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SOCIAL EVENTS

Owing to the Fourth of July festivities, there has been a lull in social affairs. Several large parties are chronicled for the coming week. Many people are heading away to the summer resorts, and during the warm weather the town will be very quiet.

At Home.

Cards are out announcing the lawn party given by Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hofer, Monday, July 9th, at their home on East Court street. The affair promises to be a most pleasant one.

W. O. W. Entertain.

A most enjoyable dance was given at Holmes' hall last evening by the Woodmen of the World. The hall was comfortably filled with young people, and the music was good. These dances are always well attended, and are popular with the lodge people and all their friends.

Fourth of July Dance.

A dance was given at the Armory hall Wednesday evening, and was largely attended. Many out-of-town people who spent the Fourth in the city enjoyed it, as a fitting culmination of a thoroughly enjoyable day.

Society Persons.

Miss Lillian Miller, of Beaverton, returned home yesterday afternoon after visiting friends in this city for the past three weeks.

Miss Adele Miller, of Sublimity, is the guest of Miss Betta Klinger.

Miss Lillian McNaughey, of Portland, has been visiting numerous relatives and friends here for the past three weeks.

Mrs. H. H. McNaughey, formerly

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NORTHERN PACIFIC IS FIRST

Township of Fine Timber Land Being Surveyed, but Railroad Will Swipe it

A new township in the mountains of Linn county, on the headwaters of the Santiam river, described as 11 south, 4 east, is being surveyed by United States Surveyor-General John D. Duffy. As soon as the survey is completed and approved and the plats are filed in the United States land office at Portland, this township will be open to settlement.

And thereby hangs a tale. A large number of people from Marion county, and still a larger number from Linn county, in anticipation of this land being thrown open for entry, have gone to the mountains and had their portable effects lifted to the top with a derrick, and have established themselves and families, and planted themselves as squatters. They imagine that in so doing they will have prior squatters' rights on a homestead entry.

All the land in question is timber land, and to make an entry stick, the homestead rights that are proposed to be filed will have to be withdrawn and timber claim entries made in lieu.

However, the Northern Pacific Railroad Co. will be the chief beneficiary in this deal. Some time ago an act was juggled through congress, presumably by the consent of the Oregon delegation, permitting the Northern Pacific to file on unsurveyed lands, and it is understood that the railroad company has already staked out its claim on all the really desirable of these timber lands.

Sections 16 and 32 of this township will belong to the state of Oregon as school lands, and when squatters settle on these school lands it will have to be shown that they are bona fide settlers, and that they will live on the lands, and that the lands are suitable for agricultural purposes.

It is predicted that the numerous squatters who have gone to this township will have a merry time in getting a title to the lands. After five years elapse, and they have not already been ousted by some contestant, who has purchased the land under the timber acts, they will be asked by the government if the land is good for farming, and if they have lived there all the time.

An answer in the affirmative may pave the way to the penitentiary.

Under the old regime, before the present state administration made a cleaning up in land affairs, it was the custom of the surveyor-general to send the plats of the surveys to the governor or by a messenger. The messenger was usually a law shark, and when he filed his plats he also filed applications for the purchase of all the desirable lands. At present the surveyor sends the reports by mail, and Governor Chamberlain advertises the land for sale. The state land board have eight parcels of land under consideration, which will be auctioned next Tuesday, and, if passed upon favorably, will be advertised for sale.

The township in Linn county, already referred to, is timber land and cannot be obtained under the homestead act. The only honest and safe way to get this land is to purchase it under the timber acts, and pay \$2.50 per acre for it.

Of course this applies only to that small portion of it that has not already been gobbled by the Northern Pacific railroad.

Croup

Is a violent inflammation of the mucous membranes of the wind pipe, which sometimes extend to the larynx and bronchial tubes; and is one of the most dangerous diseases of children. It almost always comes on in the night. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horse-hound Syrup and apply Ballard's Snow Liniment externally to the throat. 25c, 50c and \$1. For sale by D. J. Fry.

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A Hard Lot

of trouble to contend with, spring from a torpid liver and blockaded bowels, unless you awaken them to their proper action with Dr. King's New Life Pill; the pleasantest and most effective cure for Consumption. They prevent Appendicitis and tone up the system. 25c at J. C. Perry's druggist.

Central Congregational
Pastor's day at Willard. No preaching services tomorrow. Other services as usual.

HAND IT OUT TO THE FARMERS

Millers and Warehousemen Will no Longer Furnish Sacks or Twine

Hereafter the farmers of the Willamette valley will have to buy their grain sacks instead of borrowing them, as has been the practice heretofore. The Willamette Valley and Southern Oregon Millers' Club held its annual meeting in this city yesterday afternoon, and, besides electing officers for the ensuing year, did nothing of importance except to decide that the wheat growers would have to come down with the cold cash before they got any more bags for harvest uses. A number of warehouse men were present by special invitation, and they were asked to unite in the sack embargo, that the united efforts of the warehouse men and the milling people might make the resolution stick.

Those present were: D. L. Keyt, Perrydale; Frank Gibson, Rickreall; Sherman Swank, Aumsville; Mr. Christensen, Newberg; Mr. Washburne, Springfield; J. A. Apperle, Jefferson; C. A. Park, manager of the Sidney Mill Company; W. P. Babcock, of the Salem Flouring Mills Company; L. R. Reedor of the Capitol City mills; J. G. Graham, of Balfour, Guthrie & Co.; James K. Sears, the McCoy warehouse man, and Orville Abrams, the Lincoln warehouse man.

The officers elected were: Frank Gibson, of Rickreall, president; Sherman Swank, of Aumsville, vice-president; Mr. Christensen, of Newberg, treasurer. It is said that an enormous quantity of grain sacks were destroyed in the San Francisco Fire, and the shortage is all the more marked on account of a partial failure of the jute crop last year. Those who know say that sacks will be 10 cents each this year instead of 5 cents, which was the prevailing price last year.

At the meeting yesterday afternoon no formal resolution was adopted to this effect, but the announcement was made that agreements of this kind had been made in Linn and Benton counties, and an effort will be made to make the same conditions in Marion and Polk counties.

It has heretofore been the practice of the millers to furnish the farmers what twine was needed during harvest, free of charge. It was decided to put a stop to this habit. A resolution was passed to the effect that in making the farmer pay cash for the sacks and twine used in getting his grain to the mill and warehouse would not be working any hardship on the farmer at all.

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but it was intimated that the grangers would rush in frantic haste to assist the mill men until the warehouse owners got out of the hole in which they find themselves owing to a scarcity of sacks.

A Tragic Finish.

A watchman's neglect permitted a leak in the great North Sea dyke, which a child's finger could have stopped, to become a ruinous break, devastating an entire province of Holland. In like manner Kenneth McIver, of Vanceboro, Me., permitted a little cold to go unnoticed until a tragic finish was only averted by Dr. King's New Discovery. He writes: "Three doctors gave me up to die of lung inflammation, caused by a neglected cold; but Dr. King's New Discovery saved my life." Guaranteed best cough and cold cure, at J. C. Perry's drug store. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Petition for Liquor License

We, the undersigned, legal residents of Breitenbush precinct, Marion county, state of Oregon, respectfully petition the Hon. County Court of Marion county, state of Oregon, to grant to Lee Jeffries, of Marion county, Oregon, to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon in Breitenbush precinct, Marion county, state of Oregon, for the period of twelve months.

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