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COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

A suitcase, marked John G. Lewis, and containing needlework, was taken from the pavilion by mistake the week following the school fair. The one who made the mistake, will please leave the same at the store of W. T. Macy.

A warrant for \$2 for second prize on drawing, payable to James Diorsey, was returned to this office unclaimed. The owner will please send us his address, and the warrant will be mailed to him at once.

Miss Nettie Benton, of Newberg, began a six month term of school in No. 66 Monday, October 20. She will have four high school pupils.

Nearly 800 high school students are enrolled in the schools of the county.

There is an increased interest in high school work, and a growing demand for the its industrial phases. Everywhere that manual training has been introduced for the boys, there is a sentiment favoring domestic science for the girls.

Let us hear what the other schools are doing. Athletics, moderately engaged in, is a necessary adjunct to school work, and does much to create and foster the school spirit, which is so essential to success.

CHEHALEM CENTER

*Mrs. Geo. Morris and little son and Miss Barbara Morris were visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Hodges, the first of the week.

Rev. Elmer Pemberton delivered the gospel message at the church Sunday morning.

Next Saturday at half past two o'clock is the Monthly Meeting of Chehalem Center church. Let all the members be present as there are several questions of importance to be settled.

Rev. H. G. Crocker returned last week from his visit in the East. He found his mother improving from her illness.

Rev. G. N. Edwards, pastor of the Congregational church of Oregon City, spent several days last week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Crocker.

Mr. G. C. Patey, the State and County Superintendent of the Prohibition Work, gave a splendid temperance address at the church Thursday evening and then again Sunday evening he gave another to the Christian Endeavorers. Mr. Patey is a live wire for the Prohibition work.

At the school election held Monday F. W. Childers was elected as one of the directors to fill the unexpired term of H. A. Page who had resigned.

Making Himself at Home.

Doris was radiant over a recent addition to the family and rushed out of the house to tell the news to a passing neighbor.

"Oh, you don't know what we've got upstairs!" she cried. "What is it?"

"It's a baby brother!" And expectantly she watched the effect of her announcement.

"You don't say so! Is he going to stay?"

"I think so"—very thoughtful. "He's got his things off!"

FOR POULTRY RAISERS

The comb is the chicken's health indicator.

The merits of the scratching shed are shown during bad weather.

Good development before beginning to lay is best for the pullet.

The nearer square you build a poultry house, the less the cost of construction.

Overcrowding is one of the worst and most frequent mistakes made by poultrymen.

Shade must be provided for fowls and little chicks during hot weather.

The old hens, especially those older than 2 years, should be fattened and sold.

Some of the causes of roup are sudden and extreme changes in temperature, damp houses and drafts.

A small, well kept flock may prove a profit where a flock of twice the size might show a distinct loss.

If your flock is properly managed and cared for there will be little or no use for medicines and tonics.

Eggs ought to weigh one and a half pounds to the dozen or 22 pounds net to the 30 dozen eggs.

Some tell the sex of the guinea fowl by its wattles. Those of the male are double the size of the female.

Experiments show that chickens with strong vitality and plenty of masculine characteristics make the largest gains.

It is a poor policy to change the quarters of hens or pullets while laying, for it usually checks or stops egg production.

The Maine experiment station tonic for fowls is as follows: Pulverized gentian, one pound; pulverized ginger, one fourth pound; pulverized saltpeter one fourth pound; iron sulphate, one half pound. Mix thoroughly, and use two or three tablespoonfuls in 10 parts of mash.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION IN 1914

Seven college presidents and a number of college instructors, including ex-President Taft, will contribute to The Youth's Companion during 1914.

Then there is Gene Stratton Porter, whose stories of Indiana woods and swamps have made her famous, and Kate Douglas Wiggin, who never wrote a dull line in her life, and Mrs. Burton Harrison, who remembers when conversation was really an art as practised in Washington and in the manor houses of Virginia. And this is just a beginning of the list.

If you know The Companion, you have a pretty clear idea of what is in store for next year's readers. If you do not know, ask us to send you sample copies—for instance, those containing the opening chapters of Arthur Stanswood Pier's fine serial—"His Father's Son." Full announcement for 1914 will be sent with the sample copies.

For the year's subscription of \$2.00 there is included The Companion Practical Home Calendar for 1914, and all the issues of the paper for the remaining weeks of 1913, dating from the time the subscription is received.

The Youth's Companion, 144 Berkeley St., Boston, Mass.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

C E Alfrey & wf to Marion & Tillie McMillen 23.13 ac in Thos J Yocom d l c tp 5 s r 5 w \$2200 \$125.

Irene Abbott to S M Blowers lot 3 blk 18 City Park add to City of Newberg Ore \$125.

H L Archer & wf to McMinnville Investment Co 250 ac in Wm T Newby & Vincent Snelling d l c tp 4 s r 4 w w m \$25,500.

Ira O Barber & wf to August Jensen lot 10 blk 1 Barber's add to Willamina \$125.

J W Bewley to Jessie Bewley lot 7 blk 9 Faulconer's add to Sheridan Ore \$700.

E Iwin R Hadley & wf to Emma A and Lucy M Newby lot 3 and North 1/2 lot 4 blk 2 Edward's 2nd add Newberg \$1050.

Frank C Hesse to Edna Maud Hesse und 1/2 interest in 270 ac south 1/2 Wm Haley d l c tp 3 s r 5 w \$1.

Wm Kincaid & wf to M G and Mary E Markell 10 ac in Albert G Phillips Homestead and lots 1 2, 3, 4 Springbrook Ore \$1.

Nellie Knighton et vir to Ora Godsey 1/2 of w 1/2 of n 1/2 sec 5 tp 6 s r 7 w \$400.

Lillie H Messinger et vir to B L and Lottie Bell 29.48 ac in W R Johnson d l c tp 3 s r 4 w \$10.

Gottlieb Miller & wf to W E Fry sw 1/4 sec 30 and 140.49 ac in secs 25 and 36 tp 4 s r 5 and 6 w \$500.

Joseph Rhyner to F A Hayes 52.46 ac in O P Turner d l c tp 5 s r 6 w \$1.

Karin L Saunders et vir to Irma E Gray s 1/2 of n 1/2 of n 1/2 sec 10 tp 5 s r 6 w \$1100.

W J Schmauch & wf to John Lundgren blk 13 Hotel property in Whiteson \$10.

Anna B Smith et vir to Chas E and Dorothy L Smith lot 5 blk 4 Deskin's 4th add to Newberg \$10.

W F Stine & wf to Jennie Tyler lots 1, 2, 3 "Longview Acres" \$10.

P C Thompson & wf to James Woodward 1/2 ac in S Cozine d l c tp 4 s r 4 w \$10.

W C Van Dersel & wf to Marie Edwards lot 4 blk 2 and lots 12 and 13 blk 1 Revenue Orchards \$10.

James T Watson & wf to Harley M and Lillie W Dix 37.69 ac in Wm R Johnson d l c tp 3 s r 4 w \$5000.

Isom P Wootton & wf to Edwin R and Floy S Hadley lot 3 and North 1/2 lot 4 blk 2 Edward's 2nd add Newberg \$1050.

H A Yocom & wf to Sandusky Wilson and Anna Wilson 80 ac in Garrison Crow d l c tp 3 s r 5 w \$7000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Mary Farmer, age 18 yrs. to Hugh Aspinwell, age 23 yrs.

Wilma G. Finley, age 22 yrs. to Ezra A. Nash, age 26 yrs.

Mary E. Driscoll, age 28 yrs. to William McGuire, age 39 yrs.

Marie Mead, age 19 yrs. to Harry M. White, age 22 yrs.

Give and Take.

We pay our preacher in produce and vegetables."

"Some of your members keep rather close tabs. I saw one man put a cabbage on the contribution plate and take out two potatoes."

A PRIZED RECORD.

Original Muster Roll of "Captain A. Lincoln's Company."

None of the records of the treasury department is more highly prized than the original muster roll of "Captain A. Lincoln's company" in the handwriting of that famous man himself. It was a voluntary company organized by Lincoln in 1832 to serve in the Black Hawk war. Lincoln as an army officer was the same painstaking, careful and orderly man that he was later as president. He kept the muster rolls of his company himself, and nowhere can a neater and more complete account be found.

Although more than eighty years old now, the roll is wonderfully well preserved. The paper is of poor quality, but the handwriting is still legible and distinct, not a single error having been made in the copy. The record has been bound together along the edges, and where it has been folded constant handling has done considerable damage to it.

The interesting document is headed: "Muster Roll of Captain A. Lincoln's Company of the Fourth Regiment of Mounted Volunteers, Commanded by Brigadier General Samuel Whitesides. Mustered out of service of the United States at the mouth of Fox river May the 27th, 1832."

The roll shows that Abraham Lincoln was the captain and that he was enrolled with the rest of the command on April 21 at Richland, Sangamon country, Ill. At the foot is Lincoln's certificate as to the correctness of the muster roll at the time of muster out. The only other handwriting on the document is that of Nathaniel Buckmaster, inspector and muster officer, certifying to the accuracy of the roll of Lincoln's company.

A Persistent Friend.

Mr. George Weir, an English actor, in his early days appeared one night in the role of Hamlet in an improvised theater at Stroud, in Gloucestershire, and suffered much embarrassment from the demonstrative attentions of an enthusiastic former schoolfellow, who sat in the front of the tent and kept up a running comment on the performance. "That be Gargy Weir," exclaimed the admirer. "I knows Gargy! I used to go to school along wi' he." After many expostulations the interrupter was turned out, and all went well until the audience was hushed to deadly silence while Hamlet was going through his soliloquy. Then suddenly a still, small voice came cheerily from the back row of seats, "Garge, I be in again!"

Power of the Whale.

If the whale knew its own power it could easily destroy all the machinery which the art of man could devise for catching him. It would only be necessary for him to swim on the surface in a straight line in order to break the thickest rope, but instead, on being struck by the harpoon, he obeys a natural instinct, which, in this instance, betrays him to his death. Not having an air bladder, he can sink to the lowest depths of the ocean, and, mistaking the harpoon for the teeth of a swordfish or a shark, he instantly descends, this being the manner of freeing himself from these enemies, who cannot bear the pressure of a deep ocean, and from descending and ascending in small space he thus puts himself in the power of the whaler.

Its Limitations.

A severe disposition is a great institution as a general thing, although of little assistance in driving mules.—Athenian Globe

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