

From
Several
Correspondents.

MONMOUTH ITEMS.

Mrs. Wm. Boots is quite ill.
Mr. Hart and family moved to Dallas Monday.
Mr. Fuller has built a new barn on his farm near town.
Mr. Younger and family left Wednesday for Baker City.
Frank Morris has added a new barn to his farm west of town.
Mr. Orr, of Rickreall, was in town Tuesday engaging hop pickers.
Mr. and Mrs. Crane, of Portland, are visiting Mrs. Coleman this week.
B. L. Murphy has been sojourning near Eugene for the past two weeks.
Miss Lella Parrish is some better and accompanied her mother to Newport Thursday.
Mrs. T. J. Craig of Portland, is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. A. Cattron, of this place.
A. M. Arant will assist Mr. Bristow in the grocery store for the rest of the summer.
W. L. Bristow has purchased the Mason property and will soon move his family there.
Mrs. Reynolds was taken to the hospital at Salem Wednesday of last week and is somewhat better.
Joe Conyers, a former cook at the dining hall here, came down to attend to affairs at his farm at Lewisville.
R. M. Smith has sold his hay press to Mr. Driver, of Independence, and he is baling the hay in this vicinity.
Mrs. Helen Adkins, accompanied by her grandson, Herbert Adkins, went to Eugene Saturday for an extended visit.
I. H. Fream went to Portland to attend the Woodman initiation, and from there to Eastern Oregon to visit relatives.
Mrs. Dave Hampton was called to The Dalles Saturday to be with her youngest son, who is very low with appendicitis.
Mr. Ray, formerly of Junction City, Lane county, has moved here with his family and is now living in the Hefley house.
Henry Pierce will work with Lawrence's thresher, and Misses Mabel and Emma Byers will carry the mail in his place during harvest.
Mrs. Howell and daughter, Olivia, returned last week from Oregon City, where they have spent several weeks visiting relatives.

Mrs. Coats, J. H. Glemer and family and W. A. Meador and family left for the Big Nestucca Tuesday, where they will visit relatives at Woods.
Frank Lucas has bought the Hembree barn and lot south of the Christian church, and sold the barn to Mr. Riddle, who is tearing it down, preparatory to moving it to his farm for a shed for his clover hay.

Trip to Granite Mountain.

special from Boosa.
Last Tuesday a party of eleven from here climbed to the middle peak of Granite Mountain, it taking three hours to make the ascent. After lunch one of the party climbed a fir tree and took a picture of the crowd. The men then worked at a large bowlder and sent it down the mountain side. Only those who have seen a bowlder roll and jump down a steep, long descent can know what a sight it is.
A lovely view is had from the top; to the southeast can be seen Cartwheel Mountain near Corvallis and beyond that the Cascades, while to the south Table Mountain and Mary's Peak loom in the distance and to the west is the broad expanse of water where the mighty Pacific rolls, together with the little Rock Creek valley with its oak catkins here and there make a picture well worth the climb to see.

Those of the party were: Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pearse, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Morrison, Mrs. L. L. Porter, J. A. Spangier, W. B. Hopson, Harold Pearse, Gerald O'Neill, Misses Lulu Spangler and Esther Hampton.

Legal Notices.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, July 27, 1901.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on September 8, 1901, viz: Florence I. Wagoner, H. E. No. 12769 for the SW 1/4 of Section 12, T. 8 S., R. 7 W.
She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: F. Robinson, of Falls City, Oregon; Mrs. Sam Tethrow, of Falls City, Oregon; Mrs. A. M. Hurley, of Independence, Oregon; Ivau Woods, of Independence, Oregon.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that by order of the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon, for Polk county, the final settlement of the administration of the estate of E. F. Hosford, deceased, is set for hearing Saturday, September 7, 1901, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day. All persons interested are notified to appear at said time at the place of holding said court and show cause if any there be, why the petition for the said settlement should not be allowed.
WALTER HOVOLD, Administrator of the estate of E. F. Hosford, deceased.

A Bad Runaway.

On last Thursday H. Hirschberg and D. W. Sears drove over to Salem, leading behind their buggy a young horse which Mr. Sears had sold and had started out to deliver to the purchaser. Everything seemed to start off well until about a mile below town when the horse being led got its hind feet and front feet mixed up and threw itself on the ground with a mighty force, but got up again in good shape with no bad results more than a couple of skinned shins. Everything now went well until Salem was reached and Mr. Hirschberg was landed in Salem. Mr. Morris Wiprut taking Mr. Hirschberg's place in the buggy and leading the horse while Mr. Sears did the driving, starting on their way to the fair ground, where the animal was to be turned over to its new owner. When only a few blocks a street car made its appearance, coming up to the rear, and it was all off with the horse being led behind. He made a lunge and landed in the rear of the buggy with both front feet striking Mr. Sears and Mr. Wiprut slightly.

Of course the noise excited the horse hitched to the buggy and he landed both men in a ditch to the side of the road. The horse jerked the lines out of Mr. Sears' hands and made a bee line for a barbed wire fence. This is the time Mr. Sears said he would not have given 25 cents for the horse, but the fence posts happened to be pretty well rotted off and the horse hit the wire fence square and it gave way and he went through with but few scratches.

The gentlemen got their belongings together and returned to the livery stable and with Mr. Sears' persistent democratic proclivities secured a new rig and a driver and again started. When at about the same place the driving horse balked and the expert driver then whacked the horse with the whip and he began to back, turning the buggy over and twisting the axle all out of shape. Only again to return to the stable.

Now Mr. Sears decided to have his first horse back ride in some twenty years, and securing a saddle horse at last delivered the horse to its new owner. As to the results Dave experienced from his horse back ride we are not prepared to say. On Wednesday Mr. Hirschberg boarded the stage and about noon returned with the horse and buggy in good shape.

P. T. Thomas, Sumpterville, Ala., "I was suffering from dyspepsia when I commenced taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I took several bottles and can digest anything." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only preparation containing all the natural digestive fluids. It gives weak stomachs entire rest, restoring their natural condition. A. S. Locke.

Bathing at Independence.

A bath house has been constructed on the river at the place used for the upper landing of the boats during low water and now every evening the bank of the river is lined with people to watch those going in bathing. Several ladies have already enjoyed the sport and are learning to swim. Owing to the past few days being so warm, the water has been nice and warm and much more enjoyable than in former years. There is no use of Independence folks going to the coast when surf bathing like this is so close at hand.

A Fatal Accident.

On Wednesday afternoon Mr. Mosher, an old gentleman living across the river, near the Sulphur Springs, in Marion county, was the victim of a fatal accident. He

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was hauling rails and burning brush, and though warned of the danger of a snag falling paid no heed. He was walking about the snag, when without the slightest warning it fell on the old gentleman, probably causing concussion of the brain, from the effects of which he died half an hour later. Every effort was put forth to stay away the inevitable by those with him, but before medical assistance had reached him he had passed away.

O. O. Buck, Berne, Ark., says: I was troubled with constipation until I bought DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Since then I have been entirely cured of my old complaint. I recommend them. A. S. Locke.

PARKER.

The warehouse will commence to take in grain in a few days.

Dr. W. C. Brown, of Independence, spent Sunday with relatives. James Shives, of Buena Vista, has joined the chess club of this place.

Last Sunday was the hottest day for the year, the mercury running up to 101.

We were wrongly informed last week, Mr. Kerr did not sell his little one horse wagon.

We want to thank you, Mr. Editor, for the 22-cal. Stevens rifle you gave us, it being the third premium in the contest just closed. It is a little beauty and a good shooter.

Mrs. Simpson has returned to her home in Albany, after a few

days visit with her parents.

John Fuqua contemplates spending a few weeks at the seaside before returning to his home near Kansas City, Mo.

All of our Woodmen of the World attended the August "log rolling" at Mount Tabor and report it one of the best things on record. 1396 candidates were initiated into the order in one night.

The hum of the threshers are heard on all sides early and late, and the golden grain will soon be converted into golden dollars, and the dollars exchanged for a thousand and one different and useful articles.

James White, Bryantsville, Ind., says DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve healed running sores on both legs. He had suffered six years. Doctors failed to help him. Get DeWitt's. Accept no imitations. A. S. Locke.

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