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#### CAMP JONES.

Blackberries are all gone, those that were not picked having dried on the vines. A few raspberries are still to be found.

The camp is very quiet, most of the noise having ceased with the departure of a certain few, last week.

Our boom is subsiding. In fact our numbers are decreasing. By the end of next week the camp will be almost deserted. September 1st is considered the end of the season at this resort. One new camp was established this week, consisting of Carrie and Minnie Schenk.

The Prentiss family left us last week, but returned in a few days, deciding that it was too hot to remain in the valley. Right here is a good place to state that we don't suffer any from heat up here. True, it gets quite warm just in the middle of the day, but cool places can always be found, and the mornings and evenings are cool and exhilarating.

The mill is running a full crew now, there being a lively demand for lumber. John Bean has taken charge of the ox team once more. We didn't hear the oxen say whether they were pleased or otherwise. Mr. Jones says he will have a large log chute built on the side of the mountain this winter, and next summer the log-riding girls of the camp can experiment with it. He thinks it would be better sport than riding behind the oxen.

There were several visitors on Sunday last. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Henderson came in Saturday night, returning home the following evening. Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Dr. J. H. Cook drove over from Meadow lake Sunday, starting home the same evening. Miss Anna Adams is spending a few days in camp. Chas. Grissen came up on his wheel to spend the Sabbath with his family, but he had so much fun that he could not persuade himself to return to town for several days. We don't blame him for staying, for he certainly was having an enjoyable time. One afternoon he was seen to emerge from his tent arrayed in a red dress skirt belonging to Mrs. Grissen, and a yellow flannel shirt. He started down the creek, and, strange to relate, the women and girls of the camp followed him, very much the same as did the children when led by the pied piper long years ago. On he strode, the women following, till he came to a deep, dark pool. Into this he flung himself and the women did likewise, but just here he lost his magnetic influence, for the water was cold and the women, uttering screams and war whoops, scrambled out. It was difficult to get them into the water again, even when assured by Mr. Grissen that he would teach them to swim. Mr. Grissen certainly had a good time.

#### Letter from Dyer Bay, Alaska.

Under date of August 8th, Samuel Laughlin writes to his uncle, Hon. Lee Laughlin, an interesting letter, which we are kindly permitted to copy.

"We arrived at Dyer yesterday. There are 3,000 people here. Everything is unusually high. We were offered \$500 for our mules this morning. It is estimated that about ten per cent of what are here is all that will reach Klondike this year. Hundreds of stranded people are here and will be compelled to turn back or winter here. We are going to try to go through, but it is very doubtful if we make it. The Indians are charging 30 cents per pound to-day, and are raising every day. Snow is flying some now on Chilkoot. If we had invested \$1,000 in mules and feed when we left home we wouldn't have needed to go to Klondike. A man with a team and wagon made \$175 yesterday hauling freight four miles. Our mules are in good condition, and we are to make an attempt to go in. If anyone from Yamhill thinks of starting for Klondike this year, tell them that they can never make it. It would be utterly impossible, starting from there after this date. We do not entertain much hope of reaching there this year. It is simply horrible. A person not here can't imagine how wild people are. You can't hardly walk on the trail it is crowded so. The Indians are charging 30 cents per pound for packing, are engaged for two months ahead and are growing very lazy. An Indian will pack 200 pounds, while we can only pack 50 or 75. We have our own pack animals and will not depend on the sulky red man. Such horses as we could buy at home for \$20, sell here readily for \$250. The O. R. & N. Co. charge \$11.25 for freight per ton, and bill a horse at 5,000 pounds, so you see that the first cost of an article when you try to take it to the Yukon is a very small matter. Hundreds are here with just about money enough to pay the duty the British government is imposing upon miners, and can never reach there this year. If a person should start for Klondike this late in the season, it will cost him about \$1,200 to reach there with a year's provisions, if he could at all. Those that intend coming next spring should start by February 15th, and will reach there as soon as three-fourths that are here now. A well-broken team of dogs is what they want to bring with them, but they are of no use now. The wolves are act now, and the desperate chances they are taking undoubtedly many will perish this winter in their attempt to reach the Klondike."

#### DAYTON.

Wheat 73 cents, and is still on the rise. Miss Bertie Jones is up from Portland on a short visit.

J. E. Stilwell is often seen in town in the garb of a farmer.

A. Coovert and N. Harris started their large new dryer on Thursday.

Walter Kirkwood spent Sunday with the city druggist, R. L. Harris.

Charley and Francis Galloway of Oregon City were in town on Monday.

Dayton will have to be quarantined if the gold fever gets much stronger.

Charlie Robinson and John Hash are now working on the steamer Modoc.

Oliver Galbreath, mate of the snag boat, was in town on Tuesday evening.

J. W. Fishburn ran a harness needle into his hand so far that Dr. Courtney had to assist him withdrawing it.

Eugene Wooster and A. H. Robinson are running the dryer which was built last year by Mr. Londenhausen.

E. Gabriel, one of Dayton's most able and progressive merchants, made three business trips to Portland last week.

Rev. G. Wm. Gibboney and family of Spokane have been visiting with Mrs. Gibboney's sister, Mrs. Dr. Courtney.

Miss Cora Spangle, who has been visiting with her aunt, Mrs. E. E. McVicker, of King's valley, returned home last week.

Rev. Ballentyne preached at Pleasant Dale on Sunday in the morning and at the United Evangelical church in Dayton in the evening.

D. A. Snyder is drying a few cabbage samples, and says that onions, and in fact most every kind of fruit and vegetable can be dried to good advantage, except cucumbers and watermelons.

I. E. Fenton's new hearse, the wood-work of which he made himself and which he sent to Portland to be ironed, came up on the boat Tuesday evening and is indeed a fine looking hearse.

Those who hauled wheat to the red warehouse this year miss the genial face of Don Barnholtzer, who helped build the house about eighteen years ago and has worked in it every season since. Ill health prevents him from holding his position this year.

Jean Gabriel is now running the delivery wagon of Nichols & Gabriel over the country in place of Noah Phelps, who is keeping the books at the red warehouse. The fine condition of the team Jean drives is not due to either his or Noah's horsemanship, but to the fostering care of Robert Dougless, who was a teamster in ante bellum days.

Frank Smith, Rev. Sager and wife, returned from the coast last week. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Seth, who accompanied the party over, remained to breathe the ocean breeze a while longer. By the sunburnt and hardy looks of Mr. Sager, the people of the United Evangelical church will get his usual good sermons, invigorated by a good degree of ocean ozone.

Almost three years have elapsed since Dayton had a saloon, and it is now possible to look back and compare conditions now with then, and to ascertain whether we have lost or gained by a temperance policy. Of course we do not know what would have happened if intemperance had continued, but we do know the condition of affairs when we had a saloon, and we know the condition now. We also know the evils that were claimed would result from closing the doors of the saloon, and we can see if they have come true. It was claimed by those who favored the saloon, first, that those who drink would drink anyway; that the drugstore would sell liquor, and we might just as well have the license, as liquor would be sold anyway; they said that the young man, instead of being able to have a little sport at home, would go to some other town, and there, away from the restraining influence of friends, would be far worse than if the saloon was at home. In the second place, they claimed that the saloon brought business, and if Dayton was to compete with the other towns in the county, we must have a saloon. Thirdly, they contended that the \$400 the saloon paid as license was necessary to carry on the expenses of the town. As far as carrying on the expenses of the town is concerned, the three-mill tax is hardly felt by the taxpayers, and the town has been improved, and not considering the hard times, is now in as good condition in regard to improvements as ever before. We do not believe in the theory that you have to incur a part of the people to make the other part respectable. Their claim that the saloon brought business has not proved true, as Dayton has not lost in quantity and has improved in quality of business, and now that the country is entering an era of prosperity, the town is in a good, sober, healthy condition to reap its richest rewards. The prophecy that those who drink would drink anyway has not been fulfilled, as we are glad to say that there has not been a drunken man in town, that we know of, or an arrest for assault or disorder, since the saloon closed, and such was not always the case. As to the drugstore selling liquor, no one that knows our druggist ever believed that he would sell liquor, save for medical purposes, as his name is above reproach. Our young men, with but very few exceptions, have not gone away on carousing and debauching expeditions, but are growing up into sober and thoughtful citizens. Men who drank and let their families go in want when we had a saloon, are now sober, and economical, and are respected by all. But at no other point does the abolishing of the saloon show better results than in making a unanimous feeling among our citizens. Never in the history of the city did good will and neighborly feeling so pervade Dayton as now. In many towns where the people are divided as the sheep from the goats, and in their antagonism to each other all appear like goats, an investigation will reveal the liquor question to be at the bottom of it. So we say that we have gained, gladly gained, by not having a saloon.

#### NORTH YAMHILL.

Dottie Snyder of McMinnville is visiting in this city.

Mrs. Emma Smith is spending the week in Gaston.

Mrs. Smith of Portland is visiting Mrs. Robert Laughlin.

H. C. Gist and wife are rusticated at the coast this week.

Mrs. Cameron of Portland spent Sunday with Mrs. Partlow.

Lena Kuykendall is visiting friends and relatives in Dallas.

U. L. Frazier of McCoy visited friends here Sunday and Monday.

Phil Withycombe is building an addition to his tile factory.

Luke Goodrich visits friends in Salem a few days this week.

C. V. Kuykendall and wife went to Dayton this week after peaches.

Frank Morris of Castle Rock, Wash., is a guest at J. S. McCarty's farm.

Dr. Coffeen and wife of Carlton spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Patterson.

Misses Sue and Kate Johnson visited friends in Salem a few days this week.

Eva Young has returned home from an extended visit with relatives in Walla Walla.

James Campbell has been engaged to teach school in district No. 8, near McMinnville.

Norris Russell, who has been spending several weeks in Eugene, returned home a few days ago.

A valuable colt belonging to John Harris was severely hurt on barbed wire last Sunday.

Everett Samuel Bullock is again employed on the express train between Portland and Corvallis.

Mrs. Will Clark and son of Portland are visiting the family of T. Goodrich who resides near this city.

Hon. Lee Laughlin returned home Monday from Tillamook, where he has been spending a few days with his wife and nephew.

Mr. Abraham, late from Germany, came to this city Tuesday, and will visit with his brother, Mr. Abraham, who lives in Moore's Valley.

John A. Simmons and wife and Prof. McCann and family started Monday for the coast, where they will remain several days hunting and fishing.

The little son of Rev. White had several hard spasms and was very sick for a few days, but it is now under the doctor's care and is recovering.

Judge Caples of Portland passed through this city the first of the week on his way to Netarts, where he spent a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Matthieu.

The German Methodist church, a few miles west of this city, was dedicated Sunday by a German minister from Milwaukee. Quite a number from Portland were present, and the dedication was an enjoyable occasion.

Snyder and Estes, who live five miles north of this city, are building a large fruit dryer near Mt. Novelty. They will be prepared to dry 250 bushels a day. They are going to dry various kinds of vegetables and fruits for shipment into the mining region of Alaska.

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#### CURRENT NOTE AND COMMENT.

The dearth of gold is another popocratic expression that has been called in.

The latitude of Klondike is not further north than inhabited districts of Norway and Sweden.

Japan should get rid of the idea that chasing a Chinaman and fighting an Anglo-Saxon are the same thing.

The Nebraska corn fields were firing beautifully for Bryan a few days ago, but a copious pluvial rain came along and spoiled the situation with a republican trick.—Globe Democrat.

When Nansen reached the highest latitude ever attained by an explorer he could see nothing to the north except rugged masses of ice shifting with the tides. It is now over a month since Andree's balloon disappeared in the direction of that desolate scene.

Our battle-ship Maine seems to have found the East River at New York hardly large enough for her. A few days ago she collided with an excursion steamer, doing much damage to the latter. In trying to avoid the collision the Maine backed into a pier, and in drawing away from that ran into a float carrying a train of ten railway cars, which was sunk with its cargo. The Maine was fortunate in losing nothing more than some of the paint on her bow. She is our fastest battle-ship, with a length of 313 feet and a mean draught of 21 1/2 feet. Her record for speed is 17.4 knots. Scarcely a month passes without an accident in port somewhere to one or more of our great armored ships. Several have had a number of mishaps more or less serious in the quiet waters of a harbor. The Maine cost \$2,500,000, and the fact that she has been through a double collision, at both bow and stern, adds to the impression that these sea monsters, as yet untried in warfare, are largely an unknown quantity. The English record is no better. At the recent jubilee naval display two of the largest battle-ships were unable to take part in the sham battle off the north coast of Ireland. It has just been announced that England is building four cruisers larger than any that have yet been launched. Their armor may be thicker and armament heavier, but there is no assurance that they will be more formidable as sea-going ships.

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