

After Land

From the Cornwallis Times
The fine timber land on the Siletz is fast passing into the hands of homesteaders.

It costs the homesteader \$50 for the service of his locator, about \$25 for land office fees, about \$40 for his cabin, \$300 if he commutes his cabin, or in all above \$500, besides his traveling expenses to and from his claims, as well as possible attorney fees.

Everybody says the Siletz timber will soon be on the market. A railroad spur but seven miles long and on a water level up Depot slough will tap it.

From the Jackson Via Times Union.
The teaching that lawlessness should put down the enemies of law is one that every American citizen should promptly repudiate.

The Pope's skullcap.

In the Fall Mail Gazette.
The Pope's wardrobe, in so far as his linen castoffs and espadrilles are concerned, is looked after by the Nuns of the Reparation.

Notice to the Public.
You are requested to settle your account with the Albany Furniture Co. on or before October 15, 1901.

After Spotters.

Because they carried hoboes in, box cars and could not elude the spotter's eye, a number of trainmen at Starbuck have received walking orders, and are now without a job, says the Walla Walla Union.

Nearly every fall the Oregon Railroad & Navigation spotter is said to leave his trail of woe along the line. The system he seeks to overthrow is an old one on the road.

Here hoboes congregate in numbers. They have come in on rods, gunnells, car tops, the blind baggage and all the other innumerable ways that are as the alphabet to the hobo.

The ever handy box car is filled with the fraternity. From five to twenty-five gather here and load one end. Later the brakeman discovers them and they know unless they dig up it is all off, and they will have to starve another day among the sand dunes.

The Oregon Railroad & Navigation law strictly forbids a move as this. Men who ride are supposed to pay their fare, and not to the brakeman.

Mountain Climbing Dangers.
From the London Telegraph.
A few years ago it was the generally accepted theory that people who made the ascent of Mt. Blanc must be classed as lunatics.

Saturday Night Thoughts.

This week has seen the sentence of one Czolgosz, a man never heard of a few weeks ago, for the murder of the President of the United States, and in four or five weeks he will be electrocuted.

A great international yacht race began this week, the gamiest of all contests, from a financial standpoint, as a fortune is put into every contest that comes off.

There is an old saying that three movels are equal to a fire. One movel of a print shop is nearly equal to a cyclone. Some things are movable and some had just as soon as not remain stationary.

From the London Chronicle.
All female birds that nest on the ground or in other exposed places—take the pheasant for example—are dressed in plumes which exactly match their environment in coloration, and conceal them from their enemies.

RELIGIOUS

St. Peter's Episcopal church: Pastor Rev. Chas. MacLean, Ph. D. Services, Sunday, Morning prayer 10:30 a. m., Sunday school before service, 9:30 a. m., Evening prayer, 7:30 p. m.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance services every Sabbath afternoon at the W. C. T. U. Hall, 3 o'clock p. m. All are cordially invited to these meetings.

Congregational, Fourth and Ferry streets: Public worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. with preaching by the pastor, Rev. R. A. Kenney. Subject of the morning sermon will be "The Origin and the Goal of Progress;" and of the evening, "True Freedom." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. Young People's meeting at 6:30 p. m. with the topic "Growth of the Kingdom." All are invited to these services.

United Presbyterian S. S. Rally: The United Presbyterian Sabbath School will hold their annual Rally day exercises tomorrow morning at 11:45. You are earnestly invited to attend these exercises, as well as all our services.

The Bible School at the Christian church convenes each Lord's Day at 10 a. m., Morning worship at 11, Junior C. E. at 4 p. m., Senior C. E. at 6:45, evening worship at 7:45. Subjects: "Church Finances," and "Our Inheritance and Debt." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

M. E. church, South: Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Sunday School 11:30 a. m., Epworth League 6:30 p. m. All are invited. Rev. G. L. Snyder, Pastor.

FOR RENT.—260 acre five miles south of Albany, on Tangent road, 1 1/2 miles from Tangent. 200 acres in cultivation, first class buildings. Inquire at this office.

The "WHITE" is King at Stewart & Box Hardware Co.

Permanent Homes In Alaska.

From the Public Land.
Here is the only consideration that has been given Alaska by the great majority of those who have gone or contemplated going there, was how they could extract a fortune in gold dust from its rich bars in the least possible time.

For many years people have been making homes in the protected valleys in different parts of the territory until today there are hundreds of as productive farms as can be found in many of the New England states, and which are much more profitable, owing to the lack of competition and the superior market afforded by the rich mines which are scattered over large areas of country.

Those who have lived in Alaska for many years say the winters are not more rigorous than the same season in some of the thickly settled portions of British Columbia and Canada.

Register Franklin Moses and Receiver Albert E. Rice, of that office report the case of one of their friends who this year raised several hundred bushels of turnips from a small patch of land and sold the entire crop for twenty cents per pound.

In addition to these laws the Act of March 3rd, 1891, which passed especially for the purpose of assisting the promotion of business and agricultural interests there, enables the pioneer to obtain title to the lands without much difficulty.

The Act of March 3, 1889, extended the system of public land surveys to Alaska. This act also carried with it a general appropriation of \$325,000 for the purpose of surveys in the states and territories needing it.

We are now receiving daily Ripe Tomatoes, Yellow Peaches, Water Melons, and all other fruits. Call early. C. E. Brownell.

"Hang it," that is Czolgosz. The sooner the better.

The editors had a day at the state fair, and the world continues to revolve.

Save the prunes and Oregon will be in it for certain.

Regardless of the rain the State Fair this year has had a good attendance.

The press may move the world; but moving a press is the next thing to it.

The prune men would like to have it stop raining, but it is putting the ground in shape for fall plowing.

These piano concerts running through the valley are in tune principally for the piano men.

Linn County will have to be enlarged when J. R. Douglas gets back from Salem.

The cougars had better hurry. President Roosevelt promises to come to Oregon next spring.

Linn County continues to be the great center for great thinness in vegetables, fruits and cereals.

The Boers are talking of trekking to Mexico, anything to get away from the English.

The great marrying month of the year is approaching. After a prosperous harvest season there should be a live trade in knot tying.

Of course the Columbia had to wash the waves back into the bow of the Shamrock, and she will continue to do so.

The students of Albany College are getting ready to make things interesting socially this winter. New students will find the old students a genial lot of companions.

Czolgosz will be electrocuted Oct. 28, as soon as the law will permit. The sooner the better, and then his name should be dropped from respectable vocabularies. It has a bad sound.

There is evidently going to be a hot time in Harrisburg. The Bulletin says: The Bulletin office is now provided with a stove, and patrons are invited to make themselves comfortable.

Tom McNary was arrested one day this week at Salem for being drunk and disorderly. Tom has had an up and down career. Ten or fifteen years ago he tried to commit suicide at the old Exchange Hotel in Albany, but Dr. Maston sewed up his neck and pulled him through. Then he returned to Salem and reformed and for several years was as steady as a twenty year old horse. Now whiskey has gotten hold of him again, and it looks as if it was bound to win. Too bad, for McNary is a good fellow sober.

A point not generally thought of in connection with the Lewis & Clark Centennial, and one that will have powerful influence in attracting the attention, encouragement and financial support for the Exposition of 1905, is that the territory secured through the Lewis & Clark Expedition, is the first and only territory added to the United States by right of discovery. Out of that event, then, has been carved some of the richest and best portion of the country and the centennial commemoration of it is an occasion of such national importance as to call for the co-operation of all the individual states, as well as of the General Government.—Statesman.

Former Albany People Married.

From the Marysville, Calif., Democrat of Sept. 25:

At 8 o'clock this morning wedding bells were ringing and they brought two loving hearts together at St. Joseph's church, where Father Colman pronounced the words that joined them in wedlock. Promptly at the hour mentioned Frank Walsh, of this city, and Miss Mena Ehrst, of Santa Rosa, joined hands and hearts for life's journey, only a few near friends being present.

The story of wooing in this instance is laid in the Willamette Valley, Oregon, prior to the war with Spain. The families of which the bride and groom are a part were prominent farmers and resided near the town of Milwaukie, Oregon, and it was there that the two grew to maturity. When the war with Spain demanded volunteers Frank Walsh went to the front and served faithfully and well. In the meantime Mr. and Mrs. R. Ehrst went to Santa Rosa, where they now reside, and where Frank Walsh found Miss Mena on his return from the war.

When the new woolen mill commenced operations Frank Walsh was one of the operatives for that institution who came from Oregon to reside here.

After a short trip to the south Mr. and Mrs. Walsh will make Marysville their future home at 622 E. Street.

When you want prompt acting little pills that never gripe use Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers.—Fosbair & Mason.

Go to Verick's shaving and hair cutting parlors for first class work. Hot and cold baths. Clean towels to every customer.

When you are bilious, use those famous little pills known as Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers to cleanse the liver and bowels. They never gripe.—Fosbair & Mason.

Oregon Day.

BUFFALO, Sept. 25.—The Temple of Music was crowded this morning for the special Oregon exercises, which began at 11 o'clock. Commissioner H. E. Dorch presided. The Rev. Charles Edward Leeks delivered the invocation, in which he referred appreciatively to the Oregon pioneers and their great work. Websters milli ary band played "Oregon volunteers." The address of welcome was delivered by Direct. General Buchanan and E. L. Smith, of Hood River responded on behalf of the Governor in a pleasing address on the development of Oregon. H. W. Scott spoke of his state in a way brought him generous applause. Mrs. E. T. Weather set forth the project for the Lewis and Clark Centennial Exposition in Portland.

A Webster Anniversary.
HANOAKA, N. H., Sept. 25.—The centennial celebration of Daniel Webster's graduation from Dartmouth College was observed today. The following honorary degrees, among others, were conferred: Doctor of laws, Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, Boston; Senator George F. Hoar, Worcester; Melville W. Fuller, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States; James S. Bryce, M. P., of England; John Hay, Secretary of State, Washington; and Booker T. Washington, Tuskegee, Ala.

The New York Election.
New York, Sept. 25.—Seth Low announced that he would accept the nomination for Mayor by the anti-Tammany forces and would resign this presidency of Columbia University.

A Wreck.
FAIRFIELD, Wash., Sept. 25.—A wreck occurred on the O. R. & N. this morning just as passenger No. 4 was entering the yards, in which about a dozen persons were injured, three freight cars demolished and two engines disabled.

Today They Sail.
New York, Sept. 25.—Weather sharp and yachting experts unite in predicting a breeze will blow tomorrow that will give Shamrock and Columbia a race that will be memorable in the long series of cup events. If weather conditions of today preclude anything, this prophecy will be fulfilled.

The Big Strike.
PITTSBURGH, Sept. 26.—When President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steelworkers, was shown the open letter issued last night by President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, and John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, in reply to his statement charging them with the responsibility for the failure of the great steel strike, he said he would accept their challenge, and was ready to submit to an investigation as to the truth of his charges.

A Fituke.
New York, Sept. 26.—One of the biggest crowds that ever put to sea went down to Sandy Hook lightship today to witness Sir Thomas Lipton's second cup challenger, Shamrock II, and Columbia, which successfully defended the America's cup against his first trophy-hunter two years ago, struggling for the yacht supremacy of the world in the first of the cup races of 1901. But the excursion fleet returned disappointed. The great single stickers went out this morning fresh for the battle, but the sea refused them a field of conflict. Columbia came in ahead but of time.

Czolgosz Sentenced.
BUFFALO, Sept. 26.—Leon F. Czolgosz, the assassin of President McKinley, was this afternoon sentenced to be electrocuted in the Auburn State Prison during the week beginning October 28, 1901. Before sentence was passed the assassin evinced a desire to speak, but he could not get his voice above a whisper, and his words were repeated to the court by his counsel.

A Long Contract.
LONDON, Sept. 25.—Charles T. Yerkes has contracted for 999 years with the Great Northern Railway to take over its suburban business and franchise for the projected underground road from Holburn to Finsbury Park. Parliament will be asked to grant a franchise for a link, less than a mile long.

A Duke and Duchess.
WINNIPEG, Man., Sept. 26.—The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York received their first welcome to the West on a Winnipeg today. They arrived at noon and remained for 10 hours. The next stop on the tour will be tomorrow at Regina.

Automobile Race.
BUFFALO, Sept. 27.—In the automobile races on Fort Erie race track today, Winston of Cleveland, reduced the record for a circular track to 1:16. Fourier, the famous French chauffeur, lowered this record to 1:14 in the twentieth lap of a two mile race.

Albany Market.

Wheat 46 cents
Oats 27
Eggs 24 cents.
Butter 15 to 20 cents
Potatoes 60 cents.
Flour 15 cents
Sides 15 cents
Shredded 10 cents
Hops 9 cents.
Pork, gross, 5 cents
Hay, \$3 loose, \$5 baled.
Flour 70c per sack.
Beef, gross steers 3c, cows 2 1/2c.
Mutton, gross, 2 1/2c.
Veal, gross 4c.
Wool 11 to 13c.
Mill feed, bran \$17, shorts \$21.
Poultry, 8 cents live weight.
Lard 14c.
Prunes, dried, 4c.
Apples, dried, 5c.
Apples, green, 50c.
Pears, green, 50c.

UMBRELLAS. We have just received an elegant assortment of ladies and gents umbrellas for the fall and Christmas trade. Nothing but fine goods. Make your selections soon, and we will lay them a way for you, if you wish. F. M. Fassett, the Jeweler.