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LIBRARY NOTES.

The library needs an apprentice. Anyone wishing to learn library work please apply.

Mrs. McCormac has made a gift of several books to the library. Among them are four volumes of the Annual Cyclopaedia.

Two books that might be of use in the summer months as first aid to the injured in the case of motor boats and automobiles are "Audel's answers on automobiles, running, care and repair," and Durand's "Motor boats."

The main part of Audel's book is made up of answers and questions on autos. These are arranged under subjects. Take for illustration the chapter on carburetors. The term itself is first defined.

Some of the questions are: What are the duties of a carburetor.

Name two important types of carburetors.

How do they differ in operation?

Which is the prevailing type?

Describe a rudimentary sprayer-carburetor, such as will serve to illustrate carburetor principles and so on for 54 pages. The explanations are accompanied by drawings.

Other subjects taken up are tires, their cost, longevity, etc. The three prime factors responsible for the short tire life are according to the author:

1. Excessive speed, especially during the warm months.

2. Change of direction at a high rate of speed.

3. Excessive and unnecessary use of mechanical brakes.

Cooling systems, fuels, ignition, gas engine operation, lubricants and lubrications, overhauling the car, methods of circuit changing, the drive, clutches, etc., are some of the topics discussed. The index, table of contents and drawings are very helpful and complete.

Durand's book on motor boats not only treats fully of their operation, but also of their construction. Its drawings are also very complete.

Some of the chapter headings are: Problem of the boat.

Gas engine; principles of operation.

Motor boat engine.

Practical boat construction.

Laying down and assembling.

Power and speed.

Propeller design.

Endurance or radius of action.

Troubles and how to look for them.

Use of alcohol as fuel for gas engines.

Use of kerosene in engines built for gasoline.

The library is open from 10 to 12 a. m., from 2 to 6 and 7 to 9 p. m. It is in the Coke building opposite the Chandler hotel.

VACATION TIME.

I sat alone one summer day
And watched the shadows creep
Across the lawn and quietly
Composed myself to sleep.

Much better, I golloquized
At home this summer day,
With time to think and time to nap
Than being far away.

And as I thanked my stars there rose
Upon the summer air
A shriek that brought me to my feet
A shriek that raised my hair.

Again and once again it rose,
A symphony of walls;
'Twas but the girl across the way
A-practicing her scales.

The fragrance of the grapes in bloom
My tired senses steep,
But howling scales will not permit
My drifting into sleep.

—Frank Fair.

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PROPOSALS FOR WATER HYDRANTS.

The Fire and Water Committee of the Common Council of the City of Marshfield will receive proposals for the purchase of eight (8) fire hydrants for immediate delivery, proposals to be received up till and including the 11th day of August, 1913.

The bidder is to quote prices f. o. b. Marshfield, Portland or San Francisco and date of delivery must be guaranteed. Bidders are to submit design of hydrant proposed to be furnished but to comply with the following specifications: 6-inch connection to water mains, two 2½-inch hose nozzles, one 5-inch steamer nozzle, three (3) foot bury (three feet from top of water main to top of curb), eighteen inches clearance between lowest valve stem and top of curb line to admit of proper space for manipulation of wrenches.

All communications are to be addressed to Harry Winkler, chairman of Fire and Water Committee, or to the City Engineer, Marshfield, Oregon.

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SOME PIONEER NEWS.

(From The Coos Bay News, published at Marshfield, July 28, 1880.—Siglin & Bennett, publishers.)

The Hancock Club at Empire numbers forty-five members.

Mr. Sheridan, County Clerk of Douglas County, and family, are on a visit at Newport.

Mr. Campbell is about to build a machine shop opposite Marshfield, at the edge of the channel.

R. W. Getty is hauling stavebolts over the Camman wagon road to Empire City, for a new stave factory.

Mr. Lewis, formerly engineer on the Katie Cook, has charge of the engines on the Myrtle, which he keeps in excellent order.

R. D. Hume is about to commence the construction of a steamship at Ellensburg. A. R. Miller is getting out a keel stick 10x36 inches, 140 feet long.

Bunch & Company's sawmill at Coquille City commenced running last Monday. The proprietors belong to the "Seventh Day Baptist Church" and keep Saturday as their Sabbath, and the mill hands refuse to work on Sunday, consequently the boys have two holidays every week.

We took a run up to the stone-quarry on Anson Roger's place on Coos River, from which the stone for the breakwater is being taken. The quarry is located on the bank of the river, and is a mountain of rock, convenient for transportation and easily quarried. E. W. Moore succeeds Mr. Yoakam in charge of the work.

Randolph Tichenor, elected by the Democrats of Curry County to the office of Superintendent of Public Schools, refused to qualify, and as Mr. Gillispie declined to hold until his "successor was elected and qualified," the County Court appointed Rev. Philbrook, the defeated candidate at the June election.

James Alken has sold to Hon. J. N. Dolph, of Portland, one undivided twelfth of the large tract of land lying in township 27, S. of R. 13, and 27 S. of R. 14 west in this county, nearly 8000 acres, for the consideration of \$825. This tract of land has resources of great value, but it is as yet wholly undeveloped.

Last Monday afternoon about 4 o'clock the strong northwest wind carried sparks from the Hinsdale sawmill into the town of Gardiner, from which a conflagration ensued, nearly destroying the village. The following are among the losses: Simpson Bros.' sawmill, Leed's residence, Breen's residence, Simpson Bros.' store, drug store, Reed & Nelson's saloon, W. D. McGee's hotel, Kronholm's hotel, Burchard's store and a number of buildings of which we have no report. No insurance on any of the property. No lives lost.

Diphtheria first appeared in Mr. Snyder's family at Coquille City in the month of March last and carried off three of the children, leaving one. Next it appeared in Mr. Messer's family, leaving none. Then in Dr. Angel's, carrying off one and leaving four. Then in Dr. Steel's, carrying off two, leaving none. Then in Mrs. Sweer's family, carrying off one and leaving three, and next in Mr. S. Stewart's family, carrying off four and leaving two. Making in all eighteen deaths. Thirty-six were affected. Just half the number affected died.

Died, at Newport, July 25, 1880, Harry Pond, aged 65 years. Harry Pond was one of the pioneers of Coos Bay, having arrived here in the year 1856 on the steamer Hartford (afterwards called Newport), the first steamer ever appearing on the bay.

BRAN HAS FOOD VALUE

A well known authority on dietetics has recently taken to urging his patients to indulge in quantities of wheat bran, which, he says, is one of the best regulators and builders in the whole list of foods. It is a mistake for persons to turn up their noses at bran as an article of food because it is cheap. If it were put up in fancy boxes and marked up in price to a point where it would be regarded as more or less of a luxury there would be more of it consumed, for it has a number of health-giving qualities which recommend it to all ages and conditions.

DANCE!

By the Eastside Athletic Association at the Eastside Hall on

Saturday Evening, August 2nd

Launches will leave the foot of Market avenue and will await the pleasure of dancers on Eastside end of trip.

Admission is \$1.00 for Gentlemen; Ladies are Admitted Free.

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News From Near by Towns

SCHOFIELD NEWS

(Special to The Times.)

The annual school entertainment will be held at the school house next Saturday evening. After the program there will be a basket social, the proceeds going into the school library. All are welcome.

Professor Albert Sprague, Superintendent of the Drain schools, is here to build a cottage on his homestead and incidentally to renew acquaintances with friends and relatives. An informal reception and bonfire was given him last Saturday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sprague. Some forty guests were present to indulge in games and partake of a delightful lunch.

Good cheer is noted on the countenances of Porter Brothers' faithfuls at the tunnel camp. Mr. Tremblay is hard at work on a long delayed payroll and thinks the "ghost will walk" about the first of August.

NORTH INLET NEWS

(Special to The Times.)

County Commissioners Armstrong and Dement, Judge John Hall and P. M. Hall-Lewis visited this district on Tuesday last for the purpose of inspecting the roads.

Seth Johnson came over from North Bend and is working on his ranch here.

Mrs. B. F. Savage, of Ferndale, was a recent guest of Mrs. Reuben Lyon and other friends here.

W. G. Barnes started logging on the J. H. Pinkerton ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howard, Mrs. Laura McRae, Dr. and Mrs. Mrs. H. P. Howard and daughter, and their guests, Miss Purser and Miss Genevieve Nesbit, spent the weekend at Ten Mile.

CULLINGS OF COQUILLE

Coos County Seat News as Told by The Herald.

At a well-attended meeting the work of reorganizing the fire department was taken up and a start was made toward reviving the somewhat flagrant interest in that organization, on which the safety of the city depends. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted in the choice of the following: W. C. Chase, fire chief; Walter Oerding, assistant chief; Clay Knowlton, secretary; W. H. Lyons, treasurer.

A logging engine belonging to Aasen Brothers dropped into the river while being landed from a scow here, but was raised again with little damage.

The light plant was formally turned over to the Oregon Power Company yesterday by Frank Morse, who will remain as manager of the plant.

A baby girl arrived July 24 at the home of C. O. Dryden, formerly of this city and now located at Aberdeen, Wash., as learned by friends here by way of a card from the happy mother.

W. E. Foote and his brother Alex Foote, have leased their father's 450 acre farm at Norway and will soon occupy it.

GILBERTSON AT HOME

G. Gilbertson is down from Woodburn this week, looking after business matters, and from here will go to the Coos Bay country. Mr. Gilbertson has not been feeling well, and when he came down the other day had a batch of medicine fixed up for him. He says he lives at Woodburn as long as he can, then comes to Glendale to take his medicine. Mr. Gilbertson is disposing of some of his property here, but is intending to save some, so that when he gets through roaming around he can again return to Glendale to reside. He is greatly interested in the infant loganberry industry, and is putting in about ten acres at North Bend, and is also one of the backers of a proposition to put in an evaporator, cannery and juice factory.—Glendale News.

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