

MAKE UNIQUE JOURNEY

Tacoma Family Traveling to California in Wagon

Tacoma, Wash., April 23.—What the "miner, forty-miner," who crossed the plains in the days when the slogan of pluck and determination was "California or bust" did of necessity, Samuel P. Mohler, a motorman, and one of the oldest employees of the Tacoma Railway & Power company, is now doing in the hope that the change of climate and mode of living will benefit his wife's health.

Early yesterday morning, a sturdy caravan drawn by two horses, in which were seated Mr. and Mrs. Mohler and their two sons, the latter aged 14 and 17 years, respectively, started from Tacoma, their destination being Southern California. Their intention was to stop at Portland, and, after making a short stay there, to proceed on their long and novel journey—a journey that sixty years ago was fraught with peril and often attended with harrowing experiences and dreadful results.

Party Goes Well Equipped.

But, like the argonauts of old, who went on their journey with ammunition arrayed against probable peril and were prepared to cope with any emergency, carrying guns and pistols and implements of war and defense, the little party that left on Sunday also carried guns and rifles and re-

volvers, not so much for fight as for fun, however, as it is the intention of the boys to hunt game on their way, and snugly packed in the bottom of the van, was an outfit calculated to make the most enthusiastic devotee of Isaac Walton turn green with envy. There was nothing forgotten that might prove tempting to the fanny tribe that may flirt with the morsel that will dangle from the end of the line, hiding the traitorous hook. And in addition to the sporting instruments two bicycles were carried, as well as an army tent and other appropriate equipment.

Mr. Mohler decided to make the trip after a consultation with the family physician, who advised a complete revolution in the mode of living and a change of climate as being the only means by which it would be possible for Mrs. Mohler to recover her health and strength. The doctor approved of the trip by caravan, provided his patient could stand it, which will be easily determined.

Comfortable Home on Wheels.

The caravan in which the party is traveling was made in Tacoma from designs suggested by Mr. Mohler personally. It is a spacious vehicle, roofed with a thick waterproof covering. Underneath the wagon is a strong chest, a trap door opening from the bottom of the wagon being the means of entering it, in which is stored the arms and fishing tackle and other equipment carried. Inside the wagon is a stove and three bunks, with one bed and mattress so arranged as to take up practically no room in the daytime, this bed being for the invalid woman. On the driver's box is plenty of room for four. The interior of the wagon is neatly furnished, with a place for dishes and cooking utensils, and a wardrobe.

Instead of carrying a large quantity of provisions all of the time, Mr. Mohler will purchase sufficient to last from town to town. He has determined to make the trip in easy stages, and expects to be on the road six months before reaching his destination in Southern California.

Ex-Land Agent L. B. Geer and wife passed through Toledo on the 18th, on their way to their fine farm at Seal Rock where they expect to plant garden, and otherwise prepare for their summer residence.—Toledo Reporter.



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HIGH SCHOOL WINS

Junior Alerts Could Not Handle Slippery Ball and Lose Close Game

Just when the Junior Alerts had their game with the High School baseball team well in hand yesterday afternoon rain began to fall.

The Alerts were apparently unable to handle the wet sphere as well as their opponents, and the High School boys piled up five runs in the seventh inning, which won them the game.

Following is the line-up of the teams:

High School.	Junior Alerts.
Utter	Graham
Keeton	Blanco
Fisher	A. Angell
Mower	R. Angell
Moore	Will
Riegleman	Gleason
Clonise	Scott
West	Smith
Dowie	Hill

At the end of the seventh inning the score stood 5 to 7 in favor of the High School boys, when the game was called on account of rain.

How to Build Parks.

Ed. Journal: With your permission I would like to make a few suggestions as to permanent improvements in this city. First, as to the improvement of parks, which belong to all the citizens and should be improved by all and made a thing of beauty, that would be admired by all newcomers to our city. These improvements should be made by levying a tax on all city property of one-fourth mill, and the free library should be provided in the same way. What is the benefit for all should be provided by all, and then used by all free. Then I should also like to see improvements going on that would add beauty to the home by setting out flowers, small shrubs, etc. I take pride in fixing up my own place, and beautifying the home surroundings by planting roses, flowers and shrubbery, and thus beautifying the home. And don't fail to provide a good supply of

vegetables and fruit for the table and appetite of the household.

S. PARKER.

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Oregon potatoes are known the world over.

They are wanted in almost every state in the union and when brought in competition with the potatoes of other localities they always bring the highest price.

The reason for this is that they are of sounder stock and are more pleasant to the taste than are the potatoes of other states. In the California markets the word Oregon when applied to anything in the potato line means that it comes well recommended.

This year was especially kind to the Oregon potato raisers. Prices all through the season, with the exception of the very first, were good and just now they are showing every indication of touching the 2-cents a pound mark before the season comes to an end.

This year there was a general potato famine all over the country and Oregon has been called upon to ship her stocks as far east as the Atlantic coast. New York has sent in a very

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urgent call for Oregon potatoes, but only a few cars were sent on account of the high freight rates and the chance to sell the stocks in nearby markets.

One Aurora, Or., firm, W. S. Hurst & Co., shipped three cars of Oregon Burbanks to Memphis, Tenn., last week, and already this week one car has been sent forward. It is common for Oregon potatoes to be shipped to Galveston, Tex., or to various Arizona cities, but it is not often that the Pacific coast is called upon to ship potatoes to New Orleans. However, this week several cars of Oregon's best were sent to the gulf port. Omaha, Kansas City, and other cities of the middle west bought large supplies of potatoes from the eastern Oregon farmers during the past season and the goods arrived in such good condition that additional orders have been received.—Oregon Journal.

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Bazaar Netted Good Sum.
The Woman's Relief Corps, at the regular meeting held on Tuesday evening April 19th, gave a vote of thanks to all who so kindly aided them during their bazaar and dinner, given April 13 and 14. The ladies feel justly proud, and made about \$50 for monument fund.

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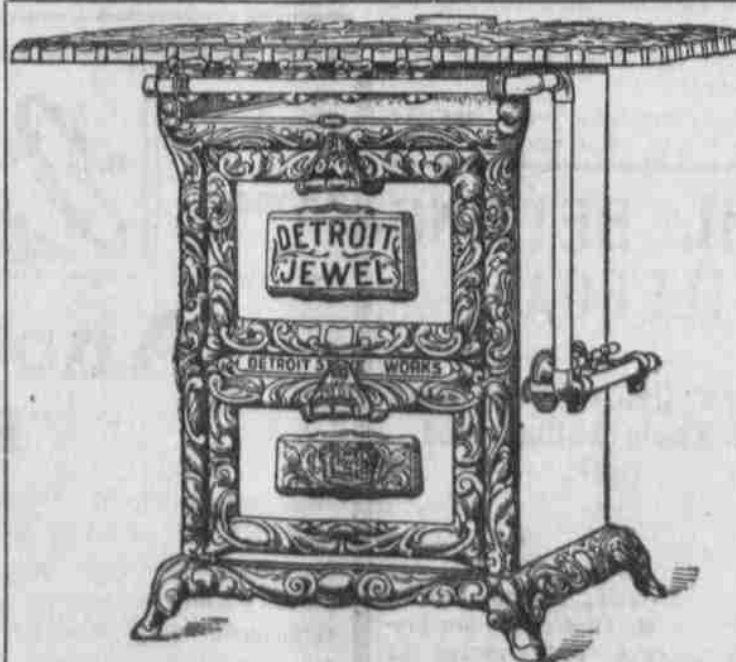
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