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Mrs. Jas. Walstrom was visiting Coquille friends last week.

Col. Blumenrother was a business visitor to up river points this week.

Call on Zeek, Bandon, for Seed Oats, Seed Barley, Seed Potatoes.

Col. R. H. Rosa returned last week from a visit to San Francisco. He came overland.

R. M. Dawson of Los Angeles was here this week looking over this section with a view of locating.

J. W. Coach and his sister Miss Nellie Coach arrived from San Francisco on the stmr. Chico last Sunday.

After having considered the Smoot case for three years, the Senate is going to make a decision upon it. There is nothing like expedition.

Mrs. Ada Simpson one of the San Francisco refugees, arrived in Bandon the latter part of last week and is visiting her mother Mrs. Costello.

May be the Senators should have larger salaries, as J. Adam Bede says, but the fact remains that some of them would come high at any figure.

Several sailors were in the Recorders court Monday morning charged with raising a disturbance at the dance Saturday night. They contributed \$70 to the city funds.

The Bandon lodge of Foresters contributed \$80 to the relief fund for San Francisco. Bandon lodges have contributed about \$500, an excellent showing for the size of the town.

Ed. Fisher left yesterday for Condon, Oregon, to attend the Grand Court of Foresters which meets the 16th. He goes as a delegate from Court Queen of the Forest, No. 17, of Bandon.

The republican county central committee met in Coquille last week and filled in the vacancies from the precincts that failed to elect committees. R. H. Rosa was elected committee man for Bandon; Frank Flam, Parkersburg; Robt. Bullard, Prosper; Jos. Ferry, Riverton.

Hon. T. J. T. Berry returned Tuesday from a trip to Bandon, Or., to which place he went in company with Mr. Jones, the gentleman who has been selling wireless telegraph stocks in this vicinity. Mr. Berry was very favorably impressed with the fine dairy ranches in Curry county.—Crescent City News.

The W. R. Haines Music Co. Marshfield, will refund all expense of transportation, including a days' stop at Marshfield, to anyone purchasing a piano, coming from the following places or tributary thereto: Langlois, Bandon, Coquille and Myrtle Point. Have several different makes of all styles and finish. We carry piano players, pipe and reed organs, talking machines and a full line of sheet music and musical merchandise, also Domestic sewing machines. Easy payments.

Primary Notice.

Notice is hereby given that a primary will be held at the town hall in Bandon, on Wednesday, May 23, 1906, at 7:30 p.m., for the purpose of nominating a ticket to be voted on at the town election to be held on the fourth Monday in May, to wit: May 28, 1906.

By order Board of Trustees,
A. D. MORSE, Recorder.

Mass Meeting.

In view of the fact that the temperance people of this county propose to secure prohibition through the local option law at the coming June election, and recognizing the necessity of having officers in sympathy with the law to secure the best results from its strict enforcement when voted, a mass convention of all temperance people is hereby called to meet at the Court House in Coquille on May 15, 1906, at 10 o'clock, to endorse or nominate county officers and transact such other business as may properly come before said convention.

J. J. Lamb, Pres. Law and Order League.
D. F. Dean, Sec.

At Langlois.

Miss Maud Garfield will have a good line of millinery goods on display at Langlois, May 23rd, and remain several days. The ladies of northern Curry county will find her stock first-class and prices reasonable.

Coos County Leads.

Coquille Sentinel.
Coos county may be isolated. Her means of travel may be slow, tortuous and inconvenient in some instances. The means of coming to and going from the county may be slow and unpleasant. But there is nothing slow about Coos county people and her resources. We have frequently tried to describe these resources, the wonderful climate and thousands of other advantages, but the half has never been told. Coos led all the other counties and countries at the Lewis and Clark fair. The gold medal for this has just been received by Judge Harlocker. She leads wherever and whichever way she goes.

Jackson County After Tax Dodgers.

Jackson county has undertaken an active campaign against tax dodgers and has adopted the plan in vogue in many Eastern states of giving a per cent of the tax collected for the year on property that is not on the tax roll. To encourage this detective work, the county will give to the informer 10 per cent of the tax that shall be collected on unassessed property. It is expected that considerable securities, personal property and cash will be reported to the county. Indiana has such a law and it has proven a success and has greatly increased the taxable property of the various counties. The liberal reward given has caused men to devote their entire time to hunting up smuggled stocks, bonds and other taxable property easily hidden from the assessors. They are known as "tax ferrets" and travel from county to county and so thorough are they in their detective work that very little property is now untaxed. There is a penalty on persons who fail to give in all their taxable property and this increase to their taxes pays the per cent that goes to the tax ferrets. Though the law has been in effect but a few years, it is said to have put on the tax roll goodly amounts to the credit of persons previously on for very small sums. Such a law for Oregon would be certain to greatly increase the tax roll and thereby more nearly equalize the burden on the taxpayers.—Ashland Record.

Myrtle Point.

A new telephone line is being built to Rural which will consist of about twenty phones. Linemen began stringing the wires and setting the poles Wednesday.

The old building of J. L. Lewellen & Son is rapidly disappearing before the onslaught of a force of men, to make room for the modern structure that will soon ornament one of the business corners of Myrtle Point and which will be occupied by their stock of furniture.

Mr. L. M. Strong has resigned his position as teacher in the public school to accept a position in the cheese factory, and the children of his room have been divided between Miss Wise and Mrs. Hermans, who will instruct them during the balance of the school year.

Cooper & Co. shipped a ton of mohair to the Portland market on the Alliance this week. This is one of largest shipments the firm has yet made and they take it as an indication of an increase in the goat raising industry. "Goats can be raised very easily and profitably in this section" said Mr. Arrington, "and they are valuable in clearing land of brush and undergrowth. Some difficulty is experienced because the animals begin shedding in March, requiring the attention of the shearers, but with a few weeks of feeding and protection from the cold, this difficulty can be overcome."—Enterprise.

Safes Not Fire-Proof.

San Francisco May 3.—A large proportion of the business men who have been thanking their lucky stars during the big conflagration that their valuables were inclosed in "fire-proof" vaults, have awakened to a desperate realization of the unconquerable force of fire. Safes and vaults have been opened in the district east of Powell and north of Market streets and in not more than 60 per cent of these instances were the contents found intact. In many cases a pile of ashes represented thousands of dollars of accounts.

The most striking example of the terrible heat to which the metal was subjected perhaps is that of the Harris Loan office, on Stockton street. In two large safes Harris had \$40,000 worth of jewelry including many gems.

Believing the safes had cooled sufficiently Harris had them opened and in place of the jewelry found a small pile of melted metal, dust and ashes. The interior walls had melted like so much fat on a griddle.

The vaults in the hall of justice fared almost as badly. Records in cases pending and many other papers in the office of the district attorney were destroyed.

Plenty of it Over Here.

The latter part of last week our friend M. A. Sweetman, of the firm of J. D. Johnson & Co., of this city, paid us a visit and handed us a small bottle heavily corked, with the remark:

"There, what do you think of that?" After which he threw out his chest in regular John D. style and took several strong puffs at his pipe. "And there is plenty more like it too," he continued after we had examined the bottle closely.

The bottle contained several nice chunks of gold that he and W. J. Rust found on a recent trip to Bandon, Port Orford and vicinity. Mr. Sweetman no doubt is having mighty dreams of gold castles, purchases of real gold real estate and real gold mansions. Be that as it may from what information we received, we are lead to believe that there is a regular mint somewhere on the coast below Bandon, the exact latitude, longitude and altitude of which yet remains a mystery.

Mr. Sweetman expects to make other trips to this section and further seek the hidden treasure, which he feels sure he will accomplish. May his fondest hopes be realized is the hearty wish of the entire Advertiser force.—Marshfield Advertiser.

Owing to the resigning of Thomas Buckman, candidate for county judge on the socialist ticket, the Socialist County Central Committee met in Coquille on April 30, 1906, and J. E. Quick of that city was elected to fill the vacancy.

E. A. McDuffee, Chairman,
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