

What Our Neighbors are Doing

Coquille Notes.

From the Tribune.

R. H. Ponder has sold a half interest in his livery business to Chas. Evernden.

Miss Jessie Tupper, who has been attending St. Helens Hall in Portland, returned to her home in this city Tuesday.

Allen McLeod took charge of the county farm the first of March for the ensuing year. Chas. Fox, the retiring superintendent, expects to leave for California in a few weeks.

The Coquille River Transportation Co. have commenced the construction of their speed boat. The lumber is on the ground and they have a band saw there to cut the timbers.

The Smith Powers camps north of town closed down Saturday for about six weeks, owing to the condition of the roadbed of their logging road, which has been getting soft and slipping out.

A. H. Powers of the bay and A. E. Gagnon of Minneapolis, Minn., were in the city last Friday. Mr. Gagnon is foreman of C. A. Smith's mill at Minneapolis, and came out here to help install the machinery in his Coos bay mill. He spent the day in the woods and was surprised at the largeness of the trees in this section.

D. S. Rouse of Riverton was in the city this week. Mr. Rouse informed us that his company are getting along nicely with their mine and expect in a short time to be able to begin the shipment of coal. He reports that other mines in the Riverton district are making a good showing.

Assessor T. J. Thrift and his deputies started out Monday to take the assessments for 1908. Mr. Thrift and J. S. Lawrence went to the bay and the former will assess the towns and the latter the country around the bay. G. A. Hansen will do the North Fork and other tributaries, and M. J. Hartson will assess along the river between here and Bandon.

Judge Hall came over Monday on court business. In the juvenile court he heard the complaint against the Hollenbeck children and discharged the eldest boy from custody. He made an order placing the other three children on probation for six months. The youngest girl was taken by Mrs. R. O. Hoberg of this city, and the eldest by L. R. Robertson, the telephone man of Marshfield. The boy was sent to Allen McLeod until a home can be found for him.

Port Orford Notes.

From the Tribune.

Jenny Bossen commenced a six months' term of school in the New Lake district.

The dairies in this vicinity expect to start up operations about the 15th of this month.

Della Cox returned to her home on Sixes from Bandon, where she has been attending school for several months.

Pearl Sydnam, who has been cooking at Knapp hotel during the winter, has resigned her position and returned to her home at Denmark.

Tom Lane, Otto Neumann, B. W. Dean and Merton Miller, four of the witnesses subpoenaed to Los Angeles, were dismissed at Marshfield and returned home.

On the 22d of February a meeting of the voters of Chetco precinct was held in Harbor and a good government club was formed. D. C. McLaurin being elected chairman and Curt Wright secretary. The purpose of the club is to elect the best qualified men for the different offices, and party politics will have no bearing in county officials standing with the club.

We note by the Radium that A. Adolphson has secured the contract from R. D. Hume to erect a cold storage plant at this place. It is to be hoped that the statement is correct and that the plant will be built

during the summer, not on paper as has been the case with the life saving station, but in reality, as it would mean much for our town.

Marshal Griffith while in Port Orford stated that he had reason to believe that some of the indictments brought against Curry county parties for complicity in the P. F. & L. Co. land fraud case would be dismissed without coming to trial, but he also said that if he were in the position of one, in particular, he would go to Portland as fast as he could get there, plead guilty and take his medicine. What there is in this we do not know, but the Tribune does believe that there is more smoke than fire in this widely heralded case, and it will go a step further and say (and this not without foundation) that it believes that some of the witnesses taken from this county have wilfully perjured themselves against their neighbors through petty spitework, and if punishment is meted out to any, we hope they will get theirs.

Missed His Chance

The following bit of interesting reading is taken from the Coos Bay News of March 3d:

"Alfred Lewis, well known to old timers on the bay and Coquille, but who has been absent from the Pacific coast for nearly 24 years, was in Marshfield last week and hunted up a few early day acquaintances. His brother, John, who was also well known by the pioneers, died three years ago in Fall River, Mass. Both were born in England and John came to this country in 1852, and a few years later became the owner of the land at the mouth of the Coquille on which Bandon now stands. Arthur crossed the Atlantic in 1860, intending to join his brother in Oregon, but stayed sometime with another brother in Fall River, and when the war broke out enlisted in the navy, serving two years. In 1864 he came to the Coquille and formed a partnership with his brother John. They then owned the land on the south side of the Coquille from a point near the mouth of the river to nearly opposite the ferry at Bullards, and also owned the ranch at the opposite side of the river, which they later sold to Flanagan & Bennett. Early in the 80's John decided to go east with his wife and family to reside, and, in discussing the settlement of partnership affairs, he offered Arthur his half interest in all the land both owned on the south side of the river including the land on which Bandon is now situated, for one thousand dollars. Arthur was anxious to accept the offer, but his wife, who is a sister of John's wife, also wanted to go back to the old home at Fall River, and the offer was refused. They later sold to Judge Dyer and Averill and in 1884 left with their families for the east. When Arthur saw the flourishing town of Bandon recently he realized his mistake, but philosophically says there is no use worrying over what might have been."

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SUMMONS.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS.

F. A. Turnell, plaintiff
vs.
Emma E. Turnell, sometimes known as Emma E. Fleming or Emma E. Bell, defendant.

Suit to declare void a marriage contract.

To Emma E. Turnell, sometimes known as Emma E. Fleming or Emma E. Bell, the above named defendant:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:

You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten (10) days from the date of the service of this summons upon you if served within this county or within twenty (20) days if served within any other county within the state of Oregon, but if served by publication then on or before the last day of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons, which prescribed time is six weeks, the last day of which time will be Thursday, the 23d day of April, 1908.

And if you fail to so appear and answer said complaint by the said time, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for a decree forever annulling and declaring void the marriage contract existing between yourself and the said plaintiff, and for a judgment against you for the costs and disbursements of this suit.

This summons is published in the Bandon Recorder, a weekly newspaper published in Coos county, Oregon, for six consecutive weeks, beginning March 12th, 1908, and ending April 23d, 1908, by order of publication made by the Honorable John F. Hall, County Judge of Coos County, at chambers in Coquille City, Oregon, on the 10th day of March, 1908.

GEO. P. TOPPING

Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.
Notice is hereby given that by order of the County Court of the state of Oregon, in and for the county of Coos, heretofore made, Geo. P. Topping was duly appointed administrator of the estate of Harry Wilson, deceased, and that letters testamentary were duly issued to the said Geo. P. Topping on the 12th day of February, 1908.

Therefore all persons having claims against the said estate are hereby notified to present the same with proper vouchers to the said administrator at his office at Bandon, Oregon, within six (6) months from the date of this notice.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1908.
GEO. P. TOPPING,
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