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More Coal Discoveries.

Wm. McKinnon, who lives on the South Santiam above Sweet Home, has made a valuable discovery, says the Albany Herald. He has made what seems destined to prove a valuable coal discovery. The coal deposit, which only has been opened a few feet below the surface, is situated in Canyon Creek, and gives evidence of being an enormous vein. Mr. McKinnon who runs a blacksmith shop, and is familiar with coal, says that it is better than the average blacksmith's coal brought in the market, and he has recently been taking it out and using it in his forge. He has taken out bushels of it and says it burns splendidly, makes a fine welding heat and leaves very little clinders. He now uses no other coal in his forge.

The deposit is situated about 500 yards from the main wagon road, and Mr. McKinnon says this is the most valuable find ever made in the Santiam region. Several coal deposits have been made in various places along the Santiam, but nothing that equals this in quantity or can excel it in quality. Should a good working coal mine be unearthed in that region it would be more valuable than a gold mine, and it would seem that this discovery of Mr. McKinnon's might be developed into such a mine.

The State's Fruit Crop.

The Oregonian says that Mr. H. E. Battin, the well-known commission merchant, has taken a good view of the fruit crop throughout the state commencing with Jackson county. He says the crop promises fair, considering the exceedingly dry weather. A large portion of the peaches, particularly the earlier varieties, are small and not of the quality as might be expected. The prune crop will be about one-half of that of last year. A few orchards are well loaded, but they are the exceptions; the same will apply to plums. A fair crop of apples may be looked for.

Jackson county will come in with her usual growth of melons about five days earlier than last year. They will not be so large as last year's crop. Large numbers of melons are now being received from California, but they are of small size. The melon crop at The Dalles is also small.

Large quantities of potatoes are coming in from California for about 1 cent per pound. The Oregon potato crop is about ripe.

Why Not be Decent.

A prominent citizen of Salem informs a reporter of the JOURNAL that there are a few men and boys who are in the habit of going in bathing of evenings just west of the Capital Lumbering company's mill, on the Marion county side of the river, and as there are a great many ladies and gentlemen who walk down to the O. R. & N. wharf to see the boats come in, and watch the pleasure boats glide over the water, these bathers should be compelled to move their quarters or wait until nightfall before performing their ablutions. The officers should take notice and see that this is stopped as it is a shame and a disgrace to the city. This place spoken of above is at the boom of the lumbering company mill and is not over 50 feet from the wharf. Enforce the law and let this be stopped. Don't let the city be disgraced in such a manner.

Cut Himself With an Ax.

The driver of the ice wagon had the misfortune to cut a severe gash in his head by a hand ax falling on him. He is able to be at work, but carries a bandage around his head. It is to be hoped that he will recover soon, as the ice man is needed very bad in this city. Mike must watch out for the hand ax after this.

Good Crops.

The crops on French Prairie are better this year than they have been for the past few years. They average from 30 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre. Threshing has begun and a great many machines are at work. Harvest will be over in about ten days sooner than it was last season.

On the River.

The Modoc came up from Portland last night, bringing 100 sacks of beans for the penitentiary. She went on to Albany, and will return to Salem today.

THE DEVIL ON A BUST

Copy Being Scarce and the Reporters Out, He Writes His First Lead.

The devil of this office, who is the writer of this local, wishes to ask the readers of the JOURNAL not to judge him too harshly for his first effort in the quill-shaving line, having to set this up himself, correct it, and buy off the foreman, not wishing the editor-in-chief to get hold of it for it is liable to come to an untimely death.

This morning as one of our fair compositors was coming along by Marion square her foot caught in the hole in the sidewalk which was mentioned in these columns a month ago, throwing her heavily to the walk bruising her badly. The same accident happened to this devil the other night while retreating home, not being able to see the hole on account of the height of the electric light and the thickness of the trees. The street commissioner says he hates to keep telling people to fix their walks. This devil hates to stick his foot in a hole and get bruised all up because the street commissioner does not see that the city's sidewalks are in a fit condition for pedestrians. The boss is coming so will have to cut this kick short and go to work.

THE GRAIN CROP.

Encouraging Report of the Grain Crop in this County.

Mr. Wm. Dunbar, who has just returned from a trip through this county, reports that the wheat in the Waldo hills and vicinity is very fine, and is turning out a good yield. The first new wheat was received at his mills last Thursday. He expects the mills at Salem, Silverton and Turbot will receive more wheat and better wheat this season than ever before.

The harvest is earlier than usual, and farmers are securing the grain as rapidly as possible, as there is a general idea that the rains will set in early. Should this prove to be the case, it will be a good thing for the mill men, as they can begin operations early.

The market is coming up right in harvest just as it did last year, which gives farmers a chance to get rid of their crops at once. Last year the market reached its highest point in August and September, and prices have been declining ever since.

About Advertising.

The Astoria Transcript truthfully says that there is no one problem connected with mercantile pursuits, that is as hard to solve, as how to advertise judiciously and secure the best and quickest returns from the investment. In this day and age the true business man, before embarking in a commercial enterprise, will commence to estimate his advertising expenses almost as soon as he orders his goods, and many hours are spent by merchants and manufacturers in studying the best modes of getting their business before the public, and securing the best and quickest returns from money spent in advertising. There is no one thing that merchants and business men really understand so little about as the use of printer's ink, and that this statement is true, it is only necessary to refer to the large sums of money spent annually by the business men of the country for advertising, in all manner of ways, the vast majority of which never give any returns for the money expended, and is virtually throwing it away. For example:

A smooth-tongued individual will call on a merchant representing that he has something entirely new and unheard of in the advertising line; that it does not cost much to insert a small notice and a great many copies of a certain publication will be issued. After while the merchant or manufacturer will conclude that it is a good thing, and pays five or ten dollars, or possibly twenty, for a small write-up of his business. After "doing" the town, the fellow goes to some job office, and instead of issuing thousands of copies, as he promised, gets five hundred printed—just enough to give each advertiser a copy, and then folds his tent and quietly steals away. The result is that virtually no equivalent is returned the advertiser for the money expended. We call to mind a case that occurred a few months ago in this city: Two oily-tongued chaps from "Frisco" came here and represented to our business men that they were "writing up" the city and its business as it was never written before; that eight thousand copies of a pamphlet would be issued containing these "write-ups," and the price was only so much per line. Remarkable as it may seem, the most conservative and careful business men of the city "bit" at this bait, and the result was four hundred dollars were taken out of the town by these "smooth" fellows, while an investigation showed that instead of 8,000 copies of the pamphlet being issued, only twenty-seven hundred were printed.

—Wheat is selling at sixty-four cents per bushel to-day.

How to Take Care of Grapes.

The many readers of the CAPITAL JOURNAL will no doubt appreciate the following instructions, coming as they do from such reliable authority as Professor Henry, of the Wisconsin experimental station. They are worthy of careful notice:

First—Keep the vine limited to the post; don't let it spread far enough to be in the way of the cultivator.

Second—Prune in the fall or very early in the spring; for the fall pruning is the safest.

Third—Aim to grow at least four canes or vines to each post. You cannot always get so many by the third or fourth year, but aim to get them.

Fourth—Cut out the oldest cane close to the ground each season, letting one new strong cane succeed the old one.

Fifth—The three or four canes left must bear the fruitwood; leave at pruning time three or four spurs of new wood to each of three canes, and cut these spurs back to two or three buds. From these buds come the new fruitwood which will bear fruit.

Sixth—Guard jealously to keep the vine from getting top heavy; keep the fruitwood low down on the plant. Grapes grown near the ground are the sweetest and best flavored. It will be seen that by cutting out one of the canes each season there is no opportunity to grow "old snags," which become a puzzle to the grower who does not know what to do next with them. All the summer pruning we do is to go with a head shears through the vineyard, and clip the great leafy cluster of vines on all sides into a rather compact form.

Real Estate Transactions.

Daily transfers furnished to the CAPITAL JOURNAL by the Union title abstract company:

Samuel Compton to J. R. Baker, lot number 7, block 3, Compton's first addition to Salem. \$600 00

J. H. Albert and wife to H. W. Hatch, lot in Salem. 1250 00

PURELY PERSONAL.

—McKinley Mitchell and wife of Gervais are in the city.

—Maj. Frank Hodgkins returned this morning from a trip up the valley.

—Captain Scott and Chris. Paulus have returned home from their mountain trip.

—M. M. Jones and family returned home from their mountain trip to-day.

—Thos. Hubbard returned home on the morning train from a trip up the road.

—Benson Starr left this morning for a two months' visit to his farm in Benton county.

—Prof. Parvin and family leave for Yaquina next Saturday morning, to be gone two weeks or more.

—Mrs. W. T. Slater, who has been sick with bilious fever for the past few days, is reported no better to-day.

—Mrs. Shank, who has been sick in Washington territory, was brought up on the evening train last night, and removed to the home of her brother, which is about five miles over in Polk county.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Parly and children; Mrs. J. H. Albert and daughter, Miss Myra and Blanche; their cousin, Miss Powell and Ebb. Singleton will start early this morning for a summer sojourn among the pleasant sights at Little Nestucca beach.

LOCAL SUMMARY.

—Squire Farrar has returned home from Yaquina on the afternoon train.

—Only one case came up before Recorder Conn yesterday and that was for assault.

—The rush for Newport and Yaquina is on the increase. Every day large parties leave the depot.

—The work of grading Commercial street is progressing finely and will be completed in a few days.

—It is said the city pound is a dog-sled business. It is to be hoped the managers of said institution will capture all stray cattle before they commit any more depredations about the city.

—A portable engine on Commercial street yesterday created considerable trouble and proved itself to be a nuisance. Street cars, buggies and wagons were all compelled to give it a wide berth.

—The Tigers and hose companies Nos. 2 and 3 held a drill meeting last evening at the corner of Court and High streets. This meeting was for the testing of the hose which resulted in one of the joints bursting.

—They are always nice and fresh, pure as the purest, fine as the finest, and good as the best. Their goods are always the best and are sold as cheap as the cheapest. Everything in season and all delivered free. For your groceries go to Squire Farrar & Co.

A GOOD CUP OF COFFEE.

Is a great attraction for a restaurant. The coffee drawn from Hellenbrand's Patent Coffee receptacle is one of the many Great Attractions of his eating parlors. Thousands of cups of his excellent coffee are sold every week. And as for oysters and meals he cannot be equaled in the state.

A grave mistake—To use an inferior denture. Wright's Myrrh tooth soap gives beautiful white teeth and pure breath. Sold by all druggists.

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W. W. McBRIDE, Architect.

W. A. MUNLY, Clerk of Board.

Query?

How does this strike you—Hon. Wm. Waldo, of Marion county for governor?

Notaries Public.

W. W. Brotherton, F. A. Stephenson, J. P. McGrew, Thos. J. Geister, J. Portland and S. T. Watson of Dayton were appointed notaries public by the governor to-day.

OCCIDENTAL JOTTINGS.

The town of Heppner is enjoying a better trade this summer than it has for many years past.

The farm house of a man named Tozier, living near Monroe, and about four miles west of Albany, was totally destroyed by fire one day last week. Defective flue. No insurance.

Notwithstanding we have several transcontinental lines a large number of people cross the plains as they did in the days of '52; but there are no savage Indians now and plenty of land marks.

The surveyors of the Oregon Pacific have completed their work of locating the line from Deschutes to Snake river. It is said the work of constructing a road between these two points will be very light.

The Princeton news is responsible for the statement that a chunk of ore was picked out of the mountain back of Canyon City recently which netted at the mint something over \$400 in gold, being almost pure gold.

Mrs. John Downing's residence near Whiteaker was destroyed by fire on last Tuesday morning together with all the furniture. The residence was one of the finest in that section of country. No insurance.

At Pendleton, says the E. O., three immigrants, who arrived in town a day or two ago, and who were encamped just below town, were robbed Wednesday night of about \$500. Tramps, no doubt, were the robbers.

It is said that the town of Milton, in Umatilla county, is one of the most important towns in that section of Oregon, and that residences are springing up like mushrooms. Like reports are coming in every day from all over Oregon.

Hon. Binger Hermann thoroughly examined the locks at the Cascades recently and expressed himself well satisfied with the progress of the work during the past two years. He confidently expects that two more liberal appropriations will open the river to the commerce of the people.

Linn county, it is said, is making extra exertions in collecting her products for the purpose of making a creditable display at Milwaukee next month. The Oregon land company has volunteered to take charge of all articles labeled to them with the owners name and care for them.

The Corvallis Times says: A very large specimen of the Elebone Ventricosa, commonly known as the devil fish, was caught over at Newport last Friday. It was brought out to Corvallis and presented to the agricultural museum by D. W. Cameron. It is the largest, we believe, that has ever been captured at Yaquina bay, its arms being three feet in length and its total weight 20 pounds.

The council of Weston has contracted with the East Oregonian publishing company to furnish 10,000 copies of a special issue which will be distributed in the east, as the exhibit cars containing products of Umatilla county visit there during the latter part of August and all of September. These papers will contain a special description of Weston and the country surrounding, a general description of the resources of the county, and miscellaneous matter illustrating the wealth and resources of the section of which Weston is the center.

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