

ORETOWN.

At the usual date, the annual school meeting was held in this District. It was largely attended by both male and female and on the whole, was quite an interesting affair, in fact, it was better than going to a circus, there being much more excitement and it lacked only one notch of ending in a free fight. Many persons imagine schools ought to be run by mule power instead of the laws of the State of Oregon.

The Str. Augusta arrived at this port March 5th She was laden with goods for the merchants of Woods and one passenger, Miss Sturgeon.

Mr. James Hastings of Polk county, who has rented Mrs. Cutting's farm, is at present in Oretown attending to the wants of his sheep and cattle.

School commenced Monday, March 9, under the management of Miss Sturgeon, late of Bay City.

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