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#### WESTLINGS.

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Mrs. Flint reports very busy times at the hotel this week. Call and see the new stock of millinery code at Mrs. Kanoff's.

A new correspondent from Herman

An elegant line of dress goods just ceived at O. W. Hurd's.

Gardens were much in need of the ain that came this week.

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The Del Norte brought a gasolene enine from San Francisco for Frank

Report has it that there will soon be a telephone line built from Florence to the Spruce Point mill.

The Mink brought down a scow load plank yesterday which will be used for frame work for the Coos.

The G. A. R. of Florence have accepted an invitation to join their comrades rdiner on Memorial day. They will leave Florence on the 29th and return 31t

The crows here would undoubtedly like to thank those Engene gentlemen who furnished them a fine feast of clams Lee and Burton.

#### Mo-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. toed tobacco habit cure makes weak ag, blood pure. 50c, \$1. All druggists.

Will Bay is one of Uncle Sam's soldier etter from him received this ight information that he had lieted at Tacoma and gone to San Franco and expected to go to the Philip- some of Job's comforters.

is Hood's Sarsaparilla, and its great Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. sures have given it a good name everywhere. It is the one true blood purifier Saturday which was the first time in

and great nerve tonic. A 60 foot stick of timber containing nearly \$1,000 worth of lumber without a a few days ago. He intends to spend of the Oregon exhibit. It will Indiana. ded on two flat cars for transporta-

and. This is one of the leading river. colleges on the coast, having Commercial, Shorthand and hic departments and we offer on on easy terms.

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Capt. Steear requests us to say that scow from which the cattle were wned while being towed by the nk last week is the same scow which and caused the drowning of chols & Pengra's cattle while in tow he Lillian last month. Capt. Steear ther says that he will not use that any more for carrying cattle.





your pocket, if you buy chilling's Best baking power, and use only one heapteaspoonful to a quart of



AL CAKING POWDER CO., HEW YORK PERSONALS.

J. C. Phelps called at our sanctum Thursday.

Mrs. Monteith left Monday for San Francisco.

husband at Coos Bay. Mrs. Ludvig Christensen is visiting

Mrs. Geo. Pederson has joined her

her parents at Seaton. Miss Clara Haring returned from

Fiddle creek Saturday. W. R. Johnson with his wife and son moved to Eugene last week. J. U. Sutherland of Glentena was

Florence visitor this week. Mrs. M. L. Tower left Glenada last week for a visit in California.

Dentist Grey went to Acme Thursday

to do a few day's work there. J. A. Pond visited Sunday with Mrs Fremont on Maple creek.

Mesdames Hald and Stitt of Heceta spent Friday night in Florence.

Miss Minnie Saunders came down Monday to help Mrs. Flint for a time. W. H. Weatherson went to Mapleton

Monday evening with the other candi-Mr. Frank Fox has moved his family

to town since the Spruce Point mill shut Commissioner Bailey was in town

on business. He is the same plain jolly man as of old. river Saturday to meet with his com-

rades of the G. A. R. Mrs. E. E. Marr and children visited

can Slough Wednesday. H. J. Tabor, Fred Peil and Ernest Tabor "The infant gold-bug" of Alpha were at Mapleton Tuesday.

Mrs, J. F. Tanner has been sick for some time but is now improving and while visiting Florence. Especially her friends hope she will soon be around any goods purchased of him; accordingly with them again.

J. L. Taylor, P. L. Tucker and Smith Taylor of Herman were among those who attended the political discussion at Mapleton Tuesday.

Warren Andrews who has been working in V. Gurney's logging camp has ing the trail. been obliged to suspend work to nurse

J. L. Furnish and J. I. Butterfield Men are judged by what they do. So have gone to Roseburg to attend the

Mr Amos Hadsall was in Florence several months owing to poor health. George Craven set out for California

semish has been gotten from the several menths traveling in that state Scappoose to send to Omaha and then return to his old home in

Mr. Chas. R. David started for Eugene Tuesday in charge of Mr. Schreuder of The WEST has for sale one year's Glenada. It is Mr. Schreuder's third n the Holmes Business College attack of insanity since he came on the

Scott Morris wishes to inform the people, through the columns of the West, that he was in town a few days down the Spaniards, and if needed, ago and spent \$20 and that Geo. West accompanied him to help take the provisions home.

bles which will be disposed of at feet are weak yet but he can walk and well.

Quite a number of the candidates for rence has the appearance of one the various county offices were shaking creek last week. ower garden now that the rhodo- hanns in Florence the first of the week. ns are in bloom. A bush of white The first to arrive were Messrs Scott, is occasionally found but most Lee, Burton, Brattain, Edwards and ik. In shape of flower and form Stevenson who came Saturday morning. ster they resemble the oleander. Dr. Kaykendall came Sunday and the number was further increased Monday by the arrival of Messrs, Huston, Potterf and Withers. Stevenson and Pot- water transportation would be cheaper. terf were the only ones who had ever been in Florence before. All enjoyed ge to consult the Northern Pacific the trip immensly and were much pleased with the hospitality of our people. They went to Mapleton Monday evening where they remained till Tuesday afternoon when they set out for Chesher.

#### GREENLEAF ITEMS.

BY A WEST CORRESPONDENT.

George Peil brought a wagon load of people over the mountains to the entertainment at Alpha Saturday night.

William Austin came in the other day to put in some garden crops on his Deadwood homestead. He says he will move his family in from Eagene soon.

tine Kimmel. They reside three miles modious quarters, with "The Engene for an hour after which Mr. Huston was of war news, and seem to think that all this side of Eugene, on the farm ad- Real estate Agency," on the ground allowed a few moments to reply. Mr. the nations of the earth will side with joining the race track.

Chickahominy country is being com- office, where they will be pleased to see Messrs. Brattain and Weatherson for etc. We heard one man suggesting pleted. The present work is in town- any persons contemplating a trip East the republican side. ship 17 south, range 7 west, which was or South. eurveyed on paper years ago, but on For full information concerning rates, which the enryeyors who were paid for routes, time tables etc., call or address, the work left no mark to show that they

#### TSILTCOOS TALK.

BY GAIL MAKER.

The man with an "if" can be very

Everything seems prospering on Tsiltoos. Everybody busy. Mr. and Mrs. S. Lowe visited at Mr.

Brewster's last Sunday. Mr. S. Lowe moved his family back to

he ranch last week. Mrs. Brewster and Van made a trip to Prayer Gardiner last Saturday.

School is progressing finely under the Rec management of Mrs. Lowry. Mr. L. Anderson recently disposed of

some of his live stock to M1. Nichols. Mr. J. S. Dale has been enjoying (?) very poor health for some time past.

"Hurrah for Commodore Dewey and the American navy. It will be well for Rec the rest of the foreign braggarts to take Address better half.]

Mr. Brewster has been suffering for several weeks with a very painful sore Rec on his back, which for a time was thought to be a cancer, but on consulting Dr. Patterson at Gardiner he was much relieved in mind to be told Poem that it is not.

Perhaps it is early to begin talking about celebration, but I would like to Rec to suggest to the lake people that we Song make a grand rally at the old camping ground on the Colvin-Anderson isthmus, Let us have a war celebration and outdo anything ever heard of in the way of a Fourth of July celebration.

Shouldn't wonder if some of these quiet men, they who say little about themselves in connection with the war, would surprise their critics by coming boldly forward, should the necessity demand and offer themselves to the service of their country; while some who have been loudest in their clamors for "war!" will hustle to get behind their "ifs."

Though there may be a few cowardly souls, who thank their lucky stars that they have excuse sufficient to protect them from that awful monster "war," yet there are many brave and patriotic men who are fretting and chaffing as a newly caged bird because of the environments that hinder them from a soldier's Mr. Andrews was over from Smith duty. These loyal souls should remember that, they also serve who only stand and wait. "But I don't want to. you do what you want and I'll do what her sister Mrs. Robt. Bernhardt on Dun- I want to," reasons the three-year-old. Who say that he will not be president?

Mr. A. W. Reed sent out notice to the people on the creeks and lake that he would purchase all their butter, pay- Duet ing 14 cts. per pound at the south landing on Five-Mile lake; delivering free day by Messrs. Carl, Minor, Brewster and Gentry; they also took two sacks of Mohair. Mr. Reed will help the lake people in thus making a market for their produce. Several Maple creekers worked a day on the isthmus greatly improv-

#### SUNDAY SERVICES.

a., m., and at Point Terrace at 3 p., m. I. G. KNOTTS Pastor.

#### HERMANN HAPPENINGS.

By FRITZ.

Editor WEST: As this quiet valley is seldom heard from, I will send you a few items.

The people here are enjoying very good health. Memorial day will be observed here

by our patriotic citizens. A program is being prepared. All are invited. The most of our young men are very anxious to help Uncle Sam just now to

some of the older ones would be easily persuaded to take a hand. There will be plenty of garden "sass" Mr. M. Rath returned on Tuesday's here next winter judging from the

ment in the hatchery hall at boat bringing his son Victor whom he amount that has been planted. There e on Saturday evening May took to Portland some time ago to have will be a fair fruit crop here. Outs Each lady will furnish a basket his feet straightened. The little fellow's and meadows look well. Stock is doing

Politics are very quiet here. There are a few 16 to 1's here yet.

Mr. Ferris is doing some slashing. Smith Taylor was over to his ranch on the North Fork last week, finishing

his house. Wonder what it means? Walton Mead is freighting from Engene for the Seaton store. It looks like

#### SHIPPING AND MARINE.

The Ralph J. Long, Capt. Gruggel, arrived here from San Francisco Saturday evening laden with freight for our merchants and others. After discharging her cargo she was towed to Acme Monday to load with lumber. She will take out about 170,000 feet for the city

The Edith is already to start on her trip to San Francisco. She has about

100 barrels of salmon on board. The schooner Berwick was reported off from the month of the river Monday.

#### CHANGE OF LOCATION

R. McMuspay, General Agent, Opposite Guard Office, Engene.

#### DECCRATION DAY.

Gen. Lyons Post of Florence have accepted an invitation from Gardiner to comme morate Decoration day services

at that place on May 30th. The patriotic citizens of that city extend a general invitation to our people

with the assurance that the "Latch String is Ont."

The following is the program of the exercises: The Choir Song Rev. Bucknet Orator of Day C. H. Holden, Florence The Heart of a Soldier

Daisy More Libby Prison Four Little Boys Rev. McKeen Address Battle of Gettysburg Reading

Mr. Lester Battle Cry of Freedom

Pearl Corn Rev. Backner heed to their gans." [This is from my Song Star Spangled Banner By Choir Blue and Gray

> Somebody's Darling Lizzie Graham Wreck of the Maine

Engenia Spencer C. H. Holden Song The Ship That Never Returns The Young Ladies Decoration Day By the Children Red, White and Blue By Choir

J. W. Butler M. Andrews Committee. R. Low R. M. Chapman

#### MAPLETON SOCIAL.

The following is the program for the basket sociable to be given at Mapleton May 21.

Mapleton school Ohester Hadsall Rosie Knowles Our Flag Silas Knowles A Parody Mr. John Dahlin Anchored The Chickens Tommy Hadsall The Naughty Little Girl

Nettie Knowles Elder Lambs Donation Lottie Hadsall Dialogue The Trials of a Teacher

Two Pupi's Come Thou Fount Quartet Farmer Stebbins Puts on Della Camp Skates

The Psalm of Life A. Jackson Contentment Archie Knowles Mary Hadsall Flirting Little Boy Blue Miss Noffsinger Olive Knowles My Sister Sue An Experience With A

Refractory Cow Mabel Knowles Comrades Soprano and Tenor Eight Popils NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. A Broom Drill Audience Closing Song

Selling of baskets Edneste Your Bowels With Cascarets.

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What about celebrating the Fourth of July in Florence this year. That date is only about six weeks distant and it is his continuous residence upon and cultivation time to begin to arrange for it. Last of said land, viz: At Florence May 22nd at 11 o'clock year no celebration was held here, and Town and B. L. Wilkes, all of Lake Precinct, with the G. A. R. going to Gardiner on Oregon. Memorial day, Florence ought to get up a fine entertainment for the Fourth and thus show that her people have lost none of their patriotism.

### THE NEW VESSEL.

The band-saw has been at work steadiy this week cutting ont timber for the framework of the new vessel. A stick for the keel was been out by V. Garney a few days ago but was broken while being hauled to the river. Another stick will be ready soon. The knees for the vessel are being gotten out at the

Benedict & Evans logging camp. Three carpenters arrived from Coos bay Saturday and have been at work this week and two more are expected in a day or two. About twenty-five men are now employed at the yard.

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The readers of this paper will be from present outlooks, -some peaches pleased to learn that there is at least and pears. been able to cure in all its stages, and J. J. Elwood and wife of Engene are Deputy Sherift Fred Bean, was on the that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitunal disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Core is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the morning of the 6th it scorched the fern constitution and assisting nature in do- injured the fruit any. ing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that Miss Laura Tilton as teacher. The No i they offer One Hundred dollars for any school is also in fine running order with case that it fails to cure. Send for list Paul Bollman at the helin. of testimonials.

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#### THE MAPLETON MEETING.

The school house at Mapleton, was well filled Tuesday afternoon with people eager to see the candidates and hear al years ago on Badger mo intain near their opinions on the issues before the Hale, and who became insune and was public. Quite a number of ladies were sent to the anylum six years ago, has in the audience. Fred Bean was chosen returned and is going to make final chairman. In accordance with the proof on his claim. He seems to have The Northern Pacific Ticket office has arrangements of the county central recovered. Miss Neva Pope, late of Deadwood, been changed from its former location committees, Mr. Huston was the first Some of our citizens become very was married a short time ago to Valen- over Hall's grocery store, to more com- speaker. Dr. Kuykendall then spoke much excited when they hear a batch floor, first door North of Griffin's hard Potterf next delivered an address from Spain against us, all sorts of reports The survey of government land in the ware store, directly opposite the Guard the union party stand point followed by come in regard to the sinking of vessels

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that said proof will be made before C. H. Holden, U. S. Commissioner at Lake Precinct, Douglas County, Ore., on May 14, 1898, viz: Evan M. Black on h. e. no. 8615, for the seld. sec. 7; nwl4 nwl4 sec. 17; nl4 nel4 sec. 18; tp. 20 s., r. 11 W. He names the following witnesses to prove

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IVISON ITEMS.

By Ich DIEN.

May 13th, 1898. News items are scarce as hen's teeth

Oats are looking well but are needing We understand that George Peil will go to Texas soon.

Most every one in this vicinity is through gardening. Outside range was never better here

and stock looks well.

J. F. Chastain of Crabtree, Linn Co. was visiting friends and relatives here There will be a fine fruit crop here

putting out garden and making roads

S. S. Stephens will start his cheese factory in a few days. He is now milking 39 cows and will increase that number considerably. There was considerable frost here the

patient strength by building up the and a few potato tops, don't think it Our school is progressing nicely with

> The election is near at hand but we have not seen a candidate yet. This ranning around campaigning is all unnecessary anyway as we all know how we want to wote. We want the compliments after election when we go to

> the court house. Old Mr. Allen who took a claim sever-

that it would be a good and eafe plan for the government to fortify Florence to protect the Sinelaw valley. We pro-

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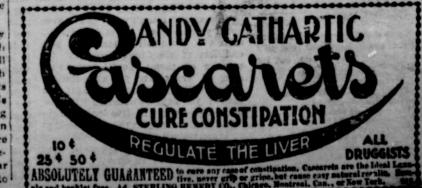
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