gold Beach recently that they are using it for wagon grease. This was on account of the late strike.

The Pennoyers went to a picnic at Salem at which there was a banker and an insurance man and three kinds of salad. Is this standing by the great plain people?

Willow bugs are trying the patience of the people about Coquille. After they have done with a tree it looks as though fire had passed over it.

It costs more to ship a ton of butter 25 miles to the coast by rail in Coos county, than it does to ship it 200 miles farther to San Francisco by steamer.

A Mr. Moses is mentioned for an Eastern Oregon delegate to the irrigation congress to be held at Denver. A gentleman by that name once introduced a system of irrigation in Pharaoh's army which was very successful.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. B. Parker left yesterday for a few days' stay at Seaside.

Inspector Farenholt returned to Portland last evening on the steamer Telephone.

Thos. Dealey and Benj. F. Allen will

represent the 6th Veterans of Astoria and Clatsop county at a three days' reunion to be held at Forest Grove, August 1st, 2d, and 3d.

Miss Amy C. Adams, of Portland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. W. Parker. Miss Kate McCue left yesterday on the Ocean Wave for a visit with friends at Long Beach.

Miss Florence Stackpole and Miss Lillian Bain, of Portland, are visiting Miss Mabel Powell.

Mrs. Dr. Estes, Mrs. F. A. Fisher, Miss Maggie Burns and Miss Winnie Goodman returned from Seaside yesterday.

Mrs. Foreman has arranged to begin a class in Spanish Graces next Monday evening at Rescue Hall, at 7:30 p. m., to which she invites the ladies of Astoria. Charges very reasonable.

Mr. Chas. E. Runyon and his two sons started for the top of Mt. Tacoma with pack horses yesterday. In which neighborhood they will spend their vacation. Mrs. Runyon goes to California to spend several weeks with her parents.

Mr. E. Matthews, of the firm of Bryant & Matthews, returned yesterday from a few days' outing at Ocean Park, where he was a guest of Mr. John Gault. Mr. Matthews comes back from the scenes of gaiety at North Beach looking as brown as an African explorer, and while he expressed himself as having a delightful time over there, he thinks the Clatsop Beaches are by far the prettiest resorts.

DECORATING.

To those wishing work done in the decorating and fresco line, I will say that I have secured the services of Ernest Miller, scenic artist for the Marquam and Jordary's, Portland, to do my work in that line. Prices to suit the times. B. F. ALLEN.

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At Astoria, in the State of Oregon, at the close of business, July 18, 1894.

Table with financial data including Assets (Loans and discounts, U.S. Bonds, etc.) and Liabilities (Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, etc.).

State of Oregon, ss. I, S. S. Gordon, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. S. S. GORDON, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23d day of July, 1894. J. H. MAXWELL, Notary Public.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Clatsop: John Klosterman, Plaintiff, vs. Dean Blanchard, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of and under the seal of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause, on the 16th day of July, 1894, upon a decree of foreclosure and judgment rendered therein on the 31st day of June, 1894; in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendant, for the sum of \$3,709 62-100, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from June 21st, 1894, and the costs and disbursements taxed at \$—, and also the costs of and upon said writ, commanding and requiring me to make sale of the following-described real property, to-wit: Beginning on a point on the south bank of the Columbia river on the meandering line of the Samuel C. Smith Donation Land Claim, in Clatsop county, State of Oregon, Thirty and 23-100 00 and 23-100 00 chains westerly, according to the said meandering line of the northeast corner of said claim, and running thence north sixty-five degrees and thirty minutes, east three hundred feet, and thence north twenty-four degrees and thirty minutes, west to ordinary low tide, and thence westerly along the line of ordinary low tide to a line running north twenty-four degrees and thirty minutes, west from the place of beginning, and thence south twenty-four degrees and thirty minutes, east to place of beginning, together with all defendant's rights and privileges of water frontage in front of said premises, and together with all tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances belonging unto said real estate or thereunto in anywise appertaining; all of said real estate being in Clatsop county, State of Oregon.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment, order and decree, and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will on Monday, the 27th day of August, 1894, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m. in front of the court house door, in the city of Astoria, said county and state, sell, subject to redemption, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title, claim, interest, and estate, which the above-named defendant had on the date of the mortgage of plaintiff, herein or since had in and to the above described real property, to satisfy said execution, judgment, order and decree, interest, costs, and all accruing costs.

J. W. HARE, Sheriff of Clatsop County, Oregon. Astoria, Oregon, July 25th, 1894.

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