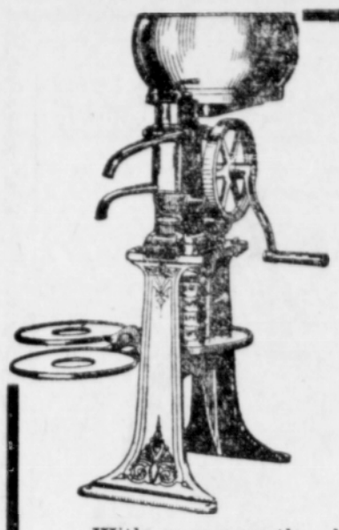

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Oscar Schaeffer, the mayor of Conyngham, Pa., has enlisted in the army.

It is said that the Tyrian purple of old may have been a deep crimson.

Bowel Complaints in India.

In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventive and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable everywhere.

Read the Want ads.

PLEASANT HOME

Rev. A. J. Ware announces services at the Pleasant Home Baptist church next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock and each evening next week. All are urged to come and make the week's meetings a blessing to the community.

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers' association of Orient school is called for Monday afternoon at 2:30 to further plans for the school fair to be held this fall. All interested are urged to be present. The children who have mole skins to sell are asked to be present to make arrangements to send them to the furrier.

Uncle Sam will spend $250,000 for good roads this year.

COLUMBIA HEIGHTS

The ladies at Corbett and vicinity will give a Red Cross dance at Becker's hall on the Highway Saturday night, June 30. Mr. Becker has kindly donated his spacious and beautiful hall free of charge for the occasion and no pains will be spared to make this a grand affair. All the money cleared will be turned over to the Red Cross headquarters in Portland. Music of high order will gladden the hearts of the dancers. Dainty refreshments will be served, and pretty girls will serve punch during the entire evening. Two popular floor managers, and the ladies in charge, will see that everybody has a good time. R. P. Rasmussen and James Ross will sell tickets at the door. The floor managers chosen are O. Paterson and Lee Evans at Troutdale. The committee consists of the following persons: Mrs. Henderson, Crown Point chalet; Mrs. James Ross, Mrs. P. Andersen, Mrs. John Taylor, Mrs. Clarence Illidge, Mrs. R. P. Rasmussen, Miss Ruby Rasmussen, Mrs. Walter Knight with Mrs. S. Knight, chairman. All are invited to come and brings your friends and help a good cause. Tickets $1.50.

Mrs. L. Benfield has gone on a trip to Tillamook to visit with relatives.

M. Sound, of Portland, is at Columbia View farm for a vacation.

Mrs. Henderson's Crown Point chalet was the scene of a merry wedding party on last Wednesday, the bride being a prominent Portland girl and the groom, supposed to be America's greatest piano player. Their names can not be given as I am quite sure of them. Anyway the couple was married up at Multnomah falls. The highway is getting more popular all the time.

The annual election at District 39 resulted in the election of Mrs. Frank Reed as director for three years and A. Kincaid was re-elected as clerk.

Mrs. Maud Kingston, of Salem, with her three little children, are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Deaver. Mrs. Helen Nelson of Oakdale, Washington, their second daughter, has been visiting at her home the last couple of weeks.

Mrs. C. Illidge is spending a few days in the city.

Dr. McKay, of Portland, was an interesting caller at Columbia View farm on Sunday.

G. Knieriem is the owner of a fine Saxon auto, one of the very latest models out.

Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by the Board of Directors of School District No. 4 for furnishing and delivery of 75 cords of wood at the schoolhouse on or before August 15, 1917.

All bids to be in the hands of the clerk by July 10, 1917.

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To the Public.

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MELROSE AND VICTORY.

Mrs. Baker and son Ralph visited Mrs. Hopkins on Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Brewer, of Portland, is visiting Mrs. Elmer Mercer.

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wood, Captain and Mrs. C. O. Branson attended the group meeting in Gresham Tuesday.

Leslie Wiles has returned from Fresno, California, where he has been employed for the past year and a half.

Miss Mabel Wood, who has been attending Washington high school, is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cuddeford are being congratulated on the arrival of a son on June 15.

Ralph and Raymond Giger are visiting with A. B. Conrad and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Conrad attended a reunion of the latter's family at Yoder on Sunday, at which 104 persons were present.

Two auto loads of friends of A. B. Conrad's family made a trip over the highway on Tuesday and spent the night at the Conrad home. They were O. H. Crabile, John Slagle, Chris Gerig, H. Slagle, N. Lichty, Ollifer Smucker, Joe Berkey and Amos Gerig, all of Albany.

Mrs. Edith McClure and Mrs. Wells of Livingston, Montana, were guests on Sunday and Monday at the homes of H. W. Cooley and George Armstrong.

J. C. Duke, G. W. Allder, Ferd Foth and families spent Sunday at Bull Run park.

H. W. Cooley spent several days this week at Castle Rock, Washington.

Mrs. W. S. Wood is entertaining her father, John Fernley of Washington. Last Sunday she had as guests her brother, Chas. Fernley and wife and a cousin, Miss Florence Toone of Emmett, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Osburn, of Gresham, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cooley.

George Throckmorton, of Portland, spent several days this week at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, of Salem, were guests on Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Cooley.

Two picnic parties are being made up by people of the community for next Sunday. One will go to Sandy Bluff and the other to Eagle Creek on the highway.

BORING

Mrs. Canning of Portland, formerly a Red Cross nurse, who saw service during the San Francisco disaster, met with the women of Boring at the home of Mrs. Hans Larsen this afternoon for the purpose of organizing them and instructing them in the preparation of Red Cross supplies. The same woman is expected to speak at the hall Saturday night, when all are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Danielson and month-old baby.

EXTRACTS TAKEN FROM COUNTY FAIR PREMIUM LIST

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potato page from the list, each display to consist of thirty pounds according to the rules:

	Irish Cobbler Group		
31	Earliest of All	$2.00	$1.00
32	Irish Cobbler	2.00	1.00
	Triumph Group		
33	Triumph Bliss	2.00	1.00
34	Oregon	2.00	1.00
	Early Michigan Group		
35	Early Albina	2.00	1.00
	Rose Group		
36	Early Rose	2.00	1.00
37	White Rose	2.00	1.00
38	New Ideal	2.00	1.00
39	Scotch Rose	2.00	1.00
	Early Ohio Group		
40	Early Ohio	2.00	1.00
41	Early Six Weeks	2.00	1.00
	Hebron Group		
42	Beauty of Hebron	2.00	1.00
43	Country Gentlemen	2.00	1.00
44	Early Bovee	2.00	1.00
45	White Elephant	2.00	1.00
	Burbank Group		
46	Burbank	2.00	1.00
47	Money Maker	2.00	1.00
48	Pride of Multnomah	2.00	1.00
49	Russet Burbank	2.00	1.00
50	American Wonder	2.00	1.00
	Green Mountain Group		
51	Farmer	2.00	1.00
52	Gold Coin	2.00	1.00
53	Green Mountain	2.00	1.00
54	Snow	2.00	1.00
55	Uncle Sam	2.00	1.00
	Rural Group		
56	Rural New Yorker	2.00	1.00
57	Sir Walter Raleigh	2.00	1.00
58	Carmen No. 3	2.00	1.00
	Pearl Group		
59	Blue Victor	2.00	1.00
	Peach Blow Group		
60	Peach Blow	2.00	1.00
	New and Unclassified		
61	Early Burpee	2.00	1.00
62	Mortgage Lifter	2.00	1.00
63	Prize Taker	2.00	1.00
64	President Lewis	2.00	1.50
65	Producer	2.00	1.00
66	British Queen	2.00	1.00
67	Roosevelt	2.00	1.00
68	Humphrey	2.00	1.00
69	Reliance	2.00	1.00
70	Ninety Fold	2.00	1.00

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KELSO

At the annual school meeting Monday, Victor Erickson was elected director to serve for three years and P. C. Spooner was re-elected clerk. The special tax for the union high school passed by a big majority.

The campaign for the Red Cross fund is being energetically conducted in this district this week. A social will be held at the schoolhouse Friday evening in the interest of Red Cross work. F. W. Sullivan, campaign manager for Clackamas county, will send a speaker for the evening. Games will be played, and coffee, cake and sandwiches will be sold. Ladies will please bring cake or sandwiches.

Robert Jonsrud sold a Buick roadster to R. E. Jarl this week. Mr. Jonsrud has also purchased a new Paige Six which he will use as demonstrator as he has the agency for both Paige and the Buick cars.

Sherman and Wesley Strucken, sons of Mr. and Mrs. John Strucken near Boring, who have been ill for several months, both died last week within a few hours of each other. They were buried Sunday at Cherryville. Besides the parents, they leave a sister, Mrs. Viola Duncan, who lives near her parents.

Robert Jonsrud recently purchased thirty-nine head of Cotswold sheep.

Mrs. John Revenue is improving rapidly and will soon return home from the hospital.

Lillie Jonsrud, who has been a student at Lincoln high school, has returned home from her vacation.

LUSTED

The annual school election was held here last Monday afternoon, when Irving Spencer was elected director for three years, succeeding J. Goger. E. F. Andre was re-elected clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hamilton and family visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hamilton, at Montavilla last Sunday.

Mrs. Irving Spencer and sons, Homer and Walter, are visiting friends in Portland this week.

A. E. Whitesides, of Portland, visited his brother-in-law, Ed. Hamilton, and family last Sunday. He also went to the Sandy fishing.

The young ladies sewing club of this place met with Miss Marie Dollowitch last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Blackburn, Frank Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lusted and son Ellis were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robertson.

Miss Frances Wiley, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. Mathew Rauw, visited a few days with friends at Oak Grove.

HILLSVIEW

Ernest Johnson was elected director and A. E. Forsyth re-elected clerk at the school meeting last Monday. A tax was also voted to paint and otherwise improve the school buildings.

Mrs. Quick has rented the Frank Teevin farm.

Mrs. Miller, of Montavilla, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Doryland.

Mr. Jackson has purchased an Overland auto.

A. E. Forsyth is improving his house by the addition of a new porch.

Not a Square Deal.

Miss Mason was explaining to her Sunday school class the lesson for the day, the subject being the tares and the wheat.

'Now, remember, children, the tares represent the bad people and the wheat the good ones."

"Why, Miss Mason!" exclaimed a rosy-cheeked boy, who had been listening through the lesson with deep interest. "Did you say the tares are the bad folks and the wheat the good ones?"

"Yes, James," replied the teacher pleased at the lad's interest.

"Well, that's funny, I think!" remarked the matter-of-fact child. "It's the wheat that gets thrashed; the tare don't."

Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

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WHITE PINE BLISTER ON PACIFIC COAST

It is reported by the department of agriculture that the white pine blister which is making such ravages in New England has been found on some of the fir trees of this state and in Washington. It is evidently gaining a foothold here and is, so far, unchecked wherever it has been found.

According to Henry S. Graves, chief of the forest service, federal department of agriculture, this new disease—the white pine blister—threatens to do more damage than anything that has ever attacked American forest trees. In the New York Sun he states that according to present estimates this disease will damage American forests to the extent of $350,000,000. New England will suffer the worst. A New England forester spoke on this subject before the American Forestry association, at its convention in Washington a few days ago, saying that the disease came from continental Europe by way of England. In Europe, where it got a good start before the governments found a way to stop it, the loss was from 20 per cent to 100 per cent in the white pine forests. When the disease reached England, the British government was prepared to apply a remedy, and the consequence was that the loss was not much over 1 per cent a year. At this rate, estimating the value of white pine products at $650,000,000 annually. America would lose $650,000 a year. But the blister seems to thrive in the American climate, and there is grave danger that the loss will be much more than 1 per cent.

In late years over 20,000 acres in Vermont, New Hamshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey have been planted in white pine. The blister rust appeared in 1909, and was traced to two-year-old imported trees set out in 1908. These trees had the disease from infancy, but it has been discovered that it does not make its appearance in recognizable form until the trees are about three years old. It was found that the imported trees infected with the blister had been scattered all over these states, and therefore all must share in the fight against it. All of the states made large appropriations, and every spring since then the forests have been carefully examined, and every infected tree has been destroyed. The federal government passed the plant quarantine act in 1912, thus stopping the importation of infected trees.

Like the wheat rust, the white pine blister has two entirely different hosts. The winter spores are blown from the currant and gooseberry leaves, upon which they are produced, to various parts of the white pines in the vicinity. There they germinate, but there is no visible sign of infection for from one to years when the bank begins to thicken. In the spring the tree is badly swollen, and the bark bursts, liberating the yellow spring spores. At this stage the disease is very conspicuous. These spores are blown about, some of them falling upon currant and gooseberry bushes, which are just beginning to leaf out. Here they germinate and infect the leaves. In twelve days or more new fruits are formed in tiny orange pustules, which break forth on the lower side of the diseased leaves. The summer spores therein produced infect other leaves, and thus the disease spreads rapidly on the currant or gooseberry bushes. Toward fall, hornlike outgrowths, are produced in some of the pustules, and these in turn produce the winter spores, which are capable of infecting young white pines. It is believed that unless the disease can be eradicated soon, many eastern states will destroy all currant and gooseberry bushes, as well as all infected pines.

POWELL VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. John Palmblad entertained at dinner yesterday Rev. A. P. Ekman of Tacoma, and Rev. August Olson of Portland. Other callers during the day were L. Swanson of Portland, Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Almquist of Warren, Emanuel Anderson and A. G. Anderson.

Chas. Nordblom is painting and kalsomining John Palmblad's house.

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