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#### J. T. KIRK WRITES INTERESTINGLY OF HIR TRIP TO ALSEA VALLEY miles out when we pulled up on a ball, two hotels, barber shop and a went on up to Mr. Fender's a coup- going out to Corvains to meet my

six miles east of The Dalles on a by J. H. Bush and family and Mrs. and thought the Germans were after We found it O. K. with about 15 ac- town. Mr. Crawford is closing out farm. At seven o'clock we cm. J. T. K. and non. We had a royal us. Just as I looked back I saw the barked for Portland on a steamer, good time the next day. The women dashboard and Cliff's beels go over At nine we bought a borth and re. did their shoppingand returned with the back of the spring seat. I then tired for the night. I awoke at five J. H. R. to the farm. Mr. Bush is stopped my team and ran back to the next morning looked outof the Picely located on 35 acres and is him and asked if he was badly burt. window and saw a lighthouse. I milking five cows and selling \$125 "Oh. God, he has broken my leg," thought we had been shipwrecked worth of milk a month. and carried out to sea, but in a few. Then I stayed in Portland four minutes I discovered we were coming days and had a tooth carpenter work up the mouth of the Willamette. In on my pern while Cliff Thomas visitabout an hour we were in sight of ed with friends in and around Greshthe railroad bridge across the river am. Saturday I purchased a Demoand in the harbor we saw the old crat wagon and set of harness. Sunbattleship Oregon. She looked good day morning we harnesed up and to me. Then we came up to Jeff- booked our teams and started on our erson street dock unloaded there at way again. We made Tigard by neven o'clock and pulled up to the noon, had dinner and fed our team. Columbia stables on Front street- there. Then we hiked out up the found accommodations there for our line for Dayton. Got there turned horses. After breakfast I turned to the right and drove one mile west Cliff loose to take care of himself where we stopped at Mr. and Mrs. ted with a French dame and took in and I bourded a jimey for Gresham. Strift Hurches. They have a beau-In about forty minutes rule I speld that home there. They are Morrow a beautiful residence on a lill our county ploneers, too. We had a fine morning for our destination. On the counded by shrubbery and flowers visit with them, talking until the wee way as far as Philomath Cliff kept and a capalo on top of the front hours of the morning. porch. I had the littley driver stop. The next morning we booked up the little dame. We passed through as this was where my old friend, and drove into Layfactic. There Philomath and there took the left George C. Carrin lived. Bert Stone we had Mr. Thomas' horses shod by hand road for Alses. There we of Repparer gave me a description of James Driverse, well known all over crossed Merrier river and about four this place. I walked to the door and the state. He is vice-president of the failer further up we crossed Rock can othe hell. Mr. Currin greeted State Herm Shoeing organization of creek. One mile off the road up me with a suite and said: "Aren't Gregon. He has a well equipped that creek is where Granduia Griffith you lead." I told him no, but that shop and does a fine business. From was murdered by Humphrey brothmy wife and son were. He invited there we drove into McMinnville for are about eight years ago for her me in and we visited for about two noon. There we met J. H. Kins. money. They threw her in the seurs. I finally remarked that I man, our ex-butcher of Heppner. He creek but finally confessed and paid would have to go and wait for my is still in the same buying and ship- the penalty on the gallows at the jitney when he offered to take me ping stock to Portland yards. He state capital. About four miles on over to Johnnie Rush's where he all gave us a cordial invitation to stop we came into the timber beit and asso told me I would find my wife and and visit with him and Mrs. Kins. conded the Coast range of mountains son. We were soon on our way, In man for a day or two. He said the and four miles further we passed a few minutes Mr. Currin said to me latch string was always on the out- over the divide tributary to the Al-"Do you see that house that is sule for his Heppnen friends. Sorry see river. About three miles down where Charles Johnson, of Lexing. we could not accept his invitation for the mountain we crosed Trout creek ton. Her bought a traid of I do this to swap stories with my old which empties into the middle fork land in east Greebace" We salled livenus. along the sectionline road for about From there we made Monsouth crossed the south fork of the Alses three miles east and we apted two that night. When we got there we and there came into the head of the ten-gaffon wilk cans at the mouth of had a sick horse-not the buckskins beautiful Alses valley. Four miles a fane and Mr. Curran said. "Whose, or they never get sick. It was one down the river we came into Alsea Lizzie" He said this was the place, of Mr. Thomas berses and we had to city that is situated on the north

I asked him in and he said no, not call a veterinary from Independence, bank of the river one-quarter of a this time I will have to go back abou I two miles from Monmouth. mile above the junction of the south and split some wood. He turned his He came over and gave the horse a fork and the main river. tin liggic Frankin around and away couple of treatments and at 12 he flow. You could not see Lizzie o'clock he was all right. Next stores, two churches, Methodist and for the dust (Something new for morning we put shafts in the light Baptiat and pastor for each, black-

Cliff replied. I climbed up in the wagon and found that he had about lifty cents worth of hide ruffled up on his shin. I went down in my pocket and took out a book of court plaster and patched bim up and we went on our way again. Believe me be did not forget to apply his brakes again. He would catch himself grabhing the brake-staff going up hill. We pulled into Corvallia about five o'clock that evening. We spent two nights and one day there taking in the college town. Cliff got acquaina dance the second night and had a tine time. We pulled out the next looking back to see if he could see of Alson. Two miles on down we

Alsea has a postoffice, two general

wagon and hooked up one horse and smith shop, past time, ice cream and res of wild hay about a foot high, his herd of Jerseys. He is going to

RINGE ALBERT

went on our way. We were about six confectionery, dance hall, I. O. O. F. Everything looked good to me. We Alberta to make his home. I am ridge. I was in the lead and as I garage, two schol houses and play- le of hundred yards above and found wife and son tomirrow. I will cut started down I applied my brakes, ground of several acres, one feed him and family well and happy; vis- this short as I am going to attend the train and got back to The Dalles, webfoot I walked out to the house bur Cliff was in meditation about a feed barn and a creamery. We ited there a couple of hours and then this sale at 10 o'clock this foreat noon. There I met up with my and met several welcome smiles. I bitle dame he had spied back at spent the night here and next morn- made our way back to Alsea and noon. Regards to all my Heppner old-time friend Emerson Keithley, a visited there until the next day and Monmouth and forgot to apply the ing biked up to Honeygrove valley to remained all night. Am going going friends. Morrow county boy. He is located was accompanied back to Portland trakes. I heard a couple of reports see if the "69" ranch was still there, to a big sale today, one mile east of

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