

LOCAL

The weather continues dry and dusty. Parties desiring old newspapers should call at this office.

REGISTER and Journal (semi weekly) for \$1.75 per year.

Thomas Mills has been suffering with rheumatism of late.

Mrs. J. G. Pringle was in Houlton shopping, Wednesday.

F. I. Mitchell has returned from Eagle Cliff to St. Helens.

Dishes given away free at the New York store in St. Helens.

A. D. Gillett, of Delaware, Ohio, was a Rainer visitor Saturday.

Remember that the REGISTER clubs with all papers of Portland.

J. E. Monahan, of Cathlamet, visited in Houlton the first of the week.

Mrs. Ross was a Portland bound passenger on the early train Tuesday.

Strikes and lock outs are almost as numerous as in the days of Grover.

John Edholm, of Vernonia, visited his lodge in St. Helens Tuesday night.

The dog and monkey circus visited Houlton this week, to the delight of the small boy.

R. Seseman, of Vernonia, was in Houlton Tuesday on his way to Portland on business.

Mrs. Belford, who has been spending the summer at the beach, returned home the first of the week.

Perry Mellinger and Ray Mills passed through Houlton, Saturday, enroute for the hop fields near Butteville.

John Carney, the genial clerk at Perry & Graham's store, is spending the week at his home in Portland.

Houlton is to have electric lights. Nearly every residence and business house will have lights installed.

At Bailey & Brinn's you find a good quality of general merchandise, at the right price. New goods arriving daily.

Mrs. M. E. Williams, of Yankton, who has been visiting in Portland the past two weeks, returned home Monday.

Quite a number of the young folks attended the social dance given at C. L. Ayres place at Yankton, Saturday night. All report a very enjoyable time.

Two new houses are contemplated in Houlton in the near future; one just across the way from the Register office and one adjoining the Register office.

The Houlton school opened here last Tuesday with Miss Ruby Jackson, principal and Miss Leota Lowe assistant. The attendance will be larger than last year.

County Judge Hattan has been looking over some of the bridges out Yankton way and finds repairs needed on two of the bridges to make them safe for travel.

The Register family is now located in Houlton where they will be glad to receive provender of any kind. Potatoes and cabbage are at par in payment for subscription.

Mrs. C. F. Hazer of Houlton started Wednesday morning for Clyde, Cloud county, Kansas, to visit her daughter and may probably not return until next June.

Married at the parlors of H. P. Watkins, officiating justice of the peace at St. Helens, Wednesday evening, September 7, Miss Ona Belle McVey and C. Grossman.

The Ladies Aid Society met at Mrs. Rainer's house Wednesday afternoon. A delightful little luncheon was served to the ladies and all voted it a very pleasant afternoon.

On this Friday evening the United Artisans of Houlton assembly, No. 80, will hold open meeting in their hall and will give an ice cream social. All are cordially invited to attend.

M. E. Holmes, of Portland, representing the Portland Daily Journal was a visitor in Houlton and St. Helens yesterday. He secured a number of new subscribers to the daily in both towns.

Rev. H. M. Frymeir has commenced the erection of a new residence adjoining the home of T. B. Lott of St. Helens. As soon as complete the house will be occupied by the pastor and his family.

The Rainer Mill and Lumber company have closed down for a time. It is to be hoped that for the benefit of the families dependant on the mill for support, that the shut down will be for a short time only.

The county board of equalization completed their labors last Saturday. A reduction of \$9,240 was made in the entire roll—mostly by way of corrections. The total assessment of the county is \$2,579,692.

It is said that about \$900 of Clatskanie money went Rainerward on the game between Clatskanie and Rainer, Saturday. Well, turn about is fair play. It is only a short time since a goodly sum of Rainer gold was taken down to Clatskanie.

A hundred or more of the citizens of Rainer went down to Clatskanie to attend the baseball tournament Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The grand stand support Rainer received had much to do with their good playing.

The fourth annual base-ball tournament for Columbia county was held in Clatskanie, Friday, Saturday and Sunday last. Friday morning the first game of the series was pulled off between the two visiting clubs, Rainer and St. Helens, resulting in a victory for Rainer. The score stood 11 to 8. In the afternoon St. Helens crossed bats with Clatskanie, the score being 3 to 9 in favor of Clatskanie. Saturday morning Rainer and St. Helens amused the crowd with a very fine game of ball. But Rainer was too much for St. Helens and the score stood 5 to 3 in favor of Rainer. In the afternoon came the tug of war. The game between Clatskanie and Rainer was on. Up to the third inning, not a man passed first base. In the fifth inning, it was a tie 1 to 1, and at the close of the ninth inning the score stood 9 to 2 in favor of Rainer. On Sunday, the last day of the tournament, Clatskanie played St. Helens in the morning, winning the game by 11 to 4. In the afternoon the game between Rainer and Clatskanie was the most interesting of the series and was by far the best game of ball. The score stood 3 to 1 in favor of Rainer. Rainer won the championship of the county and the cup. This has heretofore been held by Clatskanie. Rainer also won \$50 first prize money. Rainer won every game of the series in which they played. St. Helens lost every game of the series. A little better management for the team in the upper end of the county might have changed the result a trifle. And as a matter of fact they should have had the game Saturday morning. At the close of the game Sunday afternoon, Walter Pullen and the umpire, a Mr. Washburn, from Warrenton, came near precipitating a general riot, but it was happily averted by the friends of order. The second prize, \$30, was won by Clatskanie. The trophy, \$25 was given to St. Helens. Rainer won the cup, but the Clatskanie boys still hold it claiming that the cup belongs to them because it has 1902 engraved on its side. Of course it would have to be re-engraved for 1904. There was more interest in this than in any former tournament held in the county. The next tournament should be held at St. Helens. In the mean time, St. Helens should awake, get a good manager for the coming season, and import some new blood into their town as well as into the game of baseball.

In the associated press dispatches of the 2nd inst was the following paragraph: "J. J. Schmidt, who rented the Imperial hotel, furnished from Joseph Bosowitz, a capitalist of Victoria, B. C. shipped about \$4,000 worth of the furniture at different times last month to Puget Sound, where it is believed to have been sold. He disappeared a few days ago. Victoria detectives discovered Schmidt's hiding place in Tacoma and he will be brought back here for trial." J. J. Schmidt or Jack Schmidt was well known in Rainer as president of the Columbia Logging Company. He left rather suddenly and was not heard from for a year or more. He was a member of the Odd Fellows lodge at St. Helens and was one of the charter members of Rainer Odd Fellows lodge. He was running a hotel in British Columbia, but the hotel burned and he lost all his furniture. He afterward leased the Imperial Hotel in Victoria.

James Stewart, of Rainer, for the past twenty years has been troubled with a wen. At first it caused him little trouble and no pain, but in the past four or five years it has been growing and a consultation with physicians caused him to submit to an operation and have the wen removed. The operation was successfully performed on Thursday last week by Dr. Rockey's partner of Portland. Stewart underwent the operation without taking medicine of any kind. It required sixty stitches to sew up the wound in his scalp. We are pleased to note that Mr. Stewart is recovering from the operation without experiencing any serious trouble or inconvenience.

There was an unpleasantness in Rainer the other night. A young woman attempted to make love to a young married man. The young married man told his wife that he could not help it, so the next time the young woman came up to the house, the lady of the house opened hostilities. There was hair-pulling, weeping, wailing and gnashing of teeth. And the married woman announced it as her determination to take her husband away from Rainer as the temptations in society life are too great in the metropolis of Columbia county.

Last Saturday, Mrs. R. P. Burns, of Rainer, who has been ill for some time, was taken to the hospital in Portland for treatment. She has been working hard for several years past to fix up a home for herself and family; and to-day the Burns home is one of the finest in the county. It is hoped that a little rest and careful treatment will nurse her back to her accustomed good health and that she, with her husband and children, may live many years to enjoy their pleasant home.

The farmers in the lower end of the county are beginning to awaken to the necessity of stocking up their ranches with improved stock of all kinds. A few days since, J. K. Rhodes, living out back of Rainer, sent to Jefferson for a fine Suffolk pig for breeding purposes.

Albert Parker visited Houlton and returned to his home at Pittsburg, Saturday, with his wife who had been to Portland for medical treatment.

On the return trip from St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Perry visited Yellowstone Park. They say it is impossible to form any idea of the beauty of "Nature's Masterpiece" from a description, but that once seen, its grandeur will never be forgotten.

During the recent forest fires over in the Nehalem valley the residence and all out buildings, excepting a barn, belonging to John Mueller was entirely destroyed. This is the second house Mr. Mueller has lost in the Nehalem valley by fire.

The Rainer schools opened last Monday with an attendance of 158. The attendance will probably reach 200 during the year. Another teacher and another room will be required to give accommodation to the whole school. All grades from first to tenth are taught there. In fact a regular high school course.

(Died, at her home, at Mist, after a long illness Mrs. Juliett Dow passed away Aug. 19th 1904. She was 86 years old and left one son and two daughters, as follows—J. E. Dow, of Mist, Mrs. J. G. Pringle, of Deer Island, and Mrs. O. A. Kreig, of Waterloo, Linn Co. Ore., besides a number of friends to mourn her departure.

The fish traps are all running and supplying the cold storage houses and one or more canneries with fish. The fish warden pays no attention to the law. The traps and wheels should be driven off the river and in a few years there would be good employment for the gill-net fishers. It is the wheels and traps that ruin the fish business.

L. L. Detrick, the Pittsburg saw mill man was out to Portland the first of the week, and visited Houlton on his way home Tuesday. He reports considerable fire over on the head of East Fork, and on the upper Nehalem. Says that the fire is presumed to have been started by a fire insurance agent who was out in that country soliciting business.

Married, at the residence of G. L. Tarbell of Yankton, Sunday Sept. 6, Rev. E. A. Smith of Portland officiating, Ray Tarbell and Miss Florence Nowles. Only the parents and their families were present. The bride and groom took a trip to Portland and will settle down in Yankton where Ray will assist his father in running the Yankton ranch and dairy.

At one of the saloons in Columbia county a piano is kept for the amusement of patrons of the joint. A few nights since among the voices in a bacchanalian song, could be plainly discerned the siren notes of a female. If the saloon keepers desire to seal their doom in November, they are certainly taking the right course. Open all day Sunday, selling to minors, and caring not for law or order is certainly the right road to prohibition in this county.

The county court was in session this week. All the member of the board and court officers were present. The Clatskanie-Mist road was ordered as prayed for in petition, as was also the Wm. Resimius road and the E. C. Stanwood road. Louis Fluhrer was granted a saloon license for one year from Sept. 9. The Clatskanie and other bridges were discussed and ordered improved. The matter of letting the tax list and building the court house had not been taken up before we went to press yesterday.

An accident occurred at H. L. Colvin's logging camp last Tuesday morning that caused the cold chills to run over those that stood by and saw it. The three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shortledge had her leg cut off by the grip wheel. Several little fellows were riding on the platform and when they had reached the blacksmith shop, they undertook to leave the wheel. One of the little boys was handing the smaller ones down so they could reach the ground, he dropped the little girl under the wheel. When Johnny Colvin picked her up he saw that part of her leg was laying on the other side of the rail. Dr. Golden, of Clatskanie, was rushed to the place and with the assistance of Dr. Meyers, he amputated the leg above the knee. It is most remarkable to say that the little one never complained but talked to the physicians when they arrived and told them how it happened.

VERNONIA.

Dry and dusty—wish it would rain. John Edholm and R. Seseman visited the county seat Tuesday.

Sydney Malmsten and mother were doing business in the Grove the first of the week.

Born, to the wife of Lon Emmens, an 8 lb. girl.

Dr. Hatfield is building an addition to his barn.

Hiram VanBlaricom is erecting a new house. Mr. Counts is loss carpenter.

Boys, when you cut wood for your neighbor measure with the "Golden Rule."

Potatoes will be a total failure in the valley unless rain comes soon.

Last Saturday afternoon fire destroyed C. Muller's house, wood-shed, smoke house, orchard and a lot of fence. This is the second time he has been burned out since he came to the valley.

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Columbia County

Teachers' Annual Institute

September 14, 15, 16, 1904

I. H. COPELAND, Superintendent. RAINIER HIGH SCHOOL, Rainier, Oregon.

If we work upon marble, it will perish; if we work upon brass time will efface it; if we reap trophies, they will crumble into dust; but if we work upon immortal minds, if we imbue them with principles, with the just fear of God and love of our fellow-men, we engrave on those tablets something which will brighten to all eternity. —Whitier.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON

OPENING EXERCISES, 9:00 O'CLOCK

Writing..... L. R. Traver
Reading..... C. A. Rice
Geography..... H. D. Sheldon
The Sentence..... J. H. Ackerman

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

OPENING EXERCISES, 1:00 O'CLOCK

Spelling..... L. R. Traver
History..... H. D. Sheldon
Reading..... C. A. Rice
The Teacher as a Missionary..... J. H. Ackerman

THURSDAY FORENOON

OPENING EXERCISES 9:00 O'CLOCK

Development of Nature Study in the Schools..... H. D. Sheldon
The Recitation..... J. H. Ackerman
Pictures..... L. R. Traver
Methods..... C. A. Rice

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

OPENING EXERCISES 1:30 O'CLOCK

Practical Work in Nature Study..... H. D. Sheldon
Arithmetic..... C. A. Rice
Every Day Problems of the Teacher..... L. R. Traver
The Recitation..... J. H. Ackerman

FRIDAY FORENOON

OPENING EXERCISES 9:00 O'CLOCK

Arithmetic..... C. A. Rice
Teachers' Reading..... H. D. Sheldon
Methods..... L. R. Traver

FRIDAY AFTERNOON

OPENING EXERCISES, 1:30 O'CLOCK

Arithmetic..... C. A. Rice
Psychology for Teachers..... H. D. Sheldon
Methods..... L. R. Traver
Mr. Charles H. Jones of Salem and Sup' L. R. Traver will lead the singing.

Miss Ruby A. Jackson will act as Institute Secretary and will issue Certificates of Attendance.

No school shall be open in any district for the purpose of ordinary instruction on any Saturday or on any legal holiday, or in any county during the time of holding the annual county institute therein. Sec. 36, Page 32.

The County Superintendent shall hold annually a Teachers' County Institute, for a term of not less than three days, for the instruction of teachers and those desiring to teach; and all teachers in the public schools of his county shall be required to attend; and the County Superintendent may at his discretion revoke the certificate, reduce the grade, or refuse to grant a certificate to any teacher who refuses to attend the county institute without cause.

The County Superintendent shall apportion to each district in his county \$5.00 for each teacher employed by such district during the twelve months immediately preceding such apportionment who has attended, for a period of at least sixteen hours, an Annual County Institute or State Teachers' Association held during the twelve months immediately preceding the time of making such apportionment. The County Superintendent shall take as evidence that such district has employed a teacher or teachers who have attended an institute or association as above described, a certificate properly signed by the secretary of such institute or association, or a certified copy thereof.—SCHOOL LAW SEC. 19 SUB. 5.

LADIES ATTENTION.

I will be at Houlton on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 28th 29th and 30th inst, with a full line of up to date millinery, walking and dress suits, Tailor-made suits, jackets, coats, and shirt-waists which I will offer to you cheaper than you have ever bought before. Call and see me at Mrs. Ethel Matthews, Houlton Ore. September 28th 29th and 30th. Mrs. J. Swertt.

A short time since, Mrs. Elgin, of Rainer, had the misfortune to cut her scalp by falling against a window glass.

W. H. Hankins and family went down to the Mission hop fields near St. Paul the first of this week. He left his ranch near Rainer, in charge of the boys. Mrs. James Stewart and children accompanied the Hankins family.

Mr. Perdicaris thinks Rainsall ought to be sultan of Morocco. Perdicaris seems to be making himself solid against another kidnapping expedition.

Chicago lawyers are to form a labor union. Any one who doubts that lawyers are entitled to form a labor union should carefully observe the amount of hustling the average limb of the law goes through in getting a case.

The war cloud is again doing an overshadowing business in Europe. The trouble with the European war cloud is that it belongs to the variety known as wind clouds. This one may turn out to be a cyclone.

If you like the Register tell your friends about it and induce them to subscribe. We have special clubbing rates with the Portland Journal, Oregonian and San Francisco Examiner.

Tin, did you say? Yes, Well, Babbler & Brinn have the finest line of tinware in the county and at prices so low you will be surprised.

Morgus of the New York store Helens is offering special inducements for cash trade. See him for fine porcelain dishes.

Velvets will be much worn this winter. See the sample patterns at Harry Oliver's. He also has a large line of fall and winter dress goods.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, lotion, ointment or balm for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions; infallible for Piles. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c at Perry & Graham's.

The Register man has houses to rent and houses to sell in the town of Rainer the best school town in the county. A house and one block, two houses and one block, and also a house and lot for good business location. He has also two or three good locations for small fruit farms or chicken ranches.

A Boy's Wild Ride For Life. With family around expecting him to die, and a sor riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind, endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvellous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove its matchless merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Perry & Graham's.

Old papers 25 cents per hundred.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Columbia County. J. M. Peebles, Plaintiff, vs. R. M. Peebles, Defendant.

To Mrs. J. M. Peebles, the defendant above named: 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 suit by the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Columbia, said date being on the 11th day of October, 1904, and following the expiration of the prescribed time in the order for the publication of this summons, and if you fail to so appear and answer for want thereof, plaintiff will apply to said Court for the relief demanded in said complaint. A dissolution of the marriage contract now existing between plaintiff and defendant and also the custody of said Adelaide Peebles, the minor child of said marriage. This summons is published by order of Hon. Thomas McBride, Judge of the above entitled Court, made on the 26th day of July 1904, the date of first publication being Friday, August 6th, 1904.

W. C. FISCHER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Columbia County. Anna C. Malm, Plaintiff, vs. Ludvig Malm, Defendant.

To Ludvig Malm, defendant above named: 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 suit on or before the 15th day of September, 1904, which day is the last day of the time prescribed for the publication of this summons, the date of first publication being August 5th, 1904, and if you fail to so appear and answer, for want thereof, plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit: That the marriage contract existing between plaintiff and defendant be dissolved; that plaintiff have the custody of the children now living with her and for such other and further relief as the nature of this case may require and as to the court may seem equitable. This summons is published by order of the Hon. R. S. Hattan, County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, made August 4th, 1904.

W. C. FISCHER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF Oregon, for Columbia County. Minnie Burgess, Plaintiff, vs. Thomas J. Burgess, Defendant.

To Thomas J. Burgess, the defendant above named: 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 suit and Court, on or before the last day of the six weeks next following the date of the first publication of this summons, that being the time prescribed in the order for publication hereof; and if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint, the plaintiff, Minnie Burgess, will cause your default to be entered and apply to the Court above named for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: For a decree of said Court dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between the plaintiff and the defendant and awarding to her the care and custody of the infant child, John L. Burgess, together with costs of suit and such other relief as to the Court seems equitable. This summons is published pursuant to an order of the Honorable H. S. Hattan, County Judge for said Columbia county, Oregon, made and dated July 28, 1904, which order prescribed that the service of summons, in this suit, should be made upon you by publication one week for six consecutive weeks. The date of the first publication of this summons is Friday, July 23, 1904.

DILLARD & DAY, Attorneys for plaintiff.

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