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WESTLINGS.

NOTICE.—Mr. E. H. David will give a good man with small family an excellent chance on his farm near Florence.

SOMETHING NEW.—Have you seen those Ladies Jerseys that are now offered for less than cost at Meyer & Kyle's?

Another paper in Eugene, making four all told.

W. E. Warren and wife, of Heveta, are quite ill, it is reported.

Senator J. N. Dolph will please accept our thanks for a package of garden seeds.

Hood's Pills do not weaken, but aid digestion and tone the stomach. Try them.

Bland's bill for coining silver bullion in the treasury passed the House on March 1st.

The annual school meeting resulted in the election of F. B. Wilson as director and O. W. Hurd as clerk.

S. B. Colvin will have to appear at Roseburg on the 19th of this month, to answer to a charge of being drunk on the jury.

All communications for publication in this journal must be written on but one side of the paper, or they will be consigned to the waste basket.

Hon. R. M. Veatch has filed his bond and will take charge of the Roseburg land office about April 1st following. The emoluments of the office are \$3000 a year.

The Grand Jury did not find a true bill against O. W. Hurd for selling liquor to minors, but brought in an indictment against George Barrett and Alden Hayes.

Captain Winant writes to the Bandon Recorder that he is taking some silk, produced by J. S. Kanematz, of the Coquille valley, to be exhibited at the mid-winter fair.

Fred Bean came to this city from Eugene Thursday with subpoenas for J. I. Butterfield, J. A. Pond and C. B. Morgan to appear before the court at Eugene as witnesses.

Tried and true is the verdict of people who take Hood's Sarsaparilla. The good effects of this medicine are soon felt in nerve strength restored, appetite created and health given.

Walter and Dave Saffley went to Eugene this week to give evidence before the Grand Jury that they have purchased liquor at the Florence Drug Store without any order to do so.

Carey F. Martin has recovered sufficiently to be able to return to his old home at Eugene, where he arrived on Tuesday of last week. His friends are pleased to hear of his speedy recovery.

Captain J. J. Winant is named as joint Senator for Lincoln and Benton counties. We know him to be a man of many brains and he knows how to use them, too. He would do honor to his constituents.

The judgment for costs in the case of E. H. David vs. S. B. Colvin, on Sept. 16, 1893, rendered against Mr. Colvin, has been investigated by the county court of Douglas county and reversed. The money has been refunded to Mr. Colvin.

On Saturday evening, March 17, 1894, there will be a St. Patrick's social, in honor of "old Ireland's" patron saint who banished all snakes from the Emerald Isle, at the residence of Mrs. H. M. Chamberlin, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. All will be cordially welcomed. Admission 10 cents.

"Captain" John Saffley has wrecked the deep sea boat Addie, so it is said. A party from Yaguina came down to buy the craft, and the "Captain" took her up the river on a trial trip. The first accident was a part of the rigging being blown away, then she was run on the mud flats somewhere about Cox's Island, where her crew deserted her and walked home.

Lieutenant Shunk, of the Engineers' Corps, Portland, was here on Wednesday to inspect the jetty work and report damages done to the tramway by drift-wood, etc. He expressed surprise at the small amount of damage, taking into consideration the severity of winter storms. He is evidently a pleasant gentleman and thoroughly conversant with the business he had in hand.

J. C. Flint, having received the appointment of road supervisor, finds there will probably be about 30,000 feet of planks needed in the construction of bridges, and as the hauling of the plank from the mills on the river is expensive, he has determined, if possible, to get them from the mill of E. H. David, on Teitcoos lake, and avoid labor and expense. There are many others who will be glad to patronize the new mill at an early day.

On Thursday night of last week a terrible tragedy was enacted in Eugene. A young man named Grant Moss shot and instantly killed Mrs. Emma Osburn, slightly wounded her sister,

Miss Belle Coleman and seriously wounded her father, David Coleman, at the home of the latter gentleman. Moss then went to his own home near by, and fired a ball through his head producing instant death. Ill health and unrequited love are said to be the cause of the dreadful deed.

Later, since writing the above we have learned that Mr. Coleman has died.

In speaking of the man who is conducting the Populist paper at Eugene, the Corvallis Gazette says: "Mr. Long is a short little fellow but has rather lengthy ideas and not only controls the populist field of Amity and vicinity but now sways the rod of socialism over Albany and Eugene, a new plant having been sent to the latter place recently. The territory of Yamhill, Linn and Lane counties is rather an extensive newspaper field to be controlled by a concern with no better mission to perform than that of advocating demo-populistic doctrines in this serial manner. Speaking of monopolies, how does this strike the average calamity howler?"

At a meeting of the Board of Trade held in the Odd Fellows' hall on Saturday, March 3d, a committee, consisting of Joe Morris, Jr., Wm. Kyle, J. W. Carman, W. H. Weatherston and J. C. Brown were appointed by the President to draft resolutions favoring appropriations for continuing work on the jetties at the mouth of the Siuslaw river, said resolutions to be presented to the Eugene Board of Trade for their approval, and then forwarded to Hon. Binger Hermann. There was a large attendance at this meeting, and the expression unanimously prevailed that we use all honorable efforts in aiding our representatives in Congress in securing a liberal amount of money for the work commenced here by the Government. The Board adjourned to meet on Saturday, March 10. All the citizens interested are requested to be present.

THE LAW.

If any minor 16 years of age or over, makes false representation as to his age in order to purchase liquor of any person, he shall be punished by a fine of not less than 25 dollars nor more than 100 dollars. It is made the duty of district attorneys, sheriffs and police officers to see that this law is obeyed.

DEATH OF A YOUNG MAN.

John Holverstott, father of Mrs. C. B. Morgan, of this place, was born March 29, 1806, and died at Madison, California, on February 18, 1894, after an illness of only thirteen hours. Had Mr. Holverstott lived 30 days more, he would have been 88 years old. There is a remarkable incident in his life which, probably, would require centuries to re-narrate. He was born on Easter Sunday, and this commemorative day of the risen Savior, did not fall on his birthday during his lifetime.

It is hardly necessary to state that Mr. Holverstott's life was characterized by strict obedience to the laws of morality, for his long earthly career is positive proof of such a fact. He was a devoted parent, an honest, upright man, and his family, especially his daughter here, will have the sympathy of many friends.

IVISON ITEMS.

By ICH DIEN.

As this is my first attempt at itemizing from this place, I will give the location of Ivison that the readers of The West will know whence we come. Ivison is located in Section 12, Township 18 S, Range 7 W, in Lane county, Oregon, on Wild Cat creek twelve miles above its confluence with the Siuslaw river. It is on what is known as the Wild Cat and Notie road, which connects with the Eugene and Florence road at Delphia post-office. There was a post-office established at Ivison last spring, with J. S. Day as postmaster, and we are supplied with mail from Varian, on Eugene and Florence road. We get two mails a week.

Thinking that a few items from this place might be of interest to some of The West's readers, I will attempt to give from time to time a few of the most interesting and instructive happenings that may occur, thereby making The West what it is intended for, a newspaper for the advancement and development of the Siuslaw country.

W. T. Cornelius, of Pleasant Hill, Oregon, and Willard England, of Callao, Mo., are visiting with L. J. Cornelius this week.

L. A. Chastain has just returned from a two weeks' visit at Pleasant Hill, Oregon. He reported 10 inches of snow at that place.

The snow at this place was 5 inches deep last week, the deepest of the season. Stock looks well in this neighborhood, but feed is getting scarce.

S. H. White is on the sick list at present.

A NEW PAPER.

J. B. Long has arrived in this city with a plan to start a populist paper here. It is to be a 7-column four-page weekly, named The Broad-Ax.

C. G. LeMasters will be the editor and manager, although Mr. Long will spend a portion of his time here. The gentlemen are both at work to-day and expect to have an issue out by Monday next. The regular date of publication has not yet been fixed upon. Although this makes four papers for the county seat, we quote, "The more the merrier." Guard.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Florence post-office for month ending Feb. 28, 1894.

Boggs, Leon  
Cloyd, S. H.  
Haversold, R. W.  
Wiley, W. J.

Parties calling for any of the above will please say "advertised."

Wm. Kyle, Postmaster.

EMPHATICALLY DECLINES.

The Commander of General Lyons Post Is Not a Populist.—A Scathing Rebuke.

Ed. West:—On Saturday afternoon, March 3d, I was informed by the chairman of the Populist primary meeting, held in Glendora on the above date, that the members of said Populist meeting had placed my name in nomination for constable of Florence precinct.

The impudence of the Populist mind must be great when it assumes to coerce or flatter citizens of other parties to join its ranks by nominating them for office. Does it look very reasonable, after having served nearly four years in the War of the Rebellion, and where I was wounded five times in defense of "one country and one flag," that I would allow my name to be politically associated with a party that denounces my comrades in arms as "dishonest pension seekers," and opposes all expenditures by this state for disabled and broken down, honorably discharged veterans? closing such statements in these very words: "If a soldiers' home is erected anywhere in Oregon, it will be sure to be well filled about election time and that too by men, many of whom amount at all in need of charitable aid."

Do you think that I would insult the memory of the 13,000 brave, loyal heroes of our Union army who suffered death by starvation at Andersonville that this and future generations might enjoy the liberty so dearly purchased, by allowing my name to appear on the political roll of a party with nothing but hatred for their memory? If you do, I will disavow your own as well as all other minds of such a conclusion now.

While you were placing my name in nomination, I was in the city of Florence with a large number of the best citizens of the Siuslaw valley, devising ways and means for securing an appropriation for the jetties at the mouth of our river. If you possessed the courage of the principles of your party, instead of nominating me for an office, you would have been passing resolutions condemning such appropriations. Your absence from the citizens' meeting in Florence goes to show plainly that you are not in sympathy with our best interests, and form a good basis for the assumption that only the fear of losing votes prevented you from passing strong resolutions against our harbor improvement.

Politically, I am a Republican. My vote has always been cast with the members of that party, and it always will be. I do not believe in the free trade, fiat money, soldier-hating principles of the Populists! I do not think you for attempting to ally my name with any such political organization!

The foregoing is, or ought to be, sufficient to convey to your politically stultified minds, that I decline your nomination without thanks.

J. L. FURNISH.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

REV. I. G. KNOTT, PASTOR.  
Sunday-School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11. Service at 7:30 p. m. Communion service will follow the morning preaching. All are welcome.

ORDINANCE NO. 10.

An Ordinance to Create the Office of Street Commissioner and to Define his duties; to provide for the repair of sidewalks that may in the judgment of the Street Commissioner and public property be in a dangerous condition; for the improvement and repairing of streets, alleys and sidewalks, and to provide for the assessment and collection of the costs and expense of such repairs.

The Town of Florence Does Ordain as Follows:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the Trustees to appoint a suitable person to serve as street commissioner, who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Trustees, and shall receive such compensation for his services as the Trustees may direct; this office can be held by the town Marshal.

SECTION 2. It shall be the duty of said commissioner to superintend the grading and planking, improvement and repairing of all streets and alleys, and to see that the same are graded and planked, improved and repaired in accordance with the orders of the Trustees providing therefor, and to superintend the construction of all cross walks, bridges, culverts and aqueducts by the Trustees and aqueducts ordered by the Trustees and see that they are constructed in accordance with the orders of said Trustees and the ordinance governing the construction of such cross, sidewalks, bridges, culverts and aqueducts.

SECTION 3. In case of the failure or refusal of any property holders to grade, improve, plank, drain or repair the streets or alleys, or construct or repair any sidewalk, or sewer, adjacent to (to) their respective property when ordered to do so by the city Trustees, within the time specified in such order, after notice thereof having been duly given, by the Marshal, it shall be the duty of the street commissioner, under the direction of the committee on streets and public property, to cause the same to be done, without delay, and present his bill therefor to the Trustees; said bill shall specify particularly the lots, lot or part of lot adjacent to the work done, and the name or names of the owner or owners thereof and the exact cost of the work done on the portion of the street or alley adjacent to such lot or part thereof and the date when said work was done.

SECTION 4. When the work shall have been done by the street commissioner and his bill therefor has been presented to the Trustees as provided in Sect. 3, of this ordinance, the Trustees shall then proceed to ascertain and determine what lots, lot or part thereof shall be liable therefor and what portion of the cost of such work shall be paid by the owner or owners of lot, lots or part thereof, and shall then, by order duly made and en-

tered in its journal, assess upon each lot or part thereof its proportionate share of such cost.

SECTION 5. As soon as the Trustees shall have ascertained and determined what property shall be liable for the costs of such improvement, the proportion thereof to be paid by the owner of each lot, or part thereof, and shall have assessed upon each lot or part thereof its proportionate share of such cost; the Trustees shall by order duly made and entered upon its journal, direct the Recorder to enter a statement thereof in the docket of city liens, and when such statement shall be entered in such docket as aforesaid, the same shall constitute and be a lien upon the lot or part thereof therein described from the date of such entry.

SECTION 6. Whenever in the judgment of the street commissioner and the committee on streets and public property any street or alley, or sewer or part thereof, or any sidewalk or part thereof, shall be so out of repairs as to endanger the life or limb of man or beast, the street commissioner, under the direction of the committee on streets and public property shall immediately repair the same at the expense of the owner or owners thereof, and shall be paid, on demand by said street commissioner, by the owners or owner of such property, the street commissioner shall present the bill therefor to the city Trustees; such bill shall specify the lots or part thereof adjacent to the repairs so made, the name or names of the owner or owners thereof, if known, and the actual costs of the repairs made on that part of the street, alley or sidewalk adjacent to each lot or part thereof and the date of making such repairs.

SECTION 7. When such repairs shall have been made by the Commissioner, and his bills therefor shall have been presented to the Trustees, as provided in the foregoing section, the Trustees shall then proceed to ascertain and determine what lots, lot, or part thereof shall be liable therefor, and what proportion of the cost of such repairs shall be paid by the owner or owners of each lot or part thereof so liable, and shall then assess upon each lot or part thereof its proportionate share of the costs of such repairs.

Each assessment so made shall be entered upon the journal, and the Trustees shall direct the Recorder to enter a statement thereof in the docket of the city liens.

SECTION 8. When the statement shall be entered in the docket of the city liens as provided in the preceding section, the same shall constitute and be a lien upon the lot or part thereof therein described, from the date thereof.

SECTION 9. If the owner or owners of any lots, lot, or part thereof against which a statement has been entered in the docket of city liens, fail or refuse to pay the same together with the fee of the Recorder for such statement in said docket, the Trustees shall, by order duly made and entered in its journal, direct the Recorder to give to the owner or owners, or the agent of the owner or owners of the lot or part thereof against which a statement has been made, and a statement entered in its docket of city liens, five days notice thereof, said notice shall be served by the Marshal, or posted on said lot and published in a newspaper in the Town of Florence, and must contain substantially the matter required to be entered in the docket of city liens concerning such assessment.

SECTION 10. If within five days from the expiration of said five days notice as provided in section 9, the sum assessed upon any lot or part thereof, and a statement of which has been docketed as hereinbefore provided for, together with the accruing costs and charges be not wholly paid to the city Treasurer, the Trustees shall thereafter order a warrant for the collection of the same together with all the costs and charges accruing upon such warrant to be issued by the Recorder and directed to the Marshal.

SECTION 11. Immediately upon the receipt of the warrant provided for in section 10 of this ordinance, the Marshal shall levy on the lot or part thereof against which such warrant is issued, and shall deliver to the owner or owners thereof, or to the agent of the owner or owners, if known, a copy of such warrant, the Marshal shall then, after having first given notice of the time, place and terms of sale, together with a reasonable certain description of the property to be sold, by posting a written or printed notice thereof in at least three public places in the Town of Florence, for 30 days prior to the day of sale, and having published a copy thereof once a week for at least four weeks in a newspaper published in the Town of Florence, prior to the said day of sale, sell said lot or part thereof at public auction, to the highest bidder, for gold coin, to be paid cash in hand on the day of sale, for the purpose of satisfying such assessment and all accruing cost, and make return of such sale in writing, indorsed on said warrant, he shall then return said warrant to the Recorder, together with the amount realized at such sale, less the cost and expense of making such sale.

SECTION 12. Whenever the Marshal shall make sale of any property as aforesaid, he shall immediately make a deed therefor to the purchaser, subject to redemption, however, within three years from the date of said deed. The cost and expenses of making such deed shall be paid by the purchaser.

SECTION 13. If any property, when sold as aforesaid, shall bring more than sufficient to pay such assessment and all accruing costs and expenses of such sale, the surplus shall be paid by the Recorder to the Treasurer of said town, and the Treasurer shall execute to the Recorder a receipt therefor.

SECTION 14. The Treasurer shall keep all money paid over to him by the Recorder under the provision of section 13 of this ordinance, separate and apart from all money that may come to his

possession from any other source; and shall pay over the same to the person entitled thereto upon the presentation of a warrant therefor drawn by the Recorder under an order from the Trustees. He shall also keep a book in which he shall enter such sum of money so paid him; the lot or part thereof from the sale of which the same was realized, with the number and location of the block in which the same is situated, and the name of the owner, if known.

SECTION 15. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its approval by the President of the Trustees of the Town of Florence. Passed March 5, 1894.

F. B. WILSON,  
Recorder.

Approved March 6, 1894.  
B. F. ALLEY,  
President.

A VETERAN REPUBLICAN.

Saturday's Salem Journal: Harrison Kincaid, the veteran republican editor of the Eugene Journal, a man equally versatile in belles-lettres as he is sound and lucid in economic discussions, was in the city yesterday.

He is one of those republicans who have not been office, who does not seek office, and who is earnestly in favor of the tax-payers' reform movement that is sweeping over the state. He has no hopes from populist politicians of the Penney stripe, who after 8 years as governor cannot show where he has ever set his foot on a steal of a dollar.

In December the Journal showed that Mr. Kincaid would be a good man to nominate for secretary of state. But so far he has declined to become a candidate.

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ELECTION JUDGES AND CLERKS.

The following judges and clerks of election for 1894 are appointed:

Florence—B. F. Alley, Wm. Landis, Wm. Kyle, Judges; W. R. McCormack, Geo. H. Colter, clerks.

Mapleton—Amos Hadsall, W. W. Neely, W. Wells, Judges; M. J. Hadsall, Fred Bean, clerks.

Hermann—L. C. Moffitt, H. J. Dickey, Wm. Ferris, Judges; S. S. Milledge, J. M. Duncan, clerks.

Lake Creek—Chas. Potter, F. R. Peppit, Peter Hollo, Judges; Howard Pope, J. C. Farmer, clerks.

Glendon—E. Thurman, A. D. Reeves, J. B. Richardson, Judges; W. T. Bailey, Archie Richardson, clerks.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 14, 1894. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before W. T. Douglas, U. S. Circuit Court Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Saturday, April 7, 1894, viz:

William Black, on pre-emption D. S. No. 760, for the sec. of sw 1/4, sec. 4, T. 21 S., R. 11 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Henry A. Bay, Moses J. Towne, Thomas B. Gabriel, Mary Ann Hay, all of Gardiner, Douglas county, Oregon.

JAMES H. STURGE,  
F21-M10  
Register.

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