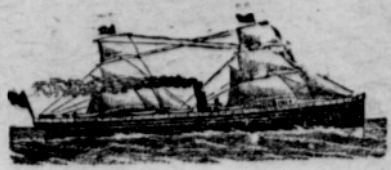


THE STEAMER



ARCATA,

NEILSON, - - - - Master,

Will make weekly trips between

San Francisco, Port Orford and Coos Bay,

CARRYING PASSENGERS AND FREIGHT.

Freight and passengers at Lowest Rates.

O. LENEVE, Agent, Port Orford, Oregon.

W. DOYLE & CO.,

DEALERS IN

General Merchandise,

COLD BEACH, OR.

WE KEEP IN STOCK

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

DRESS GOODS,

HATS AND CAPS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HARDWARE.

And in fact everything usually needed

in town or country.

It is our purpose to keep a full

and complete line of goods of the

best quality, and they will be sold

At the Lowest Living Profit.

We will receive our freight via

steamer Arcata, and as we will run

our own teams, freight from Port

Orford will not be added to the

price of the goods.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

H. NEELY,

Port Orford, Oregon.

THE "PIONEER"

WATCHMAKER.

I have a stock of Jewelry, which I

will add to, as the demand will warrant.

Prices of work and goods in keeping

with the times. Watches from a dis-

tance can be safely sent by registered

mail. I will return them C. O. D. to

your postmaster.

Terms Cash.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it

may concern, not to enter upon or

trespass in any manner, for the purpose

of hunting with guns or dogs or other-

wise, upon the premises of Laura M.

Heiberger or the ranch of G. J. Hei-

berger, or upon the ranch of P. A. Hei-

berger, leased by the undersigned. Any

person or persons so entering upon said

premises without my consent will be

prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

G. J. HEIBERGER.

Trespass Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons

whom it may concern, not to enter upon

or trespass upon the premises of the

undersigned, for the purpose of hunt-

ing, or fishing with hook and line, spear,

or otherwise. Said premises are situated

in Sixes precinct, Curry county, Or-

egon, and described as follows: The

E½ of SW¼ and W¼ SE¼, section 6,

Tp. 32 S., R. 14 W. Any person so

trespassing for the purpose of hunting

fishing or otherwise, will be prosecuted

to the full extent of the law.

No camping allowed on the premises,

and people passing through are warn-

ed to close the gates.

S. P. PEIRCE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it

may concern, not to enter upon or

trespass in any manner upon the land

of the undersigned, situated in Curry

County, Or., for the purpose of hunting

with guns or otherwise. Any person or

persons so entering upon said premises

without our consent will be prosecuted

to the full extent of the law.

J. E. HAWKINS,

GEO. BELLONI,

E. B. THRIFT,

W. S. MARSHALL.

Town and County.

A good run of fish is reported at

Rogue River.

The steamer Arcata arrived from

the city yesterday.

Huckleberries are ripe, though

not so plentiful as usual.

Miss Kate McKenzie is very sick

at her home on Elk River.

Otto Neumann made his Euchre

Creek home a visit during the

week.

D. L. Moore of Euchre Creek,

made Port Orford a business visit

Monday.

A. J. Counts of Dairyville was in

Port Orford after a load of freight

during the week.

Remember the auction sale of

thoroughbred sheep occurs at Lang-

lois next Saturday.

Miss Anna Colebrook returned by

yesterday's steamer from a visit to

Redwood City, Calif.

Last Thursday the Elk River mill

made the best run since it started

up, cutting 15,727 feet.

Dr. Caldwell was called to Wed-

derburn this week to attend one of

Capt. Caughell's children.

FOR SALE—A new Velvet Bed

Lounge, with box beneath for bed

clothes—At Mrs. H. NEELY'S.

New 7 and 15 Jeweled Waltham

Watches, Vest Chains and Charms,

at reasonable prices at H. Neely's.

Chas. and Rose Long, of Bandon,

have been visiting their mother,

Mrs. Neilson, for a few days.

G. J. Heiberger was up from

Ophir during the week, and took

home a wagon load of freight.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sherrard, of

Sumner, Coos County, are visiting

relatives at Port Orford and vicinity.

John and Thos. O'Toole are making

Marshallfield a visit. John is look-

ing for a location and employment

as an upholsterer.

Messrs Cummings and Shelden,

of Los Angeles, who are members of

the P. F. & L. Co. are making this

vicinity a visit.

F. E. Hicks will be located at

Mrs. Neygren's, Oct. 2, 1902, pre-

pared to take Photographs in the

highest style of the art.

Will Langlois and wife and child,

of North Head Light Station have

been visiting Mr. Langlois' parents

at Cape Blanco Light Station.

Recent rains have extinguished

the forest fires, cleared the atmos-

phere, started the grass, and made

the roads a little slippery.

A. J. Marsh has commenced the

construction of a neat and substan-

tial residence on his farm, to replace

the house recently destroyed by fire.

Wm. Johnson is the builder.

Attorneys Walter Sinclair of Co-

quille City, and J. M. Upton of

Bandon, are in Port Orford, being

employed in the taking of testimony

of witnesses in the Divilbiss-Fitz-

hugh land contest.

Walter Sutton has been commis-

sioned to take the testimony in the

land contests of D. H. Divilbiss vs

R. M. Fitzhugh, and N. C. Divilbiss

vs Oscar J. Mathers, involving ti-

tle to certain lands on Sixes River.

Thos. Chapman, formerly of Wed-

derburn, has located at North Bend,

Coos County, and informs us that

he and his family are well pleased

with their new location, and are

prospering. Mr. Chapman being in

the employ of the Simpson Lumber

Co. The family send kindest re-

gards to all their Curry County

friends.

The death of Judge Riley makes

vacant the office of County Judge of

Curry County, and it is important

to the interests of the county that

the vacancy be filled with as little

delay as possible. It devolves up-

on Governor Geer to name some

suitable citizen of the county to fill

out the unexpired term of Judge

Riley, though he will probably be

governed as near as possible by the

wishes of the people of the county

in making the selection. There are

probably a number of men in the

county who would be willing to ac-

cept the position. In this end of

the county E. A. Bailey of Wedder-

burn, member of the Republican

State Central Committee, is favor-

ably spoken of, and his appoint-

ment would evidently give the best

of satisfaction, though whether or

not he would accept we have not

learned.

Death of Judge Riley.

After an illness covering a period of nineteen days, during all of which time life hung by the most slender thread, County Judge M. Riley passed peacefully away, at his home at Gold Beach, last Friday, Sept. 26, 1902, surrounded by his grief-stricken family. Mr. Riley had been a sufferer from stomach troubles for a number of years, and when the fatal stroke came which paralyzed the left half of his body, his digestive organs refused longer to perform their functions, making it evident from the first that there was no hope of even a partial recovery, and although he lingered in a semi-conscious state longer than could be expected, he continued to decline and grow weaker day by day to the end. He was buried in the Gold Beach cemetery last Sunday, in the presence of a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

The news of the sickness and death of Judge Riley, was received with the deepest sorrow and regret, for he was one of those courageous old pioneers who braved the hardships and dangers incident to the first settlement of the county, when it was swarming with hostile and merciless Indians. Honest and sincere, warm-hearted, liberal and fair-minded in all his dealings, he gained and retained the friendship and esteem of all with whom he came in contact. Since the early settlement of the county he has been a leading factor in its upbuilding and advancement along the lines of civilization and progress, always advocating and unflinchingly upholding any and all measures which he believed were for the best interests of the county. By the death of Judge Riley his family suffer an irreparable loss, and the county loses one of its most highly esteemed and progressive citizens, who will be sadly missed.

Michael Riley was born in Montgomery county, New York, April 16, 1827, and was married to Maria B. Dewey, Jan. 1, 1850. He arrived in Coos county in 1853, and resided on the Coquille until 1854, when he moved with his family to Gold Beach, where he has ever since resided. Mrs. Riley having died at their home in 1894. Mr. Riley was the first Sheriff of Curry county, being first appointed and afterward elected for three successive terms. He twice represented Coos and Curry in the legislature, and held the office of deputy collector of customs at Rogue River. From 1870 to 1876 he was, in partnership with his son-in-law, Hon. F. A. Stewart, engaged extensively in general merchandising, sawmilling and salmon fishing at Rogue River, selling out in 1876 to R. D. Hume. He was elected County Judge in June, 1884, which office he has held continuously up to the time of his death, and his present term would not have expired until 1904. Three children survive him, Mrs. F. A. Stewart, Mrs. E. A. Bailey, and W. F. Riley, the latter being now left alone at the old home, which becomes his by the terms of his father's will.

The Bandon Recorder furnishes further particulars regarding the burning of Mr. Stewart's barn and dairyhouse at New River: Mr. J. D. Stewart who has the farm rented was in town Monday and we found out the following particulars from him:

The dairyhouse was discovered to be on fire Saturday about 10 o'clock and from the dairy the fire made its way to the barn and other outbuildings, and it was only by hard and persistent effort that the house was saved.

Close to one of the buildings which burned was a pen in which a number of hogs were confined and it was with difficulty that the hogs were saved. The loss falls quite heavy on Mr. Stewart as he carried no insurance. He lost his creamery and separator and about \$500 worth of butter.

His hay was all in the barn and that is lost too. He estimates his loss at about \$2,000. He does not know whether Mr. McClellan carried insurance on the buildings or not. He has put up a shed and stanchions for present purposes.

Get the Most Out of Your Food

You don't and can't if your stomach is weak. A weak stomach does not digest all that is ordinarily taken into it. It gets tired easily, and what it fails to digest is wasted.

Among the signs of a weak stomach are: uneasiness after eating, fits of nervous headache, and disagreeable belching.

"I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla at different times for stomach troubles, and a run down condition of the system, and have been greatly benefited by its use. I would not be without it in my family. I am troubled especially in summer with weak stomach and nervousness and find Hood's Sarsaparilla invaluable." E. B. HICKMAN, W. Chester, Pa.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Strengthen and tone the stomach and the whole digestive system.

Coos Bay News.

The chinook run of salmon continues very light. A few silversides are coming in, but they, too, are rather scarce.

The right-of-way for the Belt Line road is now swamped out between Ferndale and Pony Lagoon. It is said that grading will be commenced immediately.

It is reported that 78 head of horses from Eastern Oregon are at Roseburg, on their way to Myrtle Point, to be used in the construction of the Great Central R. R.

The four-masted schooner Argus, lately launched from the Marshallfield ship-yard, will finish her cargo of lumber at the Bay City mill tonight. Her cargo consists of 700,000 feet, which she carries on a draft of less than 17 feet of water.

The negro miners at Newport, and the few negroes who were employed at Marshallfield, arrived at the conclusion that they were not wanted in the community, so they quietly pulled their freight, the end of the week, going out over the wagon road.

Minneapolis Journal.

The general awakening of the entire Northwest to the fact that, though the frontier is gone, its development has only begun, is nowhere better instanced than in the case of Oregon. The settlement of Oregon by Americans antedates the annexation of California. It has communities as old as any in Minnesota, and it has long been known to have vast undeveloped agricultural, mineral and timber resources. Yet the population of the state is still under 500,000 and it has not gone ahead so rapidly as its neighbors, Washington. But now Oregon's turn for development has come. The state is being studied by the restless hundreds of thousands of Americans who are looking for and finding new homes. Now that the people of Oregon are advertising their resources and advantages, and are to have a Lewis and Clark Exposition, the attention of migrating public will be turned toward that state, and its claims will be studied by many before they decide upon a location for their future homes.

The Renewal a Strain.

Vacation is over. Again the school bells ring at morning and at noon, again with tens of thousands the hardest kind of work has begun, the renewal of which is a mental and physical strain to all except the most rugged. The little girl that a few days ago had roses in her cheeks, and the little boy whose lips were then so red you would have insisted that they had been "kissed by strawberries," have already lost something of the appearance of health. Now is a time when many children should be given a tonic, which may avert much serious trouble, and we know of no other so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla, which strengthens the nerves, perfects digestion and assimilation, and aids mental development by building up the whole system.

Tremendous Land Business.

J. H. Booth, the efficient receiver of the Roseburg Land Office, was in Ashland, Sunday. He reports a rushing trade at the United States Land Office these times—last month's business having brought in to the Federal government over \$100,000 in cash. At the present time there are nearly 4000 applications awaiting publication and final proof, for the purchase of timber lands in this district. The craze for the possession of timber land seems to be increasing instead of diminishing and every available quarter section that is surveyed will soon be taken from the public domain and pass to the ownership of private parties.

The 4000 timber applications are in addition to the regular homesstead business of the office, which is of itself considerable. The same or a like condition of affairs rules at the other U. S. land offices in the State of Oregon. The eager desire to acquire timber land in the Pacific states is caused by the depletion of the forests in the northwestern states and the prospective value these lands will have when the Isthmian canal is completed and a near market found for the lumber of the coast.—Tidings.

A big raft of logs has just arrived at San Francisco from Portland after a thirteen day's trip. Not a log was lost. The raft was 732 feet long, 55 feet wide and drew 21 feet of water. It traveled at the rate of two miles an hour. It was bound together by immense chains. There were 9,000,000 feet of logs in it. Placed end to end they would reach 110 miles.

WHAT I CAN DO!

I have convinced thousands of Eastern people that I can "make their watch keep time." I will not sacrifice my reputation tinkering up a worthless watch, for the sake of a dollar. If I take your watch and agree to make it keep time for a certain price, I will do it, no matter what it costs me. If a watch fails to give satisfaction, you can have your money back. I charge for what is needed. I always have more than I can do, and I don't have to tramp up a lot of fictitious repairs in order to live. My price for work is always as low as the quality of workmanship will afford. Honesty is a business proposition with me. I treat you honestly, and I hold your trade and you send me more, and my business grows itself. My stock is NOT the largest in the county, but what I have is good. Terms strictly cash.

B. T. Van Decar, Myrtle Point.