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WILLAMETTE VALLEY FARMING.

The progress of diversified farming in the Willamette Valley is strikingly shown by a Salem correspondent who states that while only a decade ago about half a million bushels of wheat were stored in the warehouses of that city annually, last year there were but about fifty thousand bushels. In consequence the mills that had a daily output of fourteen hundred barrels a day are practically shut down one of them only having been operated last year, and that but for seventy-two days with a daily output of but three hundred and fifty barrels.

The Willamette Valley farmers have quit raising wheat to a great extent. With low prices there was nothing but hard work—no profit. Oats, barley, hay and hops are engaging their attention in the agricultural line, while cattle are being grown to pasture the lands and consume the crops. And there are fewer mortgages and more independent farmers in consequence, while at the same time the soil is being built up. It is a profitable, wholesome change.

SENATOR CLARK'S RAILROAD.

The rumor that Senator Clark of Montana and associates will build their proposed line of railroad from Salt Lake City to Coos Bay, instead of Los Angeles as first proposed, seems credible. The road would open a good country with immense timber and coal resources, besides there would be absence of the competition that would attend the road if built to the Southern California city. And while Coos Bay is not a first-class harbor money can make it so. If that harbor is to be made the terminus it is not improbable that the road will be built down the Willamette and Steamer rivers and thence south along the coast to its terminus. Railroad passes are not plentiful in the Southern Oregon part of the Cascade range, besides with the line down the Willamette Senator Clark's road would be in excellent position to reach Portland and Puget Sound if necessary.

STATE FAIR.

No time in the history of the Oregon State Fair has there been such a good feeling among the agricultural classes towards the success of the fair as exists at the present time. Every section of the state seems to be taking an interest in the fair and promises to give it their hearty support. There are reasons for this awakening of the people to the support of the fair. One is, the management has worked hard and faithfully to make the fair as broad as the state itself. The transportation companies have come to their assistance and made very liberal rates on hauling exhibits of all kinds. Another is, the people are beginning to realize that it is time to let the outside world know of the wonderful resources of

our state, and believe that the State Fair is the place to meet the better class of home-seekers. This will make the fair doubly valuable. It will give those who are looking for homes on the Pacific Coast an opportunity to see in a body what our state can produce, and where it is produced, without traveling all over the state at great expense. It will also give the exhibitor the best possible opportunity of showing his products, whether it be grains, grasses, fruits, vegetables, livestock, minerals or manufactured goods.

The grave should be the end of private or public vengeance. The placing of a chemical on Tracy's face by the Salem prison officials was barbarous and without the least reason. The excuse that it was to prevent his only being stolen for exhibition purposes will not be accepted by thinking people. The state of Oregon certainly could afford to guard the grave for the few days in which nature would accomplish the work of disfigurement almost as effectively as the chemical. Tracy was cruel—bloodthirsty; the Oregon state prison officials were brutal.

An elderly Michigan couple recently closed out an orphanage by adopting the twenty-two children, inmates of the place. This ought to prove an interesting experiment. With that number of children brought up with the same opportunities and nearly every one with different temperament and of different parentage and different mental capacity and inheriting different traits of character, education and kindness have a great opportunity to demonstrate their power over the human mind.

President Roosevelt and son slept on the bare ground rolled up in their blankets at Oyster Bay, Long Island, Friday night. Those who have used the soft side of the earth for a couch will not be surprised to learn that they arose early, at five o'clock. And it is not improbable that they felt like getting up long before that hour. Woven or spring wire discounts the ground for sleeping purposes.

Commissioner Binger Hermann of the general land office arrived at Portland Saturday. He is an astute politician and with the influence his present position brings him it would not be surprising should he be elected United States senator when the legislature convenes next January. It is likely that other prospective candidates view his presence in Oregon with nervous apprehension.

It is claimed by those living near the army posts of the country that the newly enlisted soldiers are of the worst class known in the history of the army. Men who enlist in the army in times of peace or thirteen dollars a month are not usually worth any more than that price, and tend to be under restraint on general principles.

Northwestern Iowa got before the public with a heavy frost the other day.

A Parisian doctor has compounded a serum injection which he claims is fatal to boils. It was Job's luck to live a few thousand years too soon.

King Edward has his crown at last. But at sixty-one years of age it probably lacks much of the importance that would have attached to it earlier in life.

"In the next letter you write me," wrote the city girl, who was at the beach, to her mother, "please send my bathing suit. I forgot it when I came away."

If you want to see a circus right now go to Portland next Monday or Tuesday. The Ringling aggregation holds the sawdust in the Oregon metropolis both those days.

Coal mine explosions do some curious work. Up in Montana the other day an explosion of fire damp blew the head of a miner one hundred feet from where the body was found. The legs could not be found at all.

George Chamberlain could be elected governor, but he is away behind in the race for the most popular Elk in Portland, his vote up to Monday being but little over a thousand, with several others away above, the highest near the seventeen thousand mark.

Some Denver people have had a curious moral epasm. The directors of the public library ordered the exclusion of Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn" on the ground that the book is "sacriligious and immoral." Now the publisher may look out for big sales in Denver.

It is not surprising to learn that the man who built the first flouring mill in Central Illinois is dead at the age of seventy-nine but it is surprising to think of the wonderful development of the country during the period covered by the manhood years of the dead mill-builder.

A dispatch from an Illinois town relates a peculiar circumstance. A lady who had stepped into a church doorway during a storm, was rendered unconscious by a bolt that wrecked the spire. The shock melted a gold watchchain that she wore about her neck, and four gold rings on her hand, the rings running together into one piece. She recovered fully after being unconscious an hour.

City Property for Sale

HENDERSON'S ADDITION TO EUGENE.
To those desiring to purchase city lots, I have laid out an addition on the south side of the city and north of College Hill Park. I have 120 lots in this addition, and am selling them very low so as to enable every one to have a home of their own. The price of these lots is from \$50 up.

ELIAS STUART'S ADDITION TO EUGENE.
I have some very desirable lots in this addition, in the very heart of the city and within a few blocks of Willamette street.

WATKINS'S ADDITION TO EUGENE.
I have a few lots in this addition within two blocks of the First National Bank.

COLLEGE HILL PARK.
I have 100 lots in this addition. The price now is \$50 each. We will advance the price soon. We expect College Hill Park to become the most desirable real estate property in or near the city.

HENDERSON'S ADDITION TO COLLEGE HILL PARK.
We have 70 lots for sale cheap in this addition; also 40 or 50 acres of very choice fruit land. I have on this place 1200 young fruit trees, about 400 Bartlett pear trees, and 200 black walnut trees, also apples, plums and small fruits. This place has a good farm house, barn and out-houses, and is a most beautiful suburban piece of property. It is known as the Locust Hill farm, and there is no place in the state more beautifully and pleasantly situated.

I am not in real estate business as a business—we sell our own lands only. I employ no agents. Any one desiring to purchase any of this property will find me at the First National Bank. I will be pleased to show property and give prices. I might exchange some of this property for good timber land. Come and see me.

Look Pleasant, Please.

Photographer C. C. Harlan, of Eaton, O., can do so now, though for years he couldn't because he suffered untold agony from the worst form of indigestion. All physicians and medicine failed him till he tried Electric Bitters, which worked such wonders for him that he declares they are a godsend to sufferers from dyspepsia and stomach trouble. Untried for diseases of the stomach, liver and kidneys, they build up and give new life to the whole system. Try them. Only 50c. Guaranteed by W. L. D. Lash.

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PERSONAL.

Daily Star, Aug. 12.
Horace McKinley is in Eugene.
Dan Tarpay, of Salem, is in the city.
T. O. Maxwell, of Springfield, is very sick.

Dr. H. C. Atwood made a trip to Jasper today.
L. C. Skeels and family have returned from Gardiner.
Eli Bangs and wife left yesterday for Foley Springs.

Erl Dillard has gone to Tillamook county on a vacation.
A. P. Battersworth, Jr., editor of the Harrisburg Bulletin, is in the city.

Mrs. M. E. Brownlee returned this afternoon from a visit at Junction.
Miss Bertha Goldsmith arrived up from Oregon City last night on a visit.

Prof. E. H. McAlister and family leave tomorrow for Gave Creek on an outing.
Miss Maude Coffin, of Portland, is the guest of Miss Marie Ware for a few days.

Miss Margaret Callaway is taking a vacation at her home in Bailey precinct.
Miss Nellie Giffry will accompany the Chambers-Moodgrass party to Crater Lake the last of this week.

Dr. F. M. Day started yesterday with his wife for the upper McKenzie resorts for the benefit of her health.
Fred Herbold and L. M. Travis leave this evening on their wheel for Mapleton to be gone several days on business.

Supt. L. R. Fields, of the S. P. Co., was aboard the southbound train this afternoon on his way to Southern Oregon points.
Mrs. Mary Couch, of Albany, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. W. Waddie in Eugene, returned home today.

Miss Anna Brownlee returned this afternoon from Bichly, where she has just finished a three months' term of school.
Roseburg Review: Rev. W. A. Wood, who now lives at Eugene, was here Thursday evening en route to Coquille City to hold services.

Roseburg Plaindealer: Mrs. E. T. Fisher, of Eugene, who has been visiting her brother F. E. Alley of Roseburg returned home Saturday.
J. J. Holt and family, Mrs. R. H. Shacklett and the two sons of Rev. G. N. Wall have started home from Alsea and other points by wagon.

E. H. Ingham was a passenger on the early train this morning for Newport. Mrs. Ingham and children will go down tomorrow morning.
Miss Nina Olander went to Cottage Grove this afternoon. From there she will leave with her parents for Minnetonka on a few weeks' visit.

H. O. Danks, W. B. Burns and Allen Standish and families have just arrived here from Nebraska and will locate here. There are 15 people in the families.
Miss Carrie Hovey returned this afternoon from a visit at Portland. She was accompanied by the Misses Eva and Grace Roach who will visit here awhile.

F. T. Plank, Henry Denhart, and son, Harry Denhart, and Mr. Holman returned yesterday from an outing at Belknap Springs. The latter two gentlemen are just out from the East.

A. N. Striker returned to Junction today after a short stay in Eugene. He is at present engaged in superintending the erection of a county bridge at Harper's eight miles below Junction.

The family of J. W. Quackenbush, who, with his son, has been here several months, arrived here last night from Nebraska, and have moved into the Wheeler residence on North Pearl street.

D. W. Sears, late candidate for secretary of state on the Democratic ticket, accompanied by his mother will leave in a few days for an extended tour of the East. Their trip will embrace the states of Colorado, Texas, and Iowa, also Indian Territory and Oklahoma.

Heppner Times: Prof. D. V. S. Reid came up from Portland Saturday night and departed for that city again Monday. He and his daughter, assisted by Mrs. Kate Reeves, are making a transcript of the original government survey of Morrow county.

Frank Park and George and Ralph Marx left this afternoon in a light back on a trip to the mountains. They will go across the Cascades via the McKenzie route to the Duaneville country and probably come back by way of the Santiam route. They will be gone three or four weeks.

Mrs. Elizabeth Kelly and daughter, the Misses Beesie and Kate, left this afternoon for Seattle where they will meet Cousin H. B. Miller and family who will arrive there about the 15th of August from Nien Cowang, Ching, Consul Miller is on a leave of absence.

Heppner Times: Miss Ora Reid, of Eugene, was in Heppner a few days this week and last week as general agent for a library. Miss Reid has just returned from the presidency of the state Y. P. C. E. and she gave the Endeavorers an instructive lecture at the Christian church on last Sunday evening.

Pleasant Hill News.

Special to the Guard.
PLEASANT HILL, Aug. 8.—The West thresher started yesterday.
The thermometer registered 98 degrees in the shade here Wednesday.
J. P. Walsh, who died at Jasper, was buried here Sunday by the W. of W.

Miss Stella Shelley is very low with consumption at the residence of her aunt, Mrs. Wade Martin. Her brother Leo arrived home from Condon Saturday in answer to summons on her account.

Mrs. Evans, of Irving, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Williams.
It is rumored that Josiah Callison and family will move back to their farm here this fall. They have lived in Eugene several years.

Henry Mitchell and P. L. Lard have each purchased a new cream separator and are turning off large quantities of first-class butter.

Howard Bughman has rented his place to Bernice Warinton and will soon move to Astoria, where three of her children will enter the State Normal school.
Miss Lena Callison, of Jasper, made a business visit to this place Wednesday.

Palestine Pointers.

Special to the Guard.
CROW, Aug. 12.—W. L. Ford and wife leave tomorrow for short outing on Wolf Creek.
J. A. J. Crow and family propose making Emira their permanent home at an early date. Mr. and Mrs. Crow have already identified themselves with the Christian church at that place.

Joseph Gates, Jr., is adding some neat and substantial improvements to his new home.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith and children of Hiale, have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. J. Kr. at this week.

Mr. C. Smith was braving the hot weather with a beef wagon today.
These citizens who are wont to indulge in facetious free speech about the uncultivated, unpolished, uncouth inhabitants of the valleys of the Long Tom, Coyote and Spencer should have been at the band picnic July 26, to have observed the actions of the backwoodsmen from Eugene who had quantities of whiskey to sell, trade or give away, and what they could not thus dispose of, they consumed themselves. Their names are known to some of our citizens, and they should not repeat the action.

Dr. Slayback, who recently passed through the country looking for a location, has settled at Mapleton. His many friends wish him abundant success and congratulate the people of Mapleton and vicinity on the acquisition of so able a physician.

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