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WHAT OF THE FUTURE HERE?

Those of you who heard "The Original Amateur Hour" last Thursday evening, when Scranton, Pa., was "saluted," could have, with little stretch of imagination, thought of this area. Briefly a history of Scranton was told, how it started with a sawmill, how it rose to become the railroad center it is, and of the pains through which the place passed to achieve its present status.

With exception of iron and coal deposits, Sranton is not too much different than this area, which has potential water transportation that could make the railway business of Scranton seem "small potatoes" by comparison. Do a little calculating, and check any difference.

LOCAL NEWS

Ed F. Ackley returned Sunday noon from San Francisco, where he had accompanied Mrs. Ackley the week before. Mrs. Ackley remained at San Francisco. Mr. Ackley will join her next week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wells of Bend visited Mrs. Eugene Ackley last week.

Mrs. M. V. Benthusen of Paradise, Calif. has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. Stanley Patterson, and Mrs. Gilbert Christensen, for the past several days. Mr. Benthusen arrived the first of the week.

Thelma Arnett, Cora Chapin, and Virginia Way drove to San Francisco Monday for several days shopping and sightseeing.

Jake Rosen, the barber, will be assisted in his tonsorial parlors

near the Nook cafe, by L. Gipson of Burns, Ore., who arrived in Brookings last week.

Tony Christensen was recently called to Yakima, Wash., by the death of his father, David McColl, who suffered a sudden heart attack.

Hilson Freeman, his wife and two sons, Arby and Ted and their families, and daughter Marjorie, and nephew, Arthur McClunt, returned from Burns and the Lakeview area, Friday with eight mule deer. One was a 5-pointer with 19-inch spread.

A Hallowe'en party is being arranged at the Odd Fellows hall for the evening of Oct. 30 by the Rebekahs when all Odd Fellows, wives and visiting Rebekahs are invited.

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Just PERSONAL



By DEWEY

Certainly the whole county is saddened to hear of the tragedy which suffed out four lives last Friday at Gold Beach. This popular fishing stream has been relatively free from tragedies, so this shock was about all any of the country residents could endure. These visitors to this section are welcomed as friends, as if they were "one of the family," so tragedy hurts much.

Those two men who gave their lives in attempt to rescue the Grants cannot go without recognition. The scriptures tell us "no greater love hath any man than who would give his life to save another." Gold Beach will be conscious of this tragedy for many years.

Rough seas are not to be trifled with—they are doubly treacherous in rough water. The Chetco has claimed several lives in recent years, and people of this area have wholesome respect for the surging waters, disturbed every few hours by shifting of tides.

Too much caution cannot be impressed upon the strengers to watch what they are about to do. Twice in recent months the "land lubbers" who enjoyed fishing from the rocks off shore, have been caught by the tides, and had to be rescued. Fortunately, they were saved.

Hated, very much to see Roy Kinion leave this community. He may not have been what many of us would call a leading citizen in things of the community, but we must never lose sight of the fact that he was a man you could trust in every way. His credit was as good as the bests.

It is easy to understand why Roy Kinion wished to leave, and seek aid from relatives in caring for his two young children. His working hours did not coincide with the school hours of his two children, too s mall to be left at home by themselves. Roy had no other choice than to leave.

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We would like to introduce to this community Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peterson, who will be connected with the Pilot. Of course, until housing is available, few of you will be able to see Mrs. Peterson, who still remains at Dunsmuir, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson are not strangers in Oregon. A few years ago he was employed by the Coos Bay Harbor at North Bend, and by the Myrtle Point Herald, at Myrtle Point. They wanted to return to Oregon and were thrilled to have the opportunity to come here.

The Petersons have three children of school age, to add to the list of students now sharing two shifts at the school. Just when this move takes place depends on the housing situation. Can anyone help out?

Like everyone who has been a resident at one time or another of the Oregon coast, the Petersons were not satisfied until an opportunity arose to return. They want to become permanent citizens here and share all responsibilities and enjoyments.

NOTICE

No trespassing on my property, consisting of 160 acres on Wheeler Creek and Winchuck River, unless permission is first granted. R. C. LUDLUM, Harbor. 33-3*

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The lily crop is well on its way to the buyers. There was a scarcity of bulbs size 8-9 inch. It took a lot of trading and adjusting to bet the larger sizes distributed.

The price remains 15c, 25c, 30c and 35c. The future of the lily business now depends on what the growers plant this fall.

The market can absorb only its capacity which Mother Nature adjusted it this year.

Perhaps many will freeze out again next year. Growers have worked together admirably this year and they need to continue doing just that.

The 7-8-inch bulbs are now just where the 6-7-inch bulbs were a few years ago. Stronger stock is wanted by buyers.

F. O. E. Book Dance Saturday Night

Following their custom of staging dances every other week, the local Aerie of Fraternal Order of Eagles will stage another big dance, Saturday night at the local V. F. W. hall. An advertisement telling of the event appears elsewhere in this issue.

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