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Newport

The Olle S., Captain Carner, is now engaged in deep sea fishing. Friday she came in with over a hundred rock and lin cod. The bar is smooth and it is easy going out. The weather for a few days has been quite stormy but is now calming down again.

The Ahwaneda and Mirene are making regular trips to Portland bringing in full cargoes of freight for Newport, Waldport and Toledo. The freight rates average about \$7.00 per ton. This is a great saving to the consumer. Commerce and transportation are great builders of a country.

J. A. Walters, who has spent four Winters at Newport for the benefit of his health, left Saturday for his home in Farmington, Washington, where he has important interests. Mr. Walters speaks in the highest terms of Newport as a resort city. He spoke of the splendid schools, churches, people and the splendid order that always prevail in the city. He will return in the Fall to spend the Winter. He says the Winters at Newport are more pleasant than the Summers. The city is built on a promontory with the bay on one side and the ocean on the other. The drainage is good and the city is the cleanest of any on the Coast. The soil is sandy and the rain fall is either absorbed or evaporates. The beaches are clean from drift and decaying vegetation that makes so many of the seaside resorts so disagreeable. The heavy, damp fog that hangs over the Willamette valley in the Fall of the year six to eight weeks is not known here. During the time the Valley has the fog we have bright sunshine. Newport has her legends and romances, which if written would make good reading. The story of the haunted house, and the legend of Jump-Off-Joe. You can breathe the ozone of the salt air and take in elixir of life ten or fifteen years longer than you would other places. Since the city has gone dry many other reforms are going on. A good many are quitting the use of tea, coffee, cigarettes, tobacco and other deleterious things that tend to shorten life. People injure themselves more by over eating than drinking. Now it is the purpose to bring these things down to a sanitary condition, to follow the Golden Rule—temperate in all things and excess in none.

Ed Stocker has his sawmill up and ready to commence sawing lumber. The machinery was installed by Albert Teal, a practical machinist. The mill is located on Big Creek about three miles from Newport. Mr. Stocker has on his place about 5,000,000 feet of standing timber that will furnish lumber for a long time.

Joe Parkhurst, supervisor in road district No. 6, is just finishing up the Fall street grade, or as it is known on the records as the Fall Creek Canyon road. This is one of the best pieces of grade in the county and will be traveled by every auto, vehicle and horseman that comes into Newport. The cost of construction will be a little less than \$1,600. The work was done under the direction of the supervisor and the labor hired by the day, preference being given to home people and men of families.

This is Passion Week and the churches are preparing to have extra services. Rev. Pratt, the new pastor, will conduct the services at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Father Forget at the Catholic church. Rev. B. C. Black at the Baptist church and Rev. Chambers at the Episcopal church.

I understand Mr. Schirmer is planting submarines at the mouth of Poole slough, thinking that some English ship might come in over the bar and it is better to be prepared to resist

invasion than to be taken by surprise.

According to government reports as published in the Oregonian a large halibut bed lies west from Yaquina bay and extends south nearly to Coos bay, making a bed of halibut 250 miles square. Newport ought to prepare to take care of a large part of this great industry. The beds are so close to Newport that the product could be easily shipped over the C. & E. railroad to the markets of the world.

Elk City

Dell Hodges went to Harlan Saturday.

L. C. Perry has returned to his home in Portland.

Road Supervisor Gillespie has the roads from Bear creek to Elk City in fine shape.

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by the forty people who attended the party given by Marie Slocum last Friday evening. Music and games were enjoyed until morning. In spite of the plain trail some preferred to travel the road. "The longest way around is the sweetest way home."

Mrs. Silver, Miss Gillet, and Messrs. Millner, Pearce and Johnson were the guests of A. B. Slocum Sunday afternoon.

An Easter program will be rendered in the church at Elk City Sunday morning. Everybody cordially invited.

Lars Johnson is visiting H. S. Slocum.

Word has been received that the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bristlen was seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Slocum were in the city Saturday.

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L. M. Commons shipped a fine veal to Portland one day last week.

Ohmart Bros. and Geo. Selby purchased J. F. Huntsucker's goats and drove them in one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lissy visited the Holmgren home Sunday.

Miss Prescott of Bay View is working at the Selby ranch on account of the illness of Mrs. Selby.

A farewell party was given for Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nickelson at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Ohmart Wednesday evening. The evening was spent in playing cards. A delicious lunch was served at ten o'clock, and everyone departed at midnight declaring they had a most enjoyable time.

Ohmart Bros. commenced shearing their goats Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Edwards and sons, Clarence and Kenneth, took dinner at the Gallagher ranch Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nickelson went to Newport Thursday where they will make their home this Summer.

Rose Lodge

Road work will start about April 5th on the Slick Rock road.

Miss Lerwey, the Slick Rock teacher, visited with Miss Wilson at Rose Lodge over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Gorton of Upper Slick Rock visited at H. R. Deakins over Sunday.

The Jonesville Sewing Circle met at Mrs. Slegar's Saturday afternoon.

The Bear Creek sawmill expects to start up next week. Lumber seems to be coming down in these parts. Nothing like having a little competition.

Mrs. Alen Conrow has gone to Mill City.

Cecil Messenger has been doing some plowing for P. Deak-

"The Whole World Knows the Portland Rose"

The following words, written by Mrs. Lynette Arnold Henderson, of Sioux City, Iowa, are the lyrics for the 1915 Rose Festival song. Copies of the song will be sent to glee clubs, orchestras, bands and singing societies throughout the state:

Out West the purpling haze lies close
Over wondrous snow-clad peaks.
Out West the gleaming waterfall
In dazzling brilliance leaps.
Out West the sweet, pine-scented breeze
From the fragrant forest blows.
Out West there's a wealth of glorious bloom,
Out West is the Portland Rose.

Chorus:
The Whole world knows the Portland Rose!
Its queenly air, its beauty rare
Within the hearts which all enshrine
No other rose is half so fair.
Its tint the glint of sunrise shows!
Its soft blush glows! It gaily throws
Its fragrance to the passing breeze.
The whole world knows the Portland Rose!

Out West there is wealth for all who come
With a brave, undaunted will.
The orchards yield their perfect fruit,
The streams run many a mill.
There's precious hidden ore to mine,
Golden grain luxuriant grows,
There's wealth in the herds of peaceful kine,
There's wealth in the Portland Rose. (Cho.)
Out West the men and women stand
Side by side for all that's fair.
They bravely fight for civic right,
The hardest task they dare.
They greet you with their outstretched hands,
With the spirit the West bestows,
Their hearts are as pure, and sweet, and good,
As the heart of the Portland Rose. (Cho.)

ins the last few days.

W. L. Crowley and family visited with O. E. McMillen Sunday.

Glen

After teaching a three months' term of school here, Miss Gertrude Johnson departed last Tuesday for Alesia, where she will teach this Summer.

Willie Williams returned to his home at Lyons last Tuesday, after a two weeks' visit with his brother, L. F. Williams, and family here.

Mrs. J. W. Davenport spent one day last week with Mrs. T. L. Bohannon.

Miss Clare Moore spent last week at Harlan.

Mrs. J. W. Davenport and Miss Jessie Brown spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moore's.

Little Elk

Fine April showers these.

Farmers in this vicinity are about all through with their grain crops and are getting the ground ready for kale and root crops.

We have all been so busy we have not had time for anything to happen, so items are scarce here.

Commissioner O. V. Hurt was in this vicinity this week. He and Commissioner Wakefield were inspecting roads, and getting ready for the Summer's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Sowers of Kansas have been visiting friends and relatives in this community for two or three weeks, but are going home about the first of April. They are favorably impressed with Oregon, and especially Lincoln county.

The L. E. A. C. gave a very successful entertainment at our schoolhouse last Saturday night. The entertainment consisted of songs, recitations, dialogues and a short play entitled "Jumbo Jum." Every number was well rendered, especially the song by Dick Boynton and Kenneth Loudon. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Little Elk baseball team.

Preparations are being made for Easter services at the Little Elk schoolhouse next Sunday. From the way everyone is taking hold there will be a good program. Everyone is invited to attend. The services will be at 2 p. m. Rev. Davenport will

preach after the Easter services.

The mohair growers of Eddyville and vicinity met at Eddyville last Saturday for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and for making arrangements for pooling their mohair. W. J. Cline was elected president and W. F. Wakefield, secretary. The number of fleeces will be as many or more than last year. The date for selling the pool will be given later.

The Little Elk and Eddyville baseball teams crossed bats last Sunday on the Eddyville diamond. The day was not very good for playing ball, rather wet and chilly and the game was slow and long and resulted in a score of 25 to 0 in favor of the Little Elk team.

H. O. Boynton has a new grubbing machine. Now the dirt, roots, stumps and grubs will fly. Go in Hal, we need lots of this kind of improvements. Cleared land looks better than land covered with trees and stumps.

Harlan

The rain clouds have bursted and are showering the country.

Walter Hodges of Salado is at Chas. Mulkey's again.

W. B. Mulkey went to Toledo Friday, returning Monday.

S. R. Campbell returned to his home, after completing his work for Mr. Grant.

Rev. Alfred Holch of Philomath held meeting at the Black schoolhouse Sunday and announced services for Easter.

Mrs. Mae Mulkey spent Monday visiting in the home of Mrs. M. Randall.

Mrs. B. F. Grant has been laid up with a lame foot, the result of a horse kick.

Miss Mabel Hann ended a successful term of school in the Grant school Friday.

Mrs. W. T. Amos died at her home near Harlan, Oregon, Mar. 22d, 1915. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, five children and relatives besides a large circle of friends.

In love remembrance of Mrs. W. T. Amos:

A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled;
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.
God in His wisdom has recalled
The boon his love had given,
And though the body moulders here
The soul is safe in heaven.
Nye Scott moved a load of fur-

niture to Philomath last week.

Mrs. Mae Mulkey, her little daughter, Wenona, and Vivienne McCoy visited Mrs. C. L. Keeslar Tuesday.

People in the neighborhood are more than pleased to hear that Mrs. Frank Davis is out of the hospital and on the road to recovery.

Winant

A big dance was given at the cannery Friday night. It was well attended and everyone had an enjoyable time.

Jack Vigars left for Alaska Monday morning, where he will stay for some time.

Alma Boone and Harold Hermanson of Yaquina visited at the Boone home Sunday.

Miss Mae Adams visited Miss Cara Boone Sunday.

Miss Hallie George of Newport attended the dance at the cannery Friday night.

Alma Boone and Rube Chamberlin of Yaquina visited at the Boone ranch Tuesday evening.

Clarence Boone is busy this week preparing to leave for Alaska Thursday morning, where he will work for Barnes & Co. We wish him good success while he is there.

Archie Zeek and Thomas Barker of Poole slough made a trip to Newport Monday.

Fiegles Creek

April showers!

Gale Shane has been working for I. R. Payne, who has been on the sick list.

George and Ralph Darting returned from Philomath with farm implements.

Mary and Delbert Kessi are at home from Monmouth, where they attended school the past Winter.

A school meeting will be held April 5th at the residence of Z. A. Kessi for the purpose of electing three directors and a clerk for district No. 72—our new school district. We gratefully acknowledge the fact.

Frank Mulvany took his joy riding in a sled up Fiegles creek Sunday, accompanied by his family; where they lunched on the old "illahee."

The road made by the volunteer gang was O.K.

George Tubbs is packing supplies by burro to his place.

John Rankin has been helping Mr. Amos' family a few days.

Rumor has it that one of our bachelors did turn benedict. "All the world loves a lover" it is said but we have not been able to run the facts in this particular affair to earth as yet.

Mrs. Anna Mulvany Davis, who camps every year on Fiegles creek, has recently undergone a very serious surgical operation at Dr. Anderson's private hospital, Corvallis. Recovery is hoped.

Some of our people attended the funeral of Mrs. Amos of Spout creek, at Harlan Cemetery, last Wednesday. Kindly acts, gentle winds and a profusion of floral tributes beneath heaven's vaulted blue helped to assuage the grief of bereaved ones—strangers within our gates. We deigned in the language of Bulwer Lytton: "Whoever lies down on his couch to sleep,
Content to lock each sense in slumber deep,
Knows God will keep."

Yaquina

About 30 people attended the dance at Oysterville Friday night. They made the trip on the gasoline schooner Pilgrim. Everybody had a good time.

Mr. Weaver, the agent at Yaquina, went to Albany Friday, returning Saturday evening. A big crowd attended the box

social at the schoolhouse Saturday evening. The proceeds netted \$32.90.

Jack Vigars spent Sunday evening at the Casteel home, and departed Monday morning.

Mr. Whitney, the new express messenger on the train has moved to Yaquina to take Mr. Gray's place.

Mrs. L. E. Casteel made a business trip to Corvallis the last of the week.

Mrs. S. A. Pruett went to Albany on the special yesterday morning.

Taft

Professor Lowe was buying seed oats at Taft. He has 35 acres plowed to seed to oats. Mr. Lowe has one of the finest farms to be found, everything modern and up to date.

Frank Blattner has gone to Newport. Some people say Frank will bring home a cook.

Oat McMillan was over from Rose Lodge Sunday after a load of goods. That's right; buy at Taft and keep your money at home.

Geo. Thompson was seen on the streets of Taft this week.

The latest fad around Taft is deep sea fishing off the rocks. Some good catches are made.

The gas boat Ahwaneda came in Saturday with a load for Taft merchants, and crossed out the same night. Nothing wrong with the Siletz bar. Go and come night or day, and plenty of water in Siletz river.

Roy Hamar and Arthur Beaver came down from Bald Mountain to work on the road.

Jap Luse is working for L. C. Mowery on the road up Siletz river.

The teachers held their meeting on the beach Saturday.

Mrs. Walter McClintock was shopping at Taft Friday.

Mrs. Jesse Farrin was visiting at Taft Monday.

Taft will have a big dance the 10th of April.

If the County Court would publish a full list of every man who draws road money we would know where our money goes.

G. S. Parmele and sons will arrive at Taft this week. They will fix up the sawmill and start it up. Welcome to our city.

Mrs. Hill was visiting Mrs. Harry Fuller over Sunday.

One of Jesse Farrin's registered Holstein cows dropped a heifer calf and is giving eight gallons of milk a day. If sold at Newport at the retail price of 10c, a quart this cow would earn \$3.20 per day.

Bay View

L. T. Thompson and son, Conrad, and Dexter Twombly left for Tillamook Monday, where they will work for Uncle Sam.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred McWillis spent Sunday at the Simonson ranch on Drift creek.

Rev. C. Cook of Waldport preached at the schoolhouse Sunday afternoon. Others that came over from Waldport were Mrs. Cook and son and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Starr and daughter.

Elmer and Andrew Simonson are busy building fence this week.

Miss Stella Simonds is visiting at Fred McWillis' this week. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. McWillis spent Sunday at George Stephen's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olson of Linville were Bay View visitors Tuesday.

Those visiting at Mr. Simonson's Sunday were: Leona Prescott, Edwin Oakland, Conrad Thompson and Nieland Prescott.

Burt Twombly made a business trip to Toledo Tuesday.

Mrs. Prescott and Randie Hendrickson are on the sick list.