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Cream Separators

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Every little while you hear of some brand new cream separator, claiming to be a "world beater" and just as good as the De Laval but a little cheaper. These "mushroom" machines stay in the limelight only until they are "found wanting" by the the users and in a short time drop out of sight.

It takes years of experience to build a "good" cream separator. More than 30 years of experiments and experience have made the De Laval pre-eminently the best machine on the market for the separation of cream from milk.

If you buy a De Laval you run no risk of dissatisfaction or loss. It's time tested and time proven. Why experiment? Why take chances with an inferior machine when you know that the De Laval is the *best machine for you to buy.*

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6		
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Monmouth, Oregon

Local and Personal

Brown & Sibley, attorneys and abstractors, 610 Mill Street, Dallas, Oregon.

W. R. Coulter was in Monmouth last Friday looking after the Butler estate.

Miss Frances Pyles visited friends in Salem last Friday remaining over Sunday.

E. W. Strong was at Marion station Wednesday superintending the loading of a car with oak lumber.

Mrs. G. T. Robertson and Mrs. Percy Robertson and son, Sivert, of Salem, spent the week with Mrs. Mary Halvorsen and family.

Miss Nora Aynes has resigned her position as clerk in the post-office and has accepted a clerkship with the Mercantile Company. Miss Edna Carmichael, a Normal student, will serve as clerk in the office.

Miss Esther Halvorsen autoed over from Salem with Miss Emma Kreamer Friday, in the latter's new car, to spend the week-end, Miss Halvorsen at home and Miss Kreamer at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. J. Beery.

Allen Clark, accompanied by his cousin, Attorney Caplinger, of Independence, autoed to Portland last Sunday and returned home yesterday. They attended the ball game Sunday and witnessed the defeat of the Beavers by the Venice team.

Monmouth Heights

Mr. and Mrs. Lefever were in Independence, Saturday.

Ed Hamar of Rock Creek visited with his cousin Dow Hamar and family last week.

Pearl Fishback made a business trip to Salem, Thursday.

Cephas Nelson was in Port-

land last week on business.

Mrs. Addie Calbreath called on Mrs. Lillie Johnson of Monmouth, Saturday.

Miss Anna Kurtz of Perrydale was a guest of friends here Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Dan Calbreath was in Independence, Saturday.

J. H. Mulkey of Monmouth recently traded two colts to Clay Guthridge here for twenty-one head of goats and a milk cow.

Mr. and Mrs. Peck of Talmage were here Friday after a load of wood.

Geo. Bennett and family of near Independence passed over the Heights, Saturday.

Henry Lehman of near Independence was seen here Friday.

Mrs. Belle Johnson and daughter Fern and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fishback are on the Luckiamute training hops for Ralph Dodson.

Herman Wunder had several men last week working and widening the road at Mount Whimble here.

Elmer Rake and family of Monmouth visited relatives here Sunday.

Leonard McCaleb Sundayed with a girl friend at Eola.

Library Notes

Miss M. Clarke, Librarian; H. Haley, Assistant.

We are expecting a set of new books from Salem for the library the last of the week.

Some new books have been donated to the library. Among them are: Helping Himself, 54-40 or Fight, Graustark, The Wrestler of Phillippi, Alone and Mark Seaworth, also The Lion of St. Mark.

Come and look the books over. Perhaps among them you will find something that will interest you.

Western Oregon Valleys Seem To Hide No Oil

The chance of getting oil in commercial quantities in western Oregon is very slight, according to C. W. Washburne, a University of Oregon graduate in geology, of the class of 1905, who has made a report to the United States geological survey. Mr. Washburne has described all the reported seeps of oil and gas, and gives an account of his research work by counties.

He says many seeps of oil have been reported from practically every western Oregon county, but that most of the material described as oil proved on investigation to be merely oxide, a substance that when present in water in minute amounts forms an iridescent scum that looks much like an oil film. His report says in part:

"In some places in western Oregon the rocks contain tiny globules of oil, and in others they are cut by veins of solid, brittle oil residue, but nowhere is liquid oil known to seep out at the surface. The solid residues indicate only that oil was at one time present in the rocks, but it does not necessarily mean that oil occurs in quantity in the rocks at the present time. The absence of oil seeps is the most discouraging feature in this field, for the rocks are so broken that it seems highly improbable that much oil could occur in them and still not leak out at the surface and form seeps. The possibility of obtaining oil by drilling is regarded as slightly favorable in places in Coos, Douglas, Lincoln and Lane counties, but even there the chances are not good."

A careful study of all the known occurrences of gas in western Oregon shows that the chances for getting commercial quantities are no better than for oil, says Mr. Washburne.

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