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NOTICE.—Professor J. M. Williams, of Eugene is our agent and is authorized to receive subscriptions, advertising and money for THE WEST and receipt for the same.

WESTLINGS.

The session laws are printed.

Florence should have a box factory.

Strawberries are coming to this market.

Stormy weather prevailed during the past week.

All vegetables, of home raising, are in abundance.

Our town is now presenting a lively appearance.

See the notice for grading streets and laying sidewalks.

Our corn band rendered good music on Memorial day.

Improvements have virtually come to a halt in this town.

Six scows are to come up from Coos bay instead of three.

A No. 1 Burbank potatoes 25 cents a sack at Meyer & Kyle's.

About twenty-five men will be the force employed on jetty work here.

The Presbyterian church in this city needs repainting and reparing.

Mr. Wm. Kyle has about 500 cords of wood now in ricks for future use.

Benefits do not all escape us. The Morris hotel is filled with guests.

Florence people must do something for themselves. No efforts, no success.

The less ill you speak of your neighbors the more respect you will command.

Hood's pills cure all liver ills, relieve constipation and assist digestion. 25c.

Gen. Lyons Post is greatly indebted to home vocalists for music on Decoration day.

Fred Bean has a large number of piling in the river to be used in building our jetty.

About 2,300 head of cattle have been shipped from Lane county during the past month.

The west pier of the bridge across the Willamette river at Springfield is cracked from top to bottom.

Mr. H. H. Fisk reports prospects favorable to securing additional settlers in his part of Glenada.

A roster at the head of the gold standard papers is all that is necessary to make the crop complete.

Now is the time and this is the town to work for since a large number of people are coming to Oregon.

Siuslaw's flower garden, composed of over two hundred acres of rhododendrons, is now in full bloom.

Such a continued delay in getting lumber crafts out of this river, greatly depresses all kinds of business.

H. B. Kenniston, of Point Terrace, has the contract for building the addition to the Seaton school-house.

Nothing could have been more interesting or pleasing than the address of Comrade T. M. Martin on Memorial day.

Here, down here, where land is productive, the timber plentiful and the climate perfect, is the place for home seekers.

Mrs. Craw, wife of Geo. F. Craw of Eugene, died in that city on May 26th, 1895, after a lingering illness for many months.

Our public school is in charge of a competent teacher, so we are told, and the pupils are progressing rapidly with their studies.

Eleven men came up the beach Monday from Marshfield and they are to be employed on the works of jetty building for our harbor.

Go down to the Energy telephone line and ring up Mr. Progress. We want his services in Florence for awhile. Every thing is dull since he left.

Councilman Kobe left on today's stage for Eugene. Mrs. Kobe accompanied her husband, and they will be absent about a week or ten days.

The Lane county delegates lead in amount of contributions for the benefit of the state Republican club. It averaged a dollar each, all in silver.

Captain Johnson, of the tug Roberts, reports insufficient depth of water on the bar to permit the crossing of loaded vessels drawing over nine feet of water.

A school meeting was held in Glenada this week to determine where a new school-house should be built. Report has it that the matter ended in a row.

When down in Portland recently, we stopped at the Perkins hotel and found nearly all the Lane county delegations nicely cared for at that excellent hotel.

The Perkins Hotel, corner 5th and Washington streets, Portland, Oregon, is headquarters for Florence and Lane county people generally. R. S. Perkins, Proprietor.

Florence sent to Eugene the spirit of progress recently, and that towns' people are building a flourishing mill. The skeleton of that much-to-be-desired individual is now quietly reposing in this town and we desire that which we have loaned our capital city returned at once.

Mr. H. S. Schwatka arrived here from Marshfield on Thursday and informed us that as soon as the scows arrive active work will commence on the harbor.

Delays are dangerous. A dollar spent for Hood's Sarsaparilla now may prevent illness which will be expensive and hard to bear. Now is the time to take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

About four ships' loads of lumber are piled on wharves for the San Francisco market, and if the schooners already in do not soon get out, this cut will remain until another season.

The Ellensburg (Washington) Register, celebrated the advent into its seventh year by a well written editorial on its birth. We do not exchange with a better paper in that state.

Four hundred delegates from Multnomah and about forty from Salem, making a total of 440 votes for gold only as money in this country, is quite an array against the cow countries.

A party of seven men are camping at Seaton, they having come from Irving, this county, to fish and hunt. They were in Florence one day, and excepting Mr. Bond, none were known here.

Special attention is called to the display "tail" of the Northern Pacific Railway Company, in this issue. For further information call on or address R. McMurphy, Gen'l Agent, Eugene, Oregon.

Possibilities are unlimited, and the illustration is in many ways demonstrated, but never more fully than when Portland expressed the League Club meeting and had her own way in every thing.

Pointing out the way to better our condition is timely and shows one to a newspaper, but a disposition on the part of the people to never walk in the road pointed out, is truly discouraging.

The present council is arranging to have certain streets graded in Morse's addition to Florence and more sidewalks laid. No matter if money is scarce and hard to get, our town's people are willing to improve the streets.

A special meeting is called to meet at Point Terrace on Saturday, June 7, 1895, to consider the matter of building a cheese factory in the Siuslaw country. This is a call by the citizens, and all should attend who have this matter at heart.

The steamer Bandorille, with Captain J. J. Winant at the helm, crossed in over the bar yesterday morning, arriving at Florence at five o'clock. After taking on a load of chittem bark she steamed down the river bound for San Francisco.

The Broad-Axe may be enlightened when it is ascertained that Hurd & Davyport and Meyer & Kyle have paid \$500 for the building and improving of the road leading from Eugene to Florence. Acts of this kind are not tokens of selfishness only.

For whooping cough Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is excellent. By using it freely the disease is deprived of all dangerous consequences. There is no danger in giving the remedy to babies, as it contains nothing injurious. 50 cent bottles for sale by all Druggists.

Half of the Republican Club delegates at Portland, came from Multnomah and Marion counties, and although the election was thought not to be of any political significance in favor of the gold standard theory, it proved that they were quietly selected in that interest.

It is now known that Mr. Kern will bring all his help from Coos bay to work on the jetty, and aside from the contracts for lumber and piling, which are already let to parties here, no employment is to be given to any one residing on this river.

During the past two months have been the first real tokens of financial depression on this river. Trade has fallen off to such an extent that all the merchants report lighter commercial transactions than any corresponding months during a period of over five years.

The Corvallis Times states that John Alberts and Lizzie Goldworthy were married in that city on that day, and the bride was dressed in calico and the groom in a celluloid collar. This was the third time that Lizzie had been seen John and the sight must have been satisfactory.

A lady at Tooleys, La., was very sick with bilious colic when M. C. Tisser, a prominent merchant of the town gave her a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says she was well in forty minutes after taking the first dose. For sale by all Druggists.

Reverend Knotts preached an excellent sermon on Sunday from the text: "I have fought a good fight." It is to be regretted that the inclemency of the weather prevented a larger attendance of Post members, but those who did attend were well pleased, and expressed thanks to the pastor for his timely and kindly words.

When a ship is launched in this country, a bottle of wine is broken upon her prow. They have a prettier as well as a more significant custom in Japan, where a cage of different kinds of birds is provided, and as the ship begins to move, the birds are liberated, flying to all parts of the compass, and typifying the nature of commerce far better than a bottle of wine.

Pat McEnroe, that genial gentleman and farmer residing near Meadow, this county, has made some valuable improvements on his ranch, and we recently noticed that his garden, grass pastures and grain fields are in a condition that speaks of good farming. Mr. McEnroe believes in diversified crop raising, therefore he is one of the most prosperous farmers on the Siuslaw river.

Do you know if you want to go East and desire Pullman Tourist Sleeper, that you will be detained from 12 to 16 hours unless you take the Northern Pacific? Remember the Northern Pacific is the only line running Pullman Tourist

st Sleepers through to the East without delay. Time and money saved by this route. For further information, tickets, etc., call on or address R. McMurphy, General Agent, Eugene, Oregon.

The ladies of the Missionary Society extend their thanks to the Florence Cornet Band, which so kindly furnished music for their entertainment, and to the people who so liberally patronized them. The receipts were \$30.

Last Thursday the tug Tonquin, from Marshfield, and owned by Mr. Kern, came in over our bar at low tide and the captain reported eight feet of water, so we are told. The tug came here to sound the bar and determine if she could cross in with our scows that are at Coos bay. After taking a trip to Acme for fresh water, the Tonquin returned to Marshfield the same day, and she is daily expected to arrive with the scows in tow.

Nothing can prevent the feeling that the elements are doing this place much damage. The wind blowing steadily from the south drives the sand into the channel of the river and prevents the water from going in a natural course to the ocean. A change in the air-currents would soon produce a different condition of affairs. The depth of water on the bar would be greater, boats would come and go and business in lumber be greatly revived.

Since \$23,000 are to be spent here this summer in building a jetty, it will do merchants some good to advertise what they have for sale, and knowing this, our wide-awake Eugene merchant, S. H. Friendly, has engaged three column men in this paper and will soon give the public information about special prices for the best goods. Watch this 3-column space, and when buying goods at Mr. Friendly's store, always say: "I saw your ad in THE WEST."

Coming here on the Barrett stage on Tuesday, was Mr. James Neylan, the owner of the schooner now on the ocean beach below the mouth of the river. Upon inquiry it is ascertained that the intention of Mr. Neylan is to endeavor to get the boat into deep water. This would have been much more easily accomplished sometime ago as the craft is now half full of sand, which must be removed before she can be raised and placed on rollers.

If King Solomon was alive he would now say: "Go to the traveling man, learn his ways, and be wise." Mr. C. W. Batten, a Cincinnati traveling man, representing the Queen City Printing Ink Co., after suffering intensely for two or three days with lameness of the shoulder, resulting from rheumatism, completely cured it with two applications of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. This remedy is gaining a wide reputation for its prompt cures of rheumatism, lame back, sprains, swellings and lameness. 50 cent bottles for sale by druggists.

With one eye on the clock, and the other on your plate, you cannot enjoy a meal. When traveling east, you should take the Northern Pacific, the only dining car line from Portland; meals 75c. You don't have to get up in the morning at six o'clock, rush to breakfast and gulp it down in fifteen or twenty minutes, and then have to wait until two or three o'clock for lunch or dinner. To avoid this, take the Northern Pacific, the only line running Pullman Tourist Sleepers through to the East without delay from 12 to 16 hours delay. For information, time cards, tickets, etc., call on or address R. McMurphy, General Agent, Eugene, Oregon.

Persons who sympathize with the afflicted will rejoice with D. E. Carr, of 1255 Harrison street, Kansas City. He is an old sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism, but has not heretofore been troubled in this climate. Last winter he went up into Wisconsin, and in consequence had another attack. "It came upon me again very acute and severe," he said. "My joints swelled and became inflamed; sore to touch or almost to look at. Upon the urgent request of mother-in-law I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm to reduce the swelling and ease the pain, and to my agreeable surprise, it did both. I have used three fifty-cent bottles and believe it to be the finest thing for rheumatism, pains and swellings extant. For sale by druggists.

IVISON ITEMS.
By ICH DIEN.
Items scarce.
Weather variable.
Gardens are looking nicely and promise an excellent crop.
L. A. Chaastain and wife are visiting their mother, Mrs. Baker, near Brownsville.
Vegetation is attaining a very exuberant growth on account of the warm rains and sunshine of the past week.
J. F. Chaastain killed the champion mutton last week. It dressed 101 pounds. It was a yearling, and who can beat it?
Most of the orchards in our part of the country which are young, bear considerable fruit at present and the chances are good for tests of several varieties.
The schools on Wild Cat are progressing nicely this summer. Mr. Frank Taylor, of Hermann, is teaching the Walton school, with 24 pupils enrolled; Miss May Lyons is teaching the Lyons school, with 14 pupils; Miss Maggie Lamb is teaching the Chickahominy school with 4 pupils, and Miss Minnie Kelly the Ivison school with 12 pupils enrolled. I wish them success in their calling. I would like to see a report of all the schools in the Siuslaw valley, through the columns of THE WEST. I am sure such a report would compare creditably with any other section of Lane county. The Siuslaw country furnishes several very able and energetic teachers. Let us always be ready and willing to give the teacher our cooperation and support for the best interest of the pupils, as our schools are the nation's greatest support.

MEMORIAL DAY.

How it Was Observed near The Sounding Sea.

The services Replete in Interest and the Attendance Large—Comrade Martin and Rev. Knotts Rendered addresses of Merit—Music by Florence Cornet Band

Arranging a program for any kind of services is one thing, and carrying out the plans laid down is another. But there could not have been a more complete fulfillment of prearranged services on any occasion than that of Memorial Day in Florence. Exercises by General Lyons Post, music by the band, vocal selections by the singers, addresses by the speakers and the dinner were never more complete in any community.

Evidently patriotism and loyalty are not at a discount here, if a large attendance upon the occasion of Memorial Day services is an index to these statements. There was a sea of faces turned towards speakers and singers, and the deep interest manifested by all is evidence that the present and coming generation is not ungrateful of the services done by men who saved the Union. Flowers, wild and cultivated, were brought in quantities that would have decorated acres of land, and for these tokens—brightest and purest emblems of love and sympathy that have ever graced the graves of sorrow, were brought by noble women of this community—carried by trembling hands, blessed by quivering lips and watered by noisy tears, and then quietly yet tenderly laid on the graves of departed and heroic sons.

ITEMS OF THE DAY'S OBSERVANCE.
Both the Lillian and Coos came from Seaton and arrived about 9:30, loaded to their capacity with passengers. Promptly at 10 o'clock General Lyons Post left their hall led by the Florence Cornet Band and followed by the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and Workmen in regalia. All marched to the Presbyterian church where the exercises took place according to program.

THE ADDRESSES.
First in order came the address of Rev. I. G. Knotts, who purposely occupied only a few moments, leaving the field for another orator. However, these moments were filled with remarks both interesting and eloquent.

Then Comrade T. M. Martin followed, and his word pictures of the causes that led up to the war, the heroism displayed on battle fields, the peace and even friendship that now exists between participants in contending armies, and of the flowers as the most fitting emblems of tribute for departed soldiers and friends, were listened to with interested attention by the large audience.

DECORATING A GRAVE.
At the close of services at the church, a marching line was formed in which might have been seen the Post members, Indian war veterans, sons of veterans, secret societies and citizens, repairing to a grave where the finishing services of the day were performed and flowers strewn in commemoration of the departed soldiers.

Too many thanks cannot be mentioned for the people on this river who assisted the Post on Decoration Day, and while these have the gratitude of soldiers, the Florence Cornet Band, collectively and individually, will accept the highest praise and commendation for the excellent music which they had so carefully prepared. The band! Our hand! It is worthy of the best consideration and support of all our people.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
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BASE-BALL IN FLORENCE.
A hotly contested game of base-ball was played in this city on the afternoon of Decoration day between the Seaton and Florence nines. Much speculation has been indulged in of late as to the result of the game, as both teams have some very good players.

It must be admitted that the Seaton nine play a strong game, making few errors that are serious. Three bad plays, however, cost them their defeat, not counting other odds that they claim were against them. There were two overthrows to first by the catcher, and one muff by the right fielder. Our home boys counted four tallies on account of these mistakes.

Smith Taylor and Joe Morris umpired the game, and the usual amount of kicking was done. As to goose-eggs the home nine are credited with two and the Seaton nine with two.

The score stood Florence nine 18, Seaton nine 17. Probably another game will be played on Saturday.

SUNDAY SERVICES.
REV. I. G. KNOTT, PASTOR.
Presbyterian Church. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m., and at 7:45 p. m. The last lecture in the course, "The Third Law of Motion," will be given.

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REPUBLICAN CLUBS MEET.

(CONTINUED FROM 2ND PAGE.)

H. V. Gates, of Washington, nominated T. H. Tongue, and was seconded by J. M. Long.

Senator Alley, of Lane, nominated C. H. Baker.

Mr. McCamant nominated Hon. J. C. Carson, of Multnomah.

J. F. Bridges, of Douglas, was placed in nomination.

The name of C. A. Sehlbrede, of Douglas county, was placed in nomination.

Clarence Cole nominated Hon. H. L. Barkley, of Marion, which was seconded by Mr. E. Hofer, and was received with great applause.

Glenn O. Holman nominated Hon. C. W. Fulton, of Clatsop county.

Francis Clarno nominated Hon. D. P. Thompson.

At this point a motion was made that the nominations be closed, which was decided to be in order by a unanimous vote.

AND THE TELLERS COUNTED.
The ballots being closed, it was moved and seconded that the chairman appoint a committee of five tellers to receive and count the votes. Mr. Beckman then asked the following gentlemen to step to the platform for this purpose: Mintie, Clackamas county; Eggleston, Jackson county; Baker, Union county; Platt, Multnomah county; and McCornack, of Marion county.

On motion a second committee was appointed by the chairman in order to count a portion of the votes for the purpose of expediting the business. This committee was as follows: F. V. Drake, Multnomah; Greggs, Multnomah; Hofer, Marion; Tooze, Marion; and Sehlbrede, Douglas.

DISTRICT NOMINATIONS.
First district—Dr. J. N. Smith, Marion; J. B. David, Yamhill; F. W. Mulkey, Eugene; H. E. Smith, Oregon City; E. W. Haines, Forest Grove, and Dr. K. L. Miller, Douglas county, son-in-law of Binger Hermann.

Second district—Samuel Elmore, Astoria; A. W. Patterson, Marion; M. Baker, La Grande; F. V. Drake, Portland; I. H. Huddleston, Multnomah; W. E. Thomas, Multnomah; Malcolm Moody, Wasco; C. W. Nibley, Baker.

THE SIX DELEGATES AT-LARGE.
While the vote was taken on the district delegate nominations, President Beckman announced that the total vote on delegates from the state at large was 1050. There were less than 800 members present, he said, but the votes were counted as recommended by the committee on credentials. The vote was distributed as follows:

GOLD STANDARD TICKET.
T. H. Tongue, Washington, 720; Geo. P. Hughes, Marion, 688; J. C. Carson, Multnomah, 622; M. H. Ellis, Linn, 688; R. S. Anderson, Baker, 643; C. A. Sehlbrede, Douglas, 612.

FREE SILVER TICKET.
C. W. Fulton, Astoria, 401; H. L. Barkley, Marion, 326; C. H. Baker, Lane, 306; J. A. Wright, Union, 327; G. O. Rinearson, Clackamas, 352; D. P. Thompson, Multnomah, 296.

It will be seen that the first six candidates, representing the gold standard men, were elected by about 2 to 1.

When the convention reassembled after adjournment the chair announced the vote on district delegates as follows: First district—J. N. Smith, Marion county, 426; J. B. David, Yamhill county, 264; Henry Smith, Clackamas county, 301; F. W. Mulkey, Lane county, 381.

Second district—M. Baker, Union county, 341; J. B. Huddleston, Multnomah county, 321; Samuel Elmore, Clatsop county, 341; M. A. Moody, Wasco county, 347.

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NOTICE TO DONATION LAND CLAIMANTS.
The following notice has been issued by the United States District Land Office:

To all persons having made settlement upon tracts of land in this district, and given notice, as required by law, that they claim such lands as donations under the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act to create the office of surveyor-general of the public in Oregon and to provide for the survey and to make donations to settlers of the said public lands," approving September 27, 1850, and the various acts amendatory and supplementary thereto, and to their heirs, devisees, grantees, and all persons making claim to donation claims whether by descent, devise, judicial sale, or conveyance in good faith, who have hitherto failed to make and file in the proper land office final proof of such claims. Notice is hereby given in accordance with the requirements of section 1, act of Congress approved July 26, 1894, and in pursuance of the directions of the Commissioner of the General Land Office that they are required to appear at this office and make and file final proofs for such claims and perfect their title thereto before the first day of January, 1896, and that if they fail to do so within that time such donation claims will be held to have been abandoned by them, and the lands embraced therein will be restored to the public domain as provided in said act of Congress of July 26, 1894.

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