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General White was somewhat relieved when he heard the cable was busted last week.

It has been suggested to take the Columbia to European waters to show foreigners what a Yankee yacht can do.

The appointment of General Fred Funston as a brigadier-general in the new volunteer service, and the order for his return to the Philippines, killed a big batch of yellow stories.

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The trial of Edward L. Mims for the murder of Henry Miller, held at Pendleton last week, ended in Mims being found guilty of manslaughter.

Jeffries defeated Sharkey in a 25-round pugilistic encounter at Coney Island last week. Those versed in such matters say the fight should have been declared a draw.

The Democrats have about given up pestering Dewey to accept a nomination for the presidency, and, as an excuse, say he has spoiled his chances by riding from Washington to Vermont in the private car of a railroad magnate.

The area of the colony governed by the Boers in South Africa between which and England there is now war, is about equal to the area of the States of New York and New Jersey, or 57,000 square miles (about half the area of Oregon), and the population is about one million.

Colonel Baden Powell's plucky defense of Mafeking comes as a refreshing draught to Englishmen; after their other bitter pills from South Africa. While it was thought matters were fairly safe at Ladysmith, this little isolated force have long been given up as a forlorn hope.

The Linnton Packing House is likely to prove a boon to sheep and cattlemen by ridding the range of hundreds of wretched cayuse horses that manage to exist among the rocks and canyons during the winter and clear the home ranges of grass while the sheep are away in the mountains in summer.

For 2000 men to stand up with empty guns in their hands before several thousand well-armed sharpshooters, would be to court unnecessary slaughter. Therefore the two regiments, or remnants of regiments that were forced to surrender at Ladysmith, should not be set down as wanting in courage.

The unity of all parties in England will help that country to get over her reverse in South Africa. Notwithstanding the fact that the English liberals as a party are against the present policy that brought about the war in the Transvaal, we don't find them pursuing the tactics of the anti-imperialists in this country by sending tracts to the soldiers and poisoning their minds against the government.

That the Transvaal soldiers, or burghers, or whatever you wish to call them, are powerful fighters, has been proved beyond doubt in their late battles at Ladysmith. Nor do they seem to be wanting in competent leaders, that most necessary adjunct to a victorious army since Julius Caesar conquered al. before him with his Roman legions.

State Senator Moorehouse of California thus tersely stated the situation in his state, and it applies to all states: When McKinley was elected a great many men were walking the streets of our cities hunting in vain for work to keep off starvation.

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A most extraordinary case of robbery occurred in Pendleton last week, when a lone highwayman robbed three men and a woman. He actually had three teams rounded up on the street at one time within the city limits.

We always knew that the ghost and goblin from the mother country would sooner or later work their passage across the Atlantic and make a settlement in Eastern Oregon. The first of these gentry has taken up a location in the sheep camp of Alex McClelland, near Antelope, and has written to his friends at home that the country up there is splendidly adapted to their business.

CORRESPONDENCE.

MONKLAND MUMURINGS.

Farmers are all busy putting in grain.

Mrs. S. M. Ramsey is suffering from an attack of sore throat.

Rev. Johns and family have just returned from The Dalles.

These cold frosty mornings warn us that grim old winter is approaching.

Frank Belshee has sold some fine fat hogs, and will deliver them in Moro this week.

Mrs. Frank Belshee visited Moro Tuesday of last week for the purpose of having new glasses fitted by Dr. P. G. Daut.

Hallowe'en was duly celebrated by the youngsters of this burg, and vehicles minus wheels are to be seen on every hand.

FROM DE MOSS SPRINGS.

Prof. and Mrs. DeMoss made a flying trip to The Dalles last week.

The Union Warehouse at this place has received 26,854 sacks of wheat, 39 car-loads of which has been shipped.

The business of the DeMoss Pub. Co. has increased until it requires the services of another man. Mr. Ben Cochran has been assisting for the past week.

W. H. Lee went to Wasco on last Friday evening on horseback. From his report of the trip it was quite an enjoyable one.

DeMoss Springs was honored by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. DeMoss and Miss Myrtle DeMoss of Moro, on Sunday last.

The hostess of the Farmers' Hotel gave a taffy pull on last Friday night. Those present were: Misses Bessie Rust, M. J. Wheeling, Myrtle DeMoss, Lottie and May Robinson, Edna Strahl, Stella Y. Drake, J. H. DeMoss, Don Wheat, Ben Cochran, Martin Cochran and Ira Messinger. But it is not quite clear to the writer whether the taffy was all made of sugar or not.

School Report.

Following is the report of School District No. 14 for the month ending November 3:

No days taught..... 29

attendance..... 109 1/2

absent..... 7 3/4

Average daily attendance..... 5

number belonging..... 9

Those neither absent nor tardy: Wilma Pinkerton, Maggie Pinkerton and Halie Barzee.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Mrs. Peery was a passenger on the train for Portland yesterday.

President W. E. Lytle of the C. S. Ry. Co., was up from Portland on business last week.

Choir practice every Thursday evening after prayer meeting at the M. E. church. All interested in singing will be cordially welcomed.

On Saturday a tall friend from The Dalles, while trying to see the little animals known to the initiated as type-like, was baptized in the usual manner.

D. P. Ketchum of The Dalles loaded a number of cars on Saturday with a fine lot of half-breed Shropshire lambs for shipment to Montana. Mr. Ketchum bought the lambs from Tilson Bros., Grass Valley, paying \$2.05 per head.

Dr. Styrer passed through town from Grass Valley on Saturday, where he has been giving a series of entertainments and free electrical readings. The doctor has been called to the home office in Portland on pressing business.

Miss Maggie Huff returned from Portland on Monday, where she has been for the past three weeks making a study of the fashions in winter costumes. Miss Huff is to be found at her old stand, next door to the LEADER office, ready to do all kinds of dress-making.

Through tickets to all points East can now be purchased at Moro office of the C. S. Ry., as cheaply as at The Dalles or Portland. Baggage checked through to destination. This will be a great accommodation to residents in this vicinity who have formerly been obliged to go to The Dalles or Portland for Eastern tickets. I. J. Keffler, agent.

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The attempt to throw the blame for local depression in business onto the shoulders of the president and the Republican administration is silly, to say the least. Is McKinley to be held responsible for climatic conditions beyond the power of human control? Can the leopard change his spots, or the Ethiopian his skin? Can the Republicans prevent hot winds or shriveled wheat? Certainly not. Taken as a whole, there is no doubt of the country's prosperity; the temporary depression is confined to that portion of the wheat belt where the crop suffered from hot winds last summer, a misfortune which would have taken place if the redoubtable Bryan himself were to object. Take a trip a few miles south, into the stock country, and ask the people what kind of prosperity they are having. Everything there is booming, hard times have departed since the country recovered from the terrific workings of the Wilson Tariff Bill, and other bungling efforts of the Cleveland administration, to make the United States the dumping ground for the surplus products of cheap labor which poured into the country under the cloak of free trade.

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Timber Culture, Final Proof.—Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, The Dalles, Oregon, October 27, 1899. Notice is hereby given that James Stewart, one of and for the heirs of John Stewart, deceased, of Monkland, Oregon, and one of and for the heirs of John Stewart, deceased, of Monkland, Oregon, intend to make final proof before Wm. Henrichs, county clerk, at his office in Moro, Oregon, on Thursday, the 14th day of December, 1899, on timber culture application No. 3347, for the N 1/2 S E 1/4 and N 1/2 S W 1/4 of Section No. 10, in Township No. 2 S., Range No. 18 E., W. M.

He names as witnesses: William Cronick, Walter Fraser, Edward Mack, of Monkland, Oregon, and Dallas Wilder, of Moro, Oregon.

Jay P. Lucas, Register.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Sherman County.

Thomas J. Miller, Jr., Plaintiff, vs. Mittie Miller, Defendant.

To Mittie Miller, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled court and cause by the first day of the term of court following the expiration of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, to-wit: on or before Monday, the 26th day of March, A. D. 1900, that being the first day of the next regular term of the above entitled court; and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief sought for in his said complaint. For a decree that the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and yourself be dissolved, and that plaintiff be awarded the care, custody and control of Doris Lee Miller, the minor child of said plaintiff and yourself; and that plaintiff and recover from you, the said defendant, his costs and disbursements made and expended in this suit; and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem equitable and just.

This summons is served upon you by publication thereof, by order of the Hon. W. L. Bradshaw, Judge of said court, duly made and entered of record on the 31st day of October, 1899, term of said court.

The first publication of this summons is made October 11th, 1899.

J. B. HOSFORD, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Contest Notice.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon, Sept. 19, 1899.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Elmer Lewis Nesbitt, contestant, against timber culture entry No. 2794, made November 24, 1887, for the N E 1/4 of Section 27, Township 4 S., Range 18 E., Meridian 1 E., Hurst, contestee, in which it is alleged that there are no trees, seeds, or cuttings of any kind planted or growing on said land, and that each and all of such failures still exist, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and defend on or before the 10th day of October, 1899, at 10 o'clock a. m. on Nov. 10th, 1899, before Wm. Henrichs, county clerk, at his office at Moro, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on Nov. 23, 1899, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed Sept. 19, 1899, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.

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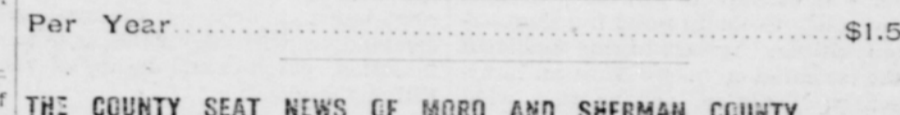
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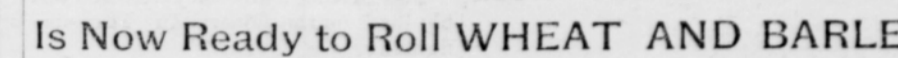
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