

**Marshfield Notes.**

From The News.

Word has been received by the local agent of the steamer Breakwater, that while lying at her dock in Portland, that that structure had taken fire and was considerably damaged by the flames. The Breakwater pulled out in the stream with slight damage.

A school for the colored and mixed blood children has been established in West Marshfield with Miss Pennock as teacher. The school authorities should see that these children now attend the school regularly and not be absent one-half of the time as was the case with the last school provided for their benefit.

G. W. Shelly, mayor of Prosper, Ore., and traveling representative of the Wm. Cluff Company, grocers, San Francisco, is in the city calling on his trade, says the Astoria Astorian of Oct. 18th. Some time ago Mr. Shelly became interested at Prosper, Oregon, four miles from Bandon, on the Coquille River, and purchased a piece of land which he plated and is meeting with splendid success, having sold over 100 lots. This is a sawmill town and he has just helped to incorporate a new company which will operate under the name of the Spencer, Shelly Lumber Co. Work on the mill has already begun and will be rushed through. It will have a cutting capacity of 60,000 feet per day, and be modern in every respect. A box factory will also be started, and they are now on the lookout for a practical boxmaker to take charge of the plant. He reports things very prospering on the Coquille, and thinks that Prosper will make one of the best cities of the coast, and if any one can do it, Shelly can, as when it comes to "peddling the hot" we take off our hat to him for he's an artist. However, he is deserving of all the good luck that is coming his way.

**Port Orford Notes.**

From The Tribune.

West Waite and wife, who have been down the coast during the summer, returned to Port Orford a short time ago, and will probably move to Bandon to spend the winter.

Mrs. Nye and her daughters, Nora and Rebecca, left here by stage Saturday for Bandon, where they will reside for an indefinite period. They gave a farewell party to their friends here Friday night, which was enjoyed by all. They will be greatly missed at Port Orford, and we all wish them good luck and happiness.

George Forty, N. C. Nielsen and Beecher Jess went deep sea fishing one day last week, and landed eight of the finny tribe. The gentle heave of the ocean was not entirely congenial with the inner man, and soon after arriving at the fishing grounds one of the party's thoughts began to turn towards "home sweet home," and after donating a hearty dinner to nature's resistless call, and forgetting for the time that his teeth were not as solid as those of natural growth, he added them to the treasures of the sea.

The people of Curry county will deserve the thanks of posterity for their manhood and love of nature for not killing cow elk and their young during the open month ending Oct. 15th. We have not heard of a single instance, and we feel proud of the record made by our hunters. It is a grand sight to see the noble elk in the woods, and let us pass on the spectacle to those who come after us. We can thank these hunters, and not the law, that the elk were not exterminated, and we trust that the next legislature will close the bars left down by the last session, through censurable indifference.

While George Stone, the north bound mail-carrier, was at the post-office last Saturday, getting ready to start, and Miss Ethel Jamieson was holding the lines, the spirited team suddenly started to run, jerking away from Miss Jamieson, and went tearing up the road, dumping mailbags and grips as they proceeded,

but fortunately not running into anything, and doing no damage, although evidently bent upon breaking all speed records for stage time, which they would have doubtless succeeded in doing, had not ye editor and his race horse run them down after a two mile chase. No passengers were in the wagon, and though it was a wild runaway, it was a most fortunate one.

**Tobacco Gone Up.**

All kinds of it, choice imported Havanas, 50-cent straights, two for twenty-five, pipe mixtures and even the lowly stogie have gone flying skyward at the mandate of the tobacco trust. The balloon races in price of luxuries are on.

Commencing with this week, all the Portland tobacconists put the new schedule into effect. Havana cigars were the hardest hit and smokers of the choice imported sort will either have to rearrange their taste or their pocket books.

Cigars that have been selling since the memory of man and the tobacco trust at two for a quarter, will hereafter be 15 cents straight. And the scorned 10-cent varieties have wormed their way up into 'high society' at a two for a quarter rate.

There is a general advance of at least \$1 a box on all goods—in some cases the increase is larger—the especially fine cigars bringing several dollars a box more than formerly.

Even the chewers are hard hit in the pull movement. Wholesalers have advanced the prices on all plug and fine cut tobaccos to the retailers, and the latter are preparing to get even by taking the increase out of the consumers.

Smoking tobaccos of all kinds have also taken a cloudward tack and the pipe smokers are up against the same proposition as their brother smokers.

When it comes to explaining the sharpest advance known in the history of the tobacco business, numerous opinions are ventured, all of which strike tobacco users as frivolous.

Excuse No. 1, is, of course, short crop, and is checked off without comment.

Excuse No. 2, is, that the fillers have forced an increase in wages of 1 cent a cigar.

Excuse No. 3, is, that all kinds of labor in the tobacco fields, warehouses, and cigar factories, have gone up.

**Beware of Drinking Women.**

The Jacksonville Post says: A woman drunkard who spends all her money over the bar and never buys her husband a new pair of socks or an Easter hat, and who never subscribes for her home paper, stands in the path of progress and is driving this country to the dogs.

Young man, you who are about to commit the crime of matrimony, be very careful and pay particular attention to your sweetheart's breath. If a faint odor of cloves or peppermint or limburger is noticeable, shun her as you would shun a viper, or a creditor. How sad it is to see a woman who has a husband and 16 children to clothe and feed, become a victim to the demon rum. In fancy we see the loving husband just as the gloaming has commenced to gloom, peering with moist eyes down the street, waiting, only waiting, with his pure heart full of longing and his system full of germs, for the wife of his bosom, who failed to show up with a steak for supper, and the cows still un milked. When I left home I promised my parents that I would never marry a drunkard, and praises be, with the aid of a cloak of righteousness and an in-growing and hammock-shaped face, I have so far evaded the terrible catastrophe and kept my promise.

**To Examine Oregon Pencil Wood.**

O. F. Chichester, manager of the Eagle Pencil Company of Chattanooga, Tenn., is in Portland to secure suitable timber and making an inspection of Oregon lumber for the manufacture of pencils. He called

on the Chamber of Commerce the other morning, and Secretary Ciltner gave him several valuable pointers in the matter. Mr. Giltner thinks Port Orford cedar is what he wanted, and specimens of this timber have been submitted. This cedar is found along the southwestern coast of Oregon.

"The company has been getting its timber from the South recently, but this supply threatens to give out," Mr. Giltner says, "while we have untold quantities of suitable timber for the purpose in Oregon. If Mr. Chichester can get just what he needs he will provide for sending four or five carloads a day to the factory at Chattanooga.

"The timber must be soft of straight grain and of uniform hardness, so as to take on polish easily, I feel confident that we can get him just what he wants."

**Timber Land Act, June 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**

United States Land Office, Roseburg Ore., August 7, 1907.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, John M. Long, of Bandon, County of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 8491, for the purchase of the NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section No. 29, in Township No. 29 S., Range No. 14 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before L. A. Liljeqvist, U. S. Commissioner at Marshfield, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 6th day of November, 1907.  
He names as witnesses: Chris Long, Frank Bates, Frank Beverly and Edward Ohman, all of Bandon, Coos County, Oregon.  
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of November, 1907.  
BENJAMIN L. EDDY, Register.



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